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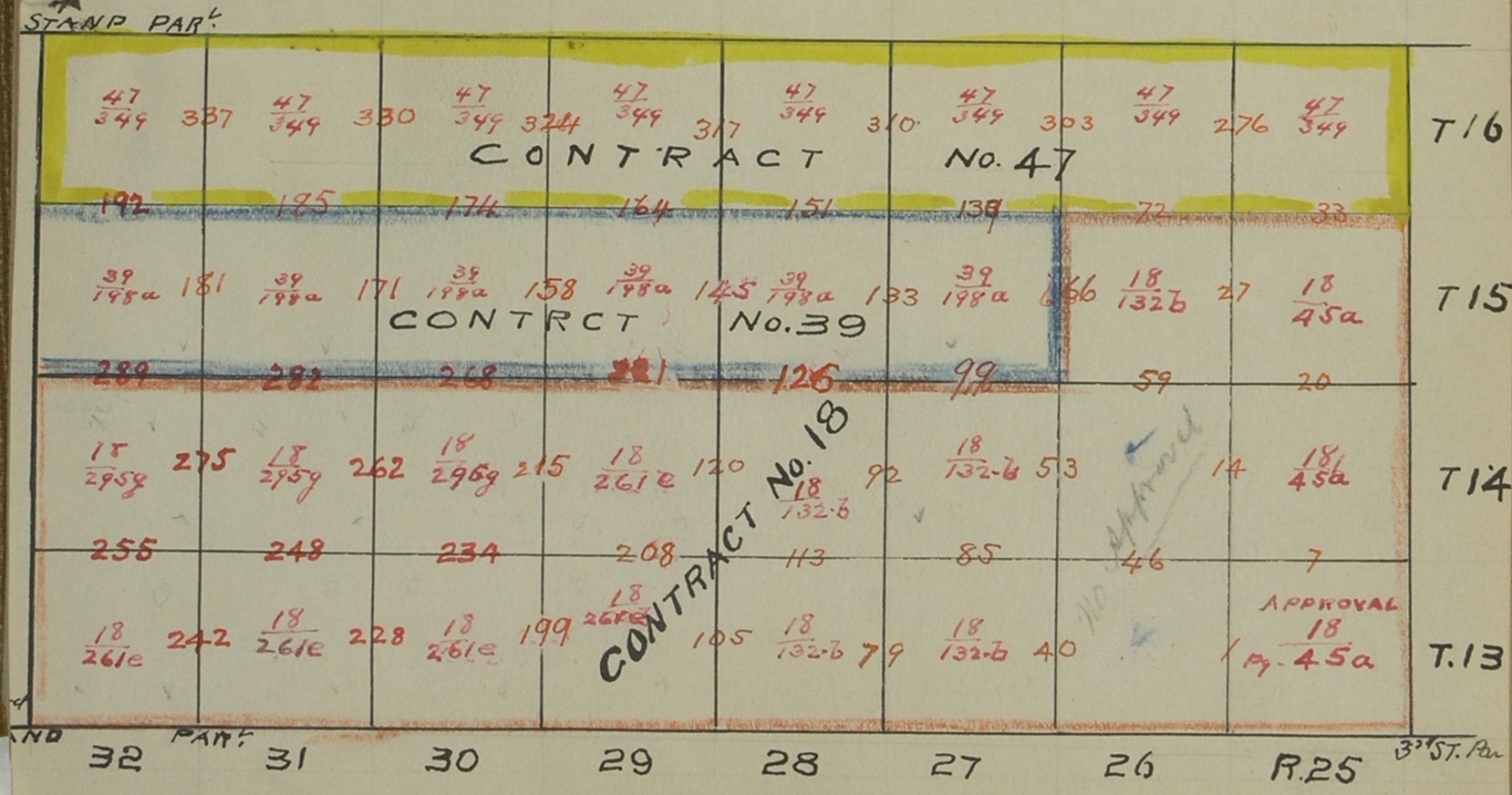
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Field Notes

Of the Survey of the Boundary lines of Townships 13, 14 and 15 North, Ranges 25 and 26. Townships 13 and 14 North Ranges 27, 28, and 29. Townships 13 North Ranges 30, 31 and 32 West, all North of the Base line and West of the 6th Principal Meridian in the State of Nebraska. Executed by J. B. Park deputy Surveyor under ~~their~~ joint contract No. 15 wherein J. B. Park and A. L. Campbell with R. W. Hitchcock, Sur. Gen'l are joint contractors, dated April 29th. 1869.

List of Names
and duties of assistants
Leavitt Burnham Chainman
R. B. Reyes Chainman
Luther Kuhlman } Axemen and
Eugene Beach } Mound men

T. 13 N. between Ranges 25 & 26 W. 6th. Pr. Mer.

~~Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. T. 13 N. 6th Principal Meridian~~

Mins	Begin at the post, the established corner to Townships 13 North Ranges 25 and 26 West. on the third Standard Parallel North and run North between 36 and 31 Bw 13° E
36.00	Canon descends S.E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor
65.00	Canon descends East
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Sections 25.36.31 & 1
	Land hilly and broken Soil 3rd rate

T. 13 N. between Ranges 25 & 26 W. of 6th. Pr. Mer.

~~Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. T. 13 N. 6th Principal Meridian~~

Chains	North Between Secs. 25 and 30 Va 13° E
10.00	Canon descends S. E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Sections 24, 25, 19, 30 Land hilly and broken Soil 3rd rate

Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. T. 13 N. 6th Principal Meridian

Chains	North between Secs. 19 and 24 Va 13° E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 18, 19, 13, 24 Land hilly, Soil 3rd rate

Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. T. 13 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	North between Secs. 13 and 18 Va 12° 58' E
15,00	Canon descends S.E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
71,00	Canon descends S.E.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Sections 12, 13, 7 & 18 Land hilly and broken Soil 3rd rate

Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. T. 13 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	North between Secs. 7 and 12 Va 13° E
11,50	Canon descends S.E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
70,00	Canon descends S.E.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 12, 6 & 7 Land hilly, Soil 3rd rate

Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. 13 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	
	North between Secs. 1 and 6
	Va 13° E
10,00	Canon descends S.E.
30,00	Canon descends S.E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred State raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Townships 13, 14 N. Ranges 25 and 26 W.
	Land hilly and broken Soil 3rd rate
	July 25th 1869

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R. 25 W.
6th Principal Meridian

From the corner to Townships 13 and 14 North, in Ranges 25 and 26 West. I run East on a random line on the South Boundaries of Sections 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 & 36.

Va 13,10- E

I Set temporary half mile and mile posts at every 40 and 80 chains and at 6 miles 1 chain and 60 links to a point 126 links South of the corner to Townships 13 and 14 North Ranges 24 and 25 W. on 3rd Guide Meridian West. Therefore the correction will be 126 60 links East and 21 links North per mile, and the true course to retrace the line or run parallel thereto is S. 89°51' W.

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 25 W. 6th Principal Meridian

Chains	From the corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. R.s 24 and 25 W. I run S 89°51' W. on true line between Secs. 1 and 36.
	Va 13°15' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
45.00	Canon descends N. W.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1. 2. 35 & 36. Land rolling and broken Soil 3rd rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 25 W. 6th Principal Meridian

Chains	S 89°51' W on true line between Secs. 2 and 35
	Va 13°15' E
9.00	Drain descends South
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.
65.00	Drain descends South
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Sections 2. 3. 34 & 35 Land hilly & broken Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 25 W.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	
	S 89° 51' W. on true line between Secs. 3 and 34 Va 13° 10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 3, 4, 33, 34. Land hilly. Soil white Sand. Good rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 25 W.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	
	S 89° 51' W on true line between Secs. 4 and 33 Va 13° 10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
65,00	~~Canion~~ descends South
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 4, 5, 32, 33. Land hilly Soil white Sand.

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Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 25 W.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	
	S 89° 51' W on true line between Secs. 5 and 32 Va 18° 10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 5, 6, 31, 32
	Land hilly Soil 3rd rate

13

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 25 W.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	
	S 89° 51' W on true line between Secs. 6 and 31 Va 13° 10' E
20,00	Canon descends South
38,00	Canon descends South
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor
81,60	The corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 25 and 26 W. Land rolling and broken with canons. Soil 3rd rate

General Description
Township 13 North Rang 25 W. is high table land much broken by Canons and ravines. The head of Buffalo creek is in this township but contains no water except in wet Seasons The Soil is mostly light Sand 2nd and 3rd rate -
There has been very little timber in the Canons, but that has been cut and taken away - The township is not watered and the Soil is unfit for cultivation.

Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. T 14 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	
	Begin at the post the established corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. in Ranges 25 and 26 West and run North bet. Secs. 31 and 36 Va 13°5' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Sections 25, 36, 30 & 31 Land rolling Soil Sandy 2 rate -

Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. T 14 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	North between Sections 25 and 30 Va 13° E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Sections 24. 25. 19 & 30 Land rolling, Soil 2 rate

Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. T 14 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	North between Sections 19 and 24 Va 13° 3' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 13. 24. 18 & 19 Land rolling Soil light Same 2nd rate

July 26th 1869
Tested chain and found it correct –

Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. T. 14 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	North between Sections 13 and 18 Va 13° 5' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
71,00	Ravine descends N.W.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 12, 13, 7, 18
	Land 1st half mile rolling ballance hilly and broken Soil 3rd rate

Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. T. 14 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	North between Secs. 7 and 12 Va 13° 5' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 12, 6, 7
	Land hilly. Soil light Sand 3rd rate -

Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. T 14 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	
	North between Secs. 1 and 6
	Va 13°10' E
40,00	I Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	I Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 25, and 26 W.
	in a Ravine descends S E
	Land hilly and broken
	Soil 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 25 W
6th Principal Meridian

From the corner to Townships 14 and 15 North in Ranges 25 and 26 West I run
East on a random line on the South Boundary of Sections 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 & 36.
Va 13°10' E
I Set temporary half mile and mile posts at every 40 and 80 chains, and at 6 Miles 1 chains, and 40 links to a point 90 links Souths of the corner to Townships 14 and 15 North Ranges 24 and 25 West, on the 3rd Guide Mer. West.
The correction will therefore be 140 East and 15 links North per mile and the true course S 89°54' W.

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 25 W. 6th Principal Meridian

Chains	
	From the corner to Townships 14 and 15 North Ranges 24 and 25 West, I run
	S 89° 54' West true line between Secs. 1 and 36
	Va 13° 15' E
40,00	Canon descend South
	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Large Canon descend S E
	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 2, 35 & 36
	Land hilly and broken Soil poor 2nd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 25 W. 6th Principal Meridian

Chains	
	S 89° 54' West true line between Secs. 2 and 35
	Va 13° 15' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
56,00	Canon descends S. W.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 2, 3, 34 & 35.
	Land hilly Soil 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 25 W
6th Principal Meridian

chains	S 89° 54' W. on true line between Secs. 3 and 34
	Va 13° 12' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 3, 4, 33, 34. Land rolling Soil 2nd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 25 W.
6th Principal Meridian

chains	S 89° 54' W. on true line between Secs. 4 and 33
	Va 13° 10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 3, 4, 33, 34
	Land rolling. Soil 2nd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 25 W.
6th Principal Meridian

chains	
	S 89° 54' W on true line between Sect. 5 and 32
	Va 13° 10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sect Cor,
65,00 (5 00)	Drain descends South
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Sect. 31, 32, 5, 6.
	Land hilly Soil 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R. 25 W.
6th Principal Meridian

chains	
	S 89° 54' W. on true line between Sect. 6 and 31
	Va 13° 10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sect Cor,
81.40	The corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 25 and 26 W.
	Land hilly, Soil 3rd rate

July 27th 1869
Tested chain with Standard and found it correct

General Description

Township 14 North Range 25 W. is composed wholly of Land hills, 3rd rate Soil, unfit for Settlement and cultivation - It contains no timber and no water -

Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. T. 15 N. 6th Principal Meridian

Chains	Begin at the post the corner to Townships 14 and 15 North Ranges 25 and 26 West and run North between Secs. 31 and 36 Va 13°10' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs 25, 26, 30 & 31 Land hilly Soil 3rd rate

Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. T 15 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	
	North between Secs. 25 and 30 Va 13°10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. ~~for a corner to Secs.~~ 24. 25. 19. & 30. Land hilly, Soil white Sand. 3rd rate.

Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. T 15 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	
	North between Secs. 19 and 24 Va 13°8' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits, as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 13. 24. 18. & 19 Land hilly. Soil. 3rd rate

Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. T. 15 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	North between Secs. 13 and 18 Va 13°15' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
50,00	Ravine descends N. W.
66,00	Ravine descends N. W.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 12, 13, 7 & 18
	Land hilly. Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. T. 15 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	North between Secs. 7 and 12 Va 13°18' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 12, 6 & 7.
	Land rolling. Soil light Sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. T. 15 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	
	North between Secs 1 and 6
	Va 13°15' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Townships 15 & 16 N. Ranges 25 and 26 W.
	Land rolling table land Soil 3rd rate.

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. R. 25 W.
6th Principal Meridian

From the corner to Townships 15 and 16 North Ranges 25 and 26 West I run East on a random line along the South Boundary of Sections 31. 32, 33, 34. 35 & 36.

Va 13°15' E

I set temporary half miles and mile posts at every 40 and 80 chains and at 6 miles 1 chain and 28 links to a point 146 links South of the corner to Townships 15 and 16 North Ranges 24 and 25 West, on the 3rd Guide Meridian West. The correction therefore will be 1 chain and 28 links East and 24 1/3 links North per mile and the true course is S 89°50' W.

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. R 25 W.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	
	From the corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 24 and 25 W. I run
	S 89° 50' W. on true line between Secs. 1 and 36
	Va 13° 12' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised Mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 2, 35 & 36
	Land hilly. Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. R. 25 W.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	
	S 89° 50' W. on true line between Secs. 2 and 35
	Va 13° 14' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised Mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 2, 3, 34 & 35.
	Land very rolling. Soil light Sand 3rd rate

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. R 25 W
6th Principal Meridian

chains	S 89°50' W on true line between Secs. 3 and 34 Va 13°12' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised Mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
43,00	Drain descends S.W.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 3, 4, 33, 34
	Land very rolling
	Soil light Sand 3rd rate

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. R 25 W.
6th Principal Meridian

chains	S 89°50' W. on true line between Secs. 4 and 33 Va 13°10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
43,00	Drain ~~Descends~~ Drain descends South
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 4, 5, 32, 33.
	Land rolling table land
	Soil light Sand 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 25 W.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	S 89°50' W. on true line between Secs. 5 and 32 Va 13°10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 5, 6, 31 & 32 Land rolling table land Soil light Sand 3 rate

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. R 25 W.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	S 89°50' W. on true line between Secs. 6 and 31 Va 13°10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
81,28	The corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 25 and 26 W. Land table land, Slightly rolling Soil 3rd rate

July 28th 1869

Tested and corrected chain to the Standard

General Description
Township 15 N. Range 25 W.
is rolling Sandy Soil. State except the N.W. part which is high rolling table land, Soil 2nd rate - The Township contains no timber and no water - It is not well adapted to Settlement and cultivation

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Between Ranges 26 and 27 W. T 13 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Begin at the post on the ~~post on the~~ third Standard parallel North, the established corner to township 13 N. Ranges 26 and 27 W. and run North between Secs. 31 and 36
Va 12°40' E

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a ¼ Sec. Cor.

80,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 30, 31, 25 & 36
Land hilly Soil White Sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 26 and 27 W. T 13 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	North between Secs 25 and 30 Va 12°40' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 24, 25 19, 30 Land hilly. Soil white Sand unfit for cultivation

July 29th 1869
Tested chain with Standard and found it correct.

Between Ranges 26 and 27 W. T 13 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	North between Secs 19 and 24 Va 12°40' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Corner
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 18, 19, 13, 24 Land hilly. Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 26 and 27 W. T. 13 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	North between Secs. 13 and 18
	Va 12° 40' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 7, 18, 12 & 13
	Land hilly. Soil white sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 26 and 27 W. T. 13 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	North between Secs. 7 and 12
	Va 12° 40' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 6, 7, 1 & 12
	Land hilly. Soil 3rd rate

Between Ranges 26 and 27 W. T 13 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	North between Secs. 1 and 6 Va 12°40' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 26 and 27 W. Land rolling. Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Surveyor General's Office at Plattsmouth Neb. Dec. 22. 1869

The foregoing field Notes of the Survey of the Exterior Boundaries of Townships 13. 14 and 15, Range 25. all North of the Base line and West of the 6th Principal Meridian in the State of Nebraska, Executed by Josiah B. Park, under joint Contract wherein Josiah B. Park and Henry C. Campbell are joint Contractors, bearing date April 29th 1869, in the Month of July 1869, having been critically Examined, the Necessary corrections and Explanations Made, the said field Notes and the Surveys they describe are hereby approved.

Robt. R. Livingston
Surveyor General.

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 26 W
6th Principal Meridian

Chains From the corner to townships
13 and 14 N. Ranges 26 and 27
W. I run
East on random line along
the South Boundary of Sections
31, 32, 33, 34, 35 & 36.
Va 12° 40' E
I Set temporary mile and
half mile posts at every
40 and 80 chains and at
6 Miles 1 chains and
72 links to a point 144
links South of the corner
to townships 13 and 14 N.
Ranges 25 and 26 W.
The correction therefore
will be 172 links East
and 24 links North per mile
and the true course S 89° 50' W.
nearly

Between Townships 13 and 14, N. R 26 W
6th Principal Meridian

From the corner to townships 13 and 14 North, Ranges 25 and 26 W. I run S 89° 50' W. on true line between Secs. 1 and 36
Va 13° 55' 1 W

40.00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

45.00 Ravine descends N. W.

80.00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 2, 35 & 36
Land hilly. Soil 3rd rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 26 W
6th Principal Meridian

Chains S 89° 50' W on true line between Secs. 2 and 35
Va 13° 55' 1 E

9.00 Drain descends South

40.00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

55.00 Drain descends S E

80.00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 2, 3, 34 & 35
Land hilly Soil White Sand 3rd rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 26 W.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	S 89° 50' W on true line between Secs. 3 and 34 Va 13° 48' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Sections 3, 4, 33 & 34 Land hilly, Soil white Sand - 3rd rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 26 W.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	S 89° 50' W on true line between Secs. 4 and 33 Va 13° 48' E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
65.50	Drain descends South
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 4, 5, 32 & 33 Land hilly, Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 26 W
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	
	S 89° 50' W. on true line between Secs. 5 and 32 Va 12° 48' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 5, 6, 31 & 32 Land hilly. Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 26 W.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	
	S 89° 50' W. on true line between Secs. 6 and 31 Va 12° 40' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
81.72	The corner to townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 26 and 27 W. Land hilly. Soil white Sand - 3rd rate

July 30th 1869
Tested chain with Standard and found it correct

General Description

Township 13 N. Range 26 W. is composed wholy of Sand hills, Soil Sand rate It contains no timber and no water and is not adapted to Settlement and cultivation

Between Ranges 26 and 27 W. T. 14 N. 6th Principal Meridian

Chains	Begin at the corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 26 and 27 W. and run North between Secs. 31 and 36 Va 13° E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 25, 36, 30 & 31

Land hilly, Soil white Sand 3 rate

Between Ranges 26 and 27 W. T. 14 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	North between Secs. 25 and 30 Va 13° 5' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 24, 25, 19 & 30 Land hilly, Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 26 and 27 W. T. 14 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	North between Secs. 19 and 24 Va 13° 10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 18, 24, 18 & 19 Land hilly Soil 3rd rate

Between Ranges 26 and 27 W. T. 14 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	North between Secs. 13 and 18 Va 13° 10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 12, 13, 7, 18
	Land hilly, Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 26 and 27 W. T. 14 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	North between Secs. 7 and 12 Va 13° 10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 12, 6, 7
	Land hilly Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Bet. Ranges 26 and 27 W. T 14 N.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	North between Secs. 1 and 6 Va 13°10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Townships 14 and 15 North Ranges 26 and 27 W. Land very hilly. Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 26. W
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	From the corner to townships 14. and 15 N. Ranges 26 and 27 W. I run East on random line along the South Boundary of Secs. 31. 32. 33. 34. 35 & 36 Va 13°15' E I Set temporary half mile and mile posts at 40 and 80 chains and at 6 miles 1 chain 69 links to a point 84 links S. of the corner to townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 25 and 26 W. The correction for the true line will therefore be 14 links North, and 169 links East per mile and the true course S 89° 54' W.

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 26 W.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	From the corner to townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 25 and 26 W. I run
	S 89° 54' W on true line between Secs. 1 and 36
	Va 13° 15' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
74.00	Drain descends S.W.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 2, 35 & 36
	Land very roling. Soil 3rd rate -

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 26 W
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	S 89° 54' W. on true line between Secs. 2 and 35
	Va 13° 15' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor
68.00	Drain descends S.W.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 2, 3, 34 & 35
	Land hilly Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 26 W.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	S 89° 54' W on true line between Secs. 3 and 34 Va 13° 10' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 3, 4, 33, 34
	Land hilly. Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 26 W.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	S 89° 54' W on true line between Secs. 4 and 33 Va 13° 10' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 4, 5, 32, 33.
	Land hilly Soil 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N, R 26 W.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	S 89° 54' W on true line between Secs. 5 and 32
	Var 13° 10' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 5, 6, 31, 32
	Land hilly. Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N, R 26 W.
6th Principal Meridian

Chains	S 89° 54' W. on true line between Secs. 6 and 31
	Var 13° 10' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
81.69	The corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 26 and 27 W.
	Land hilly Soil white Sand 3rd rate

July 31st 1869
Tested and corrected Chain to Standard

General Description
This Township is very Sandy 3rd rate Soil. The S.E. part is hilly and the ballance very rolling, there is no timber and no water in the township, and it is not adapted to Settlement or cultivation

Between Ranges 26 and 27 W. T. 15 N.

Chains	
	From the corner to Township 14 and 15 N. Ranges 26 and 27 W. I mn
	North between Secs. 31 and 36 Va 13°10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 25, 36, 30 & 31
	Land hilly. Soil 3rd rate white Sand

Between Ranges 26 and 27 W. T. 15 N.

Chains	North between Secs. 25 and 30 Va 13° 14' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.
8 80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 24. 25. 19. 30 Land hilly. Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 26 and 27 W. T. 15 N.

Chains	North Between Secs. 19 and 24 Va 13° 14' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.
8 80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 13. 24. 18. 19 Land hilly. Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 26 and 27 W. T 15 N.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 13 and 18
	Var 13° 10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs 12, 13 7 & 18
	Land hilly Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 26 and 27 W. T 15 N.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 7 and 12
	Var 13° 14' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 12, 6 & 7
	Land hilly Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 26 and 27 W. & 15 N.

chains	
	North between Secs. 1 and 6
	Va 18°15' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to twonships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 26 & 27 W.
	Land hilly. Soil white sand & rate

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. R 26 W.

chains	
	From the corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 26 and 27 W. I run East on random line along the South side of Secs. 31. 32. 33. 34. 35. & 36.
	Va 18°15' E
	I set temporary half mile and mile posts at every 40 and 80 chains and at 5 miles 79 chains and 78 links to a point 152 links North of the corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 25 and 26 W.
	The correction for the true line will therefore be 22 links West and 22 links South per mile and the true course will be N. 89°51' W.

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. R 26 W.

Chains	
	From the corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 25 and 26 W. I run
	N 89° 51' W. on true line between Secs. 1 and 36
	Va 13° 18' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
74.00	Drain descends South
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 2, 35 & 36
	Land high and rolling Soil Sandy 3rd rate

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. R 26 W.

Chains	
	N 89° 51' W. on true line between Secs. 2 and 35
	Va 13° 18' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
78.00	Drain descends S. E.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 2, 3, 34 & 35.
	Land rolling Soil 3rd rate

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. R 26 W.

Chains	
	N 89° 51' W. on true line between Secs. 3 and 34 Va 13° 18' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor,
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 3, 4, 33, & 34 Land hilly Soil white Sand 3rd rate
	August 1st 1869 Tested chain and found it correct

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. R 26 W.

Chains	
	N 89° 51' W. on true line between Secs. 4 and 33 Va 13° 10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 4, 5, 32, & 33. Land hilly. Soil 3rd rate

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. R 26 W.

chains	N 89° 51' W. on true line between Sect. 5 and 32
	Va 13° 10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Sect. 5, 6, 31, & 32
	Land hilly. Soil 3rd rate

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. R 26 W.

chains	N 89° 51' W. on true line between Sect. 6 and 31
	Va 13° 12' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.78	The corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 26 and 27. W.
	Land hilly. Soil white Sand 3rd rate

General Description.

Township 15 N. Range 26 W. is hilly. Soil white Sand 3rd rate and wholly unfit for Settlement and cultivation - It contains no water and no timber

Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. T. 13 N. 6th P. M.

From the corner on the 3rd Standard parallel North to Townships 13 North. Ranges 27 and 28 W. I run North between Secs 31 and 36 On 12°35' E

40.00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

53.50 South or right bank of channel of Platte River runs S 80° E

Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to fractional Secs. 31 and 36.

I measure across with chain width 4.20 chs

57.70 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions on the left bank of channel for corner to fractional Secs 31. and 36.

80.00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Secs 25. 36. 30. & 31

Land level Soil 2nd rate

Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. T. 13 N. 6 P. M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 25 and 30
1.33	U.P. Rail Road bears N. 68° W. Va 12° 35' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 24. 25. 19. & 30
	Land level. Soil 2 rate

Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. T. 13 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 19 and 24 Va 12° 30' E
37.00	Train descends S.E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
70.00	Leave Platte river bottom & enter Sand hills bearing S.E. and N.W.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs 16, 19, 18, & 24
	Land bottom level 2nd rate upland hilly Soil white Sand 3 rate Soil

Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. T. 13 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	North between Secs. 13 and 18 Va 12°30' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a ¼ Sec. Cor.
64.00	Creek 10 lks wide clear water Swift current runs S.E.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 12.13.7.18
	Land hilly Soil Light Sand 3rd rate-

Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. T. 13 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	North between Secs. 7 and 12 Va 12°30' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a ¼ Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1.12.6.7
	Land hilly. Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. T 13 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	North between Secs. 1 and 6
	Va 12°35' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 27 and 28 W. Land hilly Soil white Sand 3rd rate

August 3rd 1869
Tested and corrected chain with Standard

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 27 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	From the corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 27 and 28 W. I run East on a random line along the South Boundary of Secs. 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36
	Va 12°45' E
	I set temporary half mile and mile posts at every 40 and 80 chains and at 5 miles 79 chains and 85 links to a point 118 links North of the corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 26 and 27 W. The correction therefore will be 15 links West and 19 2/3 lks South per miles and the true course will be N. 89°52' W.

Chains	
	From the corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 26 and 27 W.
	Run
	N 89° 52' W on true line between Secs. 1 and 36
	Va 13° 10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 2, 35 & 36
	Land hilly. Soil white Sand 3rd rate -

Chains	
	N. 89° 52' W on true line between Secs. 2 and 35
	Va 13° E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 2, 3, 34 & 35.
	Land hilly Soil white Sand 3 rate rate

Chains	
	N. 89°52' W. on true line between Secs. 3 and 34 Va 13° E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 3, 4, 33, 34
	Land hilly. Soil white Sand 3rd rate.

Chains	
	N 89°52' W. on true line between Secs. 4 and 33. Va 12°50' W. E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Secs. 4, 5, 32, 33.
	Land Sand hills, Soil 3rd rate

Chains	
	N 89° 52' W. on the line between Secs. 5 and 32 Va 12°40' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a ¼ Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 5, 6, 31 & 32
	Land hilly, Soil white sand 3rd rate

Chains	
	N. 89° 52' W. on the line between Secs. 6 and 31 Va 12°40' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a ¼ Sec. Cor.
79,85	The corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 27 and 28 W.
	Land hilly Soil 3rd rate

Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. T. 14 N. 6th P.M.

General Description

The N.E. part of this Township is hilly, Soil white Sand 3rd rate, and not fit for cultivation - The S.W. part lies in Platte river valley and is level 1st and 2nd rate Soil.

a Spring branch comes out of the hills and runs through the western part of the township into platte river.

Platte River crosses the S.W. corner of the Township along which there is very little Cottonwood timber

Chains	
	From the corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 27 and 28 W
	I run
	North between Secs 31 and 36
	Va 13° E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 25. 36. 30 & 31
	Land hilly, Soil 3rd rate

Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. T14 N. 6th P.M.

chains	North between Secs. 25 and 30 Va 13° E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits a per instructions for a corner to Secs. 24, 25, 19 & 30 Land hilly, Soil White Sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. T14 N. 6th P.M.

chains	North between Secs. 19 and 24 Va 13°10' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 18, 19 13 & 24 Land hilly Soil 3 rate

Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. T. 24 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	North between Secs. 13 and 18 Va 13° 5' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 7, 18, 12, 13 Land hilly Soil white Sand 3rd rate

August 4th 1869
Test chain and found it correct

Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. T. 24 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	North between Secs 7 and 12 Va 13° 10' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 6, 7, 1, 12 Land hilly, Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. T 14 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Sect. 1 and 6
	Va 13° 10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 27 and 28 W.
	Land 1st 1/2 mile rolling ballance hilly. Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 27 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	From the corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 27 and 28 W. I run
	East on a random line along the South Boundary of Sect. 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 & 36
	Va 13° 10' E
	I set temporary half mile and mile posts at every ~~40~~ 40 and 80 chains and at 5 miles 79 chains and 47 links to a point 92 links South of the corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 26 and 27 W.
	The correction therefore will be 53 West and 15 1/3 links North per mile and the true course of the line will be S 89° 56' W.

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R. 27 W. 6th P.M.

From the corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 26 and 27 W. I run S 89° 53' W. on the line between Secs. 1 and 36
Va 13° 10' E

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 35. 36. 1 & 2.
Land 1st half mile hilly ~~bally~~ valley ballance rolling
Soil 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 27 W. 6th P.M.

Chains S 89° 53' W. on the line between Secs. 2. and 35.
Va 13° 10' E

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 2. 3. 34 & 35
Land rolling. Soil 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 27 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	S 89° 53' W. on true line between Sec.s 3 and 34 Va 13° 10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Sec.s 3, 4, 33, 34 Land rolling Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 27 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	S 89° 53' W. on true line between Sec.s 4 and 33 Va 13° 10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Sec.s 4, 5, 32, 33 Land very rolling Soil white Sand 3rd rate.

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 27 W. 6th P.M.

chains	S 89° 53' W. on true line between Secs. 5 and 32 Va 13° 10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 5, 6, 31, 32
	Land rolling, soil 3d rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 27 W. 6th P.M.

chains	S 89° 53' W. on true line between Secs. 6 and 31 Va 13° 10' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79,47	The corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 27 and 28 W. Land 1st half mile rolling balance hilly soil white sand 3rd rate

August 5th 1869
Tested and corrected chains to the standard

General Description
Township 14 N. R 27 W. is rolling and hilly. Soil white Sand 3rd rate, unfit for cultivation, there is no water or timber in the township - It is not adapted to Settlement and cultivation

Between Ranges 28 and 29 W. T 13 N. 6th P. M.

chains From the post on the 3rd Standard Parallel North, the established corner to Townships 13 North Ranges 28 and 29 W. I run North between Secs. 31 and 36
Va 12°40' E

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

60,70 South or right bank of South channel of Platte River, bank bears S 72½ E and N 70° W.
Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to fractional Secs. 31 and 36.
I now proceed to measure across the channel with the chain and

chains	
	find its width to be 29.90 chains - and at
80.00	Corner to Secs. 25, 36, 30 & 31 coming in the river therefore it cannot be established
	Land level, Soil, at rate The river at this point is very shallow, quick sand bottom - and filled with immense numbers of Small Islands covered with timber and brush -
	August 6th 1869 Tested chain & found it correct

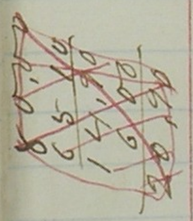
chains	
	North between Secs. 25 and 30 Va 12°40' E
6.50	Small Island 120 lks wide
10.40	Small Island 180 lks wide
20.60	North or left bank South channel, bank bears S 73½ E and N 72° W. Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Fractional Secs. 25 and 30
25.50	channel 120 lks wide runs S 70° E
39.00	Channel 50 lks wide runs S 72° E
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a ¼ Sec. Cor.
65.10	South or right bank of North channel bank bears East and West Channel runs East. Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions

Between Ranges 28 and 29 W. T. 13 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	for a corner to fractional Secs. 25 and 30.
	I now cause my flag to be set in the line between Secs. 19 and 24 on the opposite bank and proceed to run a base line West 5 chains from which point the flag bears N. 13°27' E and by calculation from this data.
	Nat. Cot. 13°27' = 4,18137 (13
	× by base 5
	find its width to be 20,90685 65 = 20.91 chains
	Chains - and at
80.00	The corner to Secs. 13, 24, 18 & 19 coming in river it cannot therefore be established. -
	Land level Soil good 2nd rate -

Between Ranges 28 and 29 W. T. 13 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	North between Secs. 19 and 24
	Va 12° 40' E
5.99	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to fractional Secs. 19 and 30 on the North or left bank of North channel Platte river. in place of flag for meander corner bank bears N 70° W. and S 81° E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 18, 19, 13 & 24
	Land level Soil 1st rate.
	~~The North channel at the crossing of the line is of uniform depth from 3 to 4 feet deep, no sand bars and good hard bottom~~



Chains	North between Secs. 13 and 18 Va 12° 40' E
22,51	N. P. Rail Road bears N 68¼° W.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a ¼ Sec. Cor.
46,00	Slough 4 chs wide S. E. and N. W.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 12, 13, 7, & 18
	Land level. Soil 1st rate high grass.

Chains	North between Secs. 7 and 12 Va 12 40' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a ¼ Sec. Cor.
64,00	Leave Platte bottom & enter Sand hills bears N 70° W S 75° E
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 12, 6, & 7
	Land bottom level soil 1st rate. Upland hilly soil 3 rate

Between Ranges 28 and 29 W. T. 13 N. 5 P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 1 and 6
	Va 12°40' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Townships 13. and 14 N. Ranges 28 and 29 W. Land hilly. Soil white Sand 3rd rate -

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 28 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	From the corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 28 and 29 W. I run East on random line along the South Boundaries of Secs. 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 & 36
	Va 12°40' E
	I set temporary half mile and mile posts at every 40 and 80 chains and at 5 miles 79 chains and 32 links to a point 38 links North of the corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 27 and 28 W. The correction will therefore be 68 links West and 6 1/3 links South per mile and its true course is N 89°57' W.

Between Ts 13 and 14 N. R 28 W. 6th P. M.

Chains	
	From the corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 27 and 28 W I run N 89° 57' W on true line between Secs. 1 and 36 Va 12° 45' E
38,00	Creek 40 lks wide runs South
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 2, 35 & 36
	Land hilly Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 28 W. 6th P M

Chains	
	N 89° 57' W on true line between Secs. 2 and 35 Va 12° 45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 2, 3, 34 & 35
	Land hilly Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 28 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	N 89°57' W on true line between Secs. 3 and 34 Va 12°45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 3, 4, 33 & 34
	Land hilly. Soil white Sand 3rd rate.

August 6th 1869
Tested and corrected chain

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 28 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	N 89°57' W. on true line between Secs. 4 and 33 Va 12°45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 4, 5, 32 & 33
	Land hilly, Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Chains	N 89°57' W on true line between Secs. 5 and 32 Va 12°45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 5, 6, 31, & 32
132	Land hilly, Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Chains	N. 89°57' W. on true line between Secs. 6 and 31 Va 12°45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79,32	The corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 28 and 29 W. Land hilly. Soil white Sand 3rd rate –

General Description
Township 13 N. Range 28 W.
The North part of the township is dry Sandy hills Soil 3rd rate unfit for cultivation
The South part is in the Platte river Valley and is level 1st and 2nd rate Soil—
Platte river runs through the South Part of the Township along which are rich bottom lands covered with fine grass—There has been considerable timber along the river and on the Islands but it has been nearly all cut and taken off—
The river bottom is well adapted to settlement and cultivation

Between Ranges 28 and 29 W. T 14 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	From the corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 28 and 29 W. I run North between Secs. 31 and 36 Va 12°50' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 25, 36, 30 & 31
	Land hilly Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 28 and 29 W. T 14 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	North between Secs. 25 and 30 Va 12° 50' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 24, 25, 19, 30 Land hilly, Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 28 and 29 W. T 14 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	North between Secs. 19 and 24 Va 12° 45' ~~W.~~ E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 18, 19, 13, 24 Land hilly, Soil Sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 28 and 29 W. T 14 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 13 and 18 E Va 12°48' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 12, 13, 7, 18
	Land hilly, Soil Sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 28 and 29 W. T 14 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 7 and 12 Va 12°45' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 6, 7, 12
	Land very rolling Soil Sandy 3rd rate.

Between Ranges 28 and 29 W. T 14 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 1 and ~~7~~ 6
	Va 12° 45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 28 and 29 W.
	Land very rolling Soil white Sand 3rd rate
	August 7th 1869
	Tested and corrected chain

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 28 W. 6th P. M.

Chains	
	From the corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 28 and 29 W I run
	East on a random line along the South Side of Secs 31. 32. 33. 34. 35 & 36
	Va 12,50' ~~W.~~ E
	I Set temporary half mile and mile posts at every 40 and 80 chains at 5 miles 79 chains 15 links to a point 116 links
North	of the corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 27 and 28 W.
	The correction therefore will be 85 links West and 19 1/3 links South per mile and the true course will N 89° 55' 2" W.

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 28 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	From the corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 27 and 28 W I run
	N 89° 52' W on true line between Secs. 1 and 36
	Lea 12° 45' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1. 2. 35 & 36
	Land very rolling Soil 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R. 28 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	N 89° 52' W on true line between Secs. 2. and 35
	Lea 12° 45' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit 6 charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 2. 3. 34 & 35
	Land hilly, Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Chains	
	N 89°52' W. on true line between Secs. 3 and 34
	Var 12°45' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a Corner to Secs. 3, 4, 33 & 34
	Land rolling, Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Chains	
	N 89°52' W. on true line between Secs. 4, and 33.
	Var 12°45' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 4, 5, 32 & 33.
	Land very rolling Soil 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 28 W. 6th P.M.

chains	N 89° 52' W. on true line between Secs. 5 and 32
	Va 12° 45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 5, 6, 31, 32 Land hilly Soil Sandy 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 28 W. 6th M.

chains	N 89° 52' W. on true line between Secs. 6 and 31.
	Va 12° 45' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79,15	The corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 28 and 29 W. Land very rolling. Soil white Sand 3rd rate

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General Description
Township 14 N. R 28 W is
hilly, Soil white Sand
3rd rate - There is no
water and no timber in
the township and it
is unfit for Settlement
and cultivation

Surveyor General's Office at
Plattsmouth Neb. Dec. 22. 1869
The foregoing field Notes of the Survey
of the Exterior Boundaries of Town=
ship 15 Range, Range 26., Townships
13 and 14. Ranges 27 and 28 all
North of the Base Line and West of
the 6th Principal Meridian
in the State of Nebraska, Exe cu=
ted by Josiah B. Park, under
joint Contract, wherein Josiah
B. Park and Henry C. Campbell
are joint Contractors, bearing
date April 29th 1869, in
the Month of August 1869, nao=
ing been critically Examined
the Necessary Corrections and Ex
planations Made the said field
Notes and the Surveys they descri=
be are hereby approved.

Robt. R. Livingston
Surveyor General.

Field Notes

of the Survey of the Exterior lines of Townships 15 North of the Base line, of Ranges 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 West of the 6th Principal Meridian, Executed by J. B. Park Deputy Surveyor under his contract number 39 with Robt. R. Livingstone Surveyor General for the District of Nebraska and Iowa bearing date the 6th day of August, 1870.

Survey commenced Aug. 24. 1870
Survey completed Aug. 29. 1870

List of Names

A List of the names of individuals employed to assist J B Park Deputy Surveyor in Surveying the Exterior Boundaries of Townships 15 North of the Base line, of Ranges 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 West of the 6th Principal Meridian Showing the capacities in which they respectively acted.

E A Beach Chainman
Philip Ryan "
Thos Keihler Axemen or Moundmen
Edwd Lawrence
Guy Laing Flagman

Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. of 6th P.M. Township 15 N. ~~6th P.M.~~

Chains	From the corner to Township 14 and 15 N. Ranges 27 and 28 W. I run North between Secs. 31 and 36 Va. 13° 10' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 25, 36, 30, 31
	Sand hilly & broken
	Soil Sand, 3rd rate

Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. Township 15 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	North between Secs. 25 and 30 Va. 13° 15' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 24, 25, 19, 30
	Land Sand hills
	Soil 3rd rate.

Between Ranges 27 and 28. W. Township 15 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	North between Secs. 19 and 24 Va. 13° 15' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 13, 24, 18, 19
	Land rolling
	Soil Sand 3rd rate.

Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. Township 15 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	North between Secs. 13 and 18 Va 13°15' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 12, 13, 7, 18
	Land rolling,
	Soil 3rd rate Sand.

Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. Township 15 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	North between Secs. 7 and 12 Va. 13°15' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 12, 6, 7
	Land rolling,
	Soil Sand 3rd rate.

Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. Township 15 N. 6th P.M.

chains North between Secs. 1 and 6
Va, 13°15' E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Sec. 1, 6, 31, 36, als corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 27 and 28 W. Land low Sand hills Soil 3rd rate

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 27 W. 6th P.M.

chains From the corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 27 and 28 W. I run East on a random line along the South side of Secs. 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36
Va 13°15' E.

I set temporary half miles and mile posts at every 40 and 80 chains and at 5 miles 79 chains and 47 links to a point 84 ~~chain~~ ~~and~~ links South of the corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 26 and 27 W. I therefore find the correction for the true line to be 14 links ~~South~~ North and 53 links West per mile and its true course S. 89°54' W.

From the corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 26 and 27 W. I run S. 89°54' W. on true line between Secs. 1 and 36 Va 13°15' E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 2, 35, 36 Land Sand hills Soil 3rd rate

chains S. 89°54' W. true line between Secs. 2 and 35.
Var. 13°15' E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 2, 3, 34 & 35, ~~36~~

Land hilly Soil Sand 3 on rate

~~S. 89°54' W. true line between Secs 2 and 35~~
~~Var. 13°15' E.~~

~~40,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.~~

~~80,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 2, 3, 34, 35~~

~~Land hilly, Soil Sand 3 on rate.~~

chains S. 89°54' W. true line between Secs. 3 and 34
Var. 13°15' E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 3, 4, 33, 34.

Land hilly & broken Soil 3 on rate.

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Between Townships 15 and 16 N, Ranges 27 W, 6th P.M.

Chains S, 89°54 W, on true line between Secs 4 and 33

Va 13°15' E

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor,

80,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs 4, 5, 32, 33,
Land hilly & broken,
Soil Sand 3rd rate.

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Between Townships 15 and 16 N, Range 27 W, 6th P.M.

Chains S, 89°54 W, on true line between Secs 5 and 32

Va, 13°15' E,

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor,

80,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs 31, 32, 5, 6
Land low Sand hills
Soil 3rd rate,

Between Townships 15 and 16 N, Range 27 W, 6th P.M.

chains S, 89 54 W, on true line between Secs 6 and 31

Va, 18° 15' E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec, Cor,

79 47 The corner to Secs 1, 6, 31, 36 also Cor to Townships 15, and 16 N, Ranges 27 and 28 W,

Land low Sand hills

Soil Sand 3rd rate,

August 24th 1870

General Description

This Township is all Sand hills, Soil quite barren and unproductive, Not well adapted to Settlement and cultivation. There is no water and no timber in the Township

Between Ranges 28 and 29 W, of 6th P.M. Township 15 N, ~~6th P.M.~~

chains From the corner to Townships 14 and 15 N, Ranges 28 and 29 W, I run

North between Secs 31 and 36

Va 12° 50' E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec, Cor,

80,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs 25, 36, 30, 31

Land Same hills

Soil 3rd rate

Between Ranges, 28 and 29 W. Township 15 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	North between Secs. 25 and 30 Va. 12°50' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 24, 25, 19, 30
	Land Sand hills, Soil 3rd rate.

Between Ranges 28 and 29 W. Township 15 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	North between Secs. 19 and 24 Va. 12°50' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 13, ~~24~~ 18, 19, & ~~30~~ 24
	Land hilly Soil Sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 28 and 29 W, Township 15 N, 6th P, M.

Chains	North between Secs. 13 and 18 Va, 12°50 E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec, Cor,
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 12, 13, 7, 18
	Land hilly and broken
	Soil 3 rd rate - Sand,

Between Ranges 28 and 29 W, Township 15 N, 6th P, M.

Chains	North between Secs. 7 and 12 Va, 12°50 E,
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec, Cor,
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 12, 6, 7
	Land Sand hills,
	Soil 3 rd rate,

chains North between Secs. 1 and 6
Va. 12°50' E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. cor.

80,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 28 and 29 W.

Land Same hills
Soil Estate

chains From the corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 28 and 29 W. I run East on a random line along South Side Secs. 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36
Va. 12°55' E.

I set half mile and mile posts at every 40 and 80 chains and 5 miles 79 chains and 23 links to a point 1 chain and 26 links North of the corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 27 and 28 W. The correction for the true line will therefore be 21 links ~~North~~ South and 77 links West per mile and its true course N. 89°5' W.

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. Range 28 W. 6th P.M.

chains N. 89° 51' W. on true line between Secs 1 and 36.

Va. 12° 55' E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs 1, 2, 35, 36

Land hilly.

Soil 3 m vate. Sand-

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. Range 28 W. 6th P.M.

chains N. 89° 51' W. on true line between Secs 2 and 35.

Va. 12° 51' E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs 2, 3, 34, 35.

Land hilly.

Soil 3 m vate - Sand-

Between Townships 15 and 16 N, Range 28 W, 6th P. M.

Chains N 89°51' W. on true line between Secs. 3 and 34

Va. 12°55' E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor,

80,00 Set post deposit charred Stake, raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 3, 4, 33, 34

Land hilly.

Soil 3rd rate.

Between Townships 15 and 16 N, Ranges 28 W, 6th P. M.

Chains N 89°51' W. on true line between Secs. 4 and 33

Va. 12°55' E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor,

80,00 Set post deposit, charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 4, 5, 32, 33.

Land hilly,

Soil 3rd rate.

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 28 W. 6th P.M.

chains N 89° 51' W. on true line between Secs. 5 and 32,
Var. 12° 55' E.

4,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sector,

80,00 Set post deposit charred stakes raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 5, 6, 31, 32,
Land hilly,
Soil sand mixt.

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. Range 28 W. 6th P.M.

chains N 89° 51' W. on random line between Secs. 6 and 31
Var. 12° 55' E.

4,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sector,

79.23 ~~80,00~~ The corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 28 and 29 W. also corner to Secs. 1, 6, 31, 36,
Land hilly,
Soil sand mixt - Sand -
August 25th 1870
This Township is all sand hills. Soil light sand very unproductive. There is no timber and no water in the Township, and it not well adapted to settlement and cultivation

W. of 6th P. M.

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Between Ranges 29 and 30, Township 15 N, ~~6th P. M.~~

Chains From the corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 29 and 30 W. Iron

North between Secs 31 and 36

Va, 12° 55' E,

40,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec, lor,

80,00 Let post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs 25, 30, 31, 36, on high hill,

Land 1st 1/2 mile rolling ballance, hilly

Soil Land 3rd rate,

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of 6th P. M.

Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. Township 15 N, 6th P. M.

Chains North between Secs 25 and 30

Va, 12° 55' E,

40,00 Let post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec, lor,

80,00 Let post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs 24, 25, 19, 30

Land very rolling,

Soil 3rd rate.

Between Ranges 29 and 30 W Township 15 N, 6th P.M.

Chains	North between Secs. 19 and 24 Va. 12° 55' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,20	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 13, 24, 19, ~~30~~,
184	Land hilly, Some broken Soil Sand, 3rd rate.

Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. Township 15 N, 6th P.M.

Chains	North between Secs. 13 and 18 Va. 12° 55' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 12, 13, 7, 18
	Land hilly Soil Land 3rd rate.

Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. Township 15 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	North between Secs. 7 and 12 Va, 12° 55' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,80	~~Set~~ post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 12, 6, 7 on high hill Land hilly, Soil Sand Soil rate,

Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. Township 15 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	North between Secs. 1 and 6 Va, 12° 55' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 6, 31, 36, also corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 29, and 30 W. Land hilly and broken Soil Sand, Soil rate

chains From the corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 29 and 30 W.
I run
East on a random line along South Side Sec 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36
Tw. 15 & 16 E.
I set temporary half mile and mile posts at every 40 and 80 chains and at 5 miles 79 chains and 75 links to a point 98 links North of the corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 28 and 29 W.
The correction for the true line will therefore be 16½ links South and 25 links West per mile and its true course N. 89° 53' W.

chains N. 89° 53' W. on true line between Secs. 1 and 36
Tw. 15 & 16 E.
40.00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 2, 35, 36
Land Sand hills.
Soil Good rate.

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. Range 29 W. 6th P.M.

Chains N. 89°53' W. on true line between Secs. 2. and 35.
Var. 13° E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 2, 3, 34, 35
Land Sand hills,
Soil. 3 on rate.

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. Range 29 W. 6th P.M.

Chains N. 89°58' W. on true line between Secs. 3 and 34
Var. 13° E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 3, 4, 33, 34
Land Sand hills,
Soil 3 on rate,

Chains N. 89°53' W. on true line between
Secs. 4 and 33
Var. 13° E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 4, 5, 32, 33

Land Sand hills
Soil Sandy

Chains N. 89°53' W. on true line between
Secs. 5 and 32
Var. 12°55' E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a Corner to Secs. 5, 6, 31, 32

Land hilly,
Soil Sand Sandy

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. Range 29 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	N. 89°53' W. on true line between Secs. 6 and 31
	Va. 12°55' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79,75	The corner to Secs. 1, 6, 31, 36, also corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 29 and 30 W.
	Land hilly,
	Soil 3rd rate.
	General Description
	This Township lies wholly in the Sand hills. Soil light Sand unproductive. No water and timber in this township. It is not adapted to settlement and cultivation.

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Between Ranges 30 and 31 W. Township 15 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	From the corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 30 and 31 W.
	Run
	North between Secs. 31 and 36
	Va. 12°50' E.
40,00	Foot of Sand hills N.W. & S.E. Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 25, 36, 30, 31
	Land 1/2 mile level balance hilly
	Soil Sand 3rd rate
	North between Secs. 25 and 30
	Va. 12°50' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. ~~18~~, 19, 24, 25, 30
	Land hilly and broken
	Soil Sand 3rd rate

B. Between Ranges 30 and 31 W. Township 15 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 19 and 24 Va. 12°50' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 13, 18, 19, 24. Land rolling. Soil sand 3rd rate
	North between Secs. 13 and 18 Va. 12°50' E.
00,50	Drain descends East
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs 7, 12, 13, 18 Land very rolling Soil Sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 30 and 31 W. Township 15 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 7 and 12 Va. 12°50' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 6, 7, 12 Land hilly Soil 3rd rate
	North between Secs. 1 and 6 Va. 12°50' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 30 and 31 W. Land hilly and broken Soil Sand 3rd rate

chains From the corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 30 and 31 W. I was
East a random line along the South Side of Secs. 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36
Va. 12° 50' E.
I set temporary half mile and mile posts at every 40 and 80 chains and at 6 miles and 47 links to a point 140 links South of the corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Range 29 and 30 W.
Therefore the correction for the true line will be 28 1/3 links North and 47 links East per mile. and its true course S. 89° 50' W.

chains S. 89° 50' W. on true line between Secs. 1 and 36
Va. 12° 50' E.
40,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 2, 35, 36.
Land hilly. Some broken Soil Sand 3rd rate.

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. Range 30 W. 6th P.M.

chains S. 89°50' W. on true line between Secs. 2 and 35
Va. 12°50' E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 2, 3, 34, 35, on high hill
Land hilly, Soil 3rd rate Sand.

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. Range 30 W. 6th P.M.

chains S. 89°50' W. on true line between Secs. 3 and 34
Va. 12°50' E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 3, 4 33, 34
Land hilly.
Soil Sand, 3rd rate

Chain S. 89°50' W. on true line between
Secs. 4 and 33
Va. 12°50' E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred
Stake raised mound of
earth with pits as per
instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80,00 Set post deposit charred
Stake raised mound of
earth with pits as per
instructions for a corner
to Secs. 4, 5, 32, 33
Land hilly,
Soil Sand, 3rd rate,

Chain S. 89°50' W. on true line between
Secs. 5 and 32
Va. 12°50' E.

40,00 Set post deposit
charred Stake raised
mound of earth with
pits as per instructions
for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80,00 Set post deposit charred
Stake raised mound of
earth with pits as per
instructions for a corner
to Secs. 5, 6, 31, 32
Land hilly, Some broken
Soil Sand, 3rd rate.

Between Townships 15 and 16 N, Range 30 W, 5th P.M.

Chains	
	N, 89°50' W, on true line between Secs. 6 and 31
	Va, 12°50' E,
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor,
80,47	The corner to Townships 15 and 16, N, Ranges 30 and 31 W,
	Land hilly,
	Soil Sand 3rd rate,

General Description

This Township is all Sand hills, Soil light Sand and unproductive There is no timber in the Township, and no water except a Small Spring brook in the South West corner, Not well adapted to Settlem-

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Between Ranges 31 and 32 W, Township 15 N, ~~6th P.M.~~ 4th P.M.

Chains	
	From the corner to Townships 14 and 15 N, Ranges 31 and 32 W,
	Run North between Secs. 31 and 36
	Va 12°52' E,
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor,
46,00	Leave Bottom and Enter Sand hills bearing S, W, and S, E,
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 25, 30, 31, 36,
	Land 1st 46 chs level Soil 1st rate, ballance hilly. Soil 3rd rate

Between Ranges 31 and 32 W, Township 15 N, 6th P.M.

Chains North between Secs. 25 and 30
Va, 12°52' E,

40,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec, Cor,

80,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 24, 25, 19, 30
Land hilly, Soil Sand 3rd rate

North between Secs. 19 and 24
Va, 12°52' E,

40,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec, Cor,

80,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 13, 24, 18, 19
Land hilly Soil Sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 31 and 32 W, Township 15 N, 6th P.M.

Chains North between Secs. 13 and 18
Va, 12°52' E,

40,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec, Cor

80,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs 12, 13, 7, 18
Land hilly, Soil Sand 3rd rate.

North between Secs. 7 and 12
Va, 12°52' E,

40,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec, Cor,

80,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 12, 6 7, ~~+6~~
Land hilly,
Soil Sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 31 and 32 W, Township 15 N, 6th P.M.

Chains	North between Secs 1 and 6
	Va. 12°52' E.
40,00	Set post deposit deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs 1, 6, 31, 36 also the Corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 31 and 32 W.
	Land hilly Soil Sands 3rd rate.

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 31 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	From the corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 31 and 32 W. I run East on a random line between along the South Side of Secs 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36.
	Va. 12°55' E.
	I Set temporary half mile and mile posts at every 40 and 80 chains and at 6 miles ~~00,00 chains~~ and 5 links to a point 70 links South of the corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 30 and 31 W. Therefore the correction for the true line will be 5 links East and 11 2/3 links North per mile, and its true course S. 89°55' W.

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Between Townships 15 and 16 N. Range 31 W. 6th P.M.

Chains S. 89°55' W. on true line between Secs 1 and 36

Var. 12°55' E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sector,

80,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions or a hick hill for corner to Sects 1, 2, 35, 36,

Land hilly Some broken

Soil 3rd rate.

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Between Townships 15 and 16 N. Range 31 W. 6th P.M.

Chains S. 89°55' W. on true line between Sects 2 and 35

Var. 12°55' E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sector,

80,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs 2, 3, 34, 35

Land hilly.

Soil Sand 3rd rate.

Chains S. 89°55' W. on true line between Secs. 3 and 34.
Var. 12°55' E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.

84,00 Set post deposit charred Stake ~~raised Stake~~ raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 3, 4, 33, 34.

Land hilly,
Soil Sand 3rd rate

Chains S. 89°55' W. on true line between Secs. 4 and 33.
Var. 12°55' E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 4, 5, 32, 33

Land hilly,
Soil Sand, 3rd rate

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. Range 31 W. 6th P.M.

Chains S. 89°55' W. on true line between Secs. 5 and 32

Va. 12°55' E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 5, 6, 31, 32

Land hilly

Soil Sand. 3 rate.

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 31 W. 6th P.M.

Chains S. 89°55' W. on true line between Secs. 6 and 31

Va. 12°55' E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80,05 The cor to Townships 15 and 16 North Ranges 31 and 32 W. also Cor. to Secs 1, 6, 31, 36

August 28th 1870

General Description

This Township is all in the Sand hills except a very small portion of the South Side. There is no timber and no water in the Township except a Spring in Section 36.

Down the corner to Townships ~~14 and~~ 15 & 16 N. Ranges 31 and 32 W. Same West air a random line along the South Side of Secs. 36, 35, 34, 33, 32, 31.

Var. 12° 58' E.

I Set temporary half mile and mile posts at every 40 and 80 chains and at 5 miles 78 chains and 95 links to a point 112 links North of the corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 32 and 33 W. on 4th Guide Mer. W. Therefore the correction of the true line will be 18 2/3 links South and its true course N. 89° 52' E.

Chains N. 89° 52' ~~W.~~ E. on true line between Secs. 6 and 31

Var. 12° 58' E.

38.95 ~~1,000~~ Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a ¼ Sec. Cor.

78.95 ~~8,000~~ Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 31, 32, 5, 6

Land hilly, Some broken Soil Sand & gravel

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 32 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	N. 89°52' ~~W.~~ E. on true line between Secs. 5 and 32
	Var. 12°58' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 4, 5, 32, 33
	Land hilly.
	Soil Sand, 3rd rate

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. Range 32 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	N. 89°52' ~~W.~~ E. on true line between Secs. 4 and 33.
	Var. 12°58' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 3, 4, 33, 34
	Land hilly.
	Soil Sand, 3rd rate.

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 32 W. 6th P.M.

	Chains N. 89°52' ~~W.~~ E. on true line between Secs. 3 and 34
	Var. 12°58' E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a Corner to Secs. 2, 3, 34, 35 Land hilly and Some broken Soil Sand Immsate

Between Townships 15 and 16 N. Range 32 W. 6th P.M.

	Chains N. 89°52' ~~W.~~ E. on true line between Secs. 2 and 35
	Var. 12°58' E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a Corner to Secs. 1, 2, 35, 36, Land hilly, Some broken Soil Sand Immsate,

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B Between Townships 15 and 16 N. Range 32 W. 6th P.M.

Chains N. 89°52' ~~W~~ E on true line between Sect. 1 and 36

Va. 12°58' E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sector.

80.00 ~~40,00~~ The corner to Township 15 and 16 N. Ranges, 31 and 32, W.

Land hilly, Some broken

Soil Sand 3rd rate

August 29th 1870

General Description

This ~~This~~ Township with the exception of a small portion of the South Side lies in the Sandhills. The Soil is light Sand, unproduct There is no water, and no timber in this Township. It will not do well for Settlement and cultivation

List of Names and duties of assistants

E. A. Beach Chainman
Phillip Ryan Chainmen
Thos. Reihler Axemenor
Edd. Lawrence Mounsmen
Guy Laing Flagman

We hereby certify that we assisted J. B. Park deputy Surveyor in Surveying the Exterior boundaries of Townships 15 N. of the Base line, of Ranges 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 W. of the 6th Prin. Mer. and that said Survey has, to the best of our Knowledge and belief been well and faithfully executed and the Boundary Monuments planted according to to instructions from the Surveyor General

Guy Lamy Flagman
E A Beach hammer
Philip Ryan hammer
Thomas Kelihe Axemen or
Chas Lawrence Mound men
State of Nebraska }
Lincoln County } ss.

Subscribed to in my presence and Sworn to before me the 27th day of September A D 1870

in and for said County — Mr Stone Probate Judge

I, J. B. Park deputy Surveyor do Solemnly swear ~~and sincerely~~ that, in pursuance of a a contract Number 39 With Robt. R. Livingstone Surveyor General for the District of Nebraska and Iowa bearing date the 6th day of August, 1870 I have well faithfully and truly, in my own proper person and in strict conformity with the instructions furnished by the Surveyor General, the Surveying manual, and the laws of the United States, Surveyed the Exterior Boundary lines of Townships 15, N. of the Base line of Ranges 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, W. of the Sixth Prin. Mer, as ~~are~~ represented in the foregoing field-Notes as having been Surveyed under my direction. And I do further Solemnly

over

Swear that all the corners of said Survey have been established in strict accordance with the Surveying manual the printed instructions, and that the foregoing are the true and original field notes of such Survey

J. B. Park
Deputy Surveyor

State of Nebraska }
Lincoln County } S.S.

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me this 27th day of September A.D. 1870

W. O. Stone
Probate Judge
in and for said County

Surveyor General's Office
Plattsmouth Neb. Dec. 3rd 1870

The foregoing field Notes of the Survey of the Exterior Boundary Lines of Township No 15 North of the Base Line, of Ranges 27, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 West of the 6th Principal Meridian in the State of Nebraska, Executed by J. B. Park under his Contract of the 6th day of August 1870 in the month of Aug. 1870, having been Critically Examined the necessary Corrections and Explanations made, the said field Notes and the Surveys they describe are hereby approved

Robt. R. Livingston
Surveyor General

Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. T 13 N. ~~6th P.M.~~

Chains	From the post on the 3rd Standard Parallel North the corner to Townships 13 North Ranges 29 and 30 W. I run North between Secs. 31 and 36
34,00	Ravine descends East Vo 12°45' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 25, 36, 30 & 31
	Land hilly Soil 3rd rate

Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. T. 13 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	North between Secs. 25 and 30 Va 12° 45' E
23.00	Drain descends West
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 24, 25, 19, 30 Land hilly Soil 3rd rate

Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. T. 13 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	North between Secs. 19 and 24 Va 12° 45' W
15.00	Leave hills bearing E. S. E. enter Platte bottom
32.00	Old road bears N. W.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 13, 24, 18, 19 Land Slighter rolling Soil 2nd rate

August 9th 1869
Tested chain and found it correct

Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. T. 13 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	North between Secs. 13 and 18 on 12°45' E
40.00	Slough 100 lks wide descends East. on the right bank of which I
	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 12, 13, 7 & 18
	Land level. Soil 2nd rate

Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. T. 13 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	North between Secs. 7 and 12 on 12°45' E
7.50	South or right bank South channel Platte river runs S 82°½ E
	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to fractional Secs. 7 and 12 ~~on South side of channel~~
	I measure across with chain and find its width to be 550 links and at
13.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to fractional Secs. 7 and 12 on the North or left bank of channel
22.80 River	South or right bank of South Platte bears West Up Stream and S 86° E down Stream, and here, I Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to —

Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. T. 13 N. 6th P. M.

Chains | fractional Secs 7 and 12 ~~on the right and South bank of South Platte river~~
To determine the distance across the river I cause my flag to be set in line between Secs 7 and 12 on the North or left bank band and run a base line West 5 chains from which point the flag bears N 12° 59' E. and by calculations I find its width to be ~~Nat. Cot.~~

Nat. Cot 12° 59' = 4.337~~5~~ 2
Base — 5.
Chains — 21.68~~7~~ ~~5~~ 6 0

40.00 | 1/4 Sec. cor. in river
and at 1 link N. of flag or at
44.50 | Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to fractional Secs 7 and 12 on left bank of S. Platte River ~~The place for 1/4 Sec. or coming in the river it therefore cannot be established~~

Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. T. 13 N. 6th M.

Chains
55.50 | Enter Willow brush bears N 70° W and S 70° E
60.80 | South and right bank of North Platte river runs S 50 E
Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to fractional Secs 7 and 12 ~~on left bank of river~~
There being very little water in the South Side of the river I continue the measurement with chain across the river
62.00 | Small Isle 100 lks wide
66.00 | Small Isle 80 lks wide
69.00 | Small Isle 75 lks wide
80.00 | In river Therefore no corner to Secs to Secs 1. 6. 7. 12 can be established.
Land level Soil 1st rate
South Platte is of a uniform depth from 3 to 5 feet. North Platte to this point is full of Sand bars

Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. T 13 N. 6th P.M.

Chains

From the point in North Platte river for corner to Secs. 1, 6, 7 & 12, North bet Secs. 1 and 6
Va 12°45' E
The water being deep in the North part of river, to obtain the distance to North bank I run a base line West 5 chains to a point from which a flag on the left bank and in the line between Secs. 1 and 6 bears N 12°32' E and by calculation ~~I find its width to be 41.69 chains~~

Nat. Cot. 12°32' = 4.49832
+ Base 5
= Chains 22.49150
and at

22.49 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to fractional Secs 1 and 6 on the left bank of river.

From the measurement with the chain 19.20 between Secs 7 and 12 and by triangulation between Secs 1 and 6 22.49 I find the width of the river to be 41.69 chains wide.

Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. T 13 N. 6th P.M.

40.00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 29 and 30 W.
Land level Soil 2nd rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R. 29 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	From the corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 29 and 30 W. 5 mm
	East on a random line along the South Boundary of Secs. 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36
	Va 12° 45' E
	I set temporary corners at every 40 and 80 chains and at 5 miles 79.85 chains to a point 138 lks South of the corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 29 and 30 W.
	The correction will therefore be 15 links West and 23 links North per mile and the true course S 89° 50' W

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. Range 29 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	From Cor to Secs. 13 & 14 N. R. 28 & 29 W. 5 mm
	S. 89° 50' W on true line between Secs. 1 and 36
	Va 12° 45' E
4.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
8.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 2, 35, 36
	Land hilly Soil white Sand 3rd rate.

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 29 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	S 89°50' W. on true line between Sect. 2 and 35.
	Va 12° 45' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Sect. 2, 3, 34, 35
	Land hilly, Soil 3rd rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 29 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	S 89°50' W. on true line between Sect. 3 and 34
	Va 12° 45' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Sect. 3, 4, 33, 34
	Land very rolling, Soil Sand 3rd rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. Range 29 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	S. 89° 50' W. on true line between Secs. 4 and 33 Va 12° 45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 3, 4, 5, 32, 33.
	Land hilly, Soil 3rd rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 29 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	S 89° 50' W. on true line between Secs. 5 and 32 Va 12° 45' E
27,00	Leave sand hills enter bottom, bears N.W. & S.E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 5, 6, 31, 32

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 29 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	S 89° 50' W on true line between Secs. 6 and 31 Var. 12° 45' East
0.50	Creek 15 lks wide runs S.E.
32.80	Ag. U. P. R. R. Road bears N 61° 40' W.
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.85	The corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. R 29 and 30 W. Land level. Soil 2nd rate

August 10th 1869
Tested chain and found it correct

General Description

Township 13 N. Range 29 W. is all in the Platte river valley except the N. E. & S. W. corners which are in the Sand hills and 3rd rate Soil - The bottom land is 1st and 2nd rate Soil covered with fine grass of moderate growth. The junction of North and South Platte rivers is in the N. W. corner of the Township in Latitude 41° 5' 5" Longitude 101° 21' 20" W. from Greenwich -

The township is well adapted to settlement and cultivation

Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. (T 14 N.) 6th P.M.

Chains	From the corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 29 and 30 W. I run
	North between Secs. 31 and 36
21.00	Creek 15 lks wide runs Va 12° 45' ~~W~~ E.
23.60	~~Ap~~ U.P. R. Road bears N 61° 40' ~~W~~ E.
40.00	Set post deposited charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 25, 3~~0~~6, 3~~1~~0 & 3~~6~~1 (25, 30, 31 & 36) Land level Soil 2nd rate

Between Ranges 29. 30 W. T 14 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	North between Secs. 25 and 30 Va 12° 45' E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
48.00	Leave bottom enter Sand hills bearing N.W. and S.E.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 24, 25, 19 & 30. Land bottom level, 2nd rate Soil; Upland hilly, Soil 3rd rate

Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. T 14 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	North between Secs 19 and 24 Va 12°48' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs 13, 24, 18 & 19 Land hilly, Soil Sand 3rd rate

Between Range 29 and 30 W. T 14 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	North bet Secs 13 and 18 Va 12°48' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs 12, 13, 7 & 18 Land hilly, Soil 3rd rate

Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. T 14 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 7 and 12
	Va 12°45' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 12, 6 & 7.
	Land hilly. Soil 3rd rate

Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. T 14 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 1 and 6
	Va 12°43' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 29 and 30 West
	Land hilly. Soil white sand 3rd rate

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Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R29 W. 6th P.M.

Chains From the corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 29 and 30 W. I run East on a random line along the South Boundary of Secs. 31. 32. 33. 34. 35. 36 Va 12° 50' E

I set temporary half mile and mile posts at every 40 and 80 chains and at 5 miles 79 chains and ~~65~~ 80 links to a point 174 links South of the corner to townships 14 and 15 North Ranges 28 and ~~30~~ 29 W. The correction therefore will be ~~27~~ 20 links West, 29 links North per mile and its true course S. 89° 48' W.

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Range 29 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	From the corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 28 and 29 W. I run S 89° 48' W on true line between Secs. 1 and 36 Va 12° 48' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 2, 35, 36.
	Land very rolling Soil White Sand Sm rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Range 29 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	S 89° 48' W on true line between Secs. 2 and 35 Va 12° 48 E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 2, 3, 34, 35.
	~~Land~~ Land rolling Soil Sm rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Rang 29 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	S 89° 48' W. on true line between Secs. 3 and 34
	Va 12° 48' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 3, 4, 33 & 34.
	Land rolling Soil 3rd rate
	August 11th 1869
	Tested and corrected chain to the Standard.

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Rang 29 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	S 89° 48' W. on true line between Secs. 4 and 33
	Va 12° 48' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 4, 5, 32 & 33
	Land rolling Soil 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Range 29 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	S 89° 48' W. on true line between Secs. 5 and 32 Va 12° 50' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 5, 6, 31, & 32
	Land hilly, Soil 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Range 29 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	S. 89° 48' W. on true line between Secs. 6 and 31. Va 12° 50' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79,80	The corner to townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 29 ~~W.~~ and 30 West
	Land very rolling Soil Sand 3rd rate

General Description
Township 14 N. Rang 29 W. is all in the dry Sand hills except the S.W. corner and is unfit for Settlement and cultivation, the Soil is white Sand 3rd rate Sec. 31 and a portion of Sec 30 is in Platte Valley Soil 2nd rate –
There is no timber and no water in the Township

Between Ranges 30 and 31 W. T 13 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	
	From the post on the 3rd Standard Parallel North, the established corner to Townships 13 North of Ranges 30 and 31 W. I run North between Secs. 31 and 36 Bw 12°45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 30. 31. 25. & 36 Land rolling. Soil 3 rd rate

Between Ranges 30 and 31 W. T. 13 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	North between Secs. 25 and 30 Va 12°45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 24, 25, 19 & 30 Land rolling Soil 3rd rate

Between Ranges 30 and 31 W. T. 13 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	North between Secs. 19 and 24 Va 12°45' E
9,00	Ledge of Sand Stone bears E & W.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
75,00	Leave upland enter bottom bears S 70° E & N 75° W.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 18, 19, 13 & 24 at foot of Sand hills bearing N 70° W. S 75° E

Between Ranges 30 and 31 W. T 13 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	North between Secs. 13 and 18 (8) Va 12°45' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.
72.80	Slough 60 lks wide runs S.E.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 12, 13, 7, 18
	Land level Soil 3rd rate

Between Ranges 30 and 31 W. T 13 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	North between Secs. 7 and 12 Va 12°45' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.
71.20	South and right bank of
South	Platte river runs S 82°½ E
	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to fractional Secs. 7 and 12 -
	I measure across the river with the chain -
80.00	In River, Therefore the corner to Secs. 1, 12, 6, 7 cannot be established -
	Land level Soil 1st rate
	The river has smooth bottom and swift current from 1 to 3 feet deep

Chains North between Secs. 1 and 6
Va 12°45' E
From the point in the river
for the corner to Secs 1, 6, 7, 12
18.60 North and left bank of South
platte river, runs S 85 1/4 E
Set post deposit charred
Stake raised mound
of earth with pits as
per instructions for a
corner to fractional Secs.
1 and 6.
Width of river on line
27.40 chs.
40.00 Set post deposit charred
Stake raised mound of
earth with pits as per
instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00 Set post deposit charred
Stake raised mound of
earth with pits as per
instructions for a corner to
Townships 13 and 14 N. Rangs
30 and 31 W.
Land level Soil 1st rate

From the corner to Townships
13 and 14 N. Ranges 30 and 31 W.
I run
East on a random line
along the South Boundary
of Secs. 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36.
Va. 12°45' E
I Set temporary half mile
and mile posts at every 40
and 80 chains and at 4 miles
and 26.40 chains intersect
right and South bank of
North platte river. bank
down Stream bears S 70 1/2° E
I here Set temporary corner
to fractional Secs. 2 and 35.
I measure the river with
the chain and find its
width to be 60.00 chains to
the left bank which bears
down Stream S 40° E
Set post for temporary corner
to fractional Secs 1 and 36
and at 6 miles and 50
links to a point 140

links North of the corner to
Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges
29 and 30 W.
The correction will therefore
be 50 links East and 23⅓
links South per mile and
the true course N 89° 60' W

August 12th 1869
Tested chain and
found it correct.

From the corner to Townships
13 and 14 N. Ranges 29 and 30 W.
I run
N 89° 50' W. on true line
between Secs. 1 and 36
Va 12° 45' E
40,00 Set post deposit charred
Stake raised mound of
earth with pits as per
instructions for a 1st Sec. Cor.
63.60 Left and North bank of North
63.60 Platte river.
Set post deposit charred
Stake raised mound of
earth with pits as per
instructions for a corner to
fractional Secs. 1 and 36
Cor to Secs. 1, 2, 35 & 36
80,00 In River
Land level. Soil good
2nd rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. Range 30 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	N 89°50' W. on true line between Secs. 2 and 35 Va 12°45' E
	From the point in north Platte river for corner to Secs. 1, 2, 35, 36.
27.50	head of Small Island (S.E. bears)
40.00	quarter sec. corner In river
43.60	Right bank of North Platte riv.
	Width of river on line 60.00 chs.
	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to fractional Secs. 2 and 35
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 2, 3, 34, 35
	Land level Soil 2nd rate The river where the line crosses is from 1 to 2 feet deep Smooth Sandy bottom

Between Township 13 and 14 N. Range 30 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	N 89°50' W. on true line between Secs. 3 and 34 Va 12°45' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 3, 4, 33, 34
	N.P.R.R. Machine Shop bears N 37°25' W.
	Land level good 2nd rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. Range 30 W. 6th P.M.

chains	N 89° 50' W on true line between Secs. 4 and 33 Va 12° 45' E
20.00	U. P. R. R. Machine Shop at North Platte bears N 4° W.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 4, 5, 32, 33
	Land level, Soil good 2nd rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 30 W. 6th P.M.

chains	N 89° 50' W on true line between Secs. 5 and 32 Va 12° 45' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 5, 6, 31, 32
	Land level Soil good 2nd rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. Range 30 W. 6th P.M.

chains	N 89° 50' W. on the line between Secs. 6 and 31
	Va 12° 48' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.50	The corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 30 and 31. W.
	Land level Soil good 2nd rate

General Description

Township 13 N. Rang 30 W. is in the Valley of Platte river except about two tier of Sections on the South side of the township which lie in the hills and have a Sandy Soil 3rd rate not fit for cultivation - That portion of the township lying in the Valley is 1st and 2nd rate Soil covered with fine grasses of good growth. South Platte river runs through the North part of the township in an Easterly direction and the North branch runs through the N.E. corner forming a junction with the South branch a Short distance below the range line between Ranges 29 and 30 W. There is no timber in the township - This Township in the valley is well adapted to Settlement and cultivation

Between Ranges 31 and 32 W. T. 13 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	
	From the post on the 3rd Standard Parallel North, the established corner to Township 13 N. Ranges 31 and 32 W. I run North between Secs. 31 and 36 Va 12° 45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 25, 36, 30, 31 Land rolling Soil Sand 3rd rate

Between Ranges 31 and 32 W. T. 13 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 25 and 30 Va 12° 45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor
80,00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 24, 25, 19, 30 Land rolling Soil 3rd rate

Between Ranges 31 and 32 W. T. 13 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	North between Secs. 19 and 24 Va 12° 45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits, as per instructions for a ¼ Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 13, 24, 18 & 19
	Land rolling Soil Sand
	3 rd rate

Between Ranges 31 and 32 W. T. 13 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	North between Secs. 13 and 18 Va 12° 45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a ¼ Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a Corner to Secs. 12, 13, 7 and 18
	Land very rolling. Soil
	3 rd rate

August 13th 1869
Tested chain and found correct

Between Ranges 31 and 32, W. T. 13 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	North between Secs. 7 and 12 Va 12°45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 12, 6 & 7. Land rolling Soil 3rd rate

Between Ranges 31 and 32 W. 6th P. M. T. 13 N.

Chains	North between Secs. 1 and 6 Va 12°45' E
2,50	Leave Upland enter bottom land bearing N 70° W. S 70° E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 31 and 32 W. Land level Soil 1st rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. Range 31 W. 6th P.M.

chains From the corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 31 and 32 W. I run East on a rand one line along the South side of Secs. 31. 32. 33. 34. 35. 36 Va 12° 45' E

I set temporary half mile and mile post at every 40° and 80 chains and at 3 miles and 20 chains intersect South and right bank of South Platte river, runs S 70° E Set post for temporary corner to fractional Secs. 3 and 34 I measure the river with the chain and find its width to be 105. chains to left bank where I set ~~Stake~~ post for a temporary corner to fractional Secs. 2 and 35 at 5 miles 79 chains and 79 links to a point 12 links North of the corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 30. and 31 W. The correction will therefore be 21 links West and 2 links South per mile and the true course N 89° 59' W.

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. Range 31 W. 6th P.M.

From Cor. to Ts. 13 & 14 N. Rs. 30 & 31 W. 9 mm

Chains N 89° 59' W on true line between Secs. 1 and 36 (6)

Va 12° 45' E (5, E)

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. lor.

80,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 2, 35, 36 (5 & 6)

Land level good 2nd rate Soil -

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. Range 31 W. 6th P.M. (13, 31)

Chains N 89° 59' W. on true line between Secs. 2 and 35

Va 12° 45' E

35,00 North and left bank South Platte river, bears ~~down Stream~~ S 81 1/2 E

Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to fractional Secs. 2 and 35

40,00 In river therefor the 1/4 Sec. lor. cannot be established -

80,00 In river therefore the corner to Secs 2, 3, 34, 35 (& 35) cannot be established

Land level, Soil 2nd rate river Sandy Smooth bottom Swift current from 1 to 2 feet deep -

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. Range 31 W. 6th P.M.

Chains N 89° 59' W. on true line between Secs. 3 and 34
Va 12° 45' E

From the place for the corner to Secs. 2, 3, 34, 35. in the river.

40,00 In river therefore the 1/4 Sec. Cor. cannot be established

60,00 South and right bank of South Platte river bears ~~down Stream~~ S 70° E

Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to

80.00 - Set post. depos.d charr.d stake, raised m.d of earth with pits ⊕
fractional Secs. 3 and 34

Land level 2nd rate -

River Sandy bottom swift current from 1 to 2 feet deep.

River on the line is 105 chains wide

⊕ as per instruct. for cor. to Secs. 3, 4, 33 & 34

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. Range 31 W. 6th P. Me.

Chains N 89° 59' W. on true line between Secs. 4 and 33 Va 12° 45' E

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 4, 5, 32 & 33

Land level. Soil. 1st rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 31 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	N 89° 59' W on true line between Secs. 5 and 32
	Va 12° 45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 5, 6, 31 & 32
	Land level Soil 1st rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. Range 31 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	N 89° 59' W. on true line between Secs. 6 and 31
	Va 12° 45' E
16,00	Slough ~~descends~~ runs S. E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79,79	The corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 31 and 32 W. Land level Soil 1st rate

August 14th 1869
Tested and corrected chain to the Standard

General Description
Township 13 N. Ranges 31 W.
the South part is rolling
Sandy 3rd rate Soil
unfit for cultivation
the North part is river
bottom covered with
grass of large growth
well adapted to Settlement
and cultivation
South Platte river runs
through the N. E. corner of
the township - There
is no timber in the
Township -

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 32 W. 6th P. M.

Chains From the corner to Townships 13 and
14 N. Ranges 31 and 32 W.
I run
West on a random line along
the South Boundary of Secs. 36. 35. 34
33. 32. 31
Va 12° 45' E
I set temporary half mile
and mile posts at every 40
and 80 Chains and at 6 miles
and 10 links intersect the
4th Guide Meridian West at
a point 60 links North of the
corner to Townships 13 and 14 N.
Ranges 32, and 33 West -
The correction will therefore
be 10 links South per mile
and the true Course N 89° 56' E

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 32 W. 6th P M

Chains	
	From the post on the 4th Guide Meridian West, the Corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 32 and 33 W. I run
	N 89° 56' E on true line between Sect. 6 and 31
8.00	Old adobe fortifications. Bea 12° 45' E
40.10	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sector.
80.10	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Sect. 31, 32, 5 & 6
	Land rolling, Soil Sand 3rd rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. R 32 W. 6th P M

Chains	
	N 89° 56' E on true line between Sect. 5 and 32 Bea 12° 45' E
36.00	Leave upland enter bottom bears N 75 W. 80.00 E
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sector
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Sect. 4, 5, 32, 33
	Land level Soil 1st rate

Chains	N 89° 56' E on true line between Sec. 4 and 33
	Va 12° 45' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Sec. 3, 4, 33 & 34
	Land level & Soil 1st rate

Chains	N 89° 56' E on true line between Sec. ——— 3 and 34
	Va 12° 45' E
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Sec. 2, 3, 34 & 35
	Land level, Soil 1st rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. Range 32 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	N. 89° 56' E. on true line between Sect. 2 and 35 Va 12° 45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits, as per instructions for a corner to Sect. 1, 2, 35, 36
	Land level Soil 1st rate

Between Townships 13 and 14 N. Range 32 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	N. 89° 56' E. on true line between Sect. 1 and 36 Va 12° 45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	The corner to townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 31 and 32 W. Land level Soil 1st rate

General Description

Township 13 N. Range 32 W. is rolling and Sandy 3rd rate Soil except the Northern tier of Sections which is level bottom land covered with a fine growth of excellent grass.
There is no timber or water in the township

August 15th. 1869

We hereby certify that we assisted J B Park deputy Surveyor in Surveying the exterior boundary lines of Townships 13.14 and 15 North. Ranges 25 and 26. Townships 13 and 14 North. Ranges 27, 28 and 29. Townships 13 North. Ranges 30, 31 and 32. all West of the 6th Principal Meridian and North of the base line, and that said boundaries 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

Leavitt Burnham. Chainman
Richard B. Keyes Chainman
Luther Kuhlman } Axemen and
Eugene A Beach } Moundmen

J B Anderson Flagman

State of Nebraska } Sworn to and subscribed before
Lincoln County } ss me at my office in the Town of
North Platte Nebraska this 26th day of
August 1869
W Russell J.P. in and for said County

Omit this & insert the affidavit of the whole work in Book 4 - p. 259

J. J. B. Park deputy Surveyor do Solemnly Swear that, in pursuance of a joint contrat wherein J. B. Park and H. C. Campbell are joint contractors with P. W. Hitchcock United States Surveyor General for the States of Nebraska and Iowa bearing date the 29th day of April A D 1869. I have well and faithfully and truly, in my own proper person, and in Strict conformity with the instructions furnished by the Surveyor General, the Surveying Manual, and laws of the United States, Surveyed the Exterior Boundaries of townships 13.14. and 15 North Ranges 25 and 26, Townships 13 and 14 North, Ranges 27, 28 and 29. Townships 13 North Ranges 30. 31 and 32 West of the 6th Principal Meridian and North of the base line, as are

See end of Book 4

~~are~~ represented in the foregoing field-notes as haveing been Surveyed under my direction; and I-
surveys have been established - and perpetuated in strict-
L B Park and that the
Deputy Surveyor

State of Nebraska
Lincoln County } ss

Subscribed in my presence and Sworn to before me this 27th day of August 1869 at my office in North Platte

N Russell
Justice of the Peace
in and for said County

Omit the above oath & copy that in Book 4 specifying all the Townships & Ranges of Contract 18

State of Nebraska Sworn to and Subscribed before

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do further solemnly swear that all the corners of said -conformity with the surveying manual and printed instructions - foregoing are the true and original field notes of such survey.

Surveyor General's Office
Plattsmouth Neb, Dec. 22. 1869.

The foregoing field Notes of the Survey of the Exterior Boundaries of Town=ships 13 and 14 Range 29, Town=ships 13 Ranges 30, 31 and 32 All North of the Base Line and West of the 6th Principal Merid=ian in the State of Nebraska, Ex=ecuted by Josiah B. Park under Joint Contract, wherein Josiah B. Park and Henry C. Campbell are Joint Contractors, bearing date April 29th 1869, in the Month of August 1869. having been critically examined, the necessary corrections and explan=ations made, the said field Notes and the Surveys they describe are hereby approved.

Robt. R. Livingston
Surveyor General.

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Field Notes

Of the Survey of the exterior boundaries of Townships 14 North of the Base line, of Ranges 30, 31 and 32 West of the 6th Principal Merid=ian in the State of Nebraska, by J. B. Park deputy Surveyor, under ~~their~~ joint contract wherein J. B. Park and H. C. Campbell are joint contractors with P. W. Hitchcock dated April 29th 1869

Surv. Gen.

List of Names
and duties of assistants

Leavitt Burnham	Chainman
Richard B Reyes	Chainman
Eugene Beach	Axemen and
Luther Kahlman	Mound men
J. B. Anderson	Flagman

Between Ranges 30 and 31 W. T14 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	From the corner to Townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 30 and 31 W. North between Secs 31 and 36 Var 13°45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
70,00	U. P. R. R bears N 80° W.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs 30, 31, 25 & 36 Land level, Soil good 2nd rate

Between Ranges 30 and 31 W. T 14 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 25 and 30 Va 12° 45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 19, 30, 24, 25 – Land level 1st 1/2 mile good 2nd rate, ballance 2nd rate

Between Ranges 30 and 31 W. T 14 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 19 and 24 Va 12° 45' E
7,50	Drain descends East
12,50	Old road bears E. & W.
31,00	Drain descends S. E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
58,00	Drain descends S. E.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 18, 19, 13, 24 Land level, 1st 1/2 mile 2nd rate ballance good 2nd rate

Between Ranges 30 and 31 W. T 14 N. 6th P. M.

North between Secs 13 and 18
Va 12° 45' E

4,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec, Cor

50.20 South and right bank North Platte river, runs S 50° E
Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to fractional Secs. 13 and 18
I continue the measurement across river with the chain at

80,00 The point for corner to Secs. 12. 13. 7 & 18 falling in the river it cannot therefore be established
Land level Soil 1st rate
River Smooth Sandy bottom water from 1 to 2 feet deep

Between Ranges 30 and 31 W. T 14 N. 6th P. M.

Chains North between Secs 7 and 12
Va 12° 50' E
From the point in North Platte river for the corner to Secs 12. 13. 7 & 18 at

7,50 Small Island 150 links wide bears E & W.

15,10 North and left bank of North Platte river bears N. 55½ W. and S 55° E
Width of the river on the line is 44.98 chains
Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to fractional Secs. 7 and 12

40,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec, Cor

55,00 Slough 300 links wide ~~descends~~ runs East

(8) 80,00 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1. 12. 6 & 7
Land level. Soil 1st rate
River Smooth Sandy bottom from 1 to 2 feet deep

Between Ranges 30 and 31 W. T. 14 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 1 and 6
	Va 12° 45' E
2.50	Slough 150 links wide ~~descends~~ runs East
21.00	Slough 150 links wide runs East
35.00	Enter Slough or wet marsh descends East
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor. in Slough or marsh
53.00	Leave same Slough or marsh descends East
80.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Townships 14 & 15 N. Ranges 30 and 31 W. at foot of hills bearing N 80° W S 88° E
	Land level, Soil 1st rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Range 30 W. 6th P. M.

Chains	
	From the corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 30 and 31 W. Town East on a random line along the South Boundary of Secs. 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 & 36
	Va 12° 50' E
	I set temporary corners at every 40 and 80 chains and at 6 miles and 80 links to a point 90 links North of the corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 29 and 30 W. Therefore the correction will be 80 links East and 7½ links South per mile — and the true course N 89° 57' W.

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Range 30 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	N 89° 5~~7~~ 4 W. on true line between Secs. 1 and 36.
	Va 12° 45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 2, 35, & 36 Land hilly. Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 30 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	N 89° 5~~7~~ 4 W on true line between Secs. 2 and 35
	Va 12° 45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 2, 3, 34, & 35 Land hilly. Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Range 30 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	N 89° 5' ~~7~~ 4 W. on true line between Secs. 3 and 34
	Va 12° 45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 3, 4, 33, & 34
	Land hilly Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Range 30 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	N 89° 5' ~~7~~ 4 W. on true line between Secs. 4 and 33
	Va 12° 45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 4, 5, 32 & 33, 33
	Land hilly Soil 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Range 30 W 6th P.M.

Chains	
	N 89° 55' W on the line between Secs. 5 and 32 Va 12° 45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.
68,00	Creek 10 links wide runs South swift current clear water gravelly bottom.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 5, 6, 31 & 32 Land hilly Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Range 30 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	N 89° 55' W. on the line between Secs. 6 and 31 Va 12° 45' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.
80,80	The corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 30 and 31 W. Land hilly. Soil white Sand 3rd rate

Tested measuring chain with Standard and found it correct.

~~August~~ September 6th 1869

General Description

Township 14 N. R. 30 W. is level except a small portion of the North part which extends into the Sand hills. The Soil is 1st and 2nd rate and generally covered with a luxuriant growth of fine grass.

North Platte river runs through the Township in a Southeasterly direction forming a junction with the South Platte a short distance below its eastern Boundary. The Town of North Platte, a Rail Road town of considerable importance is situated on Section 33.

The township is well adapted to Settlement and cultivation, and should be subdivided at the earliest practicable time.

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Between Ranges 31 and 32 W. 2 T. 14 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	
	From the corner townships 13 and 14 N. Ranges 31 and 32 W. Run North between Secs. 31 and 36 Va 12° 50' E
9,00	Slough 2 chs wide descends East
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
63,30	South and right bank South Platte river runs East
	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to fractional Secs. 31 and 36.
	I continue the measurement with the chain and at
80,00	I on the river therefore the corner to Secs. 30, 31, 25, & 36 cannot be established
	Land level. Soil 1st rate

Between Ranges 31 and 32 W. Tp 14 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 25 and 30 (3) Va 12° 50' W.
	From the point in South Platte river ~~the point~~ for corner to Secs. 30, 31, 25, 36 (4) at
9.00	North and left bank South Platte river bears N 8 5 W (5) and East.
	I find the river to be 25.70 chs wide
	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to fractional Secs. 25 and 30
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.
40.67	U. P. R. Road bears N 86° W. (8)
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 24, 25, 19, 30 (4)
	Land level. Soil 1st rate.
	River smooth Sand bottom 1 to 3 ft deep

Between Ranges 31 and 32 W. Tp 14 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 19 and 24 Va 12° 50' E
31.50	Drain descends East
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.
54.20	Old road bears E. & W.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 18, 19, 13, 24 (4)
	Land level. Soil 2nd rate

Between Ranges 31 and 32 T14 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	North between Secs. 13 and 18 Var 12° 50' E
4,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 12, 13, 7, 18
	Land level, poor 2nd rate

Between Ranges 31 and 32 W. T14 N. 6th P.M.

Chains	North between Secs. 7 and 12 Var 12° 50' W.
6,00	Drain descends West
11,00	Drain descends West
25,90	South and right bank North Platte river runs S 85° E
	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to fractional Secs. 7 & 12
	I continue the measure with the chain across the river, and at
28,00	Small Island 2 chs wide
40,00	In river therefore the 1/4 Sec. Cor. cannot be established -
65,00	North and left bank North Platte river, bears N 85° W and East
	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to fractional Secs. 7 and 12
	~~By measurement with chain~~ the river is 39.10 chs wide

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Between Ranges 31 and 32 W. T. 14 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 12, 6, 7 Land level, Soil 1st rate River Smooth Sandy bottom from 1 to 2 feet deep-

Between Ranges 31 and 32 W. T. 14 N. 6th P. M.

Chains	North between Secs. 1 and 6 Va 12° 50' ~~W~~ E
26,00	Slough descends East 2 chs wide
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 31 and 32 W. Land level Soil, 1st rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Range 31 W. 6th P. M.

Chains

From the corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 31 and 32 W. I run East on random line along the South Boundary of Secs 31, 32. 33. 34. 35, & 36.

Va 12° 50' E

I set temporary half mile and mile posts at every 40 and 80 chains and at 6 miles and 65 links to a point 2,32 chains North of the corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 31 and 32 W.

The correction will therefore be 65 links East and ~~19 1/3~~ 38 2/3 links South per mile and its true course N. 89° ~~52~~ 43' W.

September 7th. 1869

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Range 31 W. 6th P. M.

Chains

N 89° ~~52~~ 43' W. on true between Secs 1 and 36

Va 12° 50' E

30,00 Enter bottom land bears N. 85° W and S 50° E.

40,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor,

54,00 Enter Slough, descends or marsh descends S. E.

80,00 Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs 1. 2. 35 & 36

Land Upland rolling, Soil 3rd rate, bottom level Soil 1st rate, Slough wet cane brake 10 feet high

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Range 31 W. 6th P. M.

Chains	N 89° ~~52'~~ 43' W on true line between Secs. 2 and 35 Var 12° 50' W
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor, in Slough or marsh
49,00	Leave Slough or marsh bears S.E.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 2, 3, 34 & 35,

Land level, Slough wet, cane brakes and weeds 10 feet high, balance 1st rate Soil covered with fine grass 7 ft high

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 31 W. 6th P. M.

Chains	N 89° ~~52'~~ 43' W. on true line between Secs. 3 and 34 Var 12° 50' E
18,50	Slough 5 chs wide descending South
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 3, 4, 33 & 34

Land level Soil 1st rate, heavy growth of fine grass

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Range 31 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	N 89° 43' W. between Secs. 4 and 33 Var 12° 50' E
20,00	Slough 100 lks wide descends South
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
57,00	Enter Slough descends South
67,50	Leave same Slough S.E.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 4, 5, 32, 33
	Land level, Soil 1st rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Range 31 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	N 89° 43' W. on true line between Secs. 5 and 32 Var 12° 50' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 5, 6, 31, & 32
	Land level Soil 1st rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Range 31 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	N 89° ~~52'~~ 43' W on true line between Secs. 6 and 31 Va 12°50 ~~W~~ E
33,00	Slough 4. chs wide S.E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. or
80,65	The corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 31 and 32. W.
	Land level. Soil 1st rate

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General Descriptions

Township 14 North Range 31 W. is level. the Soil generally good except a Strip from one to two miles wide about midway between the rivers which is Sand and gravel. poor 2nd rate the township will do well for Settlement and cultivation, and is well adapted to grazing &c

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. R 32 W. 6th P.M.

Chains From the corner to townships 14, and 15 N. Ranges 31 and 32 W. I run West on a random line along the South side of Secs. 3~~7~~6 3~~2~~5, 3~~3~~4, 3~~4~~3, 3~~5~~2 & 3~~6~~1

Va 12° 50' E

I set temporary half mile and mile posts at every 40 and 80 chains and at 5 miles 79. chains and 30 links to a point 126 links North of the corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 32, and 33. W. on 4th Guide Meridian W. The correction will therefore be ~~10½~~ 21 links South per mile and the true course N 89° 5~~6~~1' E.

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Range 32 W. 6th P.M.

Chains From the corner to townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 32 and 33 W. on 4th Guide Mer. W. I run N 89° 5~~6~~1' E. on true line between Secs. 6 and 31

Va 12° 50' E

39.30 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.

79.30 Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 5, 6, 31, & 32.

Land slightly rolling. 2nd and 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Range 32 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	N 89° 55' E on true line between Secs. 5 and 32 Va 12° 50' E
37,00	Enter Sand hills bearing S.E. and N.W.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
45,00	Leave Sand hills enter bottom bearing S.W. and N.E.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 4, 5, 32 & 33
	Land Slightly rolling 2nd and 3rd rate Soil

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Range 32 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	N 89° 55' E on true line between Secs. 4 and 33 Va 12° 50' E
19,00	Train descends S.E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 3, 4, 33 & 34.
	Land Slightly rolling. Soil 2nd and 3rd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Range 32 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	N 89° 5~~6~~ 51' E on true line between Secs. 3 and 34 Va 12° 50' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 2, 3, 34 & 35 Land Slightly rolling Soil 1st and 2nd rate

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Range 32 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	N 89° 5~~6~~ 51' E on true line between Secs. 2 and 35 Va 12° 50' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
53,00	Slough 1 ch wide runs S E
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 2, 35 & 36 Land level Soil 1st rate covered with fine grass 7 feet high

Between Townships 14 and 15 N. Range 32 W. 6th P.M.

chains	N 89° 51' E. on true line between Sect. 1 and 36
	Va 12° 50' E
31,00	Slough 2 chs. wide runs S.E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
67,50	Slough 150 links wide S.E.
80,00	The corner to Townships 14 and 15 N. Ranges 31 and 32 W.
Land	Level, Soil 1st rate

September 8th. 1869

General Description

Township 14 N. Range 32 W. is mostly level, the Soil on the South Side of South Platte river is 1st rate covered with fine grass — between the branches of Platte river the land is light sand and gravel. 2nd and 3rd rate North of the North Platte the Soil is 1st rate except a small portion of the North part which extends into the Sand hills —

We hereby certify that we assisted J. B. Park deputy Surveyor in Surveying the exterior Boundaries of Townships 14 North of the Base line, of Ranges 30, 31, and 32 West of the 6th Principal Meridian and that Said Boundary lines 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 from the Surveyor General,

Leavitt Burnham, Chainman
Richard R. Keyes Chainman
Luther Kuhlman } Axemen or
Eugene Beach } Moundmen
J. B. Anderson Flagman

State of Nebraska } ss Subscribed in my presence and Sworn to before
Lincoln County } me a justice of the Peace for the County of Lincoln
State of Nebraska this 10th day of September AD 1869
R. C. Langworthy Lincoln Peace
Justice of the Peace

I. J. B. Park deputy Surveyor, do
Solemnly Swear that, in pursuance
of a joint contract wherein J. B. Park
and A. L. Campbell are joint contract=
ors with S. W. Hitchcock U. S. Surveyor
General for the States of Nebraska
and Iowa, bearing date the 29th day
of April A. D. 1869. I have well
faithfully and truly, in my own
proper person and in strict
conformity with the instructions
furnished by the Surveyor General
the Surveying manual, and the
laws of the United States, Surveyed
the exterior boundaries of
Townships 13, 14, and 15 Ranges
25 and 26 - Townships 13 and 14
Ranges 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32
all North of the Base line and
West of the 6th Principal
Meridian - as are represented in
the foregoing field-notes as
having been Surveyed
under my direction

and I do further Solemly Swear, that all the corners of Said Survey have been established and perpetuated in Strict accordance with the Surveying manual and printed instructions, and that the foregoing are the true and original field-notes of Such Survey

J. B. Park
Deputy Surveyor

State of Nebraska
Lincoln County } ss

Subscribed in my presence and Sworn to before me a justice of the Peace in and for Said County this 6th day of October A.D. 1869

R C Dougherty
Justice of the Peace

Surveyor Generals Office
Plattsmouth Neb. Dec. 22. 1869.

The foregoing field Notes of the Survey of the Exterior Boundaries of Townships 14, Ranges 30, 31 and 32, all North of the Base Line and West of the 6th Principal Meridian in the State of Nebraska Executed by Josiah B. Park, under joint Contract wherein Josiah B. Park and Henry C. Campbell are joint contractors, bearing date April 29th 1869, in the Month of September 1869, having been critically Examined, the necessary Corrections and Explanations made, the said field Notes and the Surveys they describe are hereby approved.

Edw. R. Livingston
Surveyor General.

Field Notes

Of the Survey of the exterior boundaries of Townships 16 North of the base line, of Range number 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, West of the 6th Principal Meridian in Nebraska, executed by J. B. Park deputy Surveyor under their joint contract No 47 wherein J B Park and H. C. Campbell are joint contractors.

List of Names

and duties of assistants

Chas. F. Billopp } Chainman
C. Harris
R. B. Keyes } Manuelman
H. McBroom
William Park Flagman

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	From the corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 25 and 26 W. I run North between Secs 31 and 36 Ca. 13° 20' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 25, 36, 30, 31 Land very rolling Soil 2nd rate

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 25 and 26 W.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 25 and 30 Va. 13° 20' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a ¼ Sec. Cor.
45,00	Ravine descends N.W.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a Corner to Secs. 24, 25, 19, 30
	Land hilly
	Soil 2nd rate

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 19 and 24 Va. 13° 20' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a ¼ Sec. Cor.
70,00	Ravine descends N.E.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a Corner to Secs. 13, 24, 18, 19
	Land hilly and broken
	Soil 2nd rate.

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs, 13 and 18. Var. 13° 20' E,
30,00	Ravine descend N.W.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sector,
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs, 12, 13, 7, 18 Land hilly and broken Soil 3rd rate

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs, 7 and 12 Var, 13° 20' E,
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits, as per instructions for a 1/4 Sector,
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs, 1, 12, 6, 7 Land hilly and broken Soil 3rd rate.

Tomohip 16 N. Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. 6th P.M.

chains	
	North between Secs 1 and 6
	Var. 13° 35' E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
65.00	Large drain descends S. E.
79.89	Intersect 4th Standard Parallel North at 16.90 chs. West of the corner to Secs. 31 and 32 T. 17 N. R 25 W. where
	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a closing corner to Secs. 1 and 6 T. 16 N. Ranges. 25 and 26 W.
	Land hilly
	Soil 3rd rate

Tomohip 16 N. Between Ranges 25 and 26 W. 6th P.M.

General Description

The South part of this line runs throug rolling table land Soil 2nd rate Ballance in rough and broken hills. Soil 3rd rate.

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Chains	
	From the corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 26 and 27 W. I run North between Secs. 31 and 36
	bn. 13° 15' E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit, charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 25 36, 30, 31
	Land Sand hills
	Soil Good rate.

Chains	
	Run North between Secs. 25 and 30
	bn. 13° 15' E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit, charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 24, 25, 19, 30
	Land Sand hills
	Soil Good rate.

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 26 and 27 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 19 and 24
	Var. 13° 15' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sector,
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 18, 19, 13, 24,
	Land Land hills
	Soil Good rate.

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 26 and 27 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 13 and 18
	Var. 13° 15' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sector,
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 12, 13, 7, 18
	Land Land hills
	Soil Good rate

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 26 and 27 W. 6th P.M.

chains	
	North between Secs. 7 and 12
	Var. 13° 15' E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs 1, 6, 7, 12
	Land Sand hills
	Soil Sandy

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 26 and 27 W. 6th P.M.

chains	
	North between Secs. 1 and 6
	Var. 13° 35' E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. cor.
79.85	Intersect 4th Standard Parallel North at 14.00 chs West of the corner to Secs. 31 and 32, T. 17 N. R. 26 W. where Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a closing corner to Secs. 1 and 6 T. 16 N. R. 26 W.
	Land hilly
	Soil Sandy

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 26 and 27 W 6th P.M.

General Description

The land along this line is Sand hills quite barren — Soil light Sand. There is no water and no timber in the township. It will not do well for settlement and cultivation

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Township 16 N. Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	~~Thence~~ the Corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 27 and 28 W. I run North between Secs. 31 and 36 lea, 13 & 80' E,
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor,
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs, 25, 36, 30, 31
	Land Sand hills
	Soil & no wate

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 25 and 30
	Va. 13° 30' E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a Corner to Secs. 24, 25, 19, 30
	Land Sand hills
	Soil Good rate.

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 19 and 24
	Va. 13° 30' E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a Corner to Secs. 13, 24, 18, 19
	Land Sand hills
	Soil Good rate.

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 13 and 18
	Var. 13° 30' E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 12, 13, 7, 18
	Land Sand hills
	Soil 3rd rate

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Township 16 N. Between Ranges 27 and 28 W.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 7 and 12
	Var. 13° 30' E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a Cor. to Secs. 6, 7, 1, 12
	Land Sand hills.
	Soil 3rd rate.

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs 1 and 6
	Va. 18° 34' E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.60	Intersect 4th Standard Parallel North at 11.25 chs West of the corner to Secs. 31 and 32 T. 17 N. R. 27 W. where set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a closing corner to Secs. 1 and 6 T. 16 N. R. 27 and 28 W.
	Land rolling
	Soil 2nd rate
	Aug 13th 1871

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 27 and 28 W. 6th P.M.

General Description

The land along this line is low Sand hills thinly covered with tough Grass. There is no timber and no water in the township It is not fit for Littlement and cultivation.

Chains	From the Corner to townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 28 and 29 W.
	Run
	North between Secs 31 and 36
	Va. 13° 30' E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a cor. to Secs. 30, 31, 25, 36
	Land Sand hills
	Soil Good rate,

Chains	North between Secs. 25 and 30
	Va. 13° 30' E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a Cor. to Secs. 19, 30, 24, 25
	Land Sand hills
	Soil Good rate

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 28 and 29 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 19 and 24
	Ca. 13° 30' E.
4,00	Left post deposit, charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
8,00	Left post deposit, charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 18, 19, 13, 24.
	Land Sand hills
	Soil 3rd rate.

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 28 and 29 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 13 and 18
	Ca. 13° 30' E.
4,00	Left post deposit, charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
8,00	Left post deposit, charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 12, 13, 7, 18
	Land Sand hills
	Soil 3rd rate

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 28 and 29 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 7 and 12
	Va. 13° 30' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Sections 1. 6. 7 and 12
	Land Sand hills
	Soil 3rd rate.

Township 16 N. Between Range 28 and 29 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 1 and 6
	Va. 13° 35' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
78,00	Intersect 4th Standard Parallel North at 8,32 chs West of the corner to Secs. 31 and 32 T. 17 N. Range 28 W. where ~~Set~~ Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a closing corner to Secs. 1 and 6 T. 16 N. Ranges 28 and 29 W.
	Land rolling
	Soil 2nd rate

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Township 16 N, Between Ranges 28 and 29 W, 6th P.M.

chains	General Description
	The land along this line is hilly and considerably broken the soil is light sand 3rd rate. It is not adapted to settlement and cultivation

Township 16 N, Between Ranges 29 and 30 W, 6th P.M.

chains	
	Leave the corner to Townships 15 and 16 N, Ranges 29 and 30 W I run North between Secs. 31 and 36 Va. 13° 25' E.
41.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a Corner to Secs. 25, 36, 30, 31 Land Sand hills Soil 3rd rate

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 25 and 30
	Var. 13° 25' E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits, as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 24, 25, 19 30.
	Land Sand hills Soil 3rd rate.

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 19 and 24
	Var. 13° 25' E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 13, 24, 18, 19
	Land Sand hills Soil 3rd rate.

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs 13 and 18
	Ca. 13 & 25' E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 12, 13, 7, 18
	Land very rooling
	Soil Good rate - white Sand

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 7 and 12
	Ca. 13 & 25' E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 12, 6, 7
	Land low Sand hills
	Soil Good rate.

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 1 and 6
	Va. 13° 25' E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
78.05	Intersect 4th Standard Parall North at 5.30 chs. West of the corner to Secs. 31 and 32. T. 17 N. Range 29 W. Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for closing corner to sections 1 & 6 T. 16 N. Ranges 29 & 30 West
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Township 16 N. Between Ranges 29 and 30 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	General Description
	This line runs through dry Sand hills - There is no timber and no water on the line - The Soil is 3rd rate, covered with a thin growth of tough grass, with occasionally a patch of buffalo grass between the hills - This land is not fit for Settlement and cultivation.

Township 15 N. Between Ranges 30 and 31 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	From the Corner to Townships 15 and 16 N. Ranges 30. and 31 W. I run North between Secs. 31 and 36
	Va. 13° 15' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a ¼ Sec. cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 25, 36, 30, 31 on South Side of hill bearing N. W. and S. E.
	Land Slightly rolling
	Soil Sand 3rd rate

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 30 and 31 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 25 and 30
	Va. 13° 15' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a ¼ Sec. cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 24, 25, 19, 30
	Land hilly
	Soil Sand 3rd rate.

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 30 and 31 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 19 and 24
	Lat. 13° 15' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 13, 24, 19, 30
	Land Sand hills
	Soil 3rd rate.

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 30 and 31 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	
	North between Secs. 13 and 18
	Lat. 13° 15' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 12, 13, 7, 18
	Land Sand hills
	Soil 3rd rate.

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 30 and 31 W. 6th P.M.

chains	North between Secs, 7 and 12
	Va. 13° 15' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs, 1, 12, 6, 7
	Land Sand hills
	Soil 3rd rate.

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 30 and 31 W. 6th P.M.

chains	North between Secs, 1 and 6
	Va 13° 15' E.
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.92	Intersect 4th Standard Parallel North. ~~4th Stand-and Parallel North~~ at 3,40 chs West of the corner to Secs, 31 and 32 T. 17 N. Ranges, 30 and 31 W. where
	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a closing corner to Secs, 1 and 6, T. 16 N. Ranges 30 and 31 W.
	Land Sand hills
	Soil 3rd rate,
	Aug. 15th 1871

Township 16 N, Between Ranges 30 and 31 W, 6th P.M.

Chains	General Description
	The Land along this line is rough Sand hills. Soil white Sand covered thinly with tough Grass. It will not do well for Settlement and cultivation.

Township 16 N, Between Ranges 31 and 32 W, 6th P.M.

Chains	
	From the corner to Townships 15 and 16 N, Ranges 31 and 32 W, I run North between Secs. 31 and 36
	Ca. 13° 15' E,
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 25, 36, 30, 31
	Land rough Sand hills Soil 3rd rate

chains	North between Secs. 25 and 30
	Va. 13° 15' E
40,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit, charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs, 24, 25, 19, 30.
	Land rough Sand hills
	Soil Bad rate.

chains	North between Secs, 19 and 24
	Va. 13° 15' E.
40,00	Set post deposit, charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec Cor.
80,00	Set post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs, 13, 24 18, 19
	Land Sand hills
	Soil Bad rate.

Township 16 N, Between Ranges 31 and 32 W, 5th P.M.

chains	
	North between Secs. 18 and 19
	Var. 13° 15' E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit, charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 12, 13, 7, 18
	Land rough Sand hills
	Soil 3rd rate.

Township 16 N, Between Ranges 31 and 32 W, 5th P.M.

chains	
	North between Secs. 7 and 12
	Var. 13° 15' E.
40.00	Set post deposit, charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposit, charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a corner to Secs. 1, 6, 7, 12
	Land Sand hills
	Soil 3rd rate

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 31 and 32 W. 6th P.M.

Chains	North between Secs. 1 and 6
	Va. 13° 15' E.
40.00	Lit post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a ¼ Sec Cor.
80.06	Intersect 4th Standard Parallel North at 1.25 chs East of the corner to Secs. 31 and 32 T. 17 N. Ranges 31 and 32 W. where I
	Lit post deposit charred Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for a closing
80.06	corner to Secs. 1 and 6 T. 16 N. R. 31 and 32 W.
	Land Land hills
	Soil Sandy
	Aug 16th 1871

Township 16 N. Between Ranges 31 and 32 W. 6th P.M.

General Description

This line is over Sand hills covered thinly with rough grass. The Soil is very unproductive slight Land drifted about by the winds. There is no water, and no timber along the line. It is not well adapted to Settlement and cultivation.

List of Names

A list of the names of individuals employed to assist in running measuring or marking the lines and corners described in the foregoing field notes of the exterior boundaries of Townships 16 N. Ranges 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32. West of the 6th Prin. Mer. Showing the respective capacities in which they acted.

Charles F. Bishop	Chainmen
C. Harris	
R. B. Keyes	Moundmen
H. M. Brown	
William Park	Flagman

We hereby certify that we assisted L. R. Park deputy Surveyor in surveying the exterior boundaries of Townships 16, North of the base line of Ranges 25, 26, 27, 28 29, 30, 31, 32, West of the 6th Prin. Mer. and that said lines have been 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

Chas. F. Bishop	Chainman
C. Harris	Chainman
R. B. Keyes	Chainman
H. M. Brown	Moundman
William Park	Flagman

State of Nebraska
Lincoln County } Subscribed

and Sworn to by above
named persons, before
me a Justice of the Peace
for Said County of
Lincoln this 21st day of
Sept, A D 1871.

Wm J Patterson
J. P.

I, J. B Hook deputy Surveyor
do Solemnly Swear that
in pursuance of a joint
contract wherein J. B Hook
and Henry I Campbell
are joint contractors with
E E Cunningham,
United States Surveyor
General for the District of
Nebraska and Iowa bea=
ring date the 16th day of
June A D 1871 I have
well, faithfully and truly
in my own proper person,
and in strict conformity
with instructions furnished
by the Surveyor General, the
Surveying manual, and
the laws of the United States
Surveyed all those parts
or portions of the exterior
boundary lines of Townships
16 North of the base, of
Ranges 25, 26, 27, 28, 29

30, 31, 32 West of the 6th Prin. Mer, as are represented in the foregoing field notes as having been Surveyed under my direction; and I do further Solemnly Swear that all the corners of Said Surveys have been established and perpetuated in Strict accordance with the Surveyors manual and printed instructions, and that the foregoing are the true and original field notes of Such Surveys.

L. B. Park
Deputy Surveyor

Subscribed by Said L. B. Park deputy Surveyor, and Sworn to before me a Justice of the Peace for Lincoln County Nebraska this 21st day of Sept. A.D. 1871

Wm. J. Patterson J. P.

Surveyor Generals Office
Washington D.C. Dec 8th 1871

The foregoing field Notes of the Survey of the Exterior boundary line of Townships 16. North Ranges 25. 26. 27 28. 29. 30. 31. & 32 West 6th P.M. in Nebraska. Executed by J. B. Park Deputy Surveyor under Joint Contract No. 47. Dated June 16th 1871. wherein J. B. Park and Henry C. Campbell are Joint Contractors. in the Month of August 1871. having been critically Examined the Necessary Corrections and Explations made the said field Notes and the Surveys they describe are hereby approved

E. E. Cunningham
Surveyor General

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