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Contract No. 293

Field notes of the Subdivisional lines in Township No 13 North of Range 2 West of the 6th Principal Meridian Nebraska Territory Surveyed by John McCarthy and Nelson McCracken U. S. Deputy Surveyors under contract dated June 26th A. D. 1862.

Survey commenced August 22nd and completed August 27th ~~A. D.~~ 1862

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Felix G. Herbert Compossman

Dennis Shea Chainman

Timothy McCarthy Chainman

Bernard Langan Cornerman

Michael Morrison Cornerman

Michal O'Marrah ~~Cornerman~~ Flagman

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Township 13 N. Range 2 W. 6 P. M.

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We, Edmund Quinn, Michael Morison, Denis Shea, Michael O'Mara, Timothy M'Carthy, Michael Ridge, John M'Loughlin, Bernard Langan, David Spelbey, John Flana=gan, Thomas Flanagan & Morris Doyle do solemnly swear that we will faithfully execute the duties of chain carriers, that we will level the chain upon uneven ground, and plumb the tally pins, whether by sticking or dropping the same; that we will report the true distance to all notable objects, and the true length of all lines that we assist in measuring, or that we will faithfully perform the duties of axemen, flagmen or cornermen, according to the instructions given us, and to the best of our skill and ability

Edmund Quinn.
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State of Kansas Zip
Leavenworth County

I Andy Macaulay A Notary Public in and for the County & State aforesaid do hereby certify that the several persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing instrument of writing were by me duly sworn to the same according to law. this 6th day of August A.D. 1862

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my Notarial seal at the date last written

A Macaulay Notary public

We Charles N Johnson and
Felix G. Herbert
do solemnly swear that we will well and truly perform the duties of Compassmen, according to the instructions given us and to the best of our skill and ability-

Charles N Johnson
Felix G. Herbert

State of Kansas
Leavenworth County

I Andy Macaulay A. Notary public in and in and for said county do hereby certify that the several persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing instrument of writing were by me duly sworn to the same according to law.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my Notarial seal this sixth day of August A.D. 1862

A Macaulay
Notary public

Township 13 N Range 2 W. 6th P. M.

Chains To determine the proper adjustment of our compass for subdividing this Township We commence at the corner to Township 12 and 13 North Ranges 1 and 2 West of the 6th principal Meridian and run south on a blank line along the East boundary of section 36.

Variation 12° 30' East

39.97 To a point 7 lks West of quarter section corner

79.86 To a point 11 lks west of the corner to sections 30, 31, 25 and 36 -

To retrace this line or run one parallel thereto our Compass must be adjusted to a variation of 12° 25' East -

Subdivision commenced August 22nd 1862

From the corner to sections 1, 2, 35 and 36 on the south boundary

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Chains of the Township we run
North between sections 35 and 36
Variation 12° 30' East
40.00 Drove chained stake set a post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter Section corner
80.00 Drove chained stake set a post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 25, 26, 35 and 36.
Land rolling soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 25 and 36
Variation 12.30 East
40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner
79.87 Intersected the East boundary of the Township 49 lks South of a post in Mound the Corner to sections

Township 13 N. Range 2 W. 6th P. M.

Chains 25 and 36 from which corner we run on a true line
West between sections 25 and 36
Variation 12° 51' East
39.93 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter Section corner
79.87 The corner to sections 25 26 35 and 36
Land gently rolling soil 2nd rate

North between sections 25 and 26
Variation 12° 30' East
40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter Section corner
80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 23, 24, 25 and 26
Land gently rolling soil 2nd rate

Township 13 N. Range 2 W. 6th P. M.

Chains East on a random line between sections 24 and 25

Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary Quarter Section Corner

79.64 Intersected the East boundary of the Township at a post in mound the corner to sections 24 and 25 from which corner we run

West on a true line between sections 24 and 25

Variation 12° 30' East

39.82 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter sections corner

79.64 The corner to sections 23, 24, 25 & 26

Land gently rolling soil 2nd rate

North between sections 23 and 24

Variation 12° 30' East

Township 13 N. Range 2 W. 6th P. M.

Chains

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter Section corner

80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 13, 14, 23 and 24

Land gently rolling soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 13 & 24

Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

79.20 Intersected East boundary of the Township 90 lks North of a post in mound the corner to sections 13 and 24 from which corner we run

West on a true line between sections 13 and 24

Variation 11.52 East

Township 13 N. Range 2 W. 6th P. M.

Chains

39.60 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter section corner

79.20 The corner to sections 13, 14, 23 and 24
Land gently rolling Soil 2nd rate

North between sections 13 and 14
Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions Quarter section corner

80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 11, 12, 13 and 14
Land gently rolling soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 12 and 13

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Chains
Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

80.17 Intersected the East boundary of the Township 98 lks North of a post in mound the corner to sections 12 and 13. from which corner we run
West on a true between sections 12 and 13
Variation 11° 48' East

40.08 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.17 The corner to sections 11, 12, 13 and 14
Land rolling soil 2nd rate

North between sections 11 and 12
Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as

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per instructions for ~~corner to~~

Quarter section Corner

80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 1, 2, 11, 12
Land gently rolling soil 2nd rate

80.17 Intersected the East boundary of the Township 64 lks North of a portion mound the corner to sections 1 and 12 from which corner we run on West on a true line between Sections 1 and 12

Variation 12° 03' East

40.08 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section Corner

80.17 The corner to sections 1, 2, 11 and 12

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Chain Land gently rolling soil 2nd rate

North on a random line between sections 1 and 2

Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

79.42 Intersected the North boundary of the Township 91 lks East of the corner to sections 1 and 2 from which corner we run

~~South~~ on a true line between sections 1 and 2

Variation 13° 0' East

39.42 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter section corner

79.42 The corner to sections 1, 2, 11 and 12
Land gently rolling soil 2nd rate

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North between Sections 34 and 35

Variation 13° 00' East

Chains

9.20 Ravine course East

33.00 Ravine Course East

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

50.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 34, 35, 26 and 27

Sand rolling soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 26 and 35

Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter sec. corner

79.08 Intersected North and South line 25 lks North of corner to sections 25, 26 35 and 36 from which corner we run West on a line line between sections 26 & 35

Variation 12° 15' East

Township 13 North Range 2 West 6th P. M.

Chains

39.54 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter section corner

79.08 The corner to sections 26, 27, 34 and 35

Sand gently rolling soil 2nd rate

North between sections 26 and 27

Variation 13° 0' East

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter Section corner

80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 22 23 26 and 27

Sand rolling soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 23 and 26

Variation 12° 30' East

Township 13 N. Range 2 W. 6th P. M.

Chains	
40.00	Set a post for temporary quarter section corner
79.93	Intersected North and South line 35 lks North of the corner to sections 23, 24, 25 and 26 from which corner we run West on a true line between sections 23 and 26 Variation 12° 15' East
39.96	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter Section corner
79.93	The corner to sections 22 23 26 and 27 Land rolling soil 2nd rate

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North between sections 22 and 23
Variation 13° 0' East

40.00	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter section corner

Township 13 North Range 2 West 6th P. M.

Chains	
80.00	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corners to sections 14, 15, 22 and 23 Land gently rolling soil 2nd rate

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East on a random line between sections 14 and 23
Variation 12° 30' East

40.00	Set a post for temporary quarter section corner
79.07	Intersected North and South line 5 lks North of the corner to sections 13, 14, 23, 24 from which corner we run West on a true line between Secs 14 and 23 Variation 12° 28' East
39.53	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter Section Corner
79.07	The corner to sections 14, 15, 22 and 23

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Chains Land gently rolling soil 2nd rate

North between sections 14 and 15
Variation 13° 30' East

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter Section Corner

80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 10, 11, 14 and 15
Land rolling soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 11 and 14
Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter sec. cor.

79.48 Intersected North and South line 5 lks North of the corner to sections 11, 12, 13 and 14 from which corner we run

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Chains West on a true line between sections 11 and 14
Variation 12° 28' East

39.74 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter sec. corner

79.48 The corner to sections 10, 11, 14 and 15
Land rolling soil 2nd rate

North between sections 10 and 11
Variation 13° 30' East

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter Section [illegible]

67.00 Ravine course West

80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 2, 3, 10 and 11
Land rolling soil 2nd rate

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Chains East on a random line between sections 2 and 11

Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

79.98 Intersected North and South line 10 lks South of the corner to sections 1, 2, 11 and 12 from which corner we run

West on a true line between sections 2 & 11

Variation 12 34 East

39.99 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

79.98 The corner to sections 2, 3, 10 and 11

Land gently rolling soil 2nd rate

North on a random line between sections 2 and 3

Variation 13° 00' East

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Chains

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

50.18 Ravine course N. E.

79.40 Intersected North boundary of the Township 72 links East of the corner to sections 2 and 3 from which corner we run

South on a true between sections 2 & 3

Variation 13.31 East

39.40 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter section corner

79.40 The corner to sections 2, 3, 10, 11

Land gently rolling soil 2nd rate

North between sections 33 and 34

Variation 13° 00' East

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

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Chains
80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 27, 28, 33 and 34
Land gently rolling soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 27 and 34
Variation 13° 00' East
40.00 Set a post temporarily for quarter section corner
80.05 Intersected North and South line 17 lks South of the corner to sections 26 27 34 and 35 from which corner we run
West on a true line between sections 27 and 34
Variation 13° 7' East
4002 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions

Chains
80.05 The corner to sections 27, 28, 33, 34
Land rolling soil 2nd rate

North between sections 27 and 28
Variation 13° 00' East
40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 21, 22 27 and 28
Land gently rolling soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 22 and 27
Variation 13° 30' East
40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

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Chains
80.71 Intersected North and South line 73 lks North of the corner to secs. 22, 23, 26 and 27 from which corner we run
West on a true line between sections 22 and 27
Variation 12° 59' East
40.35 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
80.71 The corner to sections 21, 22, 27 and 28
Land gently rolling soil 2nd rate

North between sections 21 and 22
Variation 12° 40' East
40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
80.00 Drove chained stake set post and

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Chains raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 15, 16, 21 and 22
Land rolling soil 2nd rate

Easton a random line between sections 15 and 22
Variation 13° 30' East
35.70 Ravine course N. E.
40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner
80.22 Intersect North and South line 78 lks North of the corner to sections 14, 15, 22, and 23 from which corner we run
West on a true line between sections 15 and 22
Variation 12° 57' East
40.11 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

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Chains
80.22 The corner to sections 15, 16, 21 and 22
Sand rolling soil 2nd rate

North between sections 15 and 16
Variation 13.00 East
40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section cor.
80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to secs. 9, 10, 15 and 16.
Sand rolling soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 10 and 15
Variation 13°00' East
40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter sec. cor.
53.00 Ravine course ~~E~~ North
80.37 Intersected North and South line 10 lks South of corner to sections 10, 11

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Chains 14 and 15 from which corner we run West on a true line between sections 10 and 15
Variation 12°56' East
40.18 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
80.37 The corner to sections 9, 10, 15 and 16
Sand rolling soil 2nd rate

North between sections 9 and 10
Variation 13°00' East
13.50 Ravine course N. ~~E.~~ W
33.20 Creek 30 lks wide course N. E.
40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and

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Chains
pits as per instructions for corner
to sections 3 and 4, 9 and 10
Land rolling soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between
sections 3 and 10
Variation 13 00 East

37.50 Creek 30 lks wide runs North
40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter
section corner
79.66 Intersected North and South line 22
lks South of the corner to sections
2, 3, 10 and 11 from which corner we
run
West on a true line between sections
3 and 10
Variation 12° 51' East
39.83 Drove chained stake set post and raised
a mound with trench and pits as
per instructions for quarter
section corner

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Chains
79.66 The corner to sections 3, 4, 9 and 10
Land rolling soil 2nd rate

North on a random line between sections
3 and 4
Variation 13 00' East
38.20 Ravine course East
40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter
section corner
79.78 Intersected the North boundary of
the Township 150 lks East of a post
in mound the the corner to sections
3 and 4 from which corner we run
South on a true line between sec. 3 & 4.
Variation 14° 04' East
39.78 Drove chained stake set post and raised
a mound with trench and pits as
per instructions for quarter section cor
79.78 The corner to sections 3, 4, 9 and 10
Land rolling soil 2nd rate
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Chains North between sections 32 and 33
Variation 13.00 East

3.00 Ravine Course S. E

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 28, 29, 32 and 33
Sand rolling soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 28 and 33
Variation 13.00 East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

80.19 Intersected North and South line 27 lks South of the corner to sections 27, 28, 33 and 34 from which

Township 13 N Range 2 W. 6th P. M.

Chains corner we run
West on a true line between sections 28 & 33
Variation 13° 11' East

40.10 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.19 The corner to sections 28, 29, 32 and 33
Sand rolling soil 2nd rate

North between sections 28 and 29
Variation 13° 01' East

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 20, 21, 28 and 29
Sand rolling soil 2nd rate

Township 13 N Range 2 W 6th P. M.

Chains

East on a random line between sections 21 and 28

Variation 13° 00' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

80.40 Intersected North and South line 37 lks North of the corner to sections 21 22 27 and 28 from which corner we run

West on a true line between sections 21 and 28

Variation 12° 44' East

40.20 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instruchuctions for quarter section corner

80.40 The corner to sections 20, 21, 28, 29

Land rolling soil 2nd rate

North between sections 20 and 21

Variation 13° 00' East

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Chains

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 16, 17, 20 and 21

Land rolling soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 16 and 21

Variation 13° 00' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

80.60 Intersected North and South line 34 lks North of the corner to sections 15, 16, 21 and 22 from which corner we run

West on a true line between sections 16 and 21

Variation 12° 46' East

Township 13 N Range 2 W 6th P M

Chains
40.30 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.60 The corner to sections 16 17 20 and 21
Land rolling soil 2nd rate

North between sections 16 and 17
Variation 13 00 East

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter section Cor.

53.00 Ravine course N. E.

79.80 Creek 30 lks wide course East
Point for corner falls in creek. We set a witness corner on North bank of Creek 2.50 chains North of true Corner for witness corner to sections 8 9 16 and 17
Land rolling soil 2nd rate

Township 13 N Range 2 W 6th P M

Chains East on a random line between sections 9 and 16
Variation 13 00 East
The line running in Creek We run from witness corner on the North bank of Creek an offset line

38.50 Leave Creek runs N. E. & thence South 2.50 lks on line

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

62.50 Ravine course N. E.

80.93 Intersected North and South line 6 8 lks North of corner to sections 9, 10, 15 and 16 from which corner we run
West on true line between sections 9 and 16
Variation 12 31 East

40.46 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench

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Chains

and pits as per instructions for Quarter section corner

80.93 The corner to sections 8, 9, 16 and 17
Land rough soil 2nd rate

North between sections 8 and 9
Variation 13° 00' East

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter section corner

80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instruction for the corner to sections 4, 5, 8 and 9
Land rolling soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 4 and 9
Variation 13° 00' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter Sec. Cor

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Chains

80.97 Intersected North and South line 89 lks North of the corner to sections 3, 4, 9 and 10 from which corner we run
West on a true line between sections 4 and 9
Variation 12° 22' East

40.48 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.97 The corner to sections 4, 5, 8 and 9
Land rolling soil 2nd rate

North on a random line between sections 4 and 5
Variation 13° 00' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary Quarter Section corner

52.70 Ravine Course East

78.50 Intersected North boundary of

Township 13 N, Range 2 W. 6th P. M.

chains Township, 127 lks East of the corner to sections 4 and 5 from which corner we run

South on a true line between sections 4 and 5

Variation 13° 54' East

38.50 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter section Corner

78.50 ~~78.55~~ The corner to sections 4, 5, 8 and 9

Land rolling Soil 2nd rate

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North between sections 31 and 32

Variation 13° 00' East

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter Section Corner

80.00 Drove chained stake set post

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chains and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 29, 30, 31, 32

Land rolling soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 29 and 32

Variations 13° 00 East

40.00 Set post ~~raised~~ for temporary quar section corner

80.00 Intersected North and South line 17 lks North of the corner to sections 28, 29, 32, 33 from which corner we run

West on a true line between sections 29 and 32

Variation 12° 53' East

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter section Corner

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80,00 The corner to sections 29, 30, 31, 32
Sandy rolling soil 2nd rate

West on a random line between
sections 30 and 31
Variation 13° 00' East
40,00 Set a post for temporary quarter
section corner
80,35 Intersected West boundary
Township 17 lks South of a post
in mound the corner to sections
30 and 31 from which corner
a cedar post

East on a true line between sections
30 and 31
Variation 12° 53' East
40,35 Drove chained stake set post
and raised a mound with
trench and pits as per instruction
for Quarter Section Corner
80,35 The corner to sections 29, 30, 31, 32
Land rolling soil 2nd rate

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Chains North between sections 29 and 30
Variation 13° 00' East
40,00 Drove chained stake set post and
raised a mound with trench
and pits as per instructions
for Quarter section corner
80,00 Drove chained stake set post
and raised a mound with trench
and pits as per instructions for
the Corner to sections 19
20 29 and 30
Land rolling soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between
sections 20 and 29
Variation 13° 00' East
40,00 Set a post for temporary quarter
section corner
80,26 Intersected North and South line
72 lks North of the corner to sections
20, 21, 28 and 29 from which

Township 13 N. Range 2 W 6th P. M.

Chains We run
West on a true line between sections
20 and 21
Variation 12° 29' East
40.13 Drove charred stake set post and
raised a mound with trench and
pits as per instructions for quarter
section corner
80.26 The corner to sections 19, 20, 29 and 30
Land rolling soil 2nd rate

West on a random line between
sections 19 and 30
Variation 13° 00' East
40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter
section corner
80.56 Intersected West boundary of Town
ship 72 lks South of post in
mound the corner to sections
19 and 30 from which corner
we run

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Chains East on a true line between sections
19 and 30
Variation 12° 29' East
40.56 Drove charred stake set post and
raised a mound with trench and
pits as per instructions for quarter
section corner
80.56 The corner to sections 19, 20, 29, 30
Land rolling soil 2nd rate

North between 19 and 20
Variation 13° 00' East
40.00 Drove charred stake set post and
raised a mound with trench
and pits as per instructions for
Quarter Section corner
80.00 Drove charred stake set post
and raised a mound with trench
and pits as per instructions for
corner to sections 17, 18, 19 and 20
Land rolling soil 2nd rate

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Chains	
	East on a ~~true~~ random line between sections 17 and 20
	Variation 13 00 East
40.00	Set a post for temporary quarter section cor.
~~50.90~~	~~Intersected North and South line~~
51.60	Ravine course East, Comes from the S.
~~70.00~~	~~Set a post for temporary quarter sec corner~~
69.60	Leave ravine course N. E.
80.90	Intersected North and South line 87 lks North of the Corner to section 16, 17, 20 and 21 from which corner we run
	West on a true line between sections 17 and 20
	Variation 12° ~~23'~~ 21' East
40.45	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
80.90	The corner to sections 17, 18, 19 & 20 Land rolling soil 2nd rate
	August 26th 1862

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Chains	
	West on a random line between sec 18 and 19
	Variation 13° 00' East
12.00	Ravine course North
37.90	Ravine course North
40.00	Set a post for temporary quarter section corner
79.87	Intersected West boundary of Township 95 lks. South of the corner to sections 18 and 19 from which corner we run
	East on a true line between sections 18 and 19
	Variation 12° 19' East
39.87	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter section corner
79.87	The corner to sections 17, 18, 19 and 20 Land rolling soil 2nd rate

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chains North between sections ~~17~~ 17 and ~~18~~ 18

Variation 13° 00' East

17.50 Ravine course N. E.

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter section corner

80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Corner to sections 7, 8, 17 and 18

Land broken soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 8 and 17

Variation 13° 00' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

75.50 Creek 30 lks wide runs East

80.58 Intersected North and South line 50 lks North of true corner

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chains in creek and 200 lks South of Stone corner on north bank of creek to sections 8, 9, 16 and 17 from which point we run West on a true line between sections 8 and 17

Variation 12° 39' East

40.29 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instruction for Quarter section corner

80.58 The corner to sections 7, 8, 17 and 18

Land rolling soil 2nd rate

West on random line between sections 7 and 18

Variation 13° 00' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

73.50 Creek 20 lks wide runs ~~North~~

76.90 Creek 20 links wide runs South

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chains

79.20 Intersected West boundary of Township 80 lks South of the cor. to sections 7 and 18 from which corner we run
East on a true line between sections 7 and 18
Variation 12° 26' East

39.20 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

79.20 The corner to sections 7, 8, 17 & 18
Landwogh soil 2nd rate

North between sections 7 and 8
Variation 13° 00' East

1.23 Creek 30 lks wide runs East

36.00 Ravine runs South East

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for

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chains Quarter section corner

80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 5, 6, 7 and 8
Land rolling soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 5 and 8
Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

80.00 Intersected North and South line 42 lks south of the corner to sections 4, 5, 8 and 9 from which corner we run
West on a true line between sections 5 and 8
Variation 12° 48' East

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with

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trench and pits as per instruction for Quarter section corner

5.00 The corner to sections 5, 6, 7 & 8 Sand rolling soil 2nd rate

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West on a random line between sections 6 and 7

Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary Quarter section corner

79.13 Intersected West boundary of Township at post in mound the corner to sections 6 and 7 from which corner we run East on a true line between sections 6 and 7

Variation 12° 30' East

39.13 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter section corner

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79.13 The corner to sections 5, 6, 7 and 8 Sand rolling soil 2nd rate

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North on a random line between sections 5 and 6

Variation 13° 00' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary Quarter section corner

79.61 Intersected the North boundary of the Township 150 lks East of the corner to sections 5 and 6 from which corner we run South on a true line between sections 5 and 6

Variation 14° 04' East

39.61 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

79.61 The corner to sections 5, 6, 7 and 8 Sand rolling soil 2nd rate

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General Description –

This Township is a smooth undulating prairie – Soil somewhat sandy and about second rate – There is a small creek running through the North East portion of the Township – It has steep and narrow banks and is somewhat swampy near the water line There is in many places scattering timber growing within the banks, mostly Swamp Elm and Ash

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A list of the Names of the individuals employed to assist in running measuring or marking the lines and corners described in the foregoing field notes of Township No 13 North Range No 2 West of the 6th Principal Meridian showing the respective capacities in which they acted.

Felix H Herbert	Compassman
Dennis Shea	Chainman
Timothy McCarthy	Chainman
Bernard Langan	Cornerman
Michael Manson	Cornerman
Michael O Mano	H Layman

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Field notes of the Subdivisional lines in Township No 14 North of Range 2 W. of the 6th Principal Meridian Nebrask Territory Surveyed by John McCarthy and Nelson McCracken W. S. Deputy Surveyors under contract dated June 26th A.D. 1862

Survey commenced August 22nd A.D. 1862 and completed August 27th 1862

Excl. C. C. W.
Platted C. C. W. (C.)

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Names and duties of assistants

Charles A Johnson Compassman
John Flanegan Chainman
David Spelling Chainman
Michael Ridge Cornerman
John McLaughlin Cornerman
Maurice Doyle Flagman

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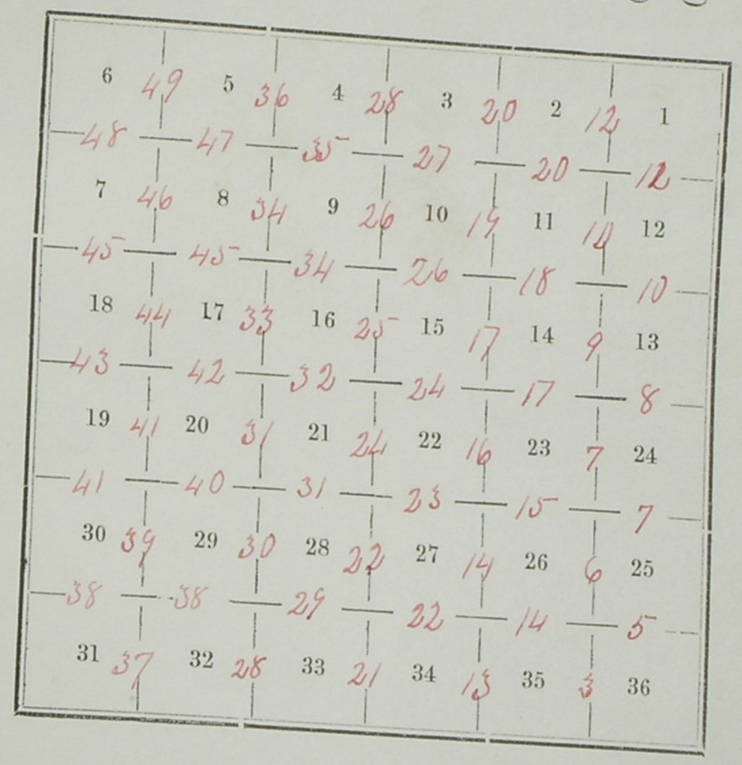

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Chain To determine the proper adjustment of our compass for subdividing this Township We commence at the corner to Townships 13 and 14 North Ranges one and two West of the 6th Principal Meridian and run North on a blank line along the East boundary of section 36

Variation 12° 22' East

40.06 The quarter section corner

80.14 The corner to sections 30, 31, 25 and 36

To retrace this line or run parallel there to our compass must be adjusted to a variation of 12° 22' East

Subdivision commenced August 22nd 1862

From the corner to sections 1, 2, 35 and 36 on the South boundary of the Township we run North between sections 35 and 36

Variation 12° 22' East

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Chains	
40.00	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter Section Corner
54.00	Enter bottom, bearing N. E. and S. W.
65.00	Enter timber bearing N. E and S. W.
76.00	Creek 40 lks. wide runs N. E. Leave timber at this point bearing N. E. and S. W.
80.00	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 25, 26, 35 and 36 Upland rolling soil 2nd rate Bottom level soil 1st rate Timber Elm and Ash

East on a random line between sections 25 and 36

Variation 12° 30' East

19.00	Creek 40 lks wide runs North

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	Enter timber at bank of Creek bears N. & S.
26.00	Same creek runs South
30.00	Same creek runs North
37.00	Same creek runs South
39.00	Same creek runs North
40.00	Set a post for temporary quarter section corner
44.00	Same creek runs South
60.80	Same creek runs East
71.00	Leave creek runs N. E. Leave timber at this point bearing N. E. & S. W.
80.40	Intersected East boundary of Township 40 lks South of the corner to sections 25 and 36 from which corner we run West on a true line between sections 25 and 36

Variation 12° 47' East

40.20	Set a post with trench for Quarter Section corner from which An. Ash 7 in. diam. bears N. 45° E. 45 lks. dist. An Elm 42 in diam. bears S. 50° W. 10 lks dist

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Chains

80.40 The corner to sections 25 26 35 and 36
Sand broken soil 1st rate
Timber Elm and ash

North between sections 25 and 26
Variation 12° 10' East

30.00 Stone bottom bearing N. N. E. and West
40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 23, 24, 25 and 26
Bottom level; soil 1st rate
Upland rolling soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 24 and 25

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Chains
Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner
80.32 Intersected East boundary of the Township 62 lks south of a post in mound and the corner to sections 24 and 25 from which corner we run
West on a true line between sections 24 and 25
Variation 12° 57' East

40.16 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
80.32 The corner to sections 23, 24, 25 and 26
Sand rolling soil 2nd rate

North between sections 23 and 24
Variation 12° 16' East

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and

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Chains and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.00 Drove charred stak set post and raised a mound with trench and as per instructions for the corner to sections 13, 14, 23 and 24
Sand rolling soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 13 and 24.

Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Set a post temporely for quarter section corner

80.30 Intersected East boundary of Township 14 Ns South of a post in mound the corner to sections 13 and 24 from which corner we run
West on a true line between sections 13 and 24

Variation 12° 36' East

40.15 Drove charred stake set post and raised

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Chains a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.30 The corner to sections 13, 14, 23 and 24
Sand high rolling prairie soil 2nd rate

North between sections 13 and 14

Variation 12 10 East

40.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter section corner

80.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the Corner to sections 11, 12, 13 and 14
Sand high and rolling soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 12 and 13

Variation 12 10 East

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Chains	
40.00	Set a post for temporary Quarter section corner
80.12	Intersected East boundary of Township 7 lks North of a post in mound the corner to sections 12 and 13 from which corner we run West on a true line between sections 12 and 13
	Variation 12°07' East
40.06	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
80.12	The corner to sections 11, 12, 13 and 14 Sand rolling Soil 2nd rate

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North between sections 11 and 12

Variation 12°16' East

40.00	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
80.00	Drove chained ~~post~~ stake set post

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Chains	
	and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 1, 2, 11 and 12 Sand rolling soil 2nd rate

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East on a random line between sections 1 and 12

Variation 12°10' East

40.00	Set a post for temporary quarter section corner
80.23	Intersected East boundary of the Township 9 lks North of a post in mound the corner to sections 1 and 12 from which corner we run West on a true line between sections 1 and 12
	Variation 12°06' East
40.12	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
80.23	The corner to sections 1, 2, 11 and 12

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Chains	
	Land rolling soil 2nd rate
	North on a random line between sections 1 and 2
	Variation 12° 10' East
40.00	Set post for temporary quarter section corner
80.41	Intersected north boundary of Township 15 N West of a post in mound the corner to sections 1 and 2 from which corner run
	South on a true line between sections 1 and 2
	Variation 18° 7' East
40.41	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
80.41	The corner to sections 1, 2, 11 and 12
	Land rolling soil 2nd rate
	August 22nd 1862

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Chains	
	North between sections 34 and 35
	Variation 12° 10' East
4.00	Enter bottom bears N E and S W.
29.00	Creek 25 lks wide runs N E
40.00	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
50.00	Leave bottom bearing N. E. & S. W.
80.00	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 26, 27, 34 and 35
	Land mostly bottom soil 1st rate
	East on a random line between sections 26 and 35
	Variation 12° 30' East
18.00	Enter bottom bearing N. E. and S. W.
40.00	Set a post for temporary quarter section corner
67.00	Creek 25 lks wide runs N. E.

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Chains	
78.00	Same creek runs South
80.12	Intersected North and South line 19 lks South of the corner to sections 25 26, 35 and 36 from which corner we run
	West on a true line between sections 26 and 35
	Variation 12° 38' East
40.06	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
80.12	The corner to sections 26, 27, 34 and 35
	Land mostly bottom soil 1st rate

	North between sections 26 and 27
	Variation 12° 10' East
40.00	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section cor.
80.00	Drove chained stake set post and

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	a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 22, 23, 26 and 27
	Land rolling soil 2nd rate

	East on a random line between sections 23 and 26
	Variation 12° 30' East
40.00	Set a post for temporary quarter sec. cor.
43.00	Branch 20 lks wide runs S. E.
80.00	Intersected North and South line 51 lks North of the corner to sections 23, 24 25 and 26 from which corner we run
	West on a true line between sections 23 & 26
	Variation 12° 0' East
40.00	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter section corner
80.00	The corner to sections 22 23 26 and 27
	Land broken soil 2nd rate

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Chs.	
	North between sections 22 and 23
	Variation 12° 10' East
40.00	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
60.00	Small branch 10 lks wid runs S.E.
63.50	Leave branch running South
80.00	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instruction for the corner to sections 14, 15, 22 and 23. Sand loken soil 2nd rate

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	East on a random line between sections 14 and 23
	Variation 12° 30' East
40.00	Set a post for temporary quarter section corner
80.15	Intersected North and South line 24 lks. North of the corner to sections

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Chs.	
	13, 14, 23 and 24 from which corner we run
	West on a true line between sections 14 and 23
	Variation 12° 20' East
40.08	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
80.15	The corner to sections 14, 15 22 and 23 Sand rolling soil 2nd rate

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	North between sections 14 and 15
	Variation 12° 10' East
4.00	Small branch 10 lks wid runs S.W.
17.00	Same branch runs S.E.
40.00	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
80.00	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and

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Chs	pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 10, 11, 14 and 15 Land broken soil 2nd rate
	East on a random line between secs 11 and 14 Variation 12° 10' East
40.00	Set a post for temporary quarter section corner
79.38	Intersected north and south line 5 lks north of the corner to sections 11, 12, 13 and 14 from which corner we run West on a true between sections 11 and 14 Variation 12° 0' East
39.69	Drove chaned stake sep post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section Cor.
79.38	The corner to sections 10, 11, 14 and 15 Land rolling soil 2nd rate

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Chs	North between sections 10 and 11 Variation 12° 10' East
40.00	Drove chaned stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
80.00	Drove chaned stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 2, 3, 10 and 11 Land rolling soil 2nd rate
	East on a random line between sections 2 and 11 Variation 12° 10' East
40.00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
80.06	Intersected north and south line 5 lks north of the corner to sections 1, 2, 11 and 12 from which corner we run

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Ch^s West on a true line between sections 2 and 11

Variation 12° 08' East

40.03 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section cor.

80.06 The corner to sections 2, 3, 10 and 11
Sandrolling soil 2nd rate

North on a random line between sections 2 and 3

Variation 12° 10' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

80.51 Intersected with boundary of Township
53 Links West of the corner to sections 2 and 3 from which corner we run

South on a true line between sections 2 and 3

Variation 12° 47' East

40.51 Drove chained stake set post and raised

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Ch^s a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.51 The corner to sections 2, 3, 10 and 11
Sandrolling soil 2nd rate
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North between sections 33 and 34

Variation 12° 10' East

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 27, 28, 33 and 34
Sandrolling soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 27 and 34

Variation 12° 10' East

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Chs	
40,00	Set a post for temporary quarter section corner
80,20	Intersected North and South line at the corner to sections 26, 27, 34 and 35 from which corner we run West on a true line between sections 27 and 34
	Variation 12° 10' East
40,10	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
80,20	The corner to sections 27, 28, 33 and 34 Sand rolling soil 2nd rate
	North between sections 27 and 28
	Variation 12° 10' East
40,00	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section cor
80,00	Drove chained stake set post and

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Chs	
	and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections ~~22, 23, 26 and 27~~ 21, 22, 27 and 28 Sand rolling soil 2nd rate
	East on a random line between sections 22 and 27
	Variation 12° 10' East
40,00	Set a post for temporary quarter section corner
80,00	Intersected North and South line at the corner to sections 22, 23, 26 and 27 from which corner we run West on a true line between sections 22 and 27
	Variation 12° 10' East
40,00	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
80,00	The corner to sections 21, 22, 27 and 28

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chs Land rolling soil 2nd rate

North between sections 21 and 22
Variation 12 10 East

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

80,00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 15, 16, 21, 22
Land level soil 2nd rate

40,03 ~~Set~~ a Drove chained stake set a post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80,06 The corner to sections 15, 16, 21 and 22
Land rolling soil 2nd rate

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chs North between sections 15 and 16
Variation 12° 10' East

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

80,00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 9, 10, 15, 16,
Land rolling soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 10 and 15
Variation 12° 10' East

40,00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

79,65 Intersected North and South line 10 lks. South of the corner to sections 10 11, 14 and 15 from which corner we run

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Chs West on a true line between sections 10 and 15

Variation 12° 14' East

39.82 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

79.65 The corner to sections 9, 10, 15 and 16

Land rolling soil 2nd rate

North between sections 9 and 10

Variation 12 10 East

4.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for ~~quarter section~~ corner to sections ~~9, 3, 10~~ 3, 4, 9 and ~~11~~ 10

Land rolling soil 2nd rate

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Chs East on a random line between sections 3 and 10

Variation 12° 10' East

40.00 ~~Drove chained stake~~ set post a ~~post~~ for temporary quarter section cor

79.56 Intersected North and South line 14 lks South of the corner to sections 2, 3, 10 and 11 from which corner we run

West on a true line between sections 3 and 10

Variation 12° 16' East

39.78 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

79.56 The corner to sections 3, 4, 9 and 10

Land level soil 2nd rate

North on a random line between sections 3 and 4

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Variation 12°10' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

80.29 Intersected the North boundary of the Township 55 lks west of the corner to sections 3 and 4 from which corner we run

South on a true line between sections 3 and 4

Variation 11°47' East

40.29 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.29 The corner to sections 3, 4, 9 and 10

Land level soil 2nd rate

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North between sections 32 and 33

Variation 12°10' East

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and

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Ch

pits as per instructions for quarter sections corner

80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 28, 29, 32 and 33

Land level soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 28 and 33

Variation 12°10' East

40.00 Set a post ~~and~~ for temporary quarter section corner

79.40 Intersected North and South line 10 lks south of the corner to sections 27, 28, 33 and 34 from which corner we run

West on a true line between sections 28 ~~and~~ 33

Variation 12°14' East

39.70 Drove chained stake set post and

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Chs raised a mound with trench and ~~and~~ pits as per instructions for Quarter section Corner

79.40 The corner to sections 28, 29, 32 and 33
Sand rolling Soil 2nd rate

North between sections 28 and 29
Variation 12° 10' East

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter Section Corner

80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the Corner to sections 20, 21, 28 and 29
Sand level Soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between Sections 21 and 28
Variation 12° 10' East

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Chs
40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

79.52 Intersected North and South line 92 lks. South of the corner to sections 21, 22, 27 and 28 from which corner we run
West on a true line between Sections 21 and 28
Variation 12° 4' East

39.76 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

79.52 The corner to sections 20, 21, 28, 29
Sand level Soil 2nd rate

North between sections 20 and 21
Variation 12° 10' East

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter

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Chs	
80.00	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for ~~for~~ the corner to sections 16, 17, 20, 21 Sand love soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between Secs 16 and 21

Variation 12° 16' East

40.00	Set a post for temporary quarter section corner
79.68	Intersected North and South line 42 lks South of the corner to sections 15, 16, 21 and 22 from which corner we run

West on a true line between sections 16 and 21

Variation 12° 28' East

39.84	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and

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Chs	
	pits as per instructions for Quarter Section corner
79.68	The corner to sections 16, 17, 20 and 21 Sand Level Soil 2nd rate

North between sections 16 and 17

Variation 12° 16' East

40.00	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter Sections Corner
80.00	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 8, 9, 16 and 17 Sand rolling Soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between Sections 9 and 16

Variation 12° 16' East

40.00	Set a post for temporary Quarter section

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Chs

Corner

80.18 Intersected North and South line 65 lks South of the Corner to sections 9, 10, 15 and 16 from which corner we run

West on a true line between sections 9 and 16

Variation 12° 38' East

40.09 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter Section Corner

80.18 The corner to sections ~~4, 10, 15 and 16~~ 8, 9, 16, 17

Sand level soil 2nd rate

North between sections 8 and 9

Variation 12° 10' East

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instruction for Quarter Section Corner

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Chs

80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the Corner to sections 4, 5, 8 and 9

Sand valley soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between Sections 4 and ~~9~~ 9

Variation 12° 10' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

79.90 Intersected North and South line 80 lks South of the Corner to sections ~~4~~ ~~5, 16~~ 3, 4, 9 and ~~9~~ 10 from which corner we run

West on a true line between sections 4 and 9

Variation 12° 44' East

39.95 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter Section Corner

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Chs	
79.90	The corner to sections 4, 5, 8 and 9 Land level soil 2nd rate
	North on a random line between sections 4 and 5 Variation 12° 10' East
40.00	Set a post for temporary quarter section corner
80.37	Intersected the North boundary of the Township 9 lks East of the corner to sections 4 and 5 from which corner we run South on a true line between sections 4 and 5 Variation 12° 14' East
40.37	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
80.37	The corner to sections 4, 5, 8 and 9 Land level soil 2nd rate

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North between sections 31 and 32 Variation 12 10 East

40.00	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
80.00	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 29, 30, 31 and 32 Land level soil 2nd rate
	East on a random line between sections 29 and 32 Variation 12° 10' East
40.00	Set a post for temporary Quarter Section corner
79.81	Intersected ~~the~~ North and South line 80 lks South of the corner to sections 28, 29, 32 and 33

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Chs	
	from which corner we run West on a true line between sections 29 and 32
	Variation 12° 45' East
39.90	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter Section corner
79.81	The corner to sections 29, 30, 31 and 32
	West on a random line between sections 30 and 31
	Variation 12° 10' East
40.00	Set a post for temporary quarter section corner
77.51	Intersected the West boundary of the Township 74 lks North of the corner to sections 30 and 31 from which corner we run East on a true line between sect 30 and 31

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Chs	
	Variation 12° 45' East
37.51	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter section corner
77.51	The corner to sections 29, 30, 31, 32 Sand level Soil 2nd rate
	North between sections 29 and 30
	Variation 12° 10' East
40.00	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter section corner
80.00	Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 19, 20, 29 and 30 Sand rolling Soil 2nd rate
	East on a random line between sections

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Chs 20 and 29 Variation 12° 10' East

40.00 ~~Drove chaned~~ Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

79.59 Intersected North and South line 56 lks South of the corner sections 20, 21, 28 and 29 from which corner we run

West on a true line between sections 20 and 29

Variation 12 34 East

39.79 Drove chaned stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

79.59 The corner to sections 19, 20, 29 and 30 Sandy level soil 2nd rate

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West on a random line between sections 19 and 30

Variation 12 10 East

40.00 Set a post for temporary Quarter

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Chs.

section corner

77.51 Intersected the West Boundary of the Township 87 North of the corner to sections 19 and 30 from which corner we run

East on a true line between sections 19 and 30

Variation 12° 48' East

37.51 Drove chaned stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter section corner

77.51 The corner to sections 19, 20, 29 and 30 Sandy level soil 2nd rate

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North between sections 19 and 20

Variation 12 10 East

40.00 Drove chaned stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

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Chs
80,00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 17, 18, 19 and 20
Sand rolling soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 17 and 20
Variation 12 10 East
40,00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner
79.60 Intersected north and south line 58 lks south of the corner to sections 16, 17, 20 and 21 from which corner we run
West on a true line between sections 17 and 20
Variation 12°35' East
39.80 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter

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Chs
section corner
79.60 The corner to sections 17, 18, 19 and 20
Sand level soil 2nd rate

West on a random line between sections 18 and 19
Variation 12 10 East
40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner
77.60 Intersected the west boundary of the Township 86 lks north of the corner to sections 18 and 19 from which corner we run
East on a true line between sections 18 and 19
Variation 12° 47' East
39.60 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
77.60 The corner to sections 17, 18, 19 and 20
Sand level soil 2nd rate

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Chs North between sections 17 and 18
Variation 12° 20' East
40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter Section Corner
80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 7, 8, 17 and 18
Land level soil 2nd rate
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East on a random line between sections 8 and 17
Variation 12° 10' East
40.00 Set a post for temporary Quarter Section corner
79.54 Intersected North and south line 44 lks South of the corner to sections 8, 9, 16 and 17 from which corner

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Chs we run
West on a true line between sections 8 and 17
Variation 12° 29' East
39.77 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter section corner
79.54 The corner to sections 7, 8, 17 and 18
Land level soil 2nd rate

West on a random line between sections 7 and 18
Variation 12° 10' East
40.00 set a post off for temporary quarter section corner
79.71 Intersected West boundary of Township 70 lks north of the corner to sections 7 and 18 from which corner we run
East on a true line between sections 7 and 18

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Ch8 Variation 12° 40' East

39.71 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

79.71 The corner to sections 7, 8, 17 and 18
Land level soil 2nd rate

North between sections 7 and 8
Variation 12° 10' East

40.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.00 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 5, 6, 7 and 8
Land level soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between

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Ch8 sections 5 and 8
Variation 12° 18' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

79.46 Intersected north and south line 30 lks south of the corner to sections 4, 5, 8 and 9 from which corner we run West on a true line between sections 5 and 8
Variation 12° 23' East

39.73 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

79.46 The corner to sections 5, 6, 7 and 8
Land level soil 2nd rate

West on a random line between sections 6 and 7
Variation 12 10 East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter

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Chs section corner

19.63 Intersected West boundary of Township 130 lks North of the corner to sections 6 and 7 post which corner we run East on a true line between sections 6 and 7

Variation 13° 0' East

39.63 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

79.68 The corner to sections 5, 6, 7 and 8 Sandlevel soil 2nd rate

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North on a random line between sections 5 and 6

Variation 12° 10' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary Quarter Section corner

79.86 Intersected the North boundary

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Chs of the Township 102 lks East of the Corner to sections 5 and 6 post which corner we run South on a true line between sections 5 and 6

Variation 12° 54' East

39.86 Drove chained stake set post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

79.86 The corner to sections 5, 6, 7 and 8 Sandlevel soil 2nd rate

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General description

The quality of the land in this Township is about the common average - The soil is somewhat sandy but well adapted to cultivation - There is no water in the Township

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except what is found in the S. E. Corner through which a small Creek runs in a North Easterly direction. The water in the Creek is nice and cool, and very potatable.
The timber in this Township is of but very little value; being chiefly swamp Elm and Ash **and found only within** the steep and narrow banks of the Creek - The Creek is quite swampy near the water line and very difficult of transit

A list of the names of the individuals employed to assist in running measuring

or marking the lines and corners described in the foregoing field notes of Township No 14 North of Range No 2 West of the 6th Principal Meridian showing the respective capacities in which they acted

Charles A Dawson	Compassman
John Flanegan	Chainman
David Spellicy	Chainman
Michael Ridge	Cornerman
John M McLaughlin	Cornerman
Maurice Doyle	Flagman

Comp by K & S

Contract No 284

Field notes of the subdivision lines of Township 15 N. R. 2 W. 6th principal Meridian in Nebraska Territory as surveyed by William C. Spalding under his contract No 284 dated 5th Sept 1860.

Subdivision commenced Apr 25th 1861
" completed April 28th 1861

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Plotted C. C. W.

Names and duties of Assistants

Edwin Burwell · Chainman
Benton Sloan Chainman
William Burwell Flagman
Michael Hickey Flagman
James Kennday Axeman
Edward Stapalton Axeman
Franklin Bacon Burwell Axeman
Milo W. Gallagher Compassman

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6	41	5	32	4	25	3	18	2	11	1
41		40		31		24		17		10
7	40	8	30	9	23	10	17	11	10	12
39		38		30		23		16		9
18	38	17	29	16	22	15	15	14	8	13
37		37		28		22		15		7
19	36	20	28	21	21	22	14	23	7	24
35		35		27		20		13		6
30	34	29	26	28	20	27	13	26	5	25
33		33		26		19		12		5
31	32	32	25	33	19	34	12	35	4	36

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Mains

To determine the proper adjustment of my compass for subdividing this Township I commence at the corner to sections 25 and 36 on the East boundary of the Township and run South on a blank line along the East boundary of section 36

Variation 12°15' East

40.02 To a point 12 lks west of quarter section corner

80.04 To a point 24 lks west corner to sections 1, 6, 31 and 36

To retrace this line or run parallel thereto my compass must be adjusted to a variation of 12°25' East

From the corner to Townships 14 and 15 N of Ranges 1 and 2 W. I run West on a blank line along the South boundary of section 36

Variation 12°25' East

40.00 To a point 2 lks West of quarter section corner

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chains

8.00 To a point 5 lks N of corner to sections 1, 2, 35 and 36 on the South boundary of the Township

Retrace this line or run parallel thereto my compass must be adjusted to a variation of 12°27' East

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From the corner to sections 1, 2, 35 and 36 on the South boundary of the Township Run North between sections 35 and 36

Variation 12°25' East

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound of Earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 25, 26, 35 and 36

Land gently rolling prairie good 3rd rate

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East on a random line between sections 25 and 36

Variation 12°27' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

79.60 Intersected East boundary of the Township 5 lks S of corner to sections 25 and 36 from which corner Run

West on a true line between sections 25 and 36

Variation 12°28' East

39.80 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

79.60 The corner to sections 25, 26, 35 and 36

Land gently rolling prairie good 3rd rate

North between sections 25 and 26

Variation 12°30' East

40.00 Drove charred stake and set post and raised mound of Earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

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8.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 23, 24, 25 and 26

Land gently rolling prairie good 3rd rate

Easton random line between sections 24 and 25

Variation 12° 28' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter sect on corner

79.70 Intersected East boundary of the Township 7 lks S of corner to sections 24 and 25 from which corner Prim

West on true line between sections 24 and 25

Variation 12° 31' East

39.85 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

79.70 The corner to sections 23, 24, 25 and 26

Land gently rolling prairie good 3rd rate

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North between sections 23 and 24

Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Drove a charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

65.00 Begin descending bluffs bear S.S.E. and S.W

77.00 Base of bluffs bear S.S.E. and S.W

80.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 13, 14 23 and 24

Land except bluffs gently rolling prairie 3rd rate

Easton random line between sections 13 and 24

Variation 12° 31' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

40.25 Begin to ascend spur of bluffs bears E.N.E. & S.W.

45.00 Opposite base of spur bears N.W. and S.E.

54.00 Begin to ascend spur of bluffs bears N.E. & S.W

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65.00 Opposite base of spur bears N.W. and S.S.E.

73.00 Begin to ascend bluffs bear N.E. and S.W.

78.75 Gain top of bluffs bear N.E. and S.W.

79.40 Intersected (~~N. and S. line~~) East boundary of the Township 21 lks S of corner to sections 13 and 24 from which corner Drum

West on true line between sections 13 and 24

Variation 12° 40' East

39.70 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

79.40 The corner to sections 13, 14, 23 and 24

Land E. ½ mile very hilly; 3rd R. rate; W. ½ mile gently rolling prairie 2nd rate

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North between sections 13 and 14

Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

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80.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of Earth with bench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 11, 12, 13 and 14

Land gently rolling prairie 2nd rate

East on random line between sections 12 and 13

Variation 12° 40' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

79.90 Intersected East boundary of Township 5 lks N of corner to sections 12 and 13 from which corner Drum

West on true line between sections 12 and 13

Variation 12° 38' East

39.95 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of Earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

79.90 The corner to sections 11, 12, 13 and 14

Land gently rolling prairie 2nd rate

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North between sections 11 and 12

Variation 12° 36' East

40.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 1, 2, 11 and 12

Land rolling and very sandy prairie inferior 3rd rate

East on random line between sections 1 and 12

Variation 12° 38' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

79.90 Intersected East boundary of the Township 4 lks N of corner to sections 1 and 12 from which corner Drum

West on true line between sections 1 and 12

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chains

Variation 12° 36' East

39.95 Drove charred stake set a post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

79.90 The corner to sections 1, 2, 11 and 12

Land rolling and sandy prairie inferior 3rd rate

North on random line between sections 1 and 2

Variation 12° 36' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

80.30 Intersected North boundary of the Township 30 lks E. of corner to sections 1 and 2 from which corner Drum

South on true line between sections 1 and 2

Variation 12° 45' East

40.30 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.50 The corner to sections 1, 2, 11 and 12

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Land rolling and sandy prairie inferior 3rd rate

North between sections 34 and 35
Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound of earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound of earth with trench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 26, 27, 34 and 35

Land gently rolling prairie good 3rd rate

East on random line between sections 26 and 35
Variation 12° 27' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

80.50 Intersected N and S line 7 lks S of corner to sections 25, 26, 35 and 36 from which corner P run

West on a true line between sections 26 and 35
Variation 12° 30' East

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40.25 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound of earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.50 The corner to sections 26, 27, 34 and 35

Land gently rolling prairie good 3rd rate

North between sections 26 and 27
Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound of earth with trench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 22, 23, 26 and 27

Land gently rolling prairie good 3rd rate

East on a random line between sections 23 and 26
Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

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80.10 Intersected N and S. line 4 lks S of corner to sections 23, 24, 25 and 26 from which corner I run West on a true line between sections 23 and 26

Variation 12° 32' East

40.05 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.10 The corner to sections 22, 23, 26 and 27

Land gently rolling prairie good 3rd rate

North between sections 22 and 23

Variation 12° 30' East

4.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

6.00 Begin to sees and bluffs bear E and W

7.00 Base of bluffs bear E and W

8.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of Earth with bench and pits as per instructions

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chains

for corner to sections 14, 15, 22 and 23

Land except bluffs gently rolling prairie good 3rd rate

East on random line between sections 14 and 23

Variation 12° 32' East

4.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

80.50 Intersected N and S line 7 lks S of corner to sections 13, 14, 23 and 24 from which corner I run West on a true line between sections 14 and 23

Variation 12° 35' East

40.15 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of Earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.50 The corner to sections 14, 15, 22 and 23

Land gently rolling prairie good 3rd rate

North between sections 14 and 15

Variation 12° 30' East

4.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound of Earth with bench and pits

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chains

as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 10, 11, 14 and 15

Land gently rolling prairie good 3rd rate

East on random line between sections 11 and 14

Variation 12° 35' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

80.20 Intersected N and S line 5 lks W of corner to sections 11, 12, 13 and 14 from which corner Prin

West on true line between sections 11 and 14

Variation 12° 33' East

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.20 The corner to sections 10, 11, 14 and 15

Land gently rolling prairie 2nd rate

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chains

North between sections 10 and 11

Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 2, 3, 10 and 11

Land rolling and sandy prairie. 3rd rate

East on random line between sections 2 and 11

Variation 12° 33' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

80.30 Intersected N and S line 5 lks W of corner to sections 1, 2, 11 and 12 from which corner Prin

West on true line between sections 2 and 11

Variation 12° 31' East

40.15 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pit as per instructions for quarter section corner.

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80.30 The corner to sections 2, 3, 10 and 11
and rolling and sandy prairie 3rd rate

North on random line between sections 2 and 3
Variation 12°45' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner
80.30 Intersected N. boundary of the Township 16 lks
E. of corner to sections 2 and 3 from which
corner Prim
South on true line between sections 2 and 3
Variation 12°52' East
40.30 Drove charred stake set post and raised
mound of earth with trench and pits
as per instructions for quarter section corner
80.30 The corner to sections 2, 3, 10 and 11
Land gently rolling and sandy prairie
inferior 3rd rate

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chains

North between sections 33 and 34
Variation 12°30' East
40.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised
mound of earth with trench and pits
as per instructions for quarter section corner
80.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound
of earth with trench and pits as per instructions
for corner to sections 27, 28, 33 and 34
Land gently rolling prairie good 3rd rate

East on random line between sections 27 and 34
Variation 12°30' East
40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner
80.70 Intersected N and S line 3 lks W of corner to sections
26, 27, 34 and 35 from which corner Prim
West on a true line between sections 27 and 34
Variation 12°31' East
40.35 Drove charred stake set post and raised
mound of earth with trench and pit as per in-
structions for quarter section corner

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chains

80.70 The corner to sections 27, 28, 33 and 34
Land gently rolling prairie good 3rd rate

North between sections 27 and 28
Variation 12° 05' East

40.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 21, 22, 27 and 28
Land gently rolling prairie good 3rd rate

East on random line between sections 22 and 27
Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

80.20 Intersected N and S line at corner to sections 22, 23, 26 and 27 from which corner I run West on a true line between sections 22 and 27
Variation 12° 30' East

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chains

40.10 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.20 The corner to sections 21, 22, 27 and 28
Land gently rolling prairie good 3rd rate

North between sections 21 and 22
Variation 12° 30' East

19.00 Begin to descend bluffs bear S. 6. N. and W. 6. S.

22.50 Base of bluffs bear S. 6. N. and W. 6. S.

40.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 15, 16, 21 and 22
Land S. 20 chns hilly 3rd rate rest gently rolling prairie 2nd rate

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chains

East on random line between sections 15 and 22
Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

80.00 Intersected N and S line 12 lks N of corner to sections 14, 15, 22 and 23 from which corner I run West on true line between sections 15 and 22
Variation 12° 25' East

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.00 The corner to sections 15, 16, 21 and 22
Land level prairie wet 2nd rate

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North between sections 15 and 16
Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 9, 10, 15 and 16
Land rolling prairie 3rd rate

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East on random line between sections 10 and 15
Variation 12° 25' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

80.00 Intersected N and S line 4 lks S of corner to sections 10, 11, 14 and 15 from which corner I run West on true line between sections 10 and 15
Variation 12° 28' East

40.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.00 The corner to sections 9, 10, 15, and 16.
Land broken prairie 5th rate

North between sections 9 and 10
Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits

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0 as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised a mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 3, 4, 9 and 10

Land rolling prairie 3rd rate

East on random line between sections 8 and 10

Variation 12° 28' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

80.00 Intersected N and S line 18 lks N of corner to sections 2, 3, 10 and 11 from which corner True West on true line between sections 3 and 10

Variation 12° 20' East

40.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.00 The corner to sections 3, 4, 9 and 10

Land rolling prairie 3rd rate

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North on random line between sections 3 and 4

Variation 12° 36' East

5.00 Enter bottom lands E. & W. and S. 20.

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

80.40 Intersected N. boundary of Township 49 lks E. of corner to sections 3 and 4 from which corner True South on true line between sections 3 and 4

Variation 12° 51' East

40.40 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.40 The corner to sections 3, 4, 9 and 10

Land level bottom prairie good 2nd rate

North between sections 32 and 33

Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised

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mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 28, 29, 32 and 33.

Land gently rolling prairie good 3rd rate

East on random line between sections 28 and 33

Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

80.00 Intersected N and S line 8 lks S of corner to sections 27, 28, 33 and 34 from which corner Run

West on true line between sections 28 and 33

Variation 12° 33' East

40.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.00 The corner to sections 28, 29, 32 and 33

Land gently rolling prairie good 3rd rate

North between sections 28 and 29

Variation 12° East

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38.75 Begin to descend hills bears N.N.E. and N.W.

39.00 Enter clump of timber bears E and W

40.00 Set post for quarter section corner from which

An Elm 24 in. in dia. bears N 61° W. 20 lks. dist.

An Elm 16 in. in dia. bears N. 34° 30' E. 72 lks dist.

44.00 Leave timber and enter prairie bears E and W

80.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 20, 21, 28 and 29

Land S. 1/2 rolling prairie 3rd rate N. 1/2 hilly 3rd rate

Timber Elm, ash with undergrowth of same

East on random line between sections 21 and 28

Variation 12° 33' East

27.00 Gain top of bluffs bear N.E. and S.W.

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

79.90 Intersected N and S line 5 lks W of corner to sections 21, 22, 27 and 28 from which corner Run

West on true line between sections 21 and 28

Variation 12° 31' East

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39.95 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

79.90 The corner to sections 20, 21, 28 and 29

Land W ½ hilly 3rd rate E ½ rolling prairie good 3rd rate

North between sections 20 and 21

Variation 12° 35' East

4.50 Base of bluffs bear E.b.N. and W.b.N

40.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 16, 17, 20 and 21

Land gently rolling prairie 2nd rate

East on random line between sections 16 and 21

Variation 12° 31' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

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80.00 Intersected N and S line 7 lks N of corner to sections 15, 16, 21 and 22 from which corner I run

West on true line between sections 16 and 21

Variation 12° 28' East

40.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.00 The corner to sections 16, 17, 20 and 21

Land gently rolling 2nd rate

North between sections 16 and 17

Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections, 8, 9, 16 and 17

Land rolling prairie 3rd rate

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chains

East on random line between sections 9 and 16

Variation 12° 28' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

79.80 Intersected N and S line 5 lks S of corner to sections 9, 10, 15 and 16 from which corner I run

West on true line between sections 9 and 16

Variation 12° 30' East

39.90 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

79.80 The corner to sections 8, 9, 16 and 17

Land rolling prairie 3rd rate

North between sections 8 and 9

Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

56.75 Leave rolling prairie and enter bottom bears E. b. N. and S. 20.

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8.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 4, 5, 8 and 9

Land rolling upland prairie except 1¼ mile which is level bottom prairie good 2nd rate

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East on random line between sections 4 and 9

Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

70.00 Leave bottom and enter rolling upland bears E. b. N. and S. 20.

80.10 Intersected N and S line 3 lks N of corner to sections 3, 4, 9 and 10 from which corner I run

West on true line between sections 4 and 9

Variation 12° 29' East

40.05 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.10 The corner to sections 4, 5, 8 and 9

Land level bottom prairie good 2nd rate

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chains

North on random line between sections 4 and 5
Variation 12° 50' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

80.40 Intersected N. boundary of Township 5 lks W. of corner to sections 4 and 5 from which corner I run

South on true line between sections 4 and 5
Variation 12° 50' East

40.40 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.40 The corner to sections 4, 5, 8 and 9
Land gently rolling prairie bottom good 2nd rate
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North between sections 31 and 32
Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Drove charred stake, set post in mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.00 Drove charred stake and set post and raised

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chains

mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 29, 30, 31 and 32
Land gently rolling prairie good 3rd rate

East on random line between sections 29 and 32
Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

80.10 Intersected N and S line at corner to sections 28, 29, 32 and 33 from which corner I run

West on true line between sections 29 and 32
Variation 12° 30' East

40.05 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pit as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.10 The corner to sections 29, 30, 31 and 32
Land gently rolling prairie good 3rd rate

West on random line between sections 30 and 31
Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

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76.80 Intersected W. boundary of Township 8 lks S of corner to sections 30 and 31 from which corner I run

East on true line between sections 30 and 31

Variation 12° 27' East

36.80 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

76.80 The corner to sections 29, 30, 31 and 32

Land gently rolling prairie good 3rd rate

North between sections 29 and 30

Variation 12° 15' East

4.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

8.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 19, 20, 29 and 30

Land gently rolling prairie good 3rd rate

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East on random line between sections 20 and 29

Variation 12° 30' East

4.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

43.00 Begin to descend bluffs bear N.W. and S.E.

80.00 Intersected N and S line 5 lks S of corner to sections 20, 21, 28, and 29 from which corner I run

West on true line between sections 20 and 29

Variation 12° 32' East

40.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pit as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.00 The corner to sections 19, 20, 29 and 30

Land E. ½ hilly 3rd rate; W ½ rolling prairie good 3rd rate

West on random line between sections 19 and 30

Variation 12° 27' East

9.75 Begin to descend bluffs bear S.W.E. and S.W.

14.50 Gain foot of bluffs and enter bottom bear E.W. & S.W.

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

77.10 Intersected W. boundary of Township 11 lks N of corner to sections 19 and 30 from which corner I run

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East on ken line between sections 19 and 30

Variation 12° 32' East

33.10 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of Earth with bend and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

77.10 The corner to sections 19, 20, 29 and 30

Land mostly level bottom prairie 2nd rate

North between sections 19 and 20

Variation 12° 30' East

4.50 Begin. to descend bluffs bear E and W

8.25 Gain foot of bluffs and enter bottom bear N.N.E. & S.S.W. B.D.

40.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bend and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 17, 18, 19 and 20

Land mostly level bottom prairie 2nd rate

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East on random line between sections 17 and 20

Variation 12° 32' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

46.75 Leave bottom and ascend rolling upland bear N.N.E. & S.S.W.

80.20 Intersected N. and S. line 6 lks S of corner to sections 16, 17, 20 and 21, from which corner I run

West on ken line between sections 17 and 20

Variation 12° 35' East

40.10 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.20 The corner to sections 17, 18, 19 and 20

Land E. ½ rolling prairie 3rd rate W. ½ level bottom prairie good 2nd rate

West on random line between sections 18 and 19

Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

76.80 Intersected W. boundary of the township at corner to sections 18 and 19 from which corner I run

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East on true line between sections 18 and 19

Variation 12° 30' East

36.80 Drove charred stake and set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

76.80 The corner to sections 17, 18, 19 and 20

Land level prairie bottom good 2nd rate

North between sections 17 and 18

Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 7, 8, 17 and 18

Land level bottom prairie good 2nd rate

East on random line between sections 8 and 17

Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

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chains

39.50 Leave bottom and enter rolling land bear N and S

80.10 Intersected N and S line 3 lks S of corner to sections 8, 9, 16 and 17 from which corner I run

West on true line between sections 8 and 17

Variation 12° 31' East

40.05 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.10 The corner to sections 7, 8, 17 and 18

Land E½ rolling prairie inferior 3rd rate

W½ level bottom prairie good 2nd rate

West on random line between sections 7 and 18

Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

76.90 Intersected W. boundary of Township at corner to sections 7 and 18 from which corner I run

East on true line between sections 7 and 18

Variation 12° 30' East

36.90 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as

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per instructions for quarter section corner

76.00 The corner to sections 7, 8, 17 and 18

Land level prairie bottom good 2nd rate

North between sections 7 and 8

Variation 12° 30' East

40.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for corner to sections 5, 6, 7 and 8

Land level prairie bottom good 2nd rate

East on random line between sections 5 & 8

Variation 12° 28' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

80.00 Intersected N and S line at corner to sections 4, 5, 8 and 9 from which corner I run

West on a true line between sections 5 and 8

Variation 12° 28' East

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40.00 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.00 The corner to sections 5, 6, 7 and 8

Land level prairie bottom good 2nd rate

West on random line between sections 6 and 7

Variation 12° 28' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

76.60 Intersected W. boundary of Township at corner to sections 6 and 7 from which corner I run

East on true line between sections 6 and 7

Variation 12° 28' East

36.60 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

76.60 The corner to sections 5, 6, 7 and 8

Land level bottom prairie good 2nd rate

North on random line between sections 5 and 6

Variation 12° 45' East

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chains

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

80.30 Intersected N. boundary of Township at corner to sections 5 and 6 from which Corner I run South on sec line between section 5 and 6

Variation 12°45' East

40.30 Drove charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

80.30 The corner to sections 5, 6, 7 and 8

Land level bottom prairie good 2nd rate

April 28th 1861

General Description

The upland in this Township is very inferior. A portion of that unclassifiable land mentioned in Township 15 N, R 1 W. extends also into this Township with the same characteristics. There is also a small portion of good 2nd rate bottom land in this Township.

In section 28 there is an excellent spring of pure water, at the head of a gorge, in which there is a considerable body of good Ash. Red Elm and Hackberry timber. There are several other clumps of timber in the gorges of the bluffs.

List of Names

A list of the names of the individuals employed to assist in running measuring & marking the lines and corners described in the foregoing field notes of Township 15 N. of R. 2 W. 6th principal Meridian shewing the respective capacities in which they acted.

Edwin Burwell	Chainman
Benton Sloan	Chainman
William Burwell	Flagman

List of names continued

Michael Hickey Flagman
James Kennedy Axeman
Edward Stapalton Axeman
Franklin Bacon Burwell Axeman
Milo W. Gallagher Compassman

Surveyor Generals Office
Leavenworth City Kansas August 21st 1861

The foregoing Field Notes of the Survey of the Subdivisional lines of Township 15. North, Range 2 West. 6th P.M. executed by William S. Spalding under his Contract of the 5th day of September 1860 in the month of April 1861 having been critically examined the necessary corrections and explanations made, the said field notes and the Surveys they describe are hereby approved

Jas K M Delahay
Survey General

Contract No. 284

Field Notes of the subdivision
+ Meanders lines of Township 16 N. R 2 West
of the 6th Principal Meridian in
Nebraska Territory as surveyed
by William L. Spalding Deputy
Surveyor under his Contract bearing
date Sept. 5. AD 1860.

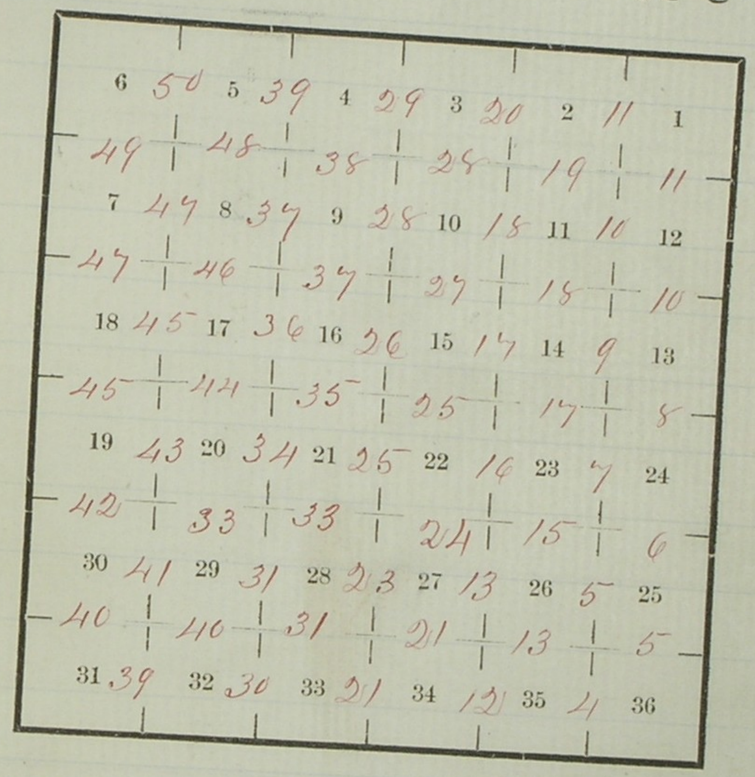
Subdivision Commenced
May 15th 1861. and Completed
May 21st 1861.

Platted C. L. W.

Names and duties of Assistants

Edwin Burwell	Chainman
Benton Sloan	Chainman
William Burwell	Flagman
Michael Hickey	Flagman
Edward Stapalton	Axeman
James Kennedy	Axeman
Franklin Bacon Burwell	Axeman
Milo W Gallagher	Compassman

Township 16 N Range 2 W 6 P. M.



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To determine the proper adjustment of my Compass to subdivide this Township. I commenced at the Corner to Sections 25, and 36 and run South on a blank line along the Eastern boundary of Section 36.

Variation 12° 10' East.

40.06 A Point 7 links West of the quarter Section Corner.

80.07 A Point 23 link West of the Corner to Township 15. and 16. Ranges 1 W. 2 West.

To retrace this line or run parallel thereto my Compass must be adjusted to a variation of 12° 10' East.

From the Corner to Townships 15 and 16. of Ranges 1. and 2 West. I run West on a blank line along the South boundary of Sections 36.

Variation 12° East

39.97 A Point 8 links North of the quarter Section Corner.

Raised a Mound of Earth with Brush and

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79.98 A point 35 links North of the corner to Sections 35, and 36.

To retrace this line or run parallel therto. My compass must be adjusted to a variation of 12° 15' East.

Subdivision Commenced May 13th 1861

From the corner to Sections 1. 2. 35 and 36. Run North between Sections 35 and 36

Variation 12° 10' East.

111.90 A small branch 9 links wide. bears N.E.

40.00 Drove a charred Stake. set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter Section Corner.

68.30 Pikes Peak and Nebraska City road bears E & W

80.00 Drove a charred Stake. set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Corner to Sections 25. 26. 35 & 36.

Land level bottom. Soil 2nd Rate.

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East on a Random line between Sections 25 and 36.

Variation 12° 15' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary Quarter Sec. Corner

66.54 A Stream 20 links wide bears N.E.

79.98 Intersect the East boundary of the Township 7 links North of the Corner to Sections 25. and 36. from which Corner I run

West on a true line between Sec.s 25 and 36

Variation 12° 12' East.

39.99 Drove a charred Stake. set a post and raised a Mound of earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter Section Corner

79.98 The corner to Sections 25. 26. 35 and 36

Land level bottom. Soil 2nd Rate.

North between Sections 25 and 26.

Variation 12° 10' East

40.00 Drove a charred Stake set a post and raised a Mound of Earth as per inst=

raised a Mound of Earth with trench and

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uctions for quarter Section Corner.

52.00 Road from the States to the Pacific bears N.E. and S.W.

80.00 Drove a charred stake, set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Corner to Sections 23. 24. 25. and 26.

Land level bottom. Soil 2nd Rate.

East on a random line between Sections 24 and 25.

Variation 12° 12' East.

37.50 Road from the States to the Pacific bears N.E. and S.W.

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter Sec. Cor.

80.00 Intersected the Eastern boundary of the Township 9 links South of the Corner to Sections 24 and 25, from which Corner I run West on a true line between Sections 24 and 25

Variation 12° 16' East

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40.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter Section Corner.

80.00 The Corner to Sections 23. 24. 25 and 26.

Land level bottom.

Soil Good 2nd rate,

North between Sections 23 and 24

Variation 12° 18' East.

1.10 Drove a charred stake ~~Set~~ a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Meander Corner to Fractional Sections 23 and 24, on the right bank of Platte River the River being very shallow I chained across it.

10.50 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Meander Corner to Fractional Sections 23 and 24 — On an Island in Platte River

raised a Mound of Earth with trench and

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10.75 Enter Scattering timber bears N.E. & S.W.
11.50 Leave Timber bears N.E and S.W.
40.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter Section Corner.
80.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Corner to sections 13. 14. 23 and 24. Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate. Timber Cottonwood and ash.

East on a random line between Sections 13 and 24.

Variation 12° 15' East

40.00 Set post for temporary Quarter Section Corner
80.08 the Corner to Sections 13 and 24. from which Corner I run West on a true line between Sections 13 and 24.

Variation 12° 15' East

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40.04 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter Sec. Corner.
80.08 The Corner to Sections 13. 14. 23 and 24. Land level. Soil 2nd Rate.

North between Sections 13 and 14.

Variation 12° 22' East.

40.00 Drove a charred stake. set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter Sec. Cor.
67.00 Enter timber. bears. S.E. and West.
73.20 Set a post on the North bank of Island for meander Corner to fractional Sections 13 and 14. from which –
A Cottonwood 22 in. in dia. bears S 32½° E 18 lks distant – another Cottonwood 17 inches in dia. bears S 75° W 30 lks dist.
80.00 This Corner being in the bed of the River I set a temporary post for Corner to Sections 11. 12. 13 & 14. River being shallow chained across

raised a Mound of earth with trench and

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Sand level bottom prairie 2nd rate marshy.
Timber cottonwood.
The line between Sections 12 and 13 falling in the Platte River. I did not run it.

North between fractional Sections 11 & 12
Variation 12° 22' East

29.00 Drove a charred Stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits for meander corner to fractional Sections 11 and 12. on the left bank of Platte River= (The River being low I chained along it. and found the above distance by actual (measurement.)

58.25 A Road leading from the States to the Pacific bears N.E. and S.W.

80.00 Drove charred stake. set a post and raised a mound of Earth with pits and trench as per instructions for corner to Sections 1. 2 11 and 12.

Land level. Soil 2nd Rate.

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East on a random line between Sections 1 and 12
Variation 12° 15' East.

35.00 A road leading from the States to the Pacific bears N.E. & S.W.

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter Sec. Cor.

79.82 Intersected the Eastern boundary of the Township 23 links S. of the Corner to Sections 1. and 12. From which Corner. I run West on a true line between Sec. 1 & 12
Variation 12° 25' East.

39.91 Drove a charred Stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter Section Corner.

79.82 The corner to Sections 1. 2. 11 and 12.
Land gently rolling. Soil 2nd rate.

North between Sections 1 and 2
Variation 12° 20' East

40.00 Drove a charred Stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits

raised a mound of Earth with trench and

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as per instructions for quarter section Corner.

42.50 Leave bottom and ascend the bluff bears S and W.

77.52 Intersect the Fourth Standard Parallel North 1 chain and 76 links East of the Corner to Sections 35 and 36 in T 17 N. R 2 West of the Sixth Principal Meridian – at which point I drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Corner to Sections 1. and 2.

Land broken. Soil 2nd rate.
May 13th 1861

North between Sections 34 and 35.
Variation 12° 10' East.

40.00 Drove a charred stake set a post, and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter Sec. Corner

80.00 Drove a charred stake. set a post, and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Corner to Sections 26. 27.

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34 and 35
Land level. Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between Sec. 26 & 35
Variation 12° 15' East

26.00 Road leading from Nebraska City to Pikes Peak. bears N W and S E.

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter Sec. Cor.

79.85 A point 2 links South of the Corner to Sections 25 26. 35 and 36, from which Corner Same West on a true line between Sections 26 & 35
Variation 12° 16' East

39.92 Drove a charred stake. set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter Section Corner.

79.85 the Corner to Sections 26. 27. 34 and 35.
Land level. Soil 2nd rate.

North between Sections 26 and 27.
Variation 12° 10' East
from this Corner N.W. Carters House bears

raised a mound of earth with trench and

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N 36½° E. 28.00 chains dist.

15.00 A Road leading from the States to the Pacific bears NE & SW.

33.70 Drove a charred stake, set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for meander corner to fractional sections 26 and 27. on the right bank of Platte River from this corner N.H. Carter's House bears S54° E, River being shallow & chaining across.

41.14 Set a post on the South bank of a small Island from which a Cedar 12 inches in diameter bears N42° W 52 links distant A cedar 10 in in dia. bears N 80 E 106 lks dist.

48.00 Set a post on the North bank of said Island from which a Cottonwood 17 in dia bears S68° E, 48 links dist. A Cedar 15 inches in dia bears S32½° W 24 lks dist. This island is covered with a heavy growth of timber

54.00 Set a post on the South bank of a large Island from which a Cottonwood 9 inches in dia bears N 6½° E. 13 links dist. also a cedar 10 inches in dia - bears N½° W 27 lks distant

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and center timber bears E. and W.

60.00 Leave timber bearing NE and SW.

80.00 Drove a charred stake and set a post, raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for corner to Sections 22, 23, 26 and 27.

Land level bottom. Soil 2nd Rate.

Timber. Cedar and Cottonwood

East on a random line between Sections 23 and 26.

Variation 12° 15' East.

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter Sec. Cor.

80.02 ~~81.00~~ a point 7 links South of the Corner to Sections 23, 24, 25 and 26, from which Corner I run West on a true line between Sections 23 and 26.

Variation 12° 18' East

.80 Drove a charred stake, set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits, as per instructions on the right bank of Platte River for meander corner to fractional

raised a mound of earth with trench and

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Sections 23 and 26

16.00 Drove a charred stake, set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Meander Corner to fractional Sections 23 and 26; on the south bank of a large Island in Platte River

40.01 Drove a charred stake and set a post as per instructions for quarter section Corner.

80.02 The Corner to Sections 22. 23. 26 and 27. Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate.

North between Sections 22 and 23

Variation 12° 18' East

40.00 Drove a charred stake, set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pits, as per instructions for quarter Section Corner.

80.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pits, as per instructions for Corner to Sections 14. 15. 22 and 23. Land level bottom. Soil 2nd Rate.

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East on a random line between Sections 14 and 23.

Variation 12° 15' East

40.00 set post for temporary quarter Sec. Corner

80.00 a point 3 links North of the Corner to Sections 13. 14. 23 and 24. from which Corner I run West on a true line between Sections 14 and 23.

Variation 12° 14' East

40.00 Drove a charred stake, set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section Corner.

80.00 the Corner to Sections 14. 15. 22 & 23 Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate.

North between sections 14 and 15

Variation 12° 20' East

40.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section Corner.

56.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised

raised a Mound of Earth with trench and

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a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions on the North bank of large Island for meander Corner to fractional Sections 14. and 15.

80.00 The point for this corner falls in river
Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate,

East between Sections 11 and 14.
(This line being in the channel of the River. I did not run it)

4 North between Sections 10 and 11 –
Variation 12° 20' East
(The River being very shallow I chained from the meander corner to fractional Sections 14 and 15. on a due North line and at 40 chains from the same I set a meander cor. to fractional sects 10. & 11 –)

16.00 Drove a charred stake ~~and~~ set a post, and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for meander Corner to fractional Sections 10 and 11

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on the left bank of Platte River

20.50 A small creek 20 links wide bears S.E.

25.00 A Road from the States to the Pacific bearing N E and West,

40.00 Drove a charred stake, set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter Section Corner.

80.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for corner to Sections 2, 3. 10 & 11.
Land level bottom. Soil 2nd Rate.

East on a random line between Sections 2 and 11
Variation 12° 15' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter Section Corner.

79.92 A point 19 links South of the corner to Sections 1. 2. 11 and 12. from which Corner I run West on a true line

raised a mound of Earth with trench and

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between Sections 2 and 11
Variation 12° 23' East

39.96 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter Section Corner.

79.92 The Corner to Sections 2. 3. 10 and 11 — Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate,

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North between Sections 2 and 3
Variation 12° 18' East

26.00 Leave bottom. and ascend bluffs bear E. and S. 10.

40.00 Drove charred stake and set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter Section Corner.

77.62 Intersected the South Standard Parallel 2. chains and 8 links East of the Corner to Sections 34. and 35 in Township 17. N. R. 2 West of the 6th Principal Meridian at which point I drove a charred stake set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Closing Corner to Sections 2 and 3.

Land Broken. Soil 3rd rate,
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North between Sections 33 and 34
Variation 12° 10' East

40.00 Drove a charred stake. set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter Section Corner.

68.50 a Road leading from the State, to the Pacific Course N.E. & S.W.

80.00 Drove a charred stake. set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Corner to Sections 27. 28. 33 and 34.

Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between Sections 27 and 34
Variation 12° 15' East

30.00 a road leading from the State, to the Pacific. bears N.E. & S.W.

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raised a Mound of Earth with trench and

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40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter Sec. Cor.
39.92 a point 7 links South of the Corner to Sections 26. 27. 34 and 35. from which Corner I am West on a true line between Sections 27 and 34

Variation 12° 18' East

39.96 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pit, as per instructions for quarter Section Corner

79.92 The Corner to Sections 27. 28. 33 and 34. Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate.

This line being in the River in less than 80 chains I ran West on a true line between Sections 28 and 33.

Variation 12° 20' East

40.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pit, as per instructions for quarter section Corner.

50.64 Drove a charred stake. set a post and raised

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a mound of Earth with trench and pit, as per instructions on the right bank of Platte River for meander corner to fractional sections 28 and 33. Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate.

North between Sections 27 and 28.

Variation 12° 10' East

27.50 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pit, as per instructions on the Right bank of ~~a large Island in~~ the Platte River, for Meander Corner to fractional Sections 27 and 28. (river being shallow I chained across

38.10 Drove a charred stake and raised a mound of Earth. set a post. and dug trench and pit as per instructions. on the South bank of a large Island in Platte River. for meander corner to fractional sections 27 and 28.

40.00 Drove a charred stake. set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and

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and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section Corner.

80.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Corner to Sections 21. 22. 27 and 28.

Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between Sections 22 and 27

Variation 12° 15' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter Section Corner

80.14 The Corner to Sections 22. 23. 26 & 27 from which Corner I run West on a true line between Sections 22 and 27

Variation 12° 15' East

40.07 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter Section Corner.

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80.14 The Corner to Sections 21. 22. 27 and 28

Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate.

North between Sections 21. and 22

Variation 12° 15' East

40.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter Sec. Corner.

80.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions, 28 links off the North bank of long Island. for Corner to Sections 15. 16. 21 and 22.

Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between Sections 15. and 22.

Variation 12° 10' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter Sec. Cor.

80.00 A point 12 links South of the Corner to Sections 14. 15. 22. and 23. from which

raised a mound of Earth with trench and

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Corner Drive West on a true line between Sections 15 and 22

Variation 12° 15' East

40.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter Section Corner.

80.00 the Corner to Sections 15. 16. 21 & 22.

Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate.

North between Sections 15 and 16.

Variation 12° 20' East

.28 Drove a charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with trench and pits as per instructions for meander corner to fractional sections 15 & 16

Chained from this Corner across Platte River and at

40.00 points for quarter section corner in the river

45.78 I drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions: on the left bank of Platte River for meander Corner to fractional Sections 15 and 16.

55.00 Right bank of Creek 98 lks wide 3½ feet deep bottom sandy runs East

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80.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for corner to Sections 9. 10. 15 and 16.

Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate.

East on a true line between Sections 10 and 15.

Variation 12° 20' East

40.00 Drove a charred stake. set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter Section Corner.

53.28 Drove a charred stake. set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions on the left bank of Platte River for meander Corner to fractional Sections 10 and 15.

Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate.

raised a mound of earth and

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North between Sections 9 and 10
Variation 12° 20' East

6.50 A small branch 15 links wide runs East
14.00 A Road leading from the States to the Pacific - bears S.W. and E -
40.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section Corner.
60.00 Leave the bottom bears E. and W.
80.00 Drove a Charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Corner to Sections 3. 4. 9 & 10.
Land first half level. 2nd half broken
Soil 2nd Rate.

East on a random line between Sections 3 and 10.
Variation 12° 20' East
40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter Sec. Cor.

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114.00 Enter bottom land - bears N.E. and S.W.
79.84 A point 15 links South of the Corner to Sections 2. 3. 10 & 11. from which Corner Drawn West on a true line between Sections 3 and 10
Variation 12° 26' East
39.92 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instruction for quarter Section Corner.
79.84 The Corner to Sections 3. 4. 9 & 10.
Land broken. Soil 2nd rate.

North between Sections 3 & 4
Variation 12° 18' East
40.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter Section Corner.
79.45 Intersected the Fourth Standard Parallel 246 links East of the Corner.

raised a Mound of Earth with trench and

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to Sections 33 & 34 in Township 17 N. R 2 W of the 6th Principal Meridian - at which point I drove a Charred Stake ~~and~~ set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Closing Corner to Sections 3 and 4.

Land broken. Soil 3rd rate,

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North between Sections 32 & 33

Variation 12° 10' East.

40.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter Section Corners.

55.25 A Road leading from the States to the Pacific bears N.E. and S.W.

69.60 Drove a charred stake ~~and~~ set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pit as per instructions for Meander Corner to fractional Sections 32 and 33. on the Right bank of Platte

80.00 The point for corner to secs 28, 29, 32 and 33 falls in river.

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Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate.

North between Sections 28 & 29.

Variation 12° 10' East

(The Corner to these Sections being in Platte River. I chained on a true North line from the meander Corner to fractional Sections 32 and 33 to the South bank of small Island and found the distance to be 15 chains and 40 links - which would give a distance of 5 chains on the line between these sections)

5.00 Drove a charred stake and set a post in Mound of Earth with trench and pit, as per instructions on the South bank of a small Island. for meander Corner to fractional Sections 28 and 29. from which Corner A cedar 10 inches in diameter bears N 12½° E 20 links distant. another cedar 8 inches in diameter bears N 68° W 17 lks distant.

11.00 Set a post on the North bank of said

raised a Mound of Earth with trench and

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Island for meander Corner to fractional Sections 28 and 29. from which a Cottonwood 14 inches in diameter bears East 45 lks distant a Cedar 12 inches in diameter bears S 64½ W 23 lks distant the said Island being covered with a fair growth of Cedar and Cottonwood

14.80 Drove a charred stake, set post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pit, as per instructions on the South bank of a large Island in Platte River for meander Corner to fractional Sections 28 and 29.

40.00 Drove a Charred stake (chained across), set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter Section Corner

80.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Corner to Sections 20. 21. 28 and 29.

Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate.

Timber Cedar and Cottonwood

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East on a random line between Sections 21 and 28

Variation 12° 15' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter Sec. Cor.

80.00 A point 3 links South of the Corner to Sections 21. 22. 27 and 28. from which Corner run West on a true line between Sections 21 and 28

Variation 12° 16' East

40.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pit as per instructions for Quarter Section Corner.

80.00 the Corner to Sections 20. 21. 28 and 29

Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate.

This line falling in the River in less than 80 chains from West on a true line between Sections 20 and 29.

Variation 12° 18' East.

35.40 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instruc-

raised a Mound of Earth with trench and

tions for meander Corner to fractional sections 20 and 29. on the North bank of said Island.
Land level bottom 2nd rate

North on a true line between Sections 20 and 21.
Variation 12° 18' East

27.80 Drove a charred stake, set post and raised a mound of Earth with pits and trenches - as per instructions on the North bank of the said Island. for meander Corner to Sec 20 and 21. The River being shallow I chained across it and at

77.50 Drove a charred stake, set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for meander Corner to fractional sections 20 and 21. on the left bank of the Platte River.

79.00 a Road bears N E & S W. from Spades to Pacific

80.00 Drove a charred stake, set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits, as per instructions for Corner to Sections

16. 17. 20 and 21
Land level bottom; soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between Sections 16 and 21.
Variation 12° 20' East

1.35 Road from States to Pacific bears N.E. and S.W.

3.35 North bank of the Platte River -

39.40 the North bank of large Island.

79.90 The Corner to sections 15. 16. 21 & 22 - from which Corner I run West on a true line between Sections 16 and 21
Variation 12° 20' East

2.50 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for meander Corner to Sections 16 and 21. on the North bank of a large Island.

39.95 being in Platte River did not setany Corner for the quarter section

76.55 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits

raised a mound of earth with trench and

as per instructions on the left bank of Platte river for meander corner to fractional sections 16 and 21.

79.90 The corner to sections 16, 17, 20 & 21 Land level bottom, Soil 2nd rate.

North between Sections 16 and 17

Variation 12° 20' East

~~From this corner Mr Harley's House bears N 33° E.~~

8.00 A Creek 30 links wide bears E.

40.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter Section Corner.

~~Mr Harley's House bearing thereon S 29° E.~~

80.00 Drove a charred stake set post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Corner to Sections 8, 9, 16 & 17 Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between Sections 9 and 16.

Variation 12° 15' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter Sec. Cor.

55.00 A Road from the States to the Pacific bears N.E. and S.W.

67.00 A small branch 10 links wide bears N.E.

79.98 A point 7 links South of the corner to Sections 9, 10, 15 and 16. from which corner Sun West on a true line between Sections 9 and 16.

Variation 12° 18' East.

39.99 Drove a charred stake. set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter Section Corner.

79.98 The corner to Sections 8, 9, 16 & 17. Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate.

North between Sections 8 and 9.

Variation 12° 20' East

40.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per

raised a Mound of Earth with trench and

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instructions for quarter Section Corner

60.50 Leave bottom and ascend bluff bear E and W

80.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth as per instructions for Corner to Sections 4. 5. 8 and 9.

Land broken. Soil 3rd rate.

East on a random line between Sections 4 and 9.

Variation 12° 15' East.

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter Section Corner

79.78 A point 16 links South of the Corner to Sections 3. 4. 9 and 10. from which Corner I run

West on a true line between Sections 4 and 9

Variation 12° 22' East

39.89 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter Section Corner.

79.78 The corner to Sections 4. 5. 8 and 9.

Land broken. Soil 3rd rate.

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North between Sections 4 and 5

Variation 12° 20' East

40.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter Section Corner.

77.42 Intersected the 4th Standard Parallel North. 2 1/4 links East of the Corner to Sections 32. and 33 in Township 17 N. R 2 W. of the 6th Principal Meridian. at which point I drove a charred Stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Closing Corner to Sections 4 and 5.

Land broken. Soil 3rd rate.

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North between Sections 31 and 32

Variation 12° 10' East

29.00 A Road from the States to the Pacific bears N.E and S.W.

40.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits

raised a Mound of Earth with trench and

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as per instructions for quarter Section Corner
73.20 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a Mound of Earth as per instructions on the right bank of Platte River for meander corner to Sections 31 and 32.
80.00 Cor to secs 29.30.31 & 32 in river
Land gently rolling bottom 2nd rate

East on a random line between Sections 29 and 32

This line being entirely in Platte River I did not run it.

West on a random line between Sections 30 and 31

Variation 12° 15' East.

This corner being in Platte River and the River being very shallow. I established a temporary corner thereon and chained up the River to the South bank of a large Island. and at
12.22 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pits for meander corner to fractional sections 30 and 31 on the South bank of said Island.
40.00 Set post for temporary quarter Section Corner

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76.75 Intersected the West boundary of the Township at the corner to Sections 30 and 31. from which corner I run East on a true line between Sections 30 and 31.

Variation 12° 15' East

36.75 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Quarter Section Corner.
64.58 The meander Corner above described —
Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate,

North between Sections 29 and 30.

Variation 12° 10' East

The corner to these sections being in Platte River and it being very shallow I established a temporary Corner by chaining from the meander Corner to Sections 31 and 32. and at 10 chains from that Corner I struck the South bank of a large Island in the Platte River which would give a distance of 3 chains and 20 links on the line between these sections

raised a Mound of Earth with trench and

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5.20 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions on the South bank of a large Island, for meander corner to Sections 29 & 30.

40.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section Corner,

67.80 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions; on North bank of said large Island, for meander corner to fractional sections 29 and 30.

80.00 Cor to secs 19, 20 29 & 30 in river
Land bottom and level. Soil 2nd rate,

West between sections 19 & 30.
This line being in the bed of Platte River I did not survey it —

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North between sections 19 and 20
Variation 12° 18' East
This corner being in Platte River and it being very shallow. I chained North from the meander corner to fractional sections 29 and 30. across the said River and at 36. chains and 45 links I struck the Left bank of the Platte River, which would give for the distance on the line between these sections 24. chains & 25 links

24.25 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions on the Left bank of Platte River for meander corner to fractional sections 19 and 20 —

26.00 A Road leading from the States to the Pacific bears N.E. & S.W.

~~44.50 A Creek 1.30 links wide bears N.E.~~

40.00 Drove a charred stake, set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section Corner,

raised a mound of Earth with trench and

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44.50 A creek 130 links wide runs E.
80.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Corner to Sections 17. 18. 19 & 20
Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between Sections 17 and 20.
Variation 12° 15' East
37.00 A creek 130 links wide bears N.E.
40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section Corner
79.96 A point 12 links South of the Corner to Sections 16. 17. 20 & 21. from which Corner I run
West on a true line between Sections 17 and 20.
Variation 12° 20' East
39.98 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and pit as per instructions for quarter section corner.
79.96 The corner to Sections 17. 18. 19 & 20.
Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate.

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West on a random line between Sections 18 & 19
Variation 12° 15' East
3.25 A large creek 130 links wide bears S.
40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section Corner
52.00 A creek 130 links wide bears N.E.
56.00 Same creek 130 links wide bears S.E.
76.58 Intersected the Western boundary of the Township 7 links South of the Corner to Sections 18 and 19. from which Corner I run
East on a true line between Sections 18 & 19
Variation 12° 12' East
36.58 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section Corner.
76.58 The corner to Sections 17. 18. 19. and 20.
Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate.

North between Sections 17 and 18
Variation 12° 20' East
40.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a Mound of Earth with trench and

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pits as per instructions for quarter Section Corner

80.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Corner to Sections 7. 8. 17. & 18.

Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate.

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East on a random line between Sections 8 and 17.

Variation 12° 15' East.

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter Sec. Cor.

79.92 A point 16 links South of the Corner to Sections 8. 9. 16 and 17. from which Corner Run West on a true line between Sections 8 and 17.

Variation 12° 22' East

39.96 Drove a charred stake set post. and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter Section Corner

79.92 The Corner to Sections 7. 8. 17 and 18.

Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate.

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West on a random line between Sections 7 and 18.

Variation 12° 15' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter Sec. Cor.

76.62 Intersected the Western boundary of the Township at a point 5 links South of the Corner to Sections 7. & 18. from which Corner Run East on a true line between Sections 7 and 18

Variation 12° 15' East

36.62 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth as per instructions for quarter Section Corner.

76.62 The Corner to Sections 7. 8. 17 & 18.

Land level bottom. Soil 2nd rate.

North between Sections 7 and 8

Variation 12° 20' East

38.00 Leave bottom and ascend bluff bear E. N.E. and S.E.

40.00 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits

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as per instructions for quarter section Corner

80.00 Drove a charred stake. set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for Corner to Sections 5. 6. 7 & 8.

Land broken. Soil 3rd rate.

Easton a random line between Sections 5. and 8.

Variation 12° 25' East.

40.00 set a post for temporary quarter sec. Cor.

79.75 a point 9 links South of the Corner to Sections 4. 5. 8 and 9. from which Corner Some West on a true line between Sections 5 & 8

Variation 12° 24' East

39.87½ Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section Corner.

79.75 The Corner to Sections 5. 6. 7 and 8

Land broken Soil 3rd rate.

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West on a random line between sections 6 and 7

Variation 12° 10' East

40.00 Set post for temporary quarter section corner

76.59 Intersected West boundary of the Township 5 chs N. of the corner to sections 6 and 7 from which corner Run East on a true line between sections 6 and 7

Variation 12° 12' East

36.59 Drove a charred stake set a post and raised a mound of Earth with trench and pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

76.59 The corner to section 5, 6, 7 and 8

Land broken soil 3rd rate

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North between sections 5 and 6
Variation 12°20' East

4,00 From charred stake set post and raised mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for quarter sec. cor.

77,28 Intersected 4th Standard parallel North 3 chains and 11 links East of the corner to sections 31 and 32 in Township 17 N. R 2 W. of the 6th Principal Meridian at which point I drove a charred stake raised a mound of earth with bench and pits as per instructions for closing corner to sections 5 and 6

Land broken soil 3rd Rate

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Meanders of Right bank of Platte river through the Township.

Begin at the corner to fractional sections 31 and 36 on the West boundary of the Township and on the right and S.E bank of the river, and run thence down stream with the meanders of the Right Bank of said river in fractional section 31, as follows: viz

Course	Distance	Remarks
		Variation 12°30' East
N 54½ E	6,00 chs	✓
N 65½ E	5,00	✓
N 67½ E	15,00	✓
N 72 E	4,00	✓
N 57½ E	6,40	✓
N 69 E	6,00	✓
N 61 E	30,80	✓
N 79¼ E	11,68	✓ To meander corner to fractional sections 31 and 32, thence,

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Courses	Distances	Remarks
S85½ E	7.00chs	in section 32 Variation 12°30' East
N80 E	15.00	
S55¾ E	10.00	
S75 E	15.00	
S84 E	11.00	
N65 E	7.00	
N83¼ E	18.50	To meander corner to fractional sections 32 and 33; thence,
N81 E	15.00	in section 33 Variation 12°30' East
N62¾ E	16.50	To meander corner to fractional sections 28 and 33; thence,
N58 E	4.40	in section 28 Variation 12°30' East
N56½ E	14.00	
N61 E	21.00	
N66¼ E	18.20	To meander corner to fractional sections 27 and 28; thence,
N68 E	3.00	in section 27 Variation 12°30' East
N85 E	27.00	
S85¼ E	4.00	

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Courses	Distances	Remarks
S69 E	19.00chs	
N85¼ E	15.00	
N54½ E	14.90	To meander corner to fractional sections 26 and 27; thence,
N73½ E	29.00	in section 26 Variation 12°30' East
S80 E	5.00	
N56½ E	35.00	
N38¾ E	14.00	
N63¾ E	8.00	
N15¼ E	4.98	To meander corner to fractional sections 23 and 26 thence
N37 E	1.40	in section 23, Variation 12°30' East, To meander corner to fractional sections 23 and 24 thence
N64¾ E	35.00	in section 24 Variation 12°30' East
N81 E	15.00	To scattering timber along bank
N50¾ E	17.00	
S76¼ E	6.00	
N34 E	16.00	
N52¼ E	7.00	To meander corner to fraction-

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Course	Distance	Remarks
		al sections 19 and 24 on Range line.
		Land along the right bank of Platte river, rolling Good 2nd rate not subject to inundation
		Along the 4 last courses in section 24 there are some scattering cottonwood trees.

Field notes of the survey of a small Island partly in section 24 in this Township

From Meander corner to fractional sections 19 and 24 on the S. bank of the Island Run, as follows:

West	2,30 chs	in section 24 Variation 12° 30' East
N 35½ W	1,50	
N 67½ E	3,22	To meander corner to fractional

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Course	Distance	Remarks
		sections 19 and 24 on N. bank of the Island
		Land level soil rich subject to inundation
		Timber Cottonwood - under growth same and willow.

Field notes of the survey of a large Island in Platte river

From Meander corner to fractional sections 19 and 24 on S.E bank of the Island, Run as follows:

S 64½ W	10,00 chs	in section 24 Variation 12° 30' East
S 44 W	20,00	Foot of small Island average width 2 chs; 15 chs long covered with young willow and Cottonwood. bears:
S 57½ W	19,00	Foot of same Island bears N 87 E
		~~Head of same Island bears S 32 E~~
S 35½ W	11,00	Head of same Island bears S 7½ E

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Course	Distance	Remarks
S60 W	20.00 chs	✓
S55½ W	15.88	To meander corner to fractional sections 23 and 24 thence
S70 W	10.00 ✓	in section 23 Variation 12°½ East
S47½ W	9.50 ✓	At 2 chs leave scattering timber To corner to fractional sections 23 and 26 Land along fractional sections 23 and 24 level and rich not subject to inundation Timber very scattering Cottonwood Meanders in section 26 Variation 12° 50' East
S75¾ W	17.00 ✓	At 5 chs enter scattering timber
S61¼ W	15.00 ✓	
S50½ W	19.00 ✓	
S82¼ W	20.14 ✓	To meander corner to fractional sections 26 and 27 thence, Variation 12° 30' East
West	11.00 ✓	in section 27. At 9.50 chs leave timber bears N.E and S.W.

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Course	Distance	Remarks
S67¾ W	14.00 chs	✓
S63½ W	15.00	✓
W	22.00	✓
S85½ W	22.18 ✓	To Meander corner to fractional sections 27 and 28 from which Foot of small Island 18 chs long average width 3.00 chs covered with young cottonwood and subject to inundation — bears S45¾ W thence Variation 12° 30' East
S75 W	13.00 ✓	in section 28. Foot of same Island bears S2½ E
S76 W	15.00 ✓	Head of same Island bears S14 W.
S52½ W	12.00 ✓	Head of same Island bears S72¾ E Foot of another Island 15 chs long average width 2.50 chs covered with young cottonwood and willow and subject to inundation. bears S26¼ E

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Courses	Distances	Remarks
S57 W	9.00chs	Foot of same Island bears S84 E
		Head of same Island bears S21½ W
West	12.00	Head of same Island bears S50 E
S85½ W	11.00	
S76½ W	13.06	To meander corner to fractional
		sections 28 and 29 thence
S81 W	6.00	in section 29 Variation 12° 30' East
N75 W	10.00	
S84½ W	23.00	
S79½ W	21.00	
S75½ W	20.28	To meander corner to fractional
		sections 29 and 30 thence in
S66¼ W	13.25	Variation 12° 30' East section 30. To Meander corner
		to fractional sections 30 and 31 thence
S76 W	8.00	in section 31 Variation 12° 30' East
S71¾ W	14.00	
61½ S61½ W	19.00	
S59 W	10.00	
S63¾ W	19.76	To meander corner to fractional

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Courses	Distances	Remarks
		sections 31 and 36
		Land along S. bank of large
		Island gently rolling good
		2nd rate, not subject to in
		undation
		Along fractional section 26
		there is a very heavy body of
		Cedar and Cottonwood timber.
		undergrowth of same and
		willow.
		May 19th 1861
		From the corner to fractional sec-
		tions 25 and 30 on Range line
		and on N. bank of the Island
		I meander as follows:
N84 E	27.00chs	in section 30. Variation 12° 30' East
N87½ E	17.00	
N73¾ E	19.00	
N52 E	18.22	To meander corner to fractional

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Courses	Distances	Remarks
		sections 29 and 30; thence,
N64¾ E	10.00 chs	in section 29 Variation 12°30' East
N79½ E	7.00	
N83½ E	17.00	
N65¾ E	12.30	To meander corner to fractional
		sections 20 and 29; thence,
N43 E	19.00	in section 20 Variation 12°30' East
N65¾ E	11.00	
N55¾	15.80	To meander corner to fractional
		sections 20 and 21; thence,
N63¾ E	39.00	in section 21 Variation 12°30' East
N74¾ E	7.00	
N57 E	28.00	
N41 E	22.46	To meander corner to fractional
		sections 16 and 21; thence,
N62½ E	.56	in section 16 Variation 12°30' East. To meander corner
		to fractional sections 15 and 16.
N66¾ E	26.00	in section 15 Variation 12°30' East
N56¼ E	16.00	

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Courses	Distances	Remarks
N35½ E	20.00 chs	
N64 E	21.00	
N50 E	13.00	
N47¼ E	3.48	To meander corner to fractional
		sections 14 and 15; thence,
N62½ E	10.00	in section 14 Variation 12°30' East
N70¾ E	13.00	
N82¼ E	25.00	
N85 E	12.00	
East	8.00	At 1.00 chs Enter timber bears E.b.S. and W.b.N.
N80 E	14.08	To meander corner to fractional
		sections 13 and 14; thence,
S76¼ E	9.00	in section 13 Variation 12°30' East
S55½ E	15.00	
S71¼ E	17.00	
S86 E	22.00	
S82¾ E	12.00	at 5.00 chs leave scattering timber
N67 E	9.36	To meander corner to fractional
		sections

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Courses	Distances	Remarks
		13 and 18 on Range line
		Land along North bank of large
		Island gently rolling; soil
		good 2nd rate not subject
		to mundation
		Banks 7 feet high - bluff
		and sloping from the river towards
		S. bank of the Island.
		Timber Cottonwood
		Field notes of the survey of a small
		Island wholly in section 26
		in this Township
		From meander corner to frac-
		tional sections 23 and
		26 on S. bank of large Island
		Run S 25½ W 6.00 chs to small
		Island 3.50 chs long 2.50 chs wide
		covered with young cottonwood

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Courses	Distances	Remarks
		and willow; subject to
		mundation; thence S 25½ W.
		12 chs from place of beginning
		to a point on foot of Island
		at which point I drove
		a charred stake set a post
		and raised a mound of Earth
		with kenchand pits as
		per instructions for mean-
		der corner.
		From Meander corner I run
		around the Island as follows
		Variation 12° 30' East
S 27 W	9.00 chs	in sec 26
S 61½ W	10.00	
S 55½ W	8.00	
West	4.00	
N 68 W	4.00	
N 38 E	6.00	
N 29½ E	8.00	

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Course	Distances	Remarks
N 54½ E	9.00 chs	
N 73½ E	8.00	
S 51 E	6.75	To meander corner and place of beginning
		This Island has been heavily timbered with Cedar and Cottonwood Timber has been cleared off and the Island is now in cultivation Soil is very rich; not subject to inundation

Field Notes of the survey of a small Island in fractional sectional sections 26 and 27 — in Platte river From Meander corner to fractional sections 26 and 27 on N. bank of the Island & meander around the Island as follows:

N 79½ E	9.00	in section 26 Variation 12° 30' East

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Course	Distances	Remarks
N 83 E	9.00 chs	
S 27½ W	1.20	
S 51½ W	9.00	
S 73½ W	10.45	To meander corner to fractional sections 26 and 27 on S. bank of the Island in section 27 Variation 12° 35' East
S 65½ W	10.00	
S 56 W	11.00	
West	9.40	
N 41½ W	3.10	
N 26½ E	2.20	
N 63¾ E	9.00	
N 47¾ E	9.00	
N 70 E	8.00	
N 84½ E	6.46	To meander corner to fractional sections 26 and 27 on N. bank of the Island, and place of beginning This Island is heavily timbered with Cedar Cottonwood and Ash, soil very rich, not overflown.

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Field notes of the survey of a small Island in Platte river in sections 28 and 29

From meander corner to fractional sections 28 and 29 on N. bank of the Island I meander around the Island as follows

in section 28 Variation 12° 30' East

N 8¼ E 16.00 chains thence

East 10.00 " "

S 32¼ E 1.40 " "

S 66¾ E 12.00 " "

S 82¾ E 16.00 To meander corner to fractional sections 28 and 29 on S. bank of the Island and thence in section 29

S 87¼ E 11.00 chains thence Variation 12° 30' East

S 72¼ E 7.00 " "

S 8¾ E 20.00 " "

N 62¼ E 6.00 " "

North 3.00 " "

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N 74¼ E 19.00 chains thence

East 10.00 " "

S 75 E 8.00 " "

N 84¼ E 6.80 To meander corner to fractional sections 28 and 29 on N. bank of the Island and place of commencement

Land level and rich not subject to inundation

Timber Cedar cottonwood and Ash

undergrowth same and willow.

~~Field notes of the survey of a smal Island in Platte river laying partly in section 31~~

~~From Meander corner to fractional section 31 and 36 on Range line and N bank of the Island I run as follows~~

~~East 4.00 chains in section 31 Variation 12° 30' East thence~~

~~S 45 E .30 chs thence~~

~~S 62 E .50 " "~~

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S 85 W 3.82 chains to meander corner to fractional sections 31 and 36 on S. bank of the Island.

Land level and very rich, not subject to inundation

Timber Oak and Cottonwood

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Meanders of the left bank of Platte ~~of Platte~~ river through the Township

Begin at the Meander corner to fractional sections 19 and 24 on the West boundary of the Township and on the left and N. W. bank of the river and run thence down stream with the meanders of the left bank of said river, in fractional section 19, as follows:

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Courses	Distances	Remarks
		Variation 12°30' East
N73 E	13.00 chs	✓
N82 E	7.00	✓

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Courses	Distances	Remarks
N74 E	9.00 chs	✓
N81 E	11.00	✓
N70 E	19.80	✓
N81 E	8.00	✓
N69½ E	12.50	To meander corner to fractional sections 19 and 20 thence
N65 E	13.00	✓ in section 20 Variation 12°30' East
N55½ E	9.00	✓
N61 E	9.00	✓
N54½ E	4.00	✓
N58½ E	9.40	✓
N59 E	15.78	✓ To meander corner to fractional sections 20 and 21 thence
N52¾ E	4.20	✓ in section 21, Variation 12°30' East to meander corner to fractional sections 16 and 21
N59 E	38.00	✓ in section 16 Variation 12°30' East
N67 E	13.00	✓
N63 E	7.00	✓
N88 E	4.00	✓

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Courses	Distances	Remarks
N48 E	7.00 chs	
N58 E	16.00	
N46½ E	4.81	To meander corner to fractional sections 15 and 16 thence
N46½ E	9.00	in section 15 Variation 12° 30' East
N26 E	2.10	At 50 lks mouth of Creek 150 lks wide comes
N54½ E	34.00	from West
N69½ E	16.00	
N47½ E	4.20	To meander corner to fractional sections 10 and 15 thence
N47½ E	7.00	in section 10 Variation 12° 30' East
N59¼ E	14.00	
N53 E	6.30	
N77¼ E	3.80	
N42½ E	.70	To meander corner to fractional sections 10 and 11 thence
N66 E	3.50	in section 11 Var 12.30 E To mouth of small Creek 45 lks wide comes from West

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Courses	Distances	Remarks
N51 E	6.30	
N68 E	37.80	
S74 E	21.00	
S87¾ E	15.00	
S71½ E	1.54	To meander corner to fractional sections 11 and 12 thence
S71½ E	10.00	in section 12 Variation 12° 30' East
S63½ E	18.00	
S82¾ E	9.50	
N74½ E	11.00	
N87½ E	10.00	
S75 E	12.50	
S85¾ E	6.70	
N80½ E	4.47	To meander corner to fractional sections 7 and 12 on Range line Land along the left bank of Platte river in this Township level and dry soil 2nd rate not subject to inundation

May 21st 1861

General Description

This Township is traversed from East to West by Platte river in the middle of which is a large Island which likewise extends across the whole Township.

There is no timber in the Township except what is on the Islands some of the smaller ones of which are densely timbered with Cedar and Cottonwood and some Ash

The greater part of the Township is in Platte bottom the surface of which is mostly gently rolling; soil good 2d. rate. The Uplands are broken and very inferior in quality.

List of Names

A list of the names of the individuals employed to assist in running, measuring and marking the lines and corners described in the foregoing field notes of Township 16 North of Range 2 West of the 6th Principal Meridian, showing the respective capacities in which they acted

Edwin Burwell	Chainman
Benton Sloan	Chainman
William Burwell	Flagman
Michael Hickey	Flagman
Edward Stapelton	Axeman
James Kennedy	Axeman
Franklin Bacon Burwell	Axeman
Milo W. Gallagher	Compassman

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The foregoing Field Notes of the Survey of the Subdivision and Meander lines of Township Nº 16 North of Range 2 West of the 6th P. M. in Nebraska Territory executed by William S. Spalding under his Contract of the 5th day of September 1860 in the month of May 1861 having been critically examined the necessary corrections and explanations made the said Field Notes and the Surveys they describe are hereby approved

Mark W. Delahay
Surveyor General

Township 16 S. R 2 W. 6th PM

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