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T 1-4 N
R 1-8 W

T.1-4 N.
R.1-8 W.
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Field notes of the survey of the exterior lines of Townships number one, two, three and 4. N. of the base line of Ranges No one, two, three four, five, six, seven and Eight west of the 6th principal Meridian Nebraska Territory by Thomas W. Wheatly Deputy Surveyor under his contract number 243.
bearing date the 6th day of July 1858

Survey commenced August 4th 1858
And Ended September 23d 1858

8/4/2/3

Names and duties of Assistants

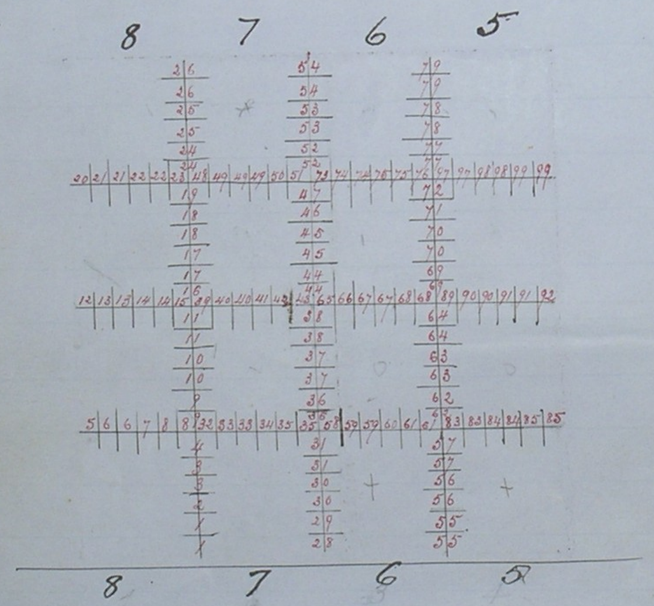
William M. Viney Chainman
Anthony W. Gravatt Chainman
James White Flagman
William Fevery. Cornerman
William Henderson. Cornerman

We do William Viney, Anthony W. Gravatt William Henderson. William Fevery. James White and Alexander McCulloch do solemnly swear that we will execute the duties of Chain carriers; that we will level the chain upon uneven ground and plumb the tally pins whether by sticking or dropping the same and that we will well and truly perform the duties of Flagman axman or Cornerman according to instructions furnished us and to the best of our skill and ability

Wm M Viney
Anthony W. Gravatt
James White
Wm Henderson
William Fevery
A McCulloch

Subscribed and sworn to by the above named persons before me this 10th day of August A. D. 1858

Thomas B Wheatly
Deputy Surveyor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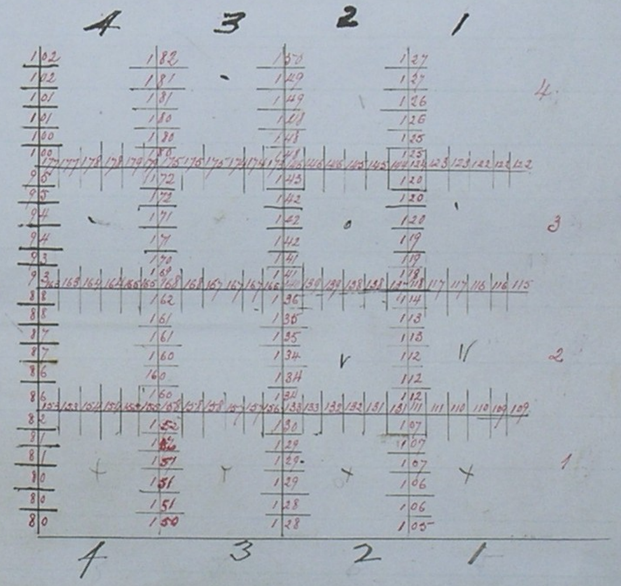
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Between Ranges. 7 and 8. W. Township 1. N.

From the corner to T. 1. N. Ranges 7 and 8. W. I run

North between sections 31 and 36

Variation 12.40' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

75 00 Leave rolling prairie and enter valley of Republican river bears E and W

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 25. 30. 31 and 36

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 25 and 30

Variation 12.40' East

10 00 Right bank of the Republican fork of the Kansas River 600 links wide runs East

16 30 Left bank of same, low and muddy

16.30
63.70

40 00 Deposited three flint pebbles too hard to mark, set post and raised a mound

Between Ranges 7 and 8. Township 1 N

as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a flint stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30

Land level prairie: soil 1st rate

North between sections 19 and 24

Variation 12. 40' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

45 00 Leave valley of Republican bears E and W

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 13. 18. 19 and 24

Land level prairie

Soil 1st rate

Between Ranges 7 and 8. W. Township 1. N

North between sections 13 and 18

Variation 12. 40' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 7. 12. 13 and 18

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 7 and 12

Variation 12. 40 East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 1. 6. 7 and 12

Land rolling prairie

Soil 1st rate

4

Township Between Ranges 7. and 8. Township 1. N

North between sections 1 and 6

Variation 12°.40' East

40 00 Deposited a charred stake. set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

45 00 Ravine course West

65 00 Ravine Course West

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to section Township 1 and 2 N. Ranges 7 and 8 W

Land rolling prairie

Soil Good

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Between Townships 1 and 2. N. Range. 8. W.

West on a random line between Townships 1 and 2. N. along the south boundary of Sections 36. 35. 34. 33. 32 and 31

Variation by Burts Solar Compass 12°.40 East

I set temporary half mile and mile post at every 40 and 80 chains and at five Miles and 77.02 links intersect 6th principal meridian 174 links North of corner to Ts. 1 and 2 N R. 7 and 8 W

The correction will therefore be 29 lks South per mile

From the corner to Townships 1 and 2 N Ranges 8 and 9 West I run East on a true line along the south boundary of section 31

Variation 12°.51' East

3 7 02 Deposited a marked stone. set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

77 02 Deposited a marked stone, set post and

Between T. 1 and 2 N Range 8 W
raised a mound as per instructions
for corner to sections 5, 6, 31 and 32
Land rolling prairie: soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 5 & 32
variation 12° 51' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set a post
and raised a mound as per instructions
for quarter section corner
57 00 Branch 10 lks wide runs South
76 00 Ravine course S
80 00 Deposited a marked stone set a
post and raised a mound as per
instructions for corner to sections
4, 5, 32 and 33
Land rolling prairie; soil 2d rate

East on a true line between sections
4 and 33
Variation 12° 51' East
15 50 Ravine course South
40 00 Deposited a marked stone set post

Between T. 1 and 2 N. Range 8. W
and raised a mound as per instructions
for quarter section corner
23 00 Branch 10 lks wide runs South
48 50 Same 10 lks wide runs S W
55 50 Same 10 lks wide runs S
80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post
and raised a mound as per
instructions for corner to sections 3, 4, 33 & 34
Land rolling prairie: soil 1st rate

East on a true line along the south
boundary of section 34
Variation 12. 51' East
40 00 Deposited a marked stone. set post
and raised a mound as per instructions
for quarter section corner
45 00 Branch 10 lks wide runs south
70 00 Ravine course South
80 00 Deposited a marked stone set a post
and raised a mound as per instructions
for corner to sections 2, 3, 34 and 35
Land rolling prairie; soil 2d rate

Between T.S. 1 and 2 N. Ranges 8 W

East on a true line along the south boundary of section 35

Variation 12°. 51' East

17 00 Ravine course south

40 00 Deposited a marked stone. set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

67 00 Branch 10 lks wide runs S

80 Deposited a marked stone. set a post and raised a mound for corner to sections 1. 2. 35 & 36

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

August 19th 1858

East on a true line between sections 1 and 36

Variation 12°. 51' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for ~~corner to sections~~ quarter section corner

63 00 Branch 10 lks wide runs S W

80 00 Corner T. S. 1 & 2. N. Ranges 7 and 8 W

Land rolling prairie: 1st rate

General Description

This Township contains a large amount of good farming land — numerous streams of water run through it and there is considerable timber skirting the banks of some of them — This township will admit of a good settlement and therefore should be subdivided

Between Ranges 7 and 8 W. Township 2. N

From the Corner to Townships 1 and 2 N. Ranges 7 & 8. W. Inter

North between sections 31 and 36

Variation 12°. 40' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone. set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 25. 30. 31 and 36

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 25 and 30

Variation 12°. 40' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone. set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30

Land rolling prairie

Soil 1st rate

10

Between Ranges 7. and 8. W. T. 2. N

North between sections 19 and 24

Variation 12°.40' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 13. 18. 19 and 24

Land level. prairie soil 1st rate

North between sections 13 and 18

Variation 12.40 East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 7. 12. 13 and 18

Land level prairie

Soil 1st rate

11

Between Ranges 7 and 8. W. Township 2 N

N between sections 7 and 12.

Variation 12°.40' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone. set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 1. 6. 7 and 12

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 1 and 6

Variation 12.45' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone. set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to Township 2 and 3. N. Ranges 7 and 8. W

Land rolling prairie: soil 1st rate

Between Townships 2 and 3. N. Range 8. W

West on a random line along the south boundaries of sections 36. 35. 34. 33. 32 and 31

Variation 12°. 55' East

I set temporary half mile and mile post at every 40 and 80 chains and at 5 miles 74 40, to a point 66 lks North of corner to Townships 2 and 3. N. Ranges 8 and 9. W

(The correction will therefore be 11 lks south per mile

From the corner to T. 2 and 3 N. R 8 and 9 W I run

East on a true line between sections 6 and 31

Variation 13. 00' East

10 00 Ravine course S. E

34.40 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

70 00 Ravine Course S. W

74 40 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 5. 6. 31 and 32

Between Townships 2 and 3. N. Range 8. W

Land rolling prairie: 2d rate

East on a true line between sections 5 and 32

Variation 13°. 00' East

7.50 Ravine course S. E.

40 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec. corner

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 4. 5. 32 and 33

Land rolling prairie: soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 4 and 33

Variation 13°. 00' East

2 00 Ravine course S.

40 00 Drove charred stake, set a post, and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 3. 4. 33 and 34

Land rolling prairie

Soil 1st rate

14

Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 8. W.
East on a true line between sections 3 and 34

Variation 13.00. East

40 00 Drove chained stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section

80 00 Drove chained stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 2. 3. 34 and 35th

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 2 and 35

Variation 13.00° East

40 00 Drove chained stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80 00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 1. 2. 35 and 36

Land rolling prairie

Soil 1st rate

15

Between Townships 2 and 3. N. Range 8. W.
East on a true line between sections 1 and 36

Variation 13° 00' East

40 00 Drove chained stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80 00 Corner to ~~Town~~ Townships 2 and 3. N. R. 7 and 8. W.

Land rolling prairie 1st rate

August 20th 1858

General Description

The land in this township is general good 1st rate land susceptible of heavy settlement and should be subdivided.

Between Ranges 7 and 8 W. Township 3 N

From the corner to Townships 2 and 3 N. Ranges 7 and 8 W

North between sections 31 and 36

Variation 12°.3'.5" East

40 00 Strove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec. corner

80 00 Strove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 25. 30. 31 and 36

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 30 and 25

Variation 13°. 3' East

40 00 Strove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Strove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections

Between Ranges 7 and 8. W. Township 3 N

North between sections 19 and 30

Variation 13°. 3' East

40 00 Strove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

77 70 Enter timber bears E and West

80 00 Set a post with trench as per instructions for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30

from which

An Elm 14 in diam bears S 54 E 80 lks dist

An Elm 26 in diam bears N 53 E. 36 lks dist

An Oak 20 in diam bears N 68 W 70 lks dist

No other tree convenient to mark

Land rolling 2d rate

Timber Oak walnut Elm and Hickory

North between sections 19 and 24

Variation 13. 3' East

2 00 Branch 15 lks wide rapid current banks miry runs E

3 00 Leave timber bears E and west

40 00 Strove charred stake set post and raised

Between Ranges 7 and 8. W. Township 3 N
A mound as per instructions for quarter
section corner

46 00 Ravine Course. S. E.
80 00 Drove charred stake. set post and
raised a mound as per instructions
for corner to sections 13. 18. 19 and 24
Land rolling prairie: soil 1st rate

North between sections 13 and 18
Variation 13. 15' East

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised
a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner
80 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised
a mound as per instructions for corner to
sections 7. 12. 13 and 18
Land rolling prairie: soil 1st rate

North between sections 7 and 12
Variation 13 00 East

3 00 Ravine course S. E.
40 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised
a mound for quarter sec corner

Between Ranges 7 and 8. Township 3 N

80 00 Drove charred stake set a post and
raised a mound as per instructions
for corner to sections 1. 6. 7 and 12
Land rolling prairie: soil 1st rate

North between sections 1 and 6
Variation 13°. 15' East

40 00 Drove charred stake, set a post and
raised a mound as per instructions
for quarter section corner
80 00 Drove charred stake. set a post and
raised a mound as per instructions
for corner to ~~sections~~ Townships 3 and
4 North of Ranges 7 and 8 W
Land rolling prairie
Soil 1st rate

Between Townships 3 and 4. N. Range 8 W

West on a random line along the south boundary of sections 36. 35. 34. 33. 32. and 31

Variation 13°. 10' East

I set temporary half mile and mile post at every 40 and 80 chains

At five miles 74 chains and 38 links to a point 60 lks North of corner to Townships 3 and 4 N. Ranges 8 and 9. W.

Land

The correction will therefore be 10 links South per mil – I therefore run

East on a true line between sections 6 and 31

Variation 13. 14 East

34. 38 Stone charred stake, set post, and raised a mound as per instruction for quarter section corner

38 50 Ravine course S.

73 80 Ravine Course S

74 38 Stone charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner

Between Townships 3 and 4 N. Range 8 W

to sections 5. 6. 31 and 32

Land rolling prairie: soil 1st rate

East on a ~~Variation~~ true line between sections 5 and 32

Variation 13. 14 East

39 00 Ravine course S

40 00 Stone charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Stone charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 4. 5. 32 and 33

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 4 and 33

Variation 13. 14 East.

40 00 Stone charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

72 00 Enter timber bears N. E and S. W

73 00 Creek 25 lks wide runs N. E.

Between Townships 3 and 4 N. Range 8 W

74 00 leave timber bears N. E. and S. W.

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instruction for corner to sections 3. 4. 33. and 34

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

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East on a true line between sections 3 and 34

Variation 13.14 East

40 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 2. 3. 34 and 35

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 2 and 35

Variation 13.14 East

40 00 Drove charred stake, set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

Between Townships 3 and 4 N. Range 8 W. 6th P. M

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 1. 2. 35 and 36

Land rolling prairie; soil 2d rate

East on a true line between sections 1 and 36

Variation 13.14 East

40 00 Drove charred stake set a post and raised a mound for quarter sec corner

~~80 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for~~

80 00 corner to Townships 3 and 4 N. Range 7 & 8 W

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

General Description

There is good land in this township highly suitable for Agricultural purposes will admit of a large settlement and should be subdivided

Between Ranges 7 and 8. W. Township 4. N

From the corner to Townships 3 and 4. N. Ranges 7 and 8. W. I run

North between sections 31 and 36

Variation 13.15 East

40 00 I drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound for quarter section corner

80 00 I drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 25. 30. 31 and 36

Land rolling prairie: soil 1st rate

North between sections 25 and 30

Variation 13.10 East

40 00 I deposited charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 I drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30

Land rolling prairie; soil 2d rate

Between Ranges 7 and 8. W. Township 4. N

North between sections 19 and 24

Variation 13.10 East

34 00 Ravine Course East

40 00 I drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

69 50 Military Road from Ft Riley to Kearny bears N. W. and S. E.

80 00 I drove charred stake set post and raised a mound per instructions for corner to sections 13. 18. 19 and 24

Land rolling prairie: soil 2d rate

North between sections 13 and 18

Variation 13.00 East

40 00 I drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80 00 I drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 7. 12. 13 and 18

Land rolling prairie: soil 2d rate

Between Ranges 7 and 8 W. Township 74 N

North between sections 7 and 12

Variation 13°.15' East

40 00 Deposited a chamfered stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

44 00 Branch 10 lks wide course N N E

80 00 Drove chamfered stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner to sections 1. 6. 7 and 12

Land rolling prairie; 1st rate

North between sections 1 and 6

Variation 13.15 East

40 00 Set post. drove chamfered stake and raised a mound for quarter sec corner

78 85 Intersected 1st standard parallel N. 19.25 chs East of standard cor to T. 5. Ranges 7 and 8 W

Set a post. drove chamfered and raised a mound as per instructions for closing corner to T. 74. R. 7 and 8

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

General Description

This Township is good 1st rate land, is well watered and highly adapted to agricultural pursuits — should be subdivided

August 24th 1858

B.

Between Ranges 6 and 7 W. Township 1 N

From the corner to Townships 1 N. Ranges 6 and 7 W. I run

North between sections 31 and 36

Variation 12°45' East

40 00 Drove charred stake. set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

46.50 Branch 20 lks wide runs East - banks skirted with timber

59 50 Enter timber bears N.W. and S E

60 00 Branch 15 lks wide runs S. E

61 00 leave timber bears N.W. and S.E.

64 00 Enter timber bears S.W. and N.E

64 95 Same creek 15 links wide runs. S.W.

65 50 leave timber bears N. E. and S.W

80 00 Deposited a marked stone. set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 25. 30. 31 and 36

Land rolling 1st rate

Timber Oak. Hickory ash and Elm

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Between Ranges 6 and 7. W. Township 1 N

North between sections 25 and 30

Variation 12.45 East

40.00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

43.00 Enter timber bears S E and N. W.

43 50 Branch 10 lks wide runs S. E

50 50 Same branch 15 lks wide runs. S.W.

59 00 same branch 10 lks wide runs S.E.

60 leave timber bears N W & S E

80 00 Deposited a marked stone. set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30

Land rolling 1st rate

Timber Oak and Elm

Between Ranges 6 and 7 W. Township 1 N

North between sections 19 and 24

Variation 13.00 East

20 00 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 13. 18. 19 and 24

Land rolling prairie; 1st rate

North between sections 13 and 18

Variation 12°. 30' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 7. 12. 13 and 18

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Ranges 6 and 7 W. Township 1 N.

North between sections 7 and 12

Variation 12.50 East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 1. 6. 7 and 12

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 1 and 6

Variation 13°.00' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Drove chiseled stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to Townships 1 and 2 N. Ranges 6 & 7 W

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Townships 1 and 2 N. Range 7 W

West on a random line along the south boundary of sections 36. 35. 34. 33. 32 and 31

Variation 13. 00 East

I set temporary half mile and mile post at every 40 and 80 chs and at 6 miles and 10 chs to a point 66 links North of corner to Townships 1 and 2 N.R. 7 and 8 W

The correction will therefore be 11 lks South per mile and the variation 13.5°

East on a true line between sections 6 and 31

Variation 13. 3° East

40 00 Deposited a flint stone one cubic inch in size, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set a post and raised a mound as per instruction for corner to sections 5. 6. 31 and 32

Land rolling prairie; soil 2d rate

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Between Townships 1 and 2. N. Ranges 6 & 7 W

East on a true line between sections 5 and 32

Variation 13° 5' East

10 00 Branch 20 lks wide runs south

40 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

50 00 Branch 10 lks wide runs S

80 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 4, 5. 32 and 33

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 4 and 33

Variation 13. 5°. East

40 00 Deposited a flint stone one inch in diam set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 3. 4. 33 and 34

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Townships 1 and 2. N. Range 7 W

East on a true line between sections 3 and 34
Variation 13.5' East

1 00 Ravine course N W
37 00 Branch 6 lks wide runs S
40 00 Deposited a marked stone. set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner
41 00 Same branch 10 lks wide runs N W
43 00 Same runs . S.E.
44 10 Same 10 lks wide runs N.W
46 50 Same 10 lks wide runs S.E
62 00 Branch 15 lks wide runs , S.E.
80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 2. 3. 34 and 35
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Townships 1 and 2. N. Ranges. 7. W.

East on a true line between sections 2 and 35
Variation 13.° 5' East

6 00 Ravine course S
35 00 Branch 5 lks wide runs S
40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner
80 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to section 1.2.35.36
Land rolling prairie: soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 1 and 36
Variation 13.5' East

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner
80 00 Corner to T. 1 and 2. N. Ranges 6 and 7 W
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate
Sicquet 27th 1858

General description

The surface of this township is gently rolling, soil good, will admit of a large settlement and should therefore be subdivided

Between Ranges 6 and 7 W. Township 2 N

(From the corner to Townships 1 and 2 N. Ranges 6 and 7 W. Town

North between sections 31 and 36

Variation 13.00 East

20.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 25. 30. 31 and 36

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 25 and 30

Variation 13°00' East

40.00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.00 Deposited a marked stone, set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Ranges 6 and 7 W Township 2 N

North between Sections 19 and 24

Variation 13°05' East.

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter Section corner.

80.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to Sections 13, 18, 19 and 24.

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between Sections 13 and 18

Variation 13°08' East.

40.00 Set post in mound with trench as per instructions for quarter Sec. corner.

80.00 Drove charred stake, set post in mound as per instructions for corner to Sections 7, 12, 13 and 18

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Ranges 6 and 7 W. Township 2 N.

North between Sections 7 and 12

Variation 13°08' East

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter Section corner.

80.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to Sections 1. 6, 7 and 12. Land rolling prairie; Soil 1st rate.

North between Sections 1 and 6

Variation 13°08' East.

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound for quarter Sec. corner.

75.00 Branch 1 rg 15 lks ~~[illegible]~~ E

80.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to Townships 2 and 3 N. Ranges 6 and 7 W. Land rolling prairie; Soil 1st rate

Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 7 W.

West on a random line between Townships 2 and 3 N. along the South boundary of Sections 36, 35, 34, 33, 32 and 31.

Variation 13°10' East.

Set temporary half mile and mile post at every 40 and 80 chains and at 6 miles and 70 links to a point 225 links North of corner to Townships 2 and 3 N. of Ranges 7 and 8 W.

The correction will therefore be 37.5 links per mile and the corrected Variation for running the true line 13°26' East.

From the corner to Townships 2 and 3 N. Ranges 7 and 8 W I run East on a true line between Sections 6 and 31.

Variation 13°.26' East.

40 70 Set a Lime-stone 20 in. long 15 in. wide and 2 in. thick for quarter Sec. corner.

Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 7 W.

80.60 A branch 20 lks wide runs N. W.

80.70 Set a Lime-stone 20 in. long 13 in. wide and 3 in. thick for corner to Sections 3, 6, 31 and 32.

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between Sections 3 and 32.

Variation 13° 26' East

40.00 Set a Lime-stone 18 in. long 14 in wide and 4 in. thick for quarter Section corner.

50.00 A Ravine course North

80.00 Set a Lime-stone 16 in. long 14 in wide and 3 in. thick for corner to Sections 4, 5, 32 and 33.

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line along the South boundary of Section 33.

Variation 13° 26' East.

40.00 ~~Bore charred stake set post and~~ Set a Lime-stone 22 in. long 14 in

Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 7 W.

wide and 3 in thick for quarter Sec. corner.

48.00 Branch 5 lks. wide runs N. N. W.

75.00 Ravine course N. E.

80.00 Set a Lime-stone 22 in. long 14 in. wide and 3 in. thick for corner to Sections 3, 4, 33 and 34.

Land rolling prairie; Soil 1st rate.

East on a true line between Sections 3 and 34.

Variation 13° 26' East.

40.00 Set a Lime-stone 20 in. long 12 in wide and 6 in thick for quarter Section corners

80.00 Set a Lime-stone 20 in long 12 in wide and 3 in. thick for corner to Sections 2, 3, 34 and 35

Land rolling prairie; Soil 1st rate.

Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 7 W.

East on a true line between Sections 2 and 35.

Variation 13°. 26' East.

15 00 Branch 10 lks wide runs North. Bank skirted with Oak and Elm Timber.

27 00 Ravine course N. W.

40 00 Set a Lime-stone 20 in. long 12 in. wide and 6 in thick for quarter Sec. corner.

77 10 Ravine course North

80 00 Set a Lime-stone 22 in. long 14 in wide and 4 in. thick for corner to Sections 1, 2, 35 and 36.

Land rolling prairie; soil 2d rate.

Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 7 W.

East on a true line between Sections 1 and 36.

Variation 13° 26 East.

40 00 Set a Lime-stone 18 in long 12 in wide and 4 in. thick for quarter Sec. corner.

80.00 Corner to Townships 2 and 3 North Ranges 6 and 7 W.

Land rolling prairie; soil 2d rate.

August 28th 1858

General Description.

The surface of this township is rolling good 2d and 1st rate land, is watered by numerous spring branches, contains very little timber but nevertheless will admit of a good settlement and therefore should be subdivided.

Between Ranges 6 and 7 W. Township 3 N.

From the corner to Townships 2 and 3 N. Ranges 6 and 7 W. Town

North between sections 31 and 36

Variation 13°.10. East

10 00 Road bears N W & S E

40 00 Set a limestone 16 in long, 10 in wide and 6 in thick for quarter sec corner

80 00 Set a limestone 14 in long, 14 in wide and 5 in thick for corner to sections 25. 30. 31 and 36

Land rolling prairie; 1st rate

North between sections 25 and 30

Variation 13°.30'. East

40 00 Set a limestone 15 in long, 12 in wide and 5 in thick for quarter section corner

74 50 Enter timber bears E and West

75 00 Creek 20 lks wide runs East

80 Set a post for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30 from which

An Elm 20 in diam bears S 2° W. 30 lks dist

An Elm 10 in diam bears S 40 E 15 lks dist

An Ash 20 in diam bears N 25 W 35 lks dist

B — no other tree convenient to mark

12

Between Ranges 6 and 7 W. Township 3 N

North between sections 19 and 24

Variation 13°.30' East

2.50 Same 10 lks wide runs N. W.

5 00 Same 10 lks wide runs N. E

10 00 Same 8 lks wide runs N. W.

12 00 Same 10 lks wide runs East

13 10 leave timber bears E and W

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 18 in long, 10 in wide and 8 in thick for corner to sections 13. 18. 19 and 24

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 13 and 18

Variation 13°.50' East

40 00 Set a limestone, 16 in long 14 in wide and 5 in thick for quarter section cor

80 00 Set a limestone 15 in long. 14 in wide and 4 in thick for corner to sections 7. 12. 13 and 18

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Range 6 and 7.W. Township 3 N

North between sections 7 and 12

Variation 13 50 East

31 50 Ravine course N.E

40 00 Set a post for quarter section corner from which

A Burr Oak 20 in diam bears N.51.E. 164 lks dist

A Burr Oak 20 in diam bears N 2° W 478 lks dist

43 50 Enter timber bears E and W

51 50 branch 15 lks wide runs East

51 50 Leave timber bears N E and S.W.

80 00 Set a limestone 21. in long, 12 in wide and 3° in thick for corner to sections 1, 6. 7 and 12

Land rolling prairie; 1st rate

Between Ranges 6 and 7. W. T. 3. N.

North between sections 1 and 6

Variation 13.45° East

30 00 Branch 5° links wide runs S. E.

33 10 Same 5° links wide runs S W

38 00 Same 5° links wide runs S E

40 00 Set a post for quarter section corner from which

A lone Elm 16° in diam bears N 1½ W. 500 links dist

43 00 Same branch 5° links wide runs S W

45 25 Same 5° lks wide runs S. E

46 20 Same 6 lks wide runs. S. W.

50 00 Same 3° lks wide runs S E

80 00 Set a limestone 19. in long 12 in wide and 3° in thick for corner to Townships 3 and 4. N. Range 6 and 7. W.

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

48

Between Townships 3 and 4 N. Range 7 W.
West on a random line along the south
boundary of sections 36, 35, 34, 33, 32 and 31
Variation 13.45 East
I set temporary half mile and mile posts
at every 40 and 80 chains and at
3 miles 78 and 57 links intersect Range
line 12 links south of corner to Townships
3 and 4 N Ranges 7 and 8 W

The correction will therefore be 2 lks
North per mile and the variation
for running the true line East, 13.44' East

From the corner to Townships 3 and 4 N
Ranges 7 and 8 West I run
East on a true line between sections 6 and 31
Variation 13°.44' East

38 57 Set a limestone 15 in long 12 in wide and
5 in thick for quarter section corner

78 57 Set a limestone 17 in long, 16 in wide and 4 in
thick for corner to sections 5, 6, 31 and 32
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

49

13

Between Townships 3 and 4 N. Range 7 W

East on a true line between sections 5 and 32
Variation 13°.44' East

40 00 Set a limestone 17 in long, 15 in wide and 4 in
thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 15 in long, 12 in wide and
4 in thick for corner to sections 4, 5, 32 and 33
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 4 and 33
Variation 13.44 East

40 00 Set a limestone 17 in long, 13 in wide and
4 in thick for quarter sec corner

80 00 Set a limestone 16 in long, 12 in wide and
4 in thick for corner to sections 3, 4, 33 and 34
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 3 and 34
Variation 13°.44' East

40 00 Set a limestone 16 in long 12 in wide
and 5 in thick for quarter section corner

Between Townships 3 and 4 N. Range 7 W

67 00 Ravine course south
80 00 Set a limestone 20 in long 12 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to sections 2. 3. 34 and 35
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 2 and 35

Variation 13.44 East

16 00 Ravine course S.
40 00 Set a limestone 12 in long, 12 in wide and 4 in thick for quarter section corner
~~42 00 [illegible] N.W and S.E~~
43 10 Ravine course South
61 00 Ravine course S.S.E
80 00 Set a limestone 20 in long, 12 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to sections 1. 2. 35 and 36
Land rolling prairie; soil 2d rate

Between Township 3 and 4 N. Range 7 W.

East on a true line between sections 1 and 36

Variation 13° 44' East

40 00 Set a limestone 12 in long 7 in wide and 6 in thick for quarter section corner
80 00 Corner to Townships 3 and 4 N. Ranges 6 and 7 W
Land rolling prairie: soil 1st rate

August 29th 1873

General Description

The land in this township is generally good — there is considerable timber on Elk creek a stream of good water running through the southern portion

Between Ranges 6 and 7. W. Township 4 N

(From the corner to Townships 3 and 4. N. Ranges 6 and 7. W. S run

North between sections 31 and 36

Variation 13. 5° East

40 00 Drove charred stake, set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 22. in long. 12. in wide and 3 in thick for corner to sections 25. 30, 31 and 36

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 25 and 30

Variation 13°. 3' East

X 40 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 12 in long, 12 in wide and 6 in thick for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30

Between Ranges 6 and 7. W. Township 4. N

North between sections 19 and 24

Variation 13.00 East

40 00 Set a post, drove charred stake and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80 00 Set a limestone 13 in long, 12 in wide and 6 in thick for corner to sections 13. 18 19 and 24

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 13 and 18

Variation 12. 50 East

27 50 Enter timber bears E and W

29 50 Little Blue river 75 links wide runs East

31 00 leave timber bears E and W

40 00 Set a post for quarter section corner from which

A Cottonwood 24 in diam bears S 30' W. 925 lks dis

A Bur Oak 24 in diam bears N 10 W 250 lks dist

X 80 00 Set a limestone 13 in long, 12 in wide and 6 in thick for corner to sections 7. 12. 13. and 18

Land level; 1st rate

Timber Cottonwood Hickory and Elm

Between Ranges 6 and 7 W. Township 4 N

North between sections 7 and 12

variation 12°. 45' East

40 00 Drove chased stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 16 in long, 12 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to sections 1. 6. 7 and 12

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 1 and 6

variation 12°. 40. East

21 50 Military road from Ft Leavenworth to Fort Kearney bears E and W

40 00 Drove chased stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec. corner

77 30 Intersected 1st Standard parallel 17 chs and 50 links East of Standard corner to T. 5 N. R. 6 and 7 W

Drove chased stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for closing corner to Township 4 N Ranges 6 and 7 W

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

August 20th 1857

Between Ranges 5 and 6 W. Township 1. N

(From the ~~corner~~ to ~~sections~~ Township 1 N. Ranges 5 and 6. W. I run

North between sections 31 and 36

variation 12°. 45' East

40 00 Set a limestone 19 in long 13 in wide and 4 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 18 in long 13 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to sections 25. 30 31 and 36

Land rolling prairie; 1st rate

North between sections 25 and 30

variation 12. 46 East

40 00 Set a limestone 16 in long 12 in wide and 5 in thick for quarter section corner

48 00 Branch 10 lks wide runs South East

53 30 Same 10 lks wide runs S. W

56 10 Same 10 lks wide runs S. E

58 00 Same 10 lks wide runs S W

62 53 Same 10 lks wide runs S E

80 Set a limestone 22 in long, 12 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Ranges 5 and 6 W. Township 1 N

North between sections 19 and 24

Variation 12°. 45' East

40 00 Set a limestone 14 in long, 12 in wide and 5 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 18 in long 10 in wide and 5 in thick for corner to sections 13. 18. 19 and 24

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

~~Between Ranges 5 and 6~~

North between sections 13 and 18

Variation 12°. 46' East

40 00 Set a limestone 12 in long, 8 in wide and 8 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 16 in long, 11 in wide and 6 in thick for corner to sections 7. 12. 13 and 18

Land level prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Ranges 5 and 6 W. Township 1 N

North between sections 7 and 12

Variation 12°. 45' East

33 00 Ravine course, S. S. E

39 80 Road bears N. W. and S. E.

40 00 Set a limestone 14 in long, 8 in wide and 7 in thick for quarter sec corner

80 00 Set a limestone 13 in long, 11 in wide and 7 in thick for corner to sections 1. 6. 7 and 12

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 1 and 6

Variation 12°. 43' East

39 00 Ravine course, S. W.

40 00 Set a limestone 19 in long, 11 in wide and 5 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to Townships 1 and 2 N Ranges 5 and 6 W.

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Townships 1 and 2 N Range 6 W
West on a random line along the south
boundary of sections 36. 35. 34. 33. 32 and 31.

Variation 12° 45' East

I set temporary half mile and mile post
at every 40 and 80 Chains and at 6 miles 1 chain
and 85 links Intersected range line 84 links
links South of corner to townships 1 and 2
N Ranges 6 and 7 W

The correction will therefore be 14 links
North per mile

From the corner to Townships 1 and 2 N
Ranges 6 and 7 W I run
East on a true line along the south boundary
of section 31

Variation 12.39 East

19 60 Ravine Course S
41 85 Deposited a marked stone, set post and
raised as mound as per instructions
for quarter section corner

Between Township 1 and 2 N. Range 6 W.

64 10 Branch 10 lks wide runs S.
81 85 Set a post, drove charred stake and
raised a mound as per instructions
for corner to sections 5. 6. 31 and 32
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 5 and 32

Variation 12° 39' East

2 00 Ravine Course S
40 00 Deposited a marked stone set post and
raised a mound as per instructions
for quarter section corner
80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and
raised a mound as per instructions for
corner to sections 4. 5. 32 and 33
Land rolling prairie; 1st rate

East on a true line between sections
4 and 33

Variation. 12° 39' East

Right Cubic Soil

Hon Wheatley must confess that he is rather. Omeds. (Sunday)

Between Townships 1 and 2 N. Range 6 W

21 00 Ravine Course S.

40 00 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 3. 4. 33 and 34
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 3 and 34
Variation 12°. 39' East

40 00 Set a post, drove charred stake and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

56 00 Ravine Course South

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 2. 3. 34 and 35
Land rolling prairie.
Soil 1st rate

Between Townships 1 and 2 N. Range 6 W 16

East on a true line between sections 2 and 35
Variation 12. 39 East

9 00 Branch 5 lks wide runs S

40 00 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

65 00 Ravine Course S

80 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound for corner to sections 1. 2. 35 and 36
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 1 and 36
Variation 12°. 39', East

36 30 Road bears N. W and S. E.

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 Corner to Townships 1 and 2 N Ranges 5 and 6 W
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

September 2d 1858

General description

The land in this township is good, well watered, will admit of a good settlement and therefore should be subdivided

Between Ranges 5 and 6 W. Township 2 N

From the corner to Townships 1 and 2 N. Ranges 5 and 6 W. I run

North between sections 31 and 36

Variation 12° 45' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 25. 30. 31 and 36

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 25 and 30

Variation 12° 23' East

40 00 Set a post, deposited a marked stone and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30

Land rolling prairie

Soil 1st rate

Between Ranges 5 and 6 W. Township 2 N

North between sections 19 and 24

Variation 12° 23' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

76 00 Ravine course N. N. E

80 00 Deposited a marked flint set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 13. 18. 19 and 24

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 13 and 18

Variation 12. 23 East

33 00 Branch 10 lks wide runs N. E.

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 7. 12. 13 and 18

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Ranges 5 and 6 W. Township 2 N.

North between sections 7 and 12

Variation 12° 30' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 1. 6. 7 and 12

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 1 and 6

Variation 12° 30' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to Townships 2 and 3 N. Ranges 5 and 6 W

Land rolling prairie 1st rate

Between Townships 2 and 3 Range 6 W

West on a random line along the South boundary of sections 36. 35. 34. 33. 32 and 31

Variation 12° 30' East

I set temporary half mile and mile post at every 40 and 80 chains and at 6 miles and 85 links I intersected Range line 210 lks South of corner to Townships 2 and 3. Ranges 6 and 7 W

The correction will therefore be 35 lks N per mile.

From the corner to Townships 2 and 3 N Ranges 6 and 7 W I run East on a true line between sections 31 and 6

Variation 12. 15 East

5 50 Bed of dry branch 10 lks wide runs N E

7 30 Road bears N. W. and S E

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

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Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 6. W

East on a ~~true line along the south boundary of sec 31~~

Variation

75 40 Ravine course N. E

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 5. 6. 31 and 32

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 5 and 32

Variation 12°.15' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 4, 5, 32 and 33

Land rolling prairie

Soil 1st rate

67

Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 6. W

East on a true line between sections 4 and 33

Variation 12°.15' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 3, 4, 33 and 34

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 3 and 34

Variation 13°.15' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 2. 3. 34 and 35

Land rolling prairie

Soil 1st rate

68

Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 6 W.

East on a true line between sections 2 and 35

Variation 12° 15' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 1. 2. 35. and 36

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 1 and 36

Variation 12. 15 East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Corner to Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 6 and 5 W

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

September 3d 1858

General Description

The land in this township is first rate surface rolling, well watered, should be subdivided

69

Between Ranges 5 and 6 W. Township 3 N

From the corner to Townships 2 and 3 N. Ranges 5 and 6 W. I run

North between sections 31 and 36

Variation 12° 23' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 31. 36. 25 and 30

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 25 and 30

Variation 12° 20' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone. set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30

Land level prairie!

Soil 1st rate

Between Ranges 5 and 6. W. Township. 3. N.

North between sections 19 and 24

Variation 12°. 30' East

15 00 Ravine Course. E.

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone. set a post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 13. 18. 19. and 24

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 13 and 18

Variation 13. 9' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instruction for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a post for corner to sections 7. 12. 13. and 18 from which - An. Elm. 16 in diam bears N 16 W. 198 lks dist

A Cottonwood 10 in diam. bears N. 40. E 220 lks dist

A Cottonwood 12 in diam bears S 67 W. 440 lks dist

no other tree convenient to mark

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Ranges 5 and 6. W. Township. 3. N

North between sections 7 and 12

Variation 12. 45 East

1. 50 Enter timber bears E and W

2 00 Branch 15 lks wide runs East

14 40 Same 15 links. wide runs N. W

15 00 leave timber bears N. W. and S E

17 00 Enter timber bears S W and N. E.

18 10 Same branch 15 links wide runs N E

19 00 leave timber bears N E and S W

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 1. 2. 7 and 12

Land rolling

Soil 1st rate

Timber Oak. Hackberry. Elm and Cottonwood

Between Ranges 13 and 6 W. Townships 2 N

North between sections 1 and 6

Variation 12°. 45' East

31 50 Little Blue River 100 lks wide, banks low and miry, sandy bottom, and rapid current runs, S. E.

32.50 Enter timber bears N. W. and, S. E.

38 11 leave timber bears N W and S E

40 00 Stone chaned stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

47 25 Military Road leading from Fort Leavenworth to Fort Laramie bears N W and, S, E.

80 00 Stone chaned stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to Townships 2 and 4 N. Ranges 3 and 6 W

Land rolling

Soil 1st rate

Timber, Oak, Hackberry, walnut Hickory, Cottonwood, and Elm

Between Townships 2 and 4 N. Range 6. W

West on a random line along the south boundary of sections 36. 35. 34. 33. 32. and 31

Variation 13°. 7' East

I set temporary half mile and mile post and at 6 miles 4 33 3/4 lks to a point 60 lks North of Corner to townships 3 and 4 N. Ranges 6 and 7 W

The correction will therefore be 10 links South per mile and the variation corrected for running a true line back 13°. 11' East

From the corner to Townships 3 and 4 N Ranges 6 and 7 W I run East on a true line between sections 6 and 31

Variation 13°. 11' East

40 35 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 35 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound for corner to sections

Between Townships 3 and 4 N. Range 6. W.
5. 6. 31 and 32
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate
September 4th 1858

East on a true line between sections 5 and 32
Variation 13° 11' East

0.50 Bed of dry branch 10 lks wide course S E
40.00 Strove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner
80.00. Strove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections. 4. 5. 32 and 33
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 4 and 33
Variation 13°. 11' East

0 20 Branch 10 lks wide runs N. E
0 35 Enter timber bears S. W. and N. E.
1 50 leave timber bears S. W. and. N. E.
40 00 Strove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

Between Townships 3 and 4 N. Range 6. W

40 20 Ravine course N. E
80 00 Strove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 3. 4. 33 and 34
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate
Timber Oak Hackberry and Elm

East on a true line between sections 3 and 34
Variation 13. 11. East

40.00 Strove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner
73.00 Ravine course N. E
80.00 Strove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 2. 3. 34 and 35
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 2 and 35
Variation 13°. 11' East

6 60 Ravine Course. N. E.
40 00 Strove charred stake set post and raised A mound as per instructions for

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Between Townships 3 and 4 N. Range 6 W

quarter section corner

80 00 Stone chased stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 1. 2. 35 and 36

Land rolling prairie soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 1 and 36

variation 13° 11' East

10 00 Enter timber bears S. E and N. W.

11 00 Little Blue 100 lks wide runs S. E

16 00 Same 100 lks wide runs N

18 50 Same 75 lks wide, low miry banks, sandy bottom and gentle current runs S. E

20 00 leave timber bears N and S

40 00 Stone chased stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

48 15 Military road from Leavenworth to Ft Laramie

80 00 Corner to Townships 3 and 4 N. Range 5 and 6 W

Land level, 1st rate

Timber Cottonwood Hickory and Elm

General Description

This township is mostly rolling land, well watered

77 20

Between Ranges 5 and 6 W. Township 4 N

and timber sufficient to admit of a large settlement

From the corner to townships 3 and 4 N. Ranges 5 and 6 W. I run

North between sections 31 and 36

Variation 13°. 7' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 25. 30. 31 and 36

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 25 and 30

variation 13.°7 · East

40 00 Stone chased stake set post and raised a mound as per instruction for quarter sec corner

73 00 Ravine course N. E

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

78

Between Ranges 5 and 6 W. Township 4 N

North between sections 19 and 24

Variation 13° 7' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

73 00 Ravine Course N. E

80 00 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 13. 18. 19 and 24

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 13 and 18

Variation 13° 7' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone set post, and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 7. 12. 13 and 18

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

79

Between Ranges 5 and 6 W. Township 4. N.

North between sections 7 and 12

Variation 13. 7' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 1. 6. 7 and 12

Land Level prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 1 and 6

Variation 13° 7' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner — September 5th 1858

78 00 Intersected 1st standard parallel N. 15 chs and 23 links East of Standard corner to Township 5 N. Ranges 5 and 6 W

At said intersection Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to G. L. N. R. 5 and 6 W

Land level prairie: soil, 1st rate September 6th 1858

General Description

The land in this township is good; considerable timber on the Little Blue a stream running through the southern portion — It will admit of a large settlement and therefore should be subdivided

Between Ranges 4 and 5 W. Township 1 N
From the corner to Township 1 N. Ranges 4 and 5 W. I run
North between sections 31 and 36

Variation 12.00 East

40 00 Drove charred stake. set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner
80 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 25. 30 31 and 36

Land level prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 25 and 30

Variation 12.00 East

40 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner
80 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for ~~quarter sec~~ corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30

Land level prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 19 and 24

Variation 12°.7' East

40 00 Deposited a charred stake, set post and raised

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Between Ranges 4 and 5 W. Township 1 N

a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner
80 00 Drove charred stake. set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 13. 18. 19 and 24

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 13 and 18

Variation 12°.15' East

40 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner
80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 7. 12. 13 and 18

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 7 and 12

Variation 12.30 East

39 50 Branch 10 lks wide runs East
40 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

82

Between Ranges 4 and 5 W. Township 1. N.

80 00 Set a limestone 15 in long, 12 in wide and 4 in thick for corner to sections 1. 6. 7 and 12
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 1 and 6
variation 12° 30' East
40 00 Set a limestone 12 in long, 8 in wide and 7 in thick for quarter section corner
80 00 Set a limestone 18 in long, 7 in ~~long~~ wide, 6 in ~~wide~~ thick for corner to ~~sections~~ Townships 1 and 2 N Ranges 4 and 5 W.
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between T. 1 and 2 N. Range 5 W
West on a random line along the South boundary of sections 36. 35. 34. 33. 32 and 31
variation 12° 45' East

I set temporary half mile and mile post at every 40 and 80 chs and at 5. Miles

83

Between Townships 1 and 2 N. Range 5 W.
78 chs and 75 links to a point at corner to Townships 1 and 2 N. Ranges 5 and 6 W

The correction will therefore be nothing

From the corner to Townships 1 and 2 N. Ranges 4 & 5 W
I run
East on a true line between sections 6 and 31
variation 12° 45' East
38 75 Set a limestone 10 in long 8 in wide and 8 in thick for quarter section corner
78 75 Set a limestone 18 in long 12 in wide and 5 in thick for corner to sections 5. 6. 31 and 32
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 5 and 32
variation 12. 45' East
40 00 Set a limestone 12 in long ~~10~~ in wide and 8 in thick for quarter section corner
80 00 Set a limestone 18 in long, 10 in wide and 6 in thick for corner to sections 4. 5. 32 and 33
Land level prairie; soil 1st rate

84

Between Townships 1 and 2 N Range 3 W.

East on a true line between sections 4 and 33
variation 12.45' East

40 00 Set a limestone 19 in long 8 in wide and 8 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 16 in long 10 in wide and 8 in thick for corner to sections 3, 4 33 and 34

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 3 and 34
variation 12° 45' East

40 00 Set a limestone 16 in long 16 in wide and 2 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 19 in long, 10 in wide and 7 in thick for corner to sections 2. 3. 34 and 35

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

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Between Townships 1 and 2 N. Range 3 W.

East on a true line between sections 2 and 35
variation 12° 45' East

40 00 Set a limestone 15 in. long, 12 in wide and 4 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone, 12 in long, 9 in thick and 9 in wide for corner to sections 1. 2. 35 and 36

Land level prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 1 and 36
variation 12° 45' East

40 00 Set a limestone 12 in long, 12 in wide and 4 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Corner to T. 1 and 2 N. Ranges 4 and 3 W.

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

September 7th 1858

General description

The surface of this Township is rolling, land good, contains very little timber or water — will admit of a small settlement and therefore should be subdivided

Between Range 4 and 5. W. Township 2 N

From the corner to Townships 1 and 2 N. Ranges 4 and 5 W. Given

North between sections 31 and 36

Variation 12°. 45' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to ~~Townships~~ sections 25. 30. 31 and 36

Land Level prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 23 and 30

Variation 13°. 5' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for ~~corner~~ quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 19. 24. 23 and 30

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Ranges 4 and 5. W. Township 2 N

North between sections 19 and 24

Variation 12°. 54' East

40 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 13. 18. 19 and 24

Land rolling. prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 13 and 18

Variation 12°. 54' East

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 7. 12. 13 and 18

Land level prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Ranges 4 and 5 W. Township 2 N

North between sections 7 and 12

Variation 12° 54' East

40 00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80 00 Drove chained stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 1. 6. 7 and 12

Land level prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 1 and 6

Variation 12. 54' East

40 00 Drove chained stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80 00 Drove chained stake, set post, and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to ~~section~~ Townships 2 and 3 N. Ranges 4 and 5 W

Land level prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 5 West

West on a random line along the South boundary of sections 36. 35. 34. 33. 32 and 31

Variation 12° 54' East

I set temporary half mile and mile posts at every 40 and 80 chains and at 5 miles 79 chs and 44 links to a point 169 links South of corner to Townships 2 and 3. N. Ranges 6 and 5 W

The correction will therefore be 28 links South per mile and the variation of the true line 12° 42' East

From the corner to townships 2 and 3 N. Ranges 6 and 5 W I run East on a true line between sections 6 and 31

Variation 12° 42' East

39 44 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

79 44 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to

Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 4 ~~and 5~~ W.

Sections 5. 6. 31 and 32
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 5 and 32
Variation 12° 42' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 4. 5. 32 and 33
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 4 and 33
Variation 12° 42' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

60 00 Ravine course, N.E.

65 10 Ravine course N

75 00 Ravine course N.E.

Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 5 W.

80 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 3. 4. 33 and 34
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 3 and 34
Variation 12° 42' East

0 50 Branch 5 lks wide runs S.E.

5 00 Same 10 lks wide runs N.E.

40 00 Deposited a marked stone, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

66 00 Same branch 10 lks wide runs S.E.

68 10 Same 5 lks wide runs N.E.

80 00 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 2. 3. 34 and 35
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 2 and 35
Variation 12° 42' East

20 00 Ravine course N.E.

Between Townships 2 and 3. N. Range 5. W

40 00 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 1. 2. 35 and 36

Land rolling prairie; soil 2d rate

East on a true line between sections 1 and 36

Variation 12° 42' East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Corner to Townships 2 and 3. N Ranges 4 and 5 W.

Land level prairie; soil 1st rate

September 10th 1858

General description

This Township contains very little wood or water — The surface is ~~rolling~~ and soil rich

24

Between Ranges 4 and 5. W. Township 2 North

From the corner to Townships 2 and 3. N. Ranges 4 and 5. W. I run North between sections 31 and 36

Variation 12° 34' East

40 00 I drove charred stake set post and raised a mound ~~for~~ instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 I drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 25. 30. 31 and 36

Land level prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 30 and 25

Variation 12° 45' East

40 00 I drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 I drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

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Between Ranges 4 and 3 W. Township 3 S

North between sections 19 and 24

Variation 12°. 30 East

40 00 Deposited a marked stone set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

46 00 Branch 5 lks wide runs N E

50 00 Enter timber bears E and W

53 10 Little Blue 75 lks wide runs E

* 55 00 Same 75 lks wide runs N. W.

57 00 Same 100 lks wide runs S. E.

58 leave timber bears N W and S E

80 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 13. 18. 19 and 24

Land rolling; soil 1st rate

Timber cottonwood Elm walnut & Hickory

North between sections 13 and 18

Variation 12°. 30' East

39 00 Military Road from Ft Leavenworth to Fort Laramie bears E & W

95

Between Ranges 4 and 3 W. Township 3 S

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 7. 12. 13 and 18

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 7 and 12

Variation 12. 37' East

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 1. 6. 7 and 12

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 1 and 6

Variation 12°. 37' East

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

Between Townships 3 and 4 N. Range 5 W

80 00 I drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to Townships 3 and 4 N Ranges 4 and 5 W.
Land Rolling prairie; 1st rate

Between T. 3 and 4 N. R. 5 W
Went on a random line along the South boundaries of sections 36. 35. 34. 33. 32 and 31
variation 12° 45' East
I set temporary half mile and mile post at every 40 and 80 chains and at 5 miles 79. 50 chains to a point 56 links North of corner to Townships ~~3 and 4~~ R. 5 and 6 W

The correction will therefore be 9.3 links S per mile and the variation corrected for running the true line 12° 49 East.

Between Townships 3 and 4 N. Range 5 W
From the corner to T. 3 and 4 N. of Ranges 5 and 6 W. I run
East on a true line between sections 6 and 31
variation 12° 49' East

39 50 I drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

79 50 I drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 5. 6. 31 and 32
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate
September 18th 1858

East on a true line between sections 5 and 32
variation 12° 49' East

40 00 I drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 I drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 4. 5. 32 and 33
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Townships 3 and 4 N. Range 5 W

East on a true line between sections 4 & 33
Variation 12° 49' East

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 3. 4. 33 and 34
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 3 and 34
Variation 12. 49' East

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 2. 3. 34 and 35
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Townships 3 and 4 N. Range 5 W
East on a true line between ~~rang~~ sections 2 & 35
Variation 12° 49' East

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 1. 2. 35 and 36
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 1 and 36
Variation 12° 49' East

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec. corner

Corner to T. 3 and 4 N. Ranges 4 and 5 W.

80 00 ~~Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to T.~~
Land rolling prairie, soil 1st rate

General description

The land in this township is rolling, soil rich — contains an abundance of timber and water, — will admit of a large settlement and therefore should be subdivided

Between Ranges 4 and 5 W. Township 4 N

From the corner to Townships 3 and 4. N. Ranges 4 and 5 W. Town

North between sections 31 and 36

Variation 12°. 45' East

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

55 00 Ravine Course S. E

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 25. 30. 31 and 36

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 30 and 25

Variation 12° 45' East

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Ranges 4 and 5 W. Township 4 N

North between sections 19 and 24

Variation 13°. 00' East

10 00 Ravine course S. E

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a Mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 13. 18. 19 and 24

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 13 and 18

Variation 13°8' East

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 7. 12. 13 and 18

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Ranges 4 and 5 W. Township 24 N
North between sections 7 and 12
Variation 13° 00' East

40 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner
67 15 Branch 20 lks wide runs S. E
80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 1. 6. 7 and 12
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 1 and 6
Variation 13.8° East

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner
78 38. Intersected 1st standard parallel. N. 14 chs and 60 lks East of standard corner to Townships 23 N. Ranges 4 and 5 W
At said intersection drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for closing cor to 24. Ranges 4 and 5 W
Land Rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

General description
This Township is all prairie, High rolling land of 1st rate quality

September 12th, 1858

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Between Ranges 1 and 2 W. Township 1 N
From the corner to Townships 1 N. Ranges 1 and 2 W. I run
North between sections 31 and 36

Variation 12° 40' East

19 00 Ravine course East
29 00 Enter timber bears E and W
30 00 Branch 10 lks wide runs West
33 00 Same branch 10 lks wide runs N E
(39.70) as remeasured by A. B. Smith October 1880)
37 70 Same 10 links wide runs W.
40 00 Set a post for quarter section corner
from which
An Oak 12 in diam bears N 40 W 11 lks dist
An Oak 6 in diam bears N 45 E 16 lks dist
44 00 Muddy creek 15 lks wide runs E
49 25 Same " 15 links wide runs N.W
54 20 Same " 15 links wide runs S.E.
54 30 Leave timber bears E and W
80 00 Set a limestone 20 in long, 14 in wide and
3 in thick for corner to sections 25.30
31 and 32

Land rolling; 1st rate
Timber Oak, Elm, walnut, and hickory

Between Ranges 1 and 2 W. Township 1 N.

North between sections 25 and 30.

Variation 12° 40 East

40 00 Set a limestone 18 in long, 13 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter sec corner

80 00 Set a limestone 19 in long, 12 in wide and 2½ in thick for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 19 and 24

Variation 12° 40' East

40 00 Set a limestone 19 in long 10 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 21 in long 12 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to sections 18, 18, 19 and 24

Land rolling prairie; soil 2d rate

Between Ranges 1 and 2 W. Township 1 N

North between sections 13 and 18

Variation 12° 40' East

40 00 Set a limestone 16 in long, 14 in wide and 4 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 19 in long 13 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to sections 7. 12. 13 & 18

Land rolling prairie; 1st rate

North between sections 7 and 12

Variation 12° 40' East

40 00 Set a limestone 17 in long, 12 in ~~long~~ wide and 3 in thick for quarter section corner

44 00 Ravine Ravine course East

80 00 Set a limestone 22 in long, 13 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to sections 1. 6. 7 and 12

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 1 and 6

Variation 12° 40' East

Between Ranges 1 and 2 W. Township 1. N.

39 00 Branch 3 lks wide runs East

40 00 Set a limestone 15 in long, 15 in wide and 6 in thick for quarter sec corner

40 50 Branch 3 lks wide runs S. E.

62 00 Ravine course S. E.

80 00 Set a limestone 19 in long, 12 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to Townships one and two North Ranges 1 and 2 W

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

August 4th 1838

Between Townships 1 and 2 N Range 1. W.

East on a random line along the South boundary of sections 31. 32. 33. 34 35 and 36 — Variation 12.40 East

I set temporary half mile and mile post at every 40 and 80 chs and at 5 miles 78 chains and 47 links to a point 135 links South of corner to Townships 1 and 2 N Ranges 1 East and one West The correction will therefore be 153 links West per mile and 22.5 links South

Between Townships 1 and 2 N. Range 1. W

West on a true line between sections 1 and 36

Variation 12.49 East

40 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for ~~corner~~ quarter section corner

80 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 1. 2. 35 and 36

Land rolling prairie soil 1st rate

West on a true line between sections 2 and 35

variation 12° 49 East

40 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 2. 3. 35. and 34

Land level prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Townships 1 and 2 N. Range 1 W

West on a true line between sections 3 and 34

Variation 12° 49' East

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 3, 4, 33 and 34

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

West on a true line between sections 4 and 33

Variation 12° 49' East

41 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

65 00 Ravine course S W

77 00 Ravine course S.E

80 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 4. 5. 32 and 33

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Townships 1 and 2 N. Range 1 W

West on a true line between sections 5 and 32

Variation 12° 49 East

18 75 Ravine course S

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

56 50 Ravine Course S

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 5. 6. 31 and 32

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

West on a true line between sections 6 and 31

Variation 12° 49 East

18 50 R. Course S.E.

40 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

78 47 Corner to T. 1 and 2 N. Range 1 W

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

General Description

The land in this township is high and rolling of 1st rate quality – well watered

Between Ranges 1 and 2 W. Township 2 N

From the Corner to Townships 1 & 2 N. Ranges 1 & 2 West, I run

North between sections 31 and 36

Variation 12.40 East

40 00 Set a limestone 16 in long 10 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 15 in long 12 in wide and 3½ in thick for corner to section 25.30.31 and 36

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 25 and 30

Variation 12.40 East

40 00 Set a limestone 20 in long, 12 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter section corner.

80 00 Set a limestone 20 in long 12 in wide and 4 in thick for corner to sections 19.24.25 and 30

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 19 and 24

Variation 12° 46' East

40 00 Set a limestone 15 in long 10 in wide and 4 in thick for quarter section corner

Between Ranges 1 and 2 W. Township 2 N

80 00 Set a limestone 18 in long, 12 in wide and 4 in thick for corner to sections 13.18.19 & 24

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 13 and 18

Variation 13° 10 East

40 00 Set a limestone 14 in long, 12 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 14 in long 13 in wide and 4 in thick for corner to sections 7.12.13 and 18

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 7 and 12

Variation 13° 8' East

40 00 Set a limestone 14 in long 13 in wide and 3½ in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 16 in long. 14 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to sections 1.6.7 and 12

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

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Between Ranges 1 and 2 W. Township 2 N

North between sections 1 and 6

Variation 13.10' East

25 00 Enter timber bears E and W

28 00 Little Blue river 100 lks wide low miry banks sandy bottom runs E

30 00 Branch 10 lks wide runs S.E.

32 00 leave timber bears N.W. and S.E.

40 00 Set a limestone 15 in long 10 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 24 in long 10 in wide and 4 in thick for corner to Townships 2 and 3 N Ranges 1 and 2 West

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

August 5th 1858

115

Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 1. W

East on a random line ~~between~~ along the south boundary of sections 31. 32. 33. 34. 35 and 36

Variation 13.5' East

I set temporary half mile and mile post at every 40 and 80. chains and at 5 miles 79 chs and 58 links to a point on the 6th Principal meridian 178 links south of corner to Townships 2 and 3 N. Ranges 1 East and 1 West

The correction will therefore be 42 links West, and 33 links North per mile *

From the corner to Townships 2 and 3 N Ranges 1 E. and 1. W I run West on a true line between sections 1 and 36

Variation 13.22' East

40 00 Set a limestone 18 in long 10 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 18 in long 10 in wide and 4 in thick for corner to sections 1. 2. 35 and 36

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 1. W

West on a true line between sections 2 and 35

Variation 13°. 22' East

40 00 Set a limestone 17 in long 10 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 19. in long 12 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to sections 2. 3. 35 and 36

Land rolling prairie? soil 1st rate

West on a true line between sections 3 and 34

Variation 13.22' East

3 10 Entin timber bears N an S

5 00 Branch 6 lks wide runs N.

10 00 leave timber bears N and S

40 00 Set a limestone 18 in long 13 in wide and 3½ in thick for quarter section corner

59 00 Entin timber bears N and S

61 00 Branch 3 lks wide runs N. E

62 15 Same 5 links wide runs S W

63 30 Same 10 lks wide runs N E

69 60 Little Blue 100 lks wide low miry banks sandy bottom runs N. E

Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 1. W.

73 00 leave timber bears N and S

80 00 Set a limestone 24 in long 8 in wide and 4 in thick for corner to sections. 3. 4. 33 & 34

Land rolling; 1st rate

Timber. Cottonwood. Oak. Elm. walnut & Hickory

West on a true line between sections. 4 and 33

Variation 13° 22' East

40 00 Set a limestone, 18 in long, 14 in wide and 2½ in thick for quarter section corner.

80 00 Set a limestone 24 in long, 12 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to sections 4. 5. 32 and 33

Land rolling prairie? soil 1st rate

West on a true line between sections 5 and 32

Variation 13° 22' East

24 50 Ravine course S. E

40 00 Set a limestone 18 in long, 13 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 30 in long, 12 in wide and 2 in thick for corner to sections 5. 6. 31 and 32

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 1. W.

West on a true line between sections 6 and 31
Variation 13°. 22' East

40.00 Set a limestone 18 in long, 11 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter section corner

79.58 Corner to Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 1. W.
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

General description

This Township contains a large amount of 1st rate farming land; it is well watered & contains a good supply of timber — It will admit of a good settlement and therefore should be subdivided

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Between Ranges 1 and 2. W. T. 3. N

From the corner to T. 2 and 3 N. R 1 and 2 W I run North between sections 31 and 36
Variation 13°. 8' East

15 00 Ravine course S. 2

40 00 Set a limestone 18 in long. 10 in wide and 2 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 20 in long, 14 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to sections 25. 30. 31 and 36

Between Ranges 1 and 2. W. Township. 3 N.

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 25 and 30
Variation 13°18' East

40 00 Set a limestone 20 in long, 13 in wide and 2 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 27 in long. 14 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 19 and 24
Variation 13° 30' East

35 00 Military Road from Ft Leavenworth to Fort Kearny bears E and W.

40 00 Set a limestone 26 in long. 12 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 27 in long 15 in wide and 2 in thick for corner to sections 13. 18. 19 and 24
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

120

Between Ranges 1 and 2 W. Township 3 N

North between sections 13 and 18

Variation 13° 45' East

40 00 Set a limestone 24 in long 12 in wide and 2 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 25 in long, 12 in wide and 2 in thick for corner to sections 7. 12. 13 and 18

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 7 and 12

Variation 13° 45' East

40 00 Set a limestone 16 in long, 15 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 24 in long, 16 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to sections 1. 6. 7 and 12

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 1 and 6

Variation 13° 40 East

16 00 Creek 25 links wide and skirted with timber runs. E

40 00 Set a limestone 23 in long, 13 in wide and 2 in

121

31

Between Ranges 1 and 2 W. Township 3. N

~~Between sections~~ thick for quarter sec corner

80 00 Set a limestone 30 in long 11 in wide and 8 in thick for corner to Township 3 and 4 N. Ranges 1 and 2 W

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

August 6th 1854

Between Townships 3 and 4 N. Range 1 W

N 89 42' East on a random line between Townships 3 and 4

variation 13° 38' East

I set temporary half mile and mile corners at every 40 and 80 chains and at 5 miles 78 chains and 73 links To a point 30 lks North of corner to Townships 3 and 4 N. Ranges 1 E and 1 W

The correction for running the true line will therefore be 125 links west and 5 lks south per mile

Between Townships 3 and 4 N. Range 1 W

From the corner to Townships 3 and 4 N. Ranges 1 E. and 1 W. I run

West on a true line between sections 1 and 36

Variation 13,40

40 00 Set a limestone 18 in long, 18 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 19 in long, 15 in wide and 2 in thick for corner to sections 1, 2, 35 and 36

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

West on a true line between sections 2 and 35

Variation 13°40' East

40 00 Set a limestone 19 in long, 14 in wide and 4 in thick for quarter section corner

77 00 Branch 5 lks wide runs S. W.

80 00 Set a limestone 24 in long 12 in wide and 2 in thick for corner to sections 2, 3, 34 & 35

Land barren prairie, Soil 3d Rate

West on a true line between Sections 3 & 34.

Variation 13°45' East

40 00 Set a limestone 24 in long 12 in wide and 2 in thick for Quarter Sec. Corner.

Between Townships 3 & 4 N. R. 1 West.

79 00 Bed of dry branch 50 lks wide runs S.

80 00 Set a limestone 18 in long 18 in wide and 2 in. thick for corner to Sec's 3, 11, 33 & 34.

Land — Rolling Prairie. Soil 3d Rate.

Western a true line between Sections 4 and 33.

Variation 13°42' East

40 00 Set a limestone 24 in long 12 inches wide and 3 inches thick for Quarter Section Corner

49 00 A Branch 10 links wide runs S. This Br should be on line between 5 & 32

80 00 Set a limestone 25 in long 10 in wide and 3 ins thick for Corner to Sections 4, 5, 32 and 33.

Lands Rolling Prairie, Soil 3d Rate.

West on a true line between Secs. 5 and 32.

Variation 13°40' East

40 00 Set a limestone 20 ins long, 13 in wide and 3 in. thick for Quarter Section Corner

Between Townships 3 and 4 N of Range 1 W

80 w Set a Limestone 30 in long 12 in wide and 3 in thick for Corner to sections 5, 6. 31 and 32.
Land Barren prairie 3d Rate

West on a True Line between Secs 6 & 31.
Variation 13° 40' East

40 w Set a Line Stone 28 in long 14 in wide and 3 in thick for Quarter Section Corner.

78 75 The Corner to Townships 3 and 4 North of Ranges 1 and 2 West
Land Rolling Prairie Soil 2d Rate

General Description.

This Township contains a large ~~[illegible]~~ amount of 1st rate farming land. It will ~~[illegible]~~ Admit of a good settlement and therefore should be subdivided

Between Ranges 1 and 2 W. Township 4 N.
From the corner to Townships 3 and 4 N. Ranges 1 and 2 W. I run
North between Secs 31 and 36,
Variation 13° 40' East

40 w Drove Chard Stake, Set post and raised a mound as per instructions for Quarter Section Corner.

80 w Drove Chard Stake Set post and raised mound as per instructions for corner to sections 25. 30. 31 and 36
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 25 and 30
Variation 13. 30 East

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Ranges 1 and 2 W. Township 4 N
North between sections 19 and 24
Variation 13. 30 East

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner
80 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 13. 18. 19 and 24
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 13 and 18
Variation 13°. 10 East

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner
80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 7. 12. 13 and 18
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Note above ~~[illegible]~~ notation refers to the distance "80.00 Wt" is raised with "and" 82.52 written above it in blackish followed by "1.55 east of Standard Corner" in general which agrees with the official maps (Cahn. of Public Lands & Bldgs.)

* This distance changed after the Township Plat was made with out any knowledge of the Office

Between Ranges 1 and 2 W. Township 4 N
North between sections 7 and 12
Variation 13°. 10 East

40 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner
80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instruction for corner to sections 1. 6. 7 and 12
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 1 and 6
Variation 13°. 8 East

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner
42 50 Branch 10 lks wide runs S.E.
1.55, East of Standard Corner
*82.52 ~~80 00~~ Set a temporary corner with the purpose of ~~[illegible]~~ establishing a permanent corner at the intersection of this line and the 1st standard parallel ~~when~~ after I shall have run and established the true line of said parallel
Land rolling prairie; 1st rate

General description

This Township a large amount of 1st rate land — is well watered but contains very little timber — August 7th 1857

Between Ranges 2 and 3 W. Township 1. N
From the corner to Township 1 N. Ranges 2 and 3 West 5 mm
North between sections 31 and 36

Variation 13. 8. East

32 00 Ravine course S. E.
40 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner
80 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 25. 30. 31 and 36
Land gently rolling; 1st rate

North between sections 25 and 30

Variation 13° 8' East

40 00 Set a limestone 25 in long, 13 in wide and 4 in thick for quarter sec corner
80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Ranges 2 and 3 W. Township 1. N
North between sections 19 and 24

Variation 13° 8' East

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner
80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 13. 18. 19 and 24
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 13 and 18

Variation 13° 16' East

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner
80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 7. 12. 13 and 18
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 7 and 12

Variation 13° 8' East

38 00 Branch 10 lks wide runs N E
40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner
80 00 Drove charred stake. set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 1. 6. 7 and 12
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Ranges 2 and 3 W. Townships 1. N
North between sections 1 and 6

Variation 13° 8' East

30 55 Branch 10 lks wide runs N E. Banks high and skirted with timber

40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 24 in long, 9 in wide and 4 in thick for corner to Townships 1 and 2 N Ranges 2 and 3 W
Land rolling 1st rate

East on a random line between Townships 1 and 2 N. Range 2 W.

Variation 13° 8' East

I set temporary half mile and mile post at every 40 and 80 chains and at 6 miles 79 chs and 10 lks to a point 18 lks North of corner to Townships 1 and 2 N. Range 1 and 2 W
The correction will therefore be 3 links South per mile and 90 lks West

Between Townships 1 and 2. N. Range 2 W
From the corner to Townships 1 and 2 N Ranges 1 and 2 W I run
West on a true line between sections 1 and 36

Variation 13° 7' East

15 00 Branch 10 lks wide runs S. E

40 00 Set a limestone 16 in long, 12 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 20 in long, 16 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to sections 1. 2. 35 and 36
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

West on a true line between sections 2 and 35

Variation 13° 7' East

35 00 Ravine course, S. E.

40 00 Set a limestone 21 in long, 18 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter section corner

73 00 Ravine Cross S. E.

80 00 Set a limestone 23 in long 11 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to sections 2. 3. 34 and 35
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Townships 1 and 2 N. Range 2 W

West on a true line between sections 3 and 34
Variation 13° 7' East

39 00 Ravine course N.W.
40 00 Set a limestone 14 in long, 10 in wide and 6 in thick for quarter section corner
80 00 Set a limestone 23 in long, 12 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to sections 3, 4, 33 and 34
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

West on a true line between sections 4 and 33
Variation 13°. 7' East

20 00 Ravine course, N.E.
40 00 Set a limestone 14 in long, 13 in wide and 3½ in thick for quarter section corner
41 25 Ravine course N.E.
65 00 Ravine course N.E.
80 00 Set a limestone 23 in long 14 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to sections 4, 5, 32 and 33
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between T. 1 and 2 N. Range 2 W

West Between sections 5 and 32 on a true line
Variation 13°. 7' East

40 00 Set a limestone 13 in long, 11 in wide and 4 in thick for quarter section corner
50 00 Branch 10 lks wide High steep banks and skirted with timber runs N.E.
80 00 Set a limestone 23 in long. 14 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to sections 5, 6, 31 and 32
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

West on a true line between sections 6 and 31
Variation 13° 7' East

24 00 Branch 10 lks wide high steep banks skirted with Oak timber runs. N.E.
40 00 Set a limestone 19 in long, 14 in wide and 2 in thick for quarter section corner
79 10 Corner to Townships 1 and 2 N. Ranges 2 and 3 W
Land rolling 1st rate; Timber Oak Aug 10. 1858

General Description

This Township is mostly high rolling prairie, good soil, contains a good supply of water and timber; will admit of a large settlement and therefore should be subdivided

Between Ranges 2 and 3 W. Township 2 N

From the corner to Townships 1 and 2 N. Ranges 2 and 3 W. I run North between sections 31 and 36

Variation 13.8' East

40 00 I drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

79 80 Ravine course E

80 00 I drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound for corner to sections 25. 30. 31 and 36

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 25 and 30

Variation 13.5' East

40 00 I drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80 00 I drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 19 and 24

Variation 13.8' East

40 00 Set a post, drove charred stake and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

Between Ranges 2 and 3 W. Township 2 N

80 00 I drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 13. 18. 19 and 24

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 13 and 18

Variation 13.20' East

40 00 I drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

79 50 Ravine course N. E

80 00 I drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 7. 12. 13 and 18

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 7 and 12

Variation 13.15' East

40 00 Set a post with trench as per instructions for quarter section corner from which A willow 6 in diam bears N 1° W. 11.50 lks dist

A willow 10 in diam bears N 3° W 12.35 links dist

Between Ranges 2 and 3 W. Township 2 N
~~No other tree convenient to mark~~

54 00 Enter timber bears N.E. and S.W.
53 00 Creek 30 lks wide runs N.E.
54 00 leave timber bears N.E and S.W
80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 1.6.7 and 12
Land rolling: 1st rate
Timber Oak. Elm Hickory and Hackbury

North between sections 1 and 6
Variation 13°.30' East

6 00 Enter timber bears, E, and, W
6 35 Little Blue 100 links wide gentle current, low banks and sandy bottom, runs East
8 00 leave timber bears E & W
40 00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner
80 00 Set a limestone 20 in long, 18 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to ~~sections~~ Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 2 and 3 W
Land level prairie: soil 1st rate
Timber Cottonwood and Willow

Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 2 W
East on a random line between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 2 W — Variation 13.5 East
I set temporary half mile and mile post at every 40 and 80 chains and at 5 miles 76 chains and 89 links to a point 198 lks North of corner to Townships 2 and 3 N Ranges 1 and 2 W

The correction will therefore be 33 links South and 3 11 links west per mile

From the corner to Townships 2 and 3 N Ranges 1 and 2 W
I run
West on a true line between sections 1 and 36
Variation 12°.51' East

7 00 Branch 10 links wide runs S E
40 00 Set a limestone 13 in long 12 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter section corner
80 00 Set a limestone 20 in long, 12 in wide and 2 in thick for corner to sections 1.2.35 & 36
Land rolling prairie: soil 1st rate

Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 2 W

West on a true line between sections 2 and 35

Variation 12°51' East

40 00 Set a limestone, 24 in long, 18 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter section corner

70 00 Ravine, course S.

80 00 Set a limestone 24 in long, 18 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to sections 2, 3, 34 and 35

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

West on a true line between Sections 3 and 34

Variation 12°51' East

40 00 Set a limestone 18 in long 18 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter section corner

55 00 Ravine course South West

80 00 Set a limestone 24 in long 18 in wide and 2½ in thick for corner to Sections 3, 4, 33 and 34

Land rolling prairie Soil 1st rate

Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 2 W

West on a true line between Sections 4 and 33

Variation 12°51' East

3 00 Ravine course South East

20 00 Ravine course South East

40 00 Set a limestone 18 in long 16 in wide and 2½ in thick for quarter Section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 30 in long 16 in wide and 2½ in thick for corner to Sections 4, 5, 32 and 33

Land rolling prairie Soil 1st rate

August 18th 1858

West between Sections 5 and 32

Variation 12°51' East

8 00 Ravine course East

40 00 Set a limestone 18 in long 18 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter Section corner

45 00 Ravine course South

80 00 Set a limestone 16 in long 14 in wide and 3½ in thick for corner to Sections 5, 6, 31 and 32

Land rolling prairie Soil 1st rate

Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 2 W

West on a true line between sections 6 and 31

Variation 13° 30 East

40 00 Set a limestone 16 in long, 14 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter section corner

76 89 Corner to Townships 2 and 3 N. Ranges 2 and 3 W.

Land rolling prairie soil 1st rate

General description

The land in this Township is generally 1st rate — The little Blue runs through the northern portion; Clear water, sandy bottom and skirted with timber This Township will admit of a large settlement and therefore should be subdivided

Between Ranges 2 and 3 West, Township 3 N

From the corner to Townships 2 and 3. N. Ranges 2 and 3 W. I run

North between Sections 31 and 36

Variation 13° 05' East

40 00 Set a limestone 14 in long 14 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter Section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 18 in long 16 in wide and 2 in thick for corner to Sections 25, 30, 31 and 36

Land rolling prairie Soil 2d rate

North between Sections 25 and 30

Variation 13° 05' East

30 00 Road from Fort Leavenworth to Laramie leaves East and West

40 00 Set limestone 16 in long 13 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter Section corner

80 00 Set a limestone 23 in long 12 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to Sections 19. 24. 25. 30,

Land rolling prairie, Soil 1st rate

Between Ranges 2 and 3. Township 3. N.

North between Sections 19 & 24

Variation 13° 00' East.

40 00 Set a Limestone 19 in: long, 14 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter sec: Cor.

80 00 Set a Limestone 16 in: long, 15 in: ~~wide~~ and 4 thick for corner to sections 13, 18, 19 and 24.

Land rolling prairie, soil 1st rate.

North between Sections 13 & 18.

Variation 13° 00' East.

40 00 Set a Limestone 18 in: long, 15 in wide and 3 in: thick for quarter section Corner

80 00 Set a Limestone 24 in: long, 16 in wide and 3 in: thick for corner to Sections 7. 12. 13 & 18.

Land level prairie, Soil 1st rate.

North between Sections 7 and 12

Variation 13° 00' East

25 00 ~~[illegible]~~ Creek 10 lks wide runs East. This Cr. Should be between Sects 13 & 18.

40 00 Set Limestone 18 in: long, 14 in wide and 3 in thick for quarter sec: corner.

Between Ranges 2 and 3. Township 3 N.

80 00 Set a Limestone 20 in long, 14 in wide, and 2½ in: thick for corner to Sections 1. 6. 7 and 12.

Land rolling soil 2nd rate.

North between Sections 1 and 6.

Variation 12° 56' East

40 00 Set a Limestone 19 in: long, 14 in: wide and 2½ in: thick for quarter Section Cor:

76 00 ~~[illegible]~~ Creek 20 lks wide runs S. E.

80 00 Set A Post, ~~with~~ trench and pits as per instructions. for ~~corner~~ to Township 3 & 4 North, Range 2 & 3 West from which

A Cottonwood 18 in: dia: bears S 75 W. 322 lks. dist.

A Cottonwood 18 in: dia: bears N 35 W. 172 lks: dist.

Land rolling Prairie; Soil 1st rate

Between Township 3 and 4 North, Range 2 West, East on a random line between Township 3 & 4 N, Range 2 West.

Variation 13° 00' East.

Between Townships 3 and 4 North, Range 2 W.

I set temporary half mile and Mile posts, at every 40 and 80 chains, and 5 miles 74 chs. 20 lks. to a point 150 lks North of Co: to Townships 3 & 4 N. Ranges 1 and 2 West,

The correction will therefore be 25 lks South, and 5 chs. and 80 lks. West per Mile

From the Corner to Townships 3 and 4 North Range, 1 and 2 West, I run
West on a true line between Sections 1 and 36.

Variation 12° 49' East,

39 00 Ravine course. South.
40 00 Set Lime Stone 18 in: long, 12 in: wide, and 3 in: thick for quarter Sect: Cor:
80 00 Set a Limestone 25 in: long, 16 in wide, and 3 in: thick for Cor: to Sec: 1, 2, 35 and 36.
Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate.

Between Townships 3 and 4 North, Range 2 West.

West on a true line between Sections 2 and 35.

Variation 12° 49' East,

40 00 Set a Limestone 18 in long, 12 in: wide, and 3 in thick for quarter Sec: Cor.
45 00 Ravine Course South.
80 00 Set a Limestone 20 in long, 13 in: wide and 3 in thick for Corner to sections 2. 3. 34 and 35.
Land rolling prairie, Soil 1st rate.

West on a true line between Secs 3 and 34

Variation 12° 49' East,

40 00 Set Limestone 20 in: long, 10 in wide and 3 in: thick for quarter Sec: Corner
79 Ravine Course S'
80 Set a limestone 20 in long, 12 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to sections 3. 4. 33 and 34
Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

Between Townships 3 and 4 North, Range 2 West,

West on a true line, between sections 4 & 33.

Variation 12° 49' East,

40 00 Set Limestone 18 in: long, 10 in wide and 3 in. thick for quar: sec: cor,

80 00 Set Limestone 20 in: long, 12 in: wide, and 3 in: thick for Cor: to Sections 4. 5. 32 and 33.

Land; rolling prairie; Soil 1st rate.

West on a true line between sections 5 and 32.

Variation 12° 49' East,

40. 00 Set a Limestone 16 in long, 10 in wide and 3½ in: thick for quarter sec: cor.

80. 00 Set a Limestone 20 in: long, 12 in wide, and 3 in thick for Corner to sections 5. 6. 31. and 32.

Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate.

West on a true line between sections 6 and 31.

Variation 12° 49' East.

40. 00 Set a post some charred stake and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner,

55. 00 a branch 10 lks: wide, runs N. E.

60. 00 Same branch, 10 lks wide, runs N. E. ~~East~~,

Between Townships 3 and 4 North, Range 2 West.

74. 20 To the established corner to Townships 3 and 4 North, Ranges 2 and 3 West.

Land rolling Prairie, soil 1st rate.

August 12th 1858

General description

This Township is all high rolling prairie; — Soil 1st rate —

Between Ranges 2 and 3 W. Township 4 N

From the corner to Townships 3 and 4 N. Ranges 2 and 3 W 8 run

North between sections 31 and 36

Variation 13°. 8' East

40 00 Drove chained stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80 00 Drove chained stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 25. 30. 31 and 36

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 25 and 30

Variation 13°. 8' East

40 00 Drove chained stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec. corner

80 00 Drove chained stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 19. 24 25 and 30

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

North between sections 19 and 24

Variation 13 East.

40 00 Drove a chained stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec. corner.

Between Ranges 2 and 3 W. Township 4 North.

80. 00 Drove a chained stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions, for cor: to secs: 13. 18. 19 and 24. Land level prairie, soil 1st rate.

North between sections 13 and 18.

Variation 13° 00 East.

40. 00 Drove chained stake and raised a mound and set post, as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80. 00 Drove chained stake, set post and raised mound, as per instructions for corner to sections 7. 12. 13 and 18. Land level prairie. Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 7 and 12.

Variation 13° 00 East.

40. 00 Drove chained stake, raised a mound and set post, as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

80. 00 Drove chained stake, set post and raised mound ~~as per instructions~~ as per instructions for corner to sect. 1. 6. 7 and 12. Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate.

Between Ranges 2 and 3 W Township 4 North.

North between Sections 1 and 6.

Variation 13° 00' East.

40. 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

77.86 ~~80.00~~ Set a ~~temporary~~ corner 8,64 chs. east of Standard corner with the purpose of closing on the 1st standard parallel hereafter when said line shall have been run and the Standard corners properly established

Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate.

Note:- In the above closing, the figures "80.00" and "80" "temporary" have been ruled out, and the following incrementation so as to read "77.86 set corner 8.64 east of standard corner" with (Corr. Public Lands & Bldgs)

August 13 1858

Between Ranges 3 and 4 W. Town 1. North.
From the Corner to Township 1 North Ranges 3 & 4 West. I run
North between Sections 36 and 31.

Variation 12° 45' East.

40. 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound, as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound, as per instructions. for corner to sections 25. 30. 31 and 36.

Land level. Soil 1st rate.

Between Ranges 3 and 4 W. Township 1. North.

North between Sections 25 and 30.

Variation 12° 45' East.

40. 00 Drove a charred stake, set post and raised mound as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

80. 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound, as per instructions, for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30.

Land level and rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate.

North between Sections 19 and 24.

Variation 12° 45' East.

13. 00 Ravine, course East.

40 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound, as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound, as per instructions, for corner to sections 13. 18. 19. and 24.

Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 13 and 18.

Variation 12° 45' East

40 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised mound, as per instructions for quarter section corner

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 7. 12. 13. and 18

Land rolling Prairie: Soil 1st rate

Between Ranges 3 and 4 W. Township 1 N.

North between sections 7 and 12.

Variation 12° 45' East,

40 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised a mound, as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised a mound as per instructions, for corner to sections 1, 6, 7, and 12,

Land, rolling prairie - Soil; 1st rate.

North between sections 1 and 6.

Variation 12° 45' East,

35 00 Rains course runs East.

40 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised mound, as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to township 1 and 2 N. Ranges 3 and 4 West.

Land level and partly rolling, soil 1st rate.

Between Townships 1 and 2 N. Range 4 W.

West on a random line between Townships 1 and 2, North. Range 4 W.

Variation 12° 45' East.

I set temporary half mile and mile post, at every 40 and 80 chains, and at 5 miles 78 chs. to a point 30 lks, N. of corner, to Township 1 and 2 North, Range 4 and 5 W, the correction will therefore be 5 lks South per mile. From the corner to Township 1 and 2 North, Range 4 and 5 West, I run

East on a true line between sections 6 and 31

Variation 12° 47' East.

24 00 Rains. Course S. E.

38 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound as per instructions for quarter section corner.

78.00 ~~80 00~~ Drove charred stake, set post, and raised mound, as per instructions for corner to sections 5, 6, 31 and 32.

Land; a rolling prairie, soil; 1st rate.

East on a true line between sections 5 and 32.

Variation 12° 47' East;

40 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised mound as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

Between Townships 1 and 2 North. Range 4 W.

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised mound as per instructions, for corner to sections 4. 5. 32 and 33.
Land level and rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate.

East on a true line between sections 4 and 33.

Variation 12° 47' East.

40 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised a mound, as per instructions, for quarter section corner.
80 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised a mound as per instructions, for corner to sections 3. 4. 33 and 34.
Land level and rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate.

East on a true line between sections 3 and 34.

Variation 12° 47' East.

40 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised a mound as per instructions, for quarter section corner.
80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound as per instructions, for corner to sections 2. 3. 34 and 35.
Land; rolling, and part level prairie.
Soil 1st rate

Between Townships 1 and 2 North, Range 4 W.

East on a true line between sections 2 and 35

Variation 12° 47' East.

5 00 Dry Branch, runs N. E. 10 lk. wide –
35 00 Ravine, bears N. W
40 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound, as per instructions, for quarter section corner.
45 00 Ravine, course N. W.
55 00 Ravine, course N. W.
80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound as required, per instructions, for corner to sections 1. 2. 35 and 36.
Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate.

East on a ~~true~~ line between sections 1 and 36.

Variation 12° 47' East.

40 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound, as per instructions, for quarter section corner.
45 00 Ravine, course S. E.
80 00 To the established ~~corner~~ corner to Townships 1 and 2 North, Ranges 3 and 4 West.
Land; level & 1st rate soil, good for farming.

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General Description.

The surface of this Township is rolling; Soil 1st rate — it contains very little Timber or water

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Between Townships 1 and 2 North, Range 3 W.

East on a Random line between Townships 1 and 2 N.

Variation 12° 45' E.

I set temporary half mile and mile posts at every 40 and 80 chains, and at 5 miles 77 chs. 25 lks. to a point 2.52 lks south of corner to Townships 1 and 2 North. Ranges 2 and 3 West. 6

The correction will therefore be 42 lks North and 2 chs; 18 lks West per mile.

From the corner to Townships 1 and 2 North, Ranges 2 and 3 West, I run

West on a true Line between sections 1 and 36.

Variation 13° 23' East.

40 00 Drove chained stake, set post, and raised mound, as per instructions for quarter section corner

60 00 Ravine course N.E.

Between Townships 1 and 2 N. Range 3 W.

80 00 Drove chained stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions, for corner to sections 1. 2. 35 and 36.

Land, level and rolling prairie, Soil 1st rate.

West on a true line between sections 2 and 35.

Variation 13° 3' East

40. 00 Drove chained stake, set post and raised mound as per instructions for quarter section corner,

80 00 Drove chained stake, set post and raised mound as per instructions, for corner to sections 2. 3. 34 and 35.

Land, rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate.

West on a true line, between sections 3 and 34.

Variation 13° 3' East.

40. 00 Drove chained stake, set post and raised a mound with as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

70. 00 Ravine, course N.E.

80. 00 Drove chained stake, set post, and raised a mound, as per instructions, for corner to sections 3. 4. 33 and 34.

Land, rolling prairie, Soil 1st rate.

Between Townships 1 and 2 N. Range 3 W.

West on a true line between sections 4 and 33.

Variation 13° 3' East.

30. 00 Branch, 10 chs wide, runs N. E.

40. 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised a mound as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

80 00. Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound, as per instructions, for corner to sections 4. 5. 32 and 33.

Land rolling prairie.- Soil 1st rate.

West on a true line between sections 5 and 32.

Variation 13° 3' East.

40 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised a mound, as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised a mound, as per instructions, for corner to sections 5. 6. 31 and 32.

Land rolling prairie, - Soil 1st rate.

West on a true line between sections 6 and 31.

Variation 13° 3' East.

40 00 Drove a charred stake, set post, and raised a mound, as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

Between Townships 1 and 2 N. Range 3 W.

77 25 To the established corner to Townships 1 and 2 North, Ranges 3 and 4 West.

Land level and rolling prairie, Soil 1st rate

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General Description

This Township consists of about an equal portion of 1st and 2d rate land - surface high and rolling, timber and water scarce

Between Ranges 3 and 4 W. Township 2 N.

From the corner to Townships 1 and 2 N. Ranges 3 and 4 W. Run North between Sections 31 and 36.

Variation 13° 30' East.

40 00 Drove a charred stake, set post, and raised a mound as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

65 00 Ravine course E.

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised a mound, as per instructions, for corner to sections 25. 30. 31. and 36. Rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 25 and 30.

Variation 13° 30' East.

40 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound as per instructions, for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30. Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate

North between section 19 and 24.

Variation 13° 30' East.

9.00 Ravine course N. W.

40 00 Drove a charred stake, set post, and raised mound, as per instructions for quarter section corner.

Between Ranges 3 and 4 W. Township 2 N.

80.00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised mound as per instructions, for corner to sections 13. 18. 19 and 24. Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 13 and 18

Variation 13° 30' East.

15.00 Enter timber, bears E and W.

16.00 Creek, 20 lks. wide, runs E.

17.00 Same creek 20 lks. wide, runs S.W.

21.00 Same creek 20 lks. wide, ~~[illegible]~~ runs N.E.

23.00 Leave timber, bears E and W.

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound, as per instructions, for quarter sect. corner.

80.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions, for corner to sections 7. 12. 13 and 18.

Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate

Timber; Hickory, Walnut, Hackberry, Oak and Elm.

North between sections 7 and 12.

Variation 13° 30' East.

30.00 Ravine course N.E.

40 00 Drove charred stake, set ~~post~~, and raised mound as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

Between Ranges 3 and 4 W. Township 2 N.

80.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised Mound as per instructions, for corner to sections 1. 6. 7. and 12. Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 1 and 6.

Variation 13° 30' East.

20.00 Ravine, course N. E.

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised Mound as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

80.00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised mound as per instructions, for [illegible] corner, to Townships 2 and 3 N. Ranges 3 and 4 West.

Land; rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate

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Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 4. W

West on a random line between Townships 2 and 3. N. Range 4. W

variation 13.30

I set Temporary half mile and mile post at every 40 and 80 chs and at 5 miles and 75. Chs and 10 lks intersected Range line

Between Townships 2 and 3. N. Range 4 W

66 links north of corner to Townships 2 and 3 N Ranges 4 and 5 W

The correction will therefore be 11 lks south per mile

From the corner to Townships 2 and 3 N. R 4 and 5 W I run

East on a true line between sections 6 and 31

Variation 13.35' East

33.10 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

48.00 Ravine course S

85.10 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 5. 6. 31 and 32

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 5 and 32

Variation 13. 35' East

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised a mound as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.00 Drove charred stake. set post, and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to sections 4. 5. 32 & 33

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

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Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 4. W

East on a true line between sections 4 and 33

Variation 13° 35' East

36 00 Ravine Course S

40 00 Set post, above charred stake and raised a Mound as per instructions for quarter sec. corner

80 00 Above charred stake, set post and raised a Mound as per instructions for corner to sections 3. 4. 33 and 34

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 3 and 34

Variation 13° 35' East

25 00 Ravine Course N.

40 00 Above charred stake, set post and raised a Mound as per instructions for quarter sec corner

80 00 Above charred stake, set post and raised a Mound as per instructions for corner to sections 2. 3. 34 and 35

Land rolling prairie; soil 1st rate

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Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 4 W.

East on a true line between sections 2 and 35

Variation 13° 35' East.

36 00 Ravine Course N.E.

40. 00 Above charred stake, set post, and raised Mound as per instructions, for quarter section corner,

80. 00 Above charred stake, set post, and raised mound as per instructions, for corner to sections 1. 2. 3 and 36,

Land rolling prairie, Soil 1st rate,

East on a true line between sections 1 and 36,

Variation 13° 35' East.

14. 00 Ravine, Course N.E

40. 00 Above charred stake, set post, and raised mound as per instructions, for quarter section corner,

70. 00 Ravine N.E.

78 00 Ravine Course N.E.

80 00 To the established Corner of Townships 2 and 3 North, Ranges 3 and 4 West.

Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate

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General Description

This township contains a large amount of good farming land - will admit of a small settlement and should be subdivided

Between Township 2 and 3 N. Range 3 West,

East on a random line between Township 2 and 3 N Range 3 West,

Variation 13° 30' East,

I set temporary half mile and mile post at every 40 and 80 chains and at 5 mile, 76 chs and 50 lks, to a point 75 lks South to Corner to Township 2 and 3 N. Range, 2 and 3 W.

The correction will therefore be 12.5 lks, N. and 3 chs 50 lks West per mile.

From the Corner to Township 2 and 3 N, and Range 2 and 3 W. I run

West on a true line between sections 1 and 36

Variation 13° 35' East

11 00 entered timber, bears S.E. and N.W.

13 00 Little Blue River, 65 lks wide, low miry banks, sandy bottom, runs S.E. –

14 00 Leave timber bears S.E. and N.W.

40 00 Drove charred stake set post, raised mound as per instructs for quarter sec: Corner,

51 50 Same stream 75 lks wide, runs N.E.

71 25 Same stream 61 lks wide runs S.E.

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post ~~post~~ and raised mound as per instructions, for Corner to sections 1. 2. 35 and 36.

Land level and rolling prairie, soil 1st rate.

Between Township 2 and 3 N. Range 3 W.

West on a true line between Sections 2 and 35.

Variation 13° 35' East,

40. 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound, as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

80. 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound as per instructions, for corner to sections 2. 3, 34 and 35.

Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate.

West on a true line, between sections 3 and 34.

Variation 13° 35' East,

35. 00 Ravine, course N.E.

40. 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised a mound, as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

73 00 Ravine, course N.W.

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post, raised a mound as per instructions, for Corner to sections 3. 4. 33 and 34

Land rolling Prairie, Soil 1st rate.

West on a true line, between section 4 and 33.

Variation 13° 35' East,

16 00 Ravine, course N.E.

Between Townships 2 and 3 N. Range 3 W.

40. on Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound, as per instructions for quarter Section Corner,
41 on Ravine, course N. E.
66. on Ravine course N. E.
80 on Drove charred Stake, set post and raised mound, as per instructions, for Corner to Sections 4.5.32. and 33.
Land; rolling. Soil 1st rate,

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West on a true line between sections 5 and 32.

Variation 13° 35' East,

40. on Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound, as per instruction, for quarter section Corner,
80. on Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound, as per instructions, for corner to sections 5.6.31 and 32.
Land; rolling prairie - Soil 1st rate.

West on a true line between sections 6 and 31.

Variation 13° 35' East,

28 on Ravine. bears N. E.
40 on Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions, for quarter section corner,

Between Townships 2 and 3 North Range 3 W.

58 on Ravine, course N. E.
76 50 To the established Corner to Townships 2 and 3 North, Ranges 3 and 4 West.
Land rolling prairie, Soil 1st rate

General Description

This Township contains a good amount of Timber. water and 1st rate land will admit of a large settlement and therefore should be subdivided

Between Ranges 3 and 4 W. Township 3 N.

From the corner to Townships 2 and 3 N. between Ranges 3 and 4 W
I run
North in Township 3, between Sections 31 and 36.

Variation 13° 30' East,

11. on Ravine, course N. W.
40 on Drove a charred stake, set post, and raised a mound, as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

Between Ranges 3 and 4 W. Township 3 N.

41 00 Ravine, course N.E.

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised mound, as per instructions, for corner to sections 25. 30. 31 and 36.
Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 25 and 30.

Variation 13° 20' East.

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as required per instructions, for quarter sec. corner.

45.00 Enter timber bears S.E. and N.W.

45.50 Little Blue River. 65 lks wide, low banks, sandy bottom, runs S.E.

48.50 Same River, 75 lks wide, runs S.E.

56.00 A Cottonwood 48 in. dia.

57 20 Leave timber, bears S.E. and N.W.

57 30 Same River 70 lks wide, runs S.E.

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised mound as per instructions, for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30.
Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate.
Timber, Cottonwood, Oak, Hickory and Elm.

Between Ranges 3 and 4 W. Township 3 N.

North between sections 19 and 24.

Variation 13° 20' East

18.10 Military Road, from Fort Leavenworth to Fort Laramie bears E and W.

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised a mound as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

60.00 Ravine, course S.W.

80.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound, as per instructions, for corner to sections 13. 18. 19 & 24.
Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 13 and 18.

Variation 13° 8' East.

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

80.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions, for corner to sections 7. 12. 13 and 18.
Land rolling and level prairie.
Soil 1st rate.

Between Ranges 3 and 4 W. Township 3 North

North between sections 7 and 12.

Variation 13° 8' East.

40. 00 Drove a chamed stake, set post, and raised a mound, as per instruction, for quarter section corner.

43. 00 Racine, course S.E.

80 00 Drove chamed stake, set post, and raised a mound as per instruction, for corner to sections 1, 6, 7 and 12.

Land level prairie. Soil 1st rate

North between sections 1 and 6.

Variation 13° 8' East.

40. 00 Drove a chamed stake, set post, and raised a mound, as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

80. 00 Drove a chamed stake, set post and raised a mound, as per instructions, for corner to Township 3 and 4 North, and Ranges 3 and 4 West.

Land level prairie. Soil 1st rate

Between Townships 3 and 4 N. Range 3 W.

East on a Random line, between Townships 3 and 4 North, Range 3 West,

Variation 13° 8' East.

I set temporary half mile and mile post at every 40 and 80 chains, and at 5 miles, 77 chs. and 10 lks. to a point, 215 lks South of corner to Townships 3 and 4. North, of Ranges 3 and 2 West,

The Correction will therefore be 2 chs and 90 lks. West, and 35 lks N per mile.

From the corner to Townships 3 and 4 N. Ranges 2 and 3 W. I run

West on a true line between sections 1 and 36.

Variation 13° 23' East.

0.50 Branch 20 lks wide, runs S.E.

40. 00 Drove chamed stake, set post and raised mound as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

80. 00 Drove chamed stake, set post, and raised mound, as per instructions, for corner to sections, 1, 2, 35 and 36.

Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate

Between Townships 3 and 4 N. Range 3 W.

West on a true line between sections 2 and 35.

Variation 13° 23' East,

0.20 Raine, Course N.

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised mound, as per instructions, for quarter section Corner.

41.50 Raine Course N.E.

65.00 Raine, Course N.

80.00 Deposited a marked stone, set post, and raised mound as per instructions, for Corner to sections 2.3.34 and 35. Land rolling, soil 1st rate.

West on a true line between sections 3 and 34.

Variation 13° 23' East,

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound as per instructions, for quarter section Corner.

80.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound as per instructions, for Corner to sections 3.4.33 and 34. Land level. soil 1st rate

Between Townships 3 and 4 N. Range 3 W.

West on a true line between sections 4 and 33.

Variation 13° 23' East.

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound as per instructions, for quarter Sec: Corner.

45.00 Raine Course, S. E.

80.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound, as per instructions, for Cor Corner to sections 4.5.32.33. Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate

West on a true line between sections 5 and 32.

Variation 13° 23' East,

1.00 Raine, Course S.

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised mound as per instructions, for quarter section Corner.

80.00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised mound, as per instructions for Corner to sections 5.6.31. and 32. Land level prairie. Soil 1st rate.

West on a true line between sections 6 and 31.

Variation 13° 23' East,

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound as per instructions, for quarter Sec: Corner.

Between Townships 3 and 4 North, Range 3 W.

77 10. To the established corner to Townships 3 and 4 N.
Ranges 3 and 4 West.
Land level prairie. Soil 1st rate.
September 17th 1858

General Description.

This Township contains a large amount of 1st rate farming land — has a good supply of Timber and water — consequently will admit of a good settlement and should be subdivided

Between Townships 3 and 4 N. Range 4 W.

West on a random line between Township 3 & 4 N. Range 4 W. Variation 13° 8' East.
I set temporary half mile and mile corners at every 40 and 80 chains — and at 5 mile, 74 ch and 8 lks to a point 306 lks. North of corner to Townships 3 and 4 North of Ranges 4 and 5 West.
The correction will therefore be 51 lks south per mile.

From the corner to Townships 3 and 4 North ~~[illegible]~~ and Range 4 and 5 W. I run
East on a true line between sections 6 and 31.
Variation 13° 30' East.

3 74 08 Drove charred stake, set post & raised mound, as per instructions, for quarter section corner.
7 74 08 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound as per instructions for corner to Secs. 5. 6. 31 and 32.
Land level prairie. Soil 1st rate

East on a true line between sections 5 and 32.
Variation 13° 30' East.

40 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound, as per instructions, for quarter sec. corner.

Between Townships 3 and 4 North, Range 4 W.

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions for corner to Sections 4. 5. 32 and 33. Land rolling and level prairie. Soil 1st rate.

East on a true line between Sections 4 and 33.

Variation 13°30' East,

40 00 Drove a charred stake, set post and raised a mound, as per instructions for quarter Section corner.

80. 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised a mound as per instructions, for corner to sections 3. 4. 33 and 34. Land level prairie. Soil 1st rate.

East on a true line, between sections 3 and 34.

Variation 13° 30' East,

40 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised mound, as required, per instructions, for quarter section corner.

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised a mound as required, per instructions for corner to sections 2. 3. 34 & 35. Land rolling prairie, Soil 1st rate

Between Townships 3 and 4 North, Range 4 W.

East on a true line between Sections 2 and 35.

Variation 13°30' East,

40. 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised a mound as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

80 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised a mound as per instructions, for corner to Sections 1. 2. 35 and 36. Land level and rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate.

East on a true line, between sections 1 and 36.

Variation 13° 30 East,

40. 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80 00 To the established corner to Townships 3 and 4 North, and Ranges 3 and 4 West.

Land level and rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate.

September 21st 1858

General Description.

This Township contains a large amount of 1st rate farming land:— Little Blue river and the Fort Leavenworth & Laramie road runs through it — It will admit of a large settlement

Between Ranges 3 and 4 W. Township 4 North

From the corner to Township 3 and 4 North, Ranges 3 and 4 West, Run
North between sections 31 and 36.

Variation 13° 8' East,

40.00 Drove a charred stake, set post, and raised a mound as per instruction, for quarter section corner,
80 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised a mound as per instruction, for corner to sections 25. 30. 31 and 36,
Land level prairie. Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 25 and 30.

Variation 13° 10' East,

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised mound, as per instruction, for quarter sections corner.
80 00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised a mound, as per instruction, for corner to sections 19. 24. 25 and 30.
Land level and rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate

North between sections 19 and 24.

Variation 13° 26' East,

28 00 Enter timber, bears E and W.

Between Ranges 3 and 4 W. Township 4 N.

29.00 Branch, 25 lks wide, runs E.
33.25 Same Branch 100 lks, runs N.W. and leave timber bears N.W. & S.E.
40.00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised a mound as required, per instructions, for quarter section corner,
42.00 Same Branch 20 lks wide, runs S.E.
80 00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound as per instructions, for corner to sections 13. 18. 19 and 24.
Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate.
Timber Oak, Elm, and ash.

North between sections 13 and 18.

Variation 13° 15' East,

00.50 Ravine, course S.E.
40.00 Drove charred stake, set post, and raised mound, as per instructions, for quarter section corner.
80.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound, as per instruction, for corner to sections 7. 12. 13 and 18.
Land rolling prairie, Soil 1st rate

North between sections 7 and 12.

Variation 13° 10' East,

Between Ranges 3 and 4 W. Township 4 N,

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound, as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound as per instructions, for corner to sections 1. 6. 7 and 12. Land level and rolling prairie, soil first rate.

North between sections 1 and 6.

Variation 13° 10' East,

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound as per instructions, for quarter section corner.

77.80 Intersected the first Standard Parallel at a point 10 chains and 25 lks, East of Standard corner to Townships 5 North, Ranges 3 and 4 West. and at said intersection corner to Township 4 N, Range 3 & 4 W. Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound as per instructions, for closing corner to Township 4 N. Ranges 3 and 4 W.

Land rolling and level prairie, soil 1st rate.

September 18th 1858

I now proceed to establish the true line of the parallel through Ranges 1 and 2. West and to establish thereon the proper closing corners to Ranges 1 and 2 W

(from temporary corners previously mentioned) as follows viz; From the temporary corner to Ranges 1 & 2 West T. 4 N I run North 2.55 lks to a point 150 lks East of standard corner to T. 5. N R 1 & 2 W & I drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for closing corner to R. 1 & 2. T. 4 N

Sl. 214 links south of the temporary corner on R. 2 & 3. W. T. 4. intersect the 1st Standard parallel 864 lks E. of standard corner & I drove charred stake set post and raised a mound as per instructions for closing corner to T. 4. N. R. 2 & 3. W

List of Names

A List of the Names of the individuals employed to assist in running, measuring, & marking the lines and corners described in the foregoing field Notes of the exterior boundaries of Townships No one, two, three and four, North of the base line, of Ranges No One, two, three, four, five, six, seven and eight, West of the sixth Principal Meridian - showing the respective capacities in which they acted.

Wm M. Viney.	Chainman
Anthony W. Graverart.	Chainman.
William Fearnsly.	Cornerman.
William Henderson	Cornerman.
James White	Flagman.

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I Thomas W. Wheatly. Deputy Surveyor do solemnly swear that, in pursuance of a Contract with John Calhoun, Surveyor of the Public Lands of the United States in the Territory of Nebraska, bearing date July the Sixth A.D. 1858. in strict conformity to the Laws of the United States and the instructions furnished by the said Surveyor General, I have faithfully surveyed the exterior boundaries of Townships number one, two, three and four North of the base lines of Ranges number One, two, three, four, five, six, seven and eight West of the Sixth Principal Meridian, in the Territory aforesaid and do further solemnly swear that the foregoing are the true and original field Notes of such survey.

Thomas W. Wheatly
Deputy Surveyor.

Subscribed by said Thomas W. Wheatly, deputy Surveyor, and sworn to before me a Notary public in the City of Nebraska Otoe County, in the Territory of Nebraska, this third day of December A.D. 1858.

Jas. D. White
Notary Public

We hereby certify that we assisted Thomas W. Wheatly deputy Surveyor in surveying the exterior boundaries of Townships number one, two, three and four North of the base line of Ranges number one, two, three, four, five, six, seven and eight west of the 6th principal Meridian Nebraska Territory and that said Townships have been in all respects to the best of our knowledge and belief well and faithfully surveyed and the boundary monuments planted according to instructions furnished by the Surveyor General

Wm McVinney Chainman
Anthony H. Graberaet Chainman
William Fourly Comerman
William Henderson Comerman
James White Flagman

Subscribed and sworn to by the above named persons before me a justice of the peace for the county of platte in the State of Missouri this day of November 1858

S. R. Ringo
Justice of the Peace

Surveyor Generals Office
Nebraska City, N. T. January 5th 1859

The foregoing field notes of the Survey of the Exterior boundaries of Townships Number One, Two, Three and Four North of the base line of Ranges One, Two, Three, Four, Five, Six, Seven and Eight West of the Sixth Principal Meridian in the Territory of Nebraska, Executed by Thomas W. Wheatly, Deputy Surveyor, under his contract number 243. of the 6th day of July 1858. in the Months of August and September 1858, having been critically examined, the necessary corrections and explanations made, the said field notes, and the Surveys they describe, are hereby approved.

Ward B. Burnett
Surveyor General

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