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Township 9 N. Range
the 6th Principal Meridian in
the Territory of Nebraska by
John B. Irwin and Marcenus
Cram deputy Surveyors under
first joint contract No. 312 bearing
date the 21st day of March
1865.

Compared

Survey

Commenced June 3rd 1865

Completed June 8th 1865.

Surveyed by John B. Irwin

Township No 9 N. R 8 W 6 P M

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Township No. 9 N. Range No. 8 W. 6 P. M.

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By John B. Irvin

Township No 9 North R. 8 W 6 P M

Field notes of the Subdivision lines in Township No 9 N Range No 8 W. of the 6 Principal Meridian

Chains To determine the proper adjustment of my Compass for Subdividing this Township I commenced at the Corner to Township 9 N. on 2d Standard parallel N. Ranges 7 and 8 W. and run North on a blank line along the East boundary of Section 36. Va 12°40' East

40,02 To a point 5 links west of the quarter Section Corner

80 03 To a point 12 links west of the Corner to Sections 25 and 36

To retrace this line or run parallel thereto my Compass must be adjusted to a variation of 12°35'

Subdivision Commenced June 3 1865

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From the corner to Sections 35 and 36 on the South Boundary of the Township, I run North between Sections 35 and 36

Va 12° 35' East

40.00 Set post deposited Charred Stake and raised Mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set post deposited Charred Stake and raised Mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Sections 25, 26, 35 and 36

Land level Prairie Soil 2d rate

East on a random line between Sections 25 and 36

Va 12° 35' East

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.

79.95 Intersected East Boundary of Township 4 links South of post Corner to Sections 25 and 36 from which corner, I run S. 89° 58' W. on a true line between Sections 25 and 36

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Va. 12° 35 E

39.97½ Set post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter Section Corner.

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

Land rolling prarie Soil 2nd rate.

North between Sections 25 and 26

Va. 12° 35 East.

11.20 A brook 4 links wide runs N. E.

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

80.00 Set post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of with pits as per instructions for corner 23. 24. 25 and 26.

Land broken prarie Soil 3rd rate

East on a random line between Sections 24 and 25

Township 9 N. Range 8 W of the 6th P. M.

Va 12° 35 East

36.20 A Brook 4 lks wide runs N.E.
40.00 Set a post for a temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.06 Intersect East Boundary of the Township 5 links South of Post Corner to Section 24 and 25 from which corner Iron South 89° 58 West on a true line between Section 24 and 25.—

Va 12° 35 East

40.03 Set post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

~~40.80~~ A Brook ~~4 links wide~~ runs N.E.

80.06 The corner to Sections 23. 24. 25 and 26.

Land broken prarie; Soil 3rd rate

North between section 23 and 24
Va - 12° 35 East

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40.00 Set post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

70.00 A drain runs East

80.00 Set post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Sections 13, 14, 23 and 24.

Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between Sections 13 and 24

Va 12° 35 East

16.90 A Drain 4 yds S.E.
40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter Section corner
67.90 a brook 7 links wide runs N.E.
80.20 Intersect East Boundary of the Township 8 links South of corner to Sections 13 and 24 from which corner Iron South 89° 57 West on a true line between section 13 and 24.—

Va 12° 35 East

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~~16.90~~ ~~A Brook 8 links wide runs N.E.~~

40.10 Set post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as pr instructions for quarter section corner.

~~[illegible]~~ ~~A drain bears S.E.~~

80.20 The corner to Sections 13.14.23 and 24.

Land rolling prarie Soil 2nd rate

North between section 13 and 14

Va 12° 35 E

25.20 A drain bears S.E.

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.00 Set posts, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corners to sections 11.12.13 and 14

Land rolling prarie Soil 2nd rate

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East, on a random line between Section 12 and 13.

Va 12° 35. East

40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter Section Corner.

80.10 Intersect East Boundary of the Township 12 Links South of the corner to Section 12 and 13. from which corner I run

South 89° 55 West on a true line between Section 12 and 13

Va 12° 35. E

40.05 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corners.

80.10 The corner to Section 11.12 13 and 14.

Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate.

North between section 11 and 12

Va 12° 35. E

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40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 1-2-11 and 12.

Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between section 1 and 12.

Va 12° 35 East

40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section Corner.

80.07 Intersect East Boundary of the Township 15 Links South of corner to Sections 1 and 12 from which corner Trees

South 89° 54 West on a true line between Sections 1 and 12

Va 12° 35. E

Township 9 N. Range 8 W of the 6th P. M.

40.03½ Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section Corner.

80.07 The Corner to section 1-2-11 and 12-

Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate.

North on a random line between sections 1 and 2.

Va 12. 35. E

40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section Corner.

80.12 Intersect the North Boundary of Township 36 Links West of corner to sections 1 and 2 from which corner Trees

South 0. 15' West on a true line between section 1 and 2.

Va 12° 35 E

40.12 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section Corners.

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80.12 The corner to section 1.2. 11 and 12
Land Level prarie; Soil 2nd rate.
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North between Sections 34 and 35
Va 12. 35 East
06.00 Enter brook 7 links wide running North from East
26.50 leave same brook 7 links wid running N. E.
40.00 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.
80.00 Set a post. deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corners to sections 26. 27. 34 and 35
Land rolling; Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between Sections 26 and 35.
Va. 12°. 35 - E
40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.
43.90 A Brook 6 links wide runs N. E.
80.10 Intersect ~~East Boundary of the~~ the N. and S. line

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~~Township~~ 11 links South of Post corner to sections 25. 26. 35 and 36 ~~26 and 35~~ from which corner I run
South - 89° 55 W on a true line between section 26 & 35.
Va 12° 35. E
40.05 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as pr instructions for quarter section corner.
~~[illegible]~~ ~~A Brook running N. E. [illegible]~~
80.10 The corner to sections 26. 27 34 and 35
Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate.

North between Sections 26 and 27
Va 12° 35 East
40.00 Set a post. deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

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80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 22. 23 26 and 27.
Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between sections 23 and 26.
Va 12° 35. East

40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.

79.90 Intersected North and South line 10 links South of Post corner to section 23, 24 " 25 and 26 ~~and 26~~ from which corner Prun

South 89° 56 West on a true line between section 23 & 26.
Va 12° 35 E

39.95 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corners.

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79.90 The corner to sections 22. 23 26 and 27.
Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd Rate.

North between Sections 22 and 23
Va 12. 35 E

40.00 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as pr instruction for quarter section corner.

59.60 A Drain bearing East.

80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as pr instructions for corners to sections 14. 15. 22 and 23.
Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between sections 14 and 23
Va 12° 35 East

40.00. Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.

79.92 Intersected North and South line 30 Links South of Post corner

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to sections 13 " 23 & 24 14 ~~and 23~~. from which corner Trun

South 89° 47 West on a true line between sections 14 and 23.

Va 12. 35

39.96 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corners.

79.92 The corner to sections 14. 15 22 and 23.

Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate.

North between sections 14 and 15

Va. 12. 35. E

40.00 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ~~corners to sections 10. 11. 14 and 15~~ quarter section corner

48.00 A drain bearing S. E.

80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for

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corners to sections 10. 11. 14 and 15.

Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between Sections 11 and 14.

Va 12. 35. E

40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.

79.97 Intersected North and South line 15 Links South of Post Corner to sections 11 12 " 13 & 14 ~~and 14~~ from which corner Trun

South 89° 54' West on a true line between sections 11 and 14

Va. 12. 35. E

39.98½ Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corners.

79.97 The corner to sections 10. 11. 14 and 15 — 3

Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate

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North between Sections 10 and 11
Va. 12° 35. E

40.00 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instruction for quarter Section Corner.

80.00 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instruction for corner to sections 2. 3. 10 and 11.
Land rolling prarie, Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between between sections 2 and 11
Va 12. 35. E

40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section Corner.

80.10 Intersect N. & S. line 10 links N of the corner to sections 1. 2. 11 and 12 from which corner Iron
North 89° 56 West on a true line between sections 2 and 11
Va. 12. 35. E

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40.25 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instruction for quarter section corner.

80.10 The corner to Section 2. 3. 10 and 11
Land rolling prarie, Soil 2nd rate.

North on a random line between sections 2 and 3.
Va 12. 35. E

40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.

80.20 Intersect the North Boundary of the Township 30 Sixth West of the corner to sections 2 and 3 from which corner Iron South 0 13' West on a true line between section 2 and 3. Va. 12° 35' East

40.20 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

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80.20 The Corner to sections 2. 3. 10 and 11. -

Land level prarie; Soil 1st rate.

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North between sections 33 and 34

Va 12. 35. E

05.10 Enter Brook 5 link wide runs North from S. M.

12.30 Leave Brook running S. E. 5 link wide

40.00 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section Corner.

80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 27. 28. 33 and 34.

Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between sections 27 and 34.

Va- 12° 35. E

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner.

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37.50 A drain running S. E.

79.90 Intersect North and South line 10 links North of the Post Corner to section 26. 27, 34 and 35 from which corner I runs N 89° 56 West on a true line between sections 27 and 34.

Va 12. 35. E

39.97 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner

79.96 The corner to section 27. 28 33 and 34 -

Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate.

North between sections 27 and 28

Va- 12° 35 - E

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

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42.50 A Drain running S.E.
80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 21. 22. 27 and 28
Land rolling prarie Soil 2nd rate

East, on a random line between sections 22 and 27
Va. 12° 35. East
40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.
80.06 Intersected North and South line 25 Links N of Post corner to sections 22. 23. 26 and 27 from which corner Iron
North 89° 49 West on a true line between section 22 and 27
Va - 12. 35. E
40.03 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for

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quarter section corner.
80.06 The corner to sections 21 22 27 and 28 -
Land rolling prarie Soil 2nd rate.

North, between sections 21 and 22
Va - 12° 35. E
40.00 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner
80.00 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 15. 16. 21 and 22
Land rolling prarie Soil 2nd rate.

East - on a random line between section 15 and 22.
Va 12. 35 East
40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.

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79.97 ~~39.98½~~ Intersected North and South line 8 Links North of the corner to Sections 14.15 22 and 23 from which corner Trun N 89° 57 West on a true line between Sections 15 and 22.

Va 12.35.E

39.98½ Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instruction for quarter section Corner

79.97 The corner to Section 15.16.21 and 22.

Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate.

North between Sections 15 and 16

Va 12.35 East

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

53.50 A Drain running N.E.

~~64.20 A drain running E.~~

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80.00 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to section 9.10.15 and 16.

Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between Sections 10 and 15.

Va 12° 35 East.

26.10 A Drain ~~running~~ N.E.

38.10 Same drain running S.E.

40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

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80.06 Intersect North and South line 27 Links North of the corner to sections 10.11.14 and 15 from which corner Trun

North 89° 48 West on a true line between Sections 10 and 15

Va 12.35.E

40.03 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for.

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Township 9 N. Range 8. W of the 6th P.M.

	quarter Section Corner.		
80.06	The Corner to Section 9. 10. 15 and 16. Land Rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate.		
	North between Sections 9 and 10 Va 12. 35 East		
40.00	Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.		
80.00	Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instuction for corner to Sections 3. 4. 9. and 10. Land Rolling prarie Soil 2nd rate		
	East on a random line between section 3 and 10. Va - 12. 35. East		
40.00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.		
		79.92	Intersected North and South line 15 Links North of the corner to sections 2. 3. 10 and 11 from which corner Bears North 89° 54 West on a true line between Section 3 and 10 Va 12° 35 East
		39.96	Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter Section Corner
		79.92	The Corner to Sections 3. 4. 9 and 10. Land Broken prarie; Soil 3rd rate.
			North on a random line between Sections 3 and 4. Va 12. 35. E
		40.00	Set a post for a temporary quarter Section Corner.
		79.96	Intersected the North Boundary of Township 27 Links West of Post corner to Sections 3 and 4 from

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which corner Iron
South 6' 12' West on a true
line between Sections 3 and 4.
Va 12° 35 East
39.96 Set a post deposited Charred Stake
and raised mound of earth, with pit,
as per instructions for quarter
section corner
79.96 The Corner to Sections 3. 4. 9 and 10.
Land Rolling Prairie, 2nd Rate.
Survey Completed June 6th 1865

North between Sections 32 and 33
Va - 12. 35 East
37.15 A Drain 5 link wide running S.E.
40.00 Set a post, deposited charred Stake
and raised mound of earth with
pits as per instructions for quarter
section Corner.
80.00 Set a post, deposited charred Stake
and raised mound of earth with
pits as per instructions for Corner
to sections 28. 29. 32 and 33
Land Broken Prairie; Soil 2nd Rate.

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East on a random line between
Sections 28 and 33
Va 12. 35. E
40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter
Section Corner.
79.98 Intersect North and South line
6 Links South of post corner to
Sections 27. 28. 33 and 34 from
which corner Iron
South 89° 57' West on a true
line between Section 28 and 33.
Va 12. 35 East
39.99 Set a post deposited charred Stake
and raised mound of earth with
pits as per instruction for quarter
Section Corner.
79.98 The Corner to Sections 28 29
32 and 33
Land Broken Prairie; Soil 3rd Rate.

North between Sections 28 and 29
Va - 12. 35 East

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40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to section 20. 21. 28 and 29.

Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between 21 and 28

Va - 12. 35. East.

40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.

80.09 Intersect North and South line 8 links North of post corner to sections 21. 22. 27 and 28 from which corner I run

North 89° 57 West on a true line between sections 21 and 28

Va 12. 35. E

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40.04½ Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.09 The corner to section 20. 21. 28 and 29

Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate.

North between section 20 and 21

Va 12. 35 East

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.00 Set a post, depost charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 16. 17 20 and 21

Land Rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between Sections 16 and 21

Va - 12. 35 East.

40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.

27.70 A Drain running N. E.

80.07 Intersected North and South line 10 Links North of post Corner to Sections 15. 16. 21 and 22 from which corner I run

North 89° 56 West on a true line between sections 16 and 21.

Va. 12. 35 East.

40.03½ Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.07 The corner to Sections 16. 17. 20 and 21
Land rolling prairie; 2nd rate

North between Section 16 and 17
Va 12. 35 East.

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with

pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

52.10 A Drain running S. E.

80.00 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 8. 9. 16 and 17
Land rolling prairie; 2nd rate.

East on a random line between sections 9 and 16.

29.60 adjusted Va 12 Lins 35 East South East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter Section corner.

~~50.10 A Drain running~~ S. E.

79.95 Intersected North and South line 15 Links South of post corner to sections 9. 10. 15 and 16. from which corner I run

South 89° 54 West on a true line between sections 9 and 16.

Va. 12. 35 East.

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39.97½	Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.
79.95	The corner to sections 8. 9. 16 and 17 Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate.

North between sections 8 and 9
Va. 12° 35 East

40.00	Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.
56.10	A Drain running S. E.
80.00	Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 4. 5. 8 and 9 Land Broken prarie; Soil 3rd rate.

East on a random line between sections 4 and 9
Va. 12. 35 East

40.00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.
79.97	Intersected North and South line 3 Links North of post Corner to sections 3. 4. 9 and 10 from which corner Iron North 89° 59 West on a true line between sections 4 and 9. Va 12. 35. E
39.98½	Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.
79.97	The Corner to Sections 4. 5. 8 and 9 Land rolling prarie Soil 2nd rate.

North on a random line between Sections 4 and 5.
Va 12. 35 East

40.00	Set a post for a temporary quarter Section Corner.
79.85	Intersect the North Boundary

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of Township 10 Links West of Post Corner to sections 4 and 5 from which corner Irun

South 0.4' West on a true line between sections 4 and 5.

Va 12°-35.

39.85 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corners.

79.85 The corner to sections 4. 5. 8 and 9.

Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate.

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North between sections 31 and 32

Va 12. 35.

2.30 A Drain running S. E.

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner —

80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 29. 30. 31 and 32.

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Land Rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between Section 29 and 32

Va 12. 35 East

40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.

80.04 Intersect North and South line 7 Links South of post corner to sections 28. 29. 32 & 33 from which corner Irun

South 89° 57 West on a true line between sections 29 and 32

Va 12. 35 East

40.02 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.04 The corner to sections 29. 30. 31 and 32 —

Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate.

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From 7th 1865

West on a random line between sections 30 and 31.

Va 12. 35. East

40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.

78.72 Intersect the West'n Boundary of Township 12 Links North of Post Corner to Sections 30 and 31 from which Corner Iron

North 89° 55 East on a true line between Sections 30 and 31.

Va 12. 35 East

38.72 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

78.72 The Corner to Sections 29 30 31 and 32

Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate.

North between Sections 29 and 30

Va. 12. 35 East

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.00 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 19. 20. 29 30

Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between sections 20 and 29.

Va. 12. 35 East.

40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.

79.93 Intersected North and South line 12 Links North of post corner to sections 20. 21. 28 and 29. from which corner Iron

North 89° 55 West on a true line between Sections 20 & 29

Va 12. 35 East

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39.96½ Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instruction for quarter section corner.

79.93 The corner to sections 19. 20. 29 and 30
Land level prarie Soil 2nd rate.

West on a random line between sections 19 and 30.
Va 12. 35 East

40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.

78.85 Intersect the West Boundary of Township 11 Links north of Post corner to sections 19 and 30 from which corner Iron
North 89° 55 East on a true line between sections 19 and 30.
Va 12. 35 East

38.85 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for

78.85 quarter section corner.
The corner to sections 19. 20
29 and 30
Land rolling prarie Soil 2nd rate.

North between sections 19 and 20
Va 12. 35 East.

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 17. 18. 19 and 20.
Land broken prarie Soil 3rd rate.

East on a random line between sections 17 and 20.
Va 12. 35 East

40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.

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79.97 Intersected North and South line 11 Links South of post corner to sections 16. 17. 20 and 21 from which corner Iron

South 89° 55 west on a true line between Sections 17 and 20.

Va 12° 35 East.

39.98½ Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instruction for quarter section corner.

79.97 The corner to sections 17. 18. 19 and 20
Land broken prarie; Soil 3rd rate.

West on a random line between sections 18 and 19
Va 12. 35 East.

40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.

78.72 Intersects the West Boundary of Township 14 Links North of Post corner to section 18 and 19

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from which corner Iron
North 89° 54 East on a true line between sections 18 and 19. Va 12° 35 East

38.72 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

78.72 The corner to sections 17. 18. 19. and 20
Land rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate.

North between section 17 and 18.
Va. 12° 35 East.

~~34.75 A Drain running N.W.~~

40.00 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.00 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 7. 8. 17 and 18.

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Land Rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 8 and 17.
Va 12. 35. E

40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.

55.20 A Drain bears S.E.

79.94 Intersected North and South line of 7 Links North of post corner to sections 8. 9. 16. and 17 from which corner Irun

North 89° 57' West on a true line between sections 8 and 17.
Va 12. 35 East

39.97 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pit as per instructions for quarter section corner.

79.94 The corner to sections 7. 8 17 and 18
Land Broken prarie; Soil 3rd rate

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West on a random line between sections 7 and 18.
Va 12. 35. East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

~~53.48 A Drain running N. W.~~

78.48 Intersect the west Boundary of Township 8 Links North of post corner to sections 7 and 18 from which corner Irun

North 89° 57 East on a true line between Section 7 and 18.
Va 12° 35 East

38.48 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instruction for quarter section corner.

78.48 The corner to sections 7. 8. 17 and 18
Land Rolling prarie; Soil 2nd rate

North between sections 7 and 8
Va. 12. 35 East

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40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instruction for quarter section corner.

80.00 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pit as per instructions for corner to sections 5. 6. 7 and 8 Land level prarie Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between sections 5 and 8.

Va 12. 35 East

40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

80.02 Intersected North and South line 2.0 Links South of post corner to sections 4. 5 8 and 9 from which corner Iron

South 89° 51 West on a true line between sections 5 and 8

Va 12. 35 East

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40.01 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits, as per instructions for quarter section corner.

80.02 The Corner to sections 5. 6. 7 and 8 — Land Rolling prarie Soil 2nd rate

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West, on a random line between sections 6 and 7.

Va 12. 35 East.

40.00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section Corner.

78.52 Intersected the west boundary of Township 15 Links South of Post Corner to sections 6 and 7 from which corner Iron

South 89° 54 East on a true line between sections 6 and 7

Va 12. 35 East

38.52 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for

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quarter section corner -

78.52 The corner to section 5.6. 7 and 8.
Land level prarie. Soil 2nd rate.

North on a random line between
sections 5 and 6.

Va 12. 35 E

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter
section corner.

80.05 Intersects the North Boundary
of Township 15 Link East of
Post
Corner to sections 5 and 6 from
which corner Pine
South 66' East on a true
line between sections 5 and 6.

Va. 12. 35 East.

40.05 Set a post deposited charred stake
and raised mound of earth with
pits as per instructions for quarter
section corner.

80.05 The corner to sections 5.6. 7 and 8.
Land level prarie Soil 2nd rate.
Survey completed June 8th 1865.

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General description
The quality of land in this Township is below the common average no bottom land of any importance. The land is rolling and broken Soil 2d and 3d rate no timber Stone or running water in the Township

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A list of 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 9 N. R. No 8 W. of the 6 P. M. in the Territory of Nebraska Showing the respective capacities in which they acted.

John Gerlan Chainman
Hiram Dougherty "
William J. Kent Cornerman
John Poirett Flagman
J. B. F. Cates Compassman

Survey completed June 5th 1865
By John B. Irvin

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Field notes of the survey of the

subdivisional and meander lines of Township 10 N. of the base line of Range 8 W. of the 6th Principal Meridian in the Territory of Nebraska, by Isaac B. Wilcox and Peter Cosgray deputy surveyors under their joint contract No. 311. bearing date the 18th day of March 1865.

Commenced. June 23rd 1865.

Completed June 26th 1865.

Surveyed by Isaac B. Wilcox and Peter Cosgray

Compared 8+7

Exmd. S. P. F.

Platted S. P. F.

Copied J.F.T.

List of Names

Thomas V. Collins	Chairman
William Gleason	Chairman
William J. Carson	Cornerman
Richard Hoyer	Flagman
Isaac B. Wilcox	Compassman
Hiram Doughty	Chairman
John Gulan	Chairman
Milliam J. Kent-	Cornman
John Postill	Flagman
Peter Corgay	Compassman

Township No. 14 N. Range 1 E. W. 6 P. M.

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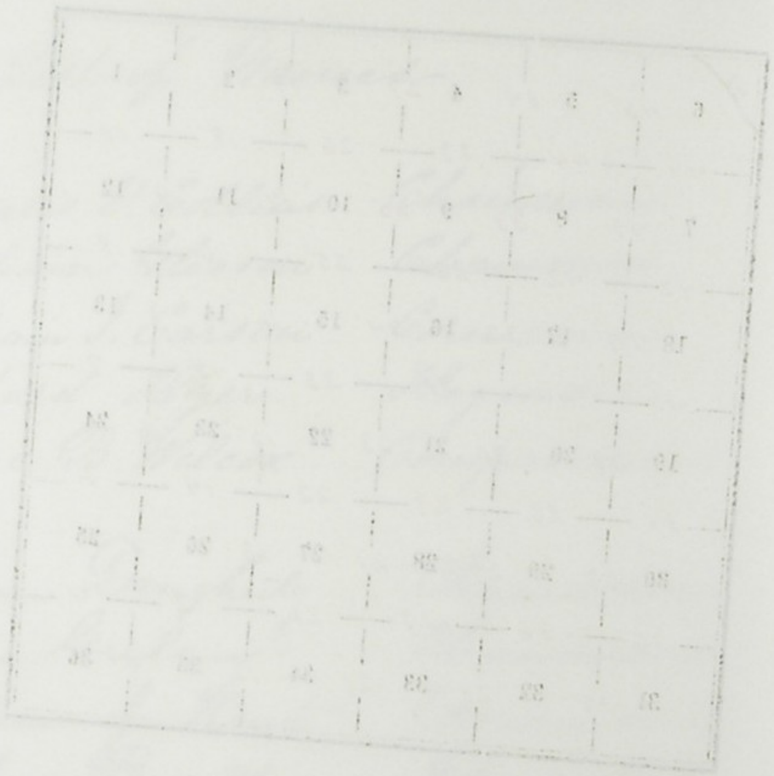

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Field notes of the subdivisional and meander lines of Township 10 N. of Range 8 W. of the 6th Principal Meridian.

To determine the proper adjustment of my compass for subdividing this Township I commence at the corner to Township 9 and 10 N. Ranges 7 and 8 West and run North on a blank line along the East Boundary of Section 36

Va. 17° 35' East

40.00 To a point 6 links East of the 1/4 Sec. Cor,

80.00 To a point 12 links East of the corner to sections 25 and 36

To retrace this line or run parallel thereto my compass must be adjusted to a Variation 12°. 40 East.

Subdivision commenced

Surveyed by Isaac B Wilcox June 23rd 1865.

From the corner to sections 1. 2. 35 and 36 on the South Boundary of the Township, I run

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North between Sections 35 and 36
Va 12°40' East

40.00 Set post depositing Chained Stake and round Mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set post deposited Chained Stake and round Mound of earth with pits as per instructions for Common to Sections 25, 26, 35 and 36 Land rolling Soil 2nd rate

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East on a random line between Sections 25 and 36
Va 12 40 East

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.

79.89 Intersected East Boundary of Township 10 links North of post Corner to Sections 25 and 36 from which Comm'd Iron. North 89 56 W. on a true line

Township 10 N. R 8 W 6 P M

between Sections 25 and 36
Va 12°40' East

39.94 Set post deposited Chained Stake and round Mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

79.89 The Corner to Sections 25, 26, 35 and 36 Land rolling Soil 2nd rate

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North between Sections 25 and 26
Va 12°40' East

38.00 A drainbrau E.

40.00 Set post deposited Chained Stake and round Mound of earth with pits as per instruction for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

54.00 Nebraska City and Fort Kearney Road bearing S.E. and N.W.

80.00 Set post deposited Chained Stake and round Mound of earth with pits as per instructions for Corner to Section 23, 24, 25 and 26 Land rolling Soil 2nd rate

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East on a random line between
Sections 24 and 25
Va 12 40 East.
4.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
7993 Intersected East Boundary of
Township 3 links South of
post Corner to Sections 24 and 25
from which Corner
I run
S. 89° 59' W. on a true line between
Sections 24 and 25
Va 12° 40'
3996 Set post deposited Charred Stake
and raised mound of earth with
pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
7993 The Corner to Sections
23. 24. 25 and 26
Land Rolling Soil 2d rate

North between Sections 23 and 24
Va 12° 40' East
4.00 Set post deposited Charred Stake and
raised mound of earth with pits

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as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00 Set post deposited Charred Stake
and raised mound of earth with
pits as per instructions for
Corner to Sections 13. 14. 23 and 24
Land Rolling Soil 2d rate

East on a random line be-
tween Sections 13 and 24
Va 12° 40' East
4.00 Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
7990 Intersected East Boundary of
Township 16 links South of
post Corner to Sections 13 and 24
from which Corner
I run
S. 89° 53' W. on a true line
between Sections 13 and 24
Va 12° 40' East
3995 Set post deposited Charred Stake
and raised mound of earth
with pits as per instructions
for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

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7990 The corner to Sections
13. 14. 23 and 24
Land Rolling Soil 2d rate

North between Sections 13 and 14
Va 12°40' East
40.00 Set post deposited Charred Stake
and raised mound of earth with
pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. cor.
80.00 Set post deposited Charred Stake
and raised mound of earth with
pits as per instructions for Cor-
ner to Sections 11. 12. 13 and 14
Land rolling Soil 2d rate

East on a random line between
Sections 12 and 13
Va 12°40'
40.00 Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec. cor.
7981 Intersected East Boundary of
Township 17 links South of
post Corner to Sections
12 and 13 from which Corner

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I run
S. 89°53' W. on a true line be-
tween Sections 12 and 13
Va 12 40 East
3990 Set post deposited Charred Stake
and raised mound of earth with
pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. cor.
7981 The corner to Sections
11. 12. 13 and 14
Land Rolling Soil 2d rate

North between Sections 11 and 12
Va 12 40 East
40.00 Set post deposited Charred Stake
and raised mound of earth with
pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. cor.
80.00 Set post deposited Charred Stake
and raised mound of earth with
pits as per instructions for Corner
to Sections 1. 2. 11 and 12
Land level Soil 2d rate

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East on a random line between Sections 1. and 12
Va 12° 40' East
40.00 Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.96 Intersected East Boundary of Township 11 links South of post corner to Sections 1. and 12 from which corner
I run
S. 89 55 W. on a true line between Sections 1 and 12
Va 12° 40' East
39.98 Set post deposited Charred Stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.96 The corner to Sections 1. 2. 11 and 12
Land level Soil 2d rate

North on a random line between Sections 1 and 2
Va 12 40 East

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40.00 Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.12 Intersected North Boundary of Township 13 links E. of post corner to Sections 1 and 2 from which corner
I run
S. 0° 6' E. on a true line between Sections 1 and 12
Va 12° 40' East
40.12 Set post deposited Charred Stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Section Cor.
80.12 The corner to Sections 1. 2 11 and 12
Land level Soil 2d rate
June 23rd 1865
Surveyed by Isaac B Wilcox

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Surveyed by Peter Cosgray June 23rd 1865.
North between Sections 34 and 35
Va 12° 40' East

40.00 Set post deposited Charred Stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set post deposited Charred Stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for Corner to Sections 26. 27. 34 and 35 -
Sand Rolling Soil 2 rate

East on a random line between Sections 26 and 35
Va 12 40 East

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. cor.

80.09 Intersected N. and S. line 11 links South of post Corner to Sections 25. 26. 35 and 36 from which Corner

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Iron
S. 89° 55' W. on a true line between Sections 26 and 35
Va 12° 40' East

40.04 Set post deposited Charred Stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.09 The Corner to Sections 26. 27. 34 and 35 -
Sand Rolling Soil 2 rate

North between Sections 26 and 27
Va 12° 40' East

40.00 Set post deposited Charred Stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Section Corner

60.00 A drum bears S. E

80.00 Set post deposited Charred Stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for Corner to Sections 22. 23. 26 and 27

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Land Rolling Soil 2 rate

East on a random line between Sections 23 and 26
Va 12°40' East
4000 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
4500 Nebraska City and Fort Kearny Road bearing N.W. and S.E.
7996 Intersected N and S. line 7 links S. of post Corner to Sections 23. 24. 25 and 26 from which Corner I run
S. 89°57' W. on a true line between Sections 23 and 26
Va 12°40' East
3998 Set post deposited charred Stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
7996 The Corner to Sections 22. 23. 26 and 27
Land Rolling Soil 2 rate

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North between Sections 22 and 23
Va 12°40' East
1200 Nebraska City and Fort Kearny Road bears N.W. and S.E.
4000 Set post deposited charred Stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
8000 Set post deposited charred Stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for Corner to Sections 14. 15. 22 and 23
Land rolling Soil 2 rate

East on a random line between Sections 14 and 23
Va 12 40 East
4000 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
8004 Intersected N and S. line 5 links S. of post corner to Sections 13. 14 23 and 24 from which Corner I run
S. 89°58' W. on a true line between Sections 14 & 23

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Va 12 40 East

4002 Set post deposited Chained Stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

8004 The Corner to Sections 14. 15. 22 and 23.
Land Rolling Soil 2 rate

North between Sections 14 and 15
Va 12° 40' East

40.00 Set post deposited Chained Stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set post deposited Chained Stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for Corner to Sections 10. 11, 14 and 15
Land Rolling Soil 2 rate

East on a random line between Sections 11 and 14
Va 12° 40' East

Township 10 N. R 8 W 6 P M

4000 Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.

7995 Intersected N. and S. line 10 links South of post Corner to Sections 11, 12, 13 and 14 from which Corner I run
S. 89° 56' W. on a true line between Sections 11 and 14
Va 12° 40' East

3997 Set post deposited Chained Stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

7995 The Corner to Sections 10. 11. 14 and 15
Land Rolling Soil 2 rate

North between Sections 10 and 11
Va 12° 40' East

40.00 Set post deposited Chained Stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

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80.00 Set post deposited Charred Stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Sections
2. 3. 10 and 11
Sand Rolling Soil 2 rate

East on a random line between Sections 2 and 11
Va 12 40 East

4000 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
8004 Intersected N and S. line 7 links South of post Corner to Sections 1. 2. 11 and 12 from which Corner I run
S. 89° 57' W. on a true line between Sections 2 and 11
Va 12° 40' East

4002 Set post deposited Charred Stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
8004 The Corner to Sections

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2. 3. 10 and 11
Sand Rolling Soil 2 rate

North on a random line between Sections 2 and 3
Va 12° 40' East

4000 Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
8004 Intersected North Boundary of Township 22 links East of post corner to Sections 2 and 3 from which Corner I run
S. 0° 9' E. on a true line between Sections 2 and 3
Va 12° 40' East

4004 Set post deposited Charred Stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
8004 The Corner to Sections
2. 3. 10 and 11
Sand Rolling Soil 2 rate

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June 23rd 1865.
Surveyed by Peter Cosgray -

Surveyed by Isaac B Wilcox
North between Sections 33 and 34
Va 12° 40' East.

40.00 Set post deposited Charred Stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec, Cor,

80.00 Set post deposited Charred Stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ~~corner to~~ Sections 27. 28. 33 and 34
Land level Soil 2d rate

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East on a random line between sections 27 and 34.
Va. 12° 40' East.

40.00 Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec, Cor,

80.15 Intersected the N, and S, line 10 link South of post corner to sections 26. 27. 34 and 35 from which corner I run

South 89°-56 West on a true line between sections 27 and 34.
Va 12°-40 East.

40.07 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec, Cor,

80.15 The corner to sections 27. 28. 33 and 34.
Land level, Soil 2nd rate.

North between Sections 27 and 28
Va 12°-40 East.

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec, Cor,

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77.15 A Drain bears S. E.
80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections, 21. 22. 27 and 28.
Land level; soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 22 and 27.
Va 12° - 40 East.
40.00 Set a post, for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor,
80.09 Intersected N, and S, line 15 links South of post corner to sections 22. 23. 26 and 27 from which Corner Bears
South 89° 54 West on a true line between sections 22 and 27.
Va 12° - 40 East
40.04 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec, Cor.

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80.09 The Corner to sections 21. 22. 27 and 28.
Land level; Soil 2nd rate

North between sections 21 and 22
Va 12° - 40 East.
36.00 Nebraska City and Fort Kearney Road bears N. W and S. E.
40.00 Set a post and deposited charred stake, raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec, Cor.
80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 15. 16. 21 and 22.
Land rolling, Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between sections 15 and 22.
Va. 12° 40 East.
40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter Section Corner -

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80.07 Intersected, N, and S, line 13 link. South of post corner to sections 14. 15. 22 and 23 from which corner Bears

South 89° 54 West on a true line between sections 15 and 22.

Va 12° - 40 East.

40.03 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec, Cor,

80.07 The corner to sections 15. 16. 21 and 22.

Land Level, Soil 2nd rate.

North between sections 15 and 16.

Va 12° - 40 East

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec, Cor;

80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 9. 10 15 and 16.

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Land level; Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between sections 10 and 15.

Va 12° - 40 East.

40.00 Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.

79.86 Intersected, N, and S. line 9 link. South of post corner to sections 10. 11. 14 and 15 from which corner Bears

South 89° 54 west on a true line between sections 10 and 15

Va 12° 40 East.

39.93 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec, Cor,

79.86 The corner to sections 9. 10, 15 and 16.

Land level; Soil 2nd rate.

North between sections 9 and 10

Va - 12° - 40 East.

40.00 Set a post deposited charred stake and

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raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for Corner to sections 3. 4. 9 and 10.

Land level; Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between sections 3 and 10.

Va 12° 40' East.

40.00 Set a post for temporary ¼ Sec. Cor,

79.90 Intersected N. and S. line 15 links South of post corner to sections 2. 3 10 and 11 from which corner Trees

South 89° 54 West on a true line between sections 3 and 10

Va 12° 40 East

39.95 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pit as per instructions for ¼ Sec. Cor.

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79.90 The corner to sections 3. 4. 9 and 10

Land level; Soil 2nd rate.

North on a random line between sections 3 and 4.

Va. 12°-40 East.

40.00 Set a post, for temporary ¼ Sec. Cor,

80.05 Intersected the North boundary ~~of~~ Township 30 links East from post corner to sections 3 and 4 from which corner Trees.

South 0° 13' East on a true line between sections 3 and 4

Va 12° 40 East.

40.05 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ Sec' Cor,

80.05 The Corner to sections 3. 4. 9 and 10

Land rolling; Soil 2nd rate.

June 24th 1865

Surveyed by Isaac B Wiles

Township 10 N. 8 W of the 6th Pr. Md

Surveyed by Peter Cosgray.

North between sections 32 and 33.

Va 12° 40 East.

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

80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 28. 29. 32 and 33

Land rolling; Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between sections 28 and 33.

Va 12° 40 East.

40.00 Set a post, for temporary 1/4 Sec, Cor,

80.06 Intersect the N. and S. line 17 link South of post corner to sections 27. 28 33 and 34 from which corner Irun,

South 89° 53 West on a true line between sections 28 and 33

Va: 12° 40 East.

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40.03 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec, Cor,

80.06 The corner to sections 28. 29. 32 and 33.

Land rolling; Soil 2nd rate.

North between sections 28 and 29

Va 12° 40 East

~~18.00 A Drain bears N.E.~~

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec, Cor,

77.00 A Drain bears N E

80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 20. 21. 28 and 29.

Land rolling; Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between sections 21 and 28.

Va 12° 40 East.

2.50 A Drain, bears N.E.

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40.00 Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.,
68.00 a Drain bears S.E.
79.88 Intersected North and South line Chalk
South of post corner to sections 21. 22 27
and 28 from which corner I run,
South 89° 58 West on a true
line between sections 21 and 28.
Va 12° 40 East.
39.94 Set a post, deposited charred stake
and raised mound of earth with pits
as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.,
79.88 The corner to sections 20. 21. 28 and 29
Land rolling; Soil 2nd rate.

North between sections 20 and 21
Va, 12° 40 East.
80.00 Set a post deposited charred stake
and raised mound of earth with pits
as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.,
44.00 The Nebraska City and Fort Kearney
road. bears N.W. and S.E.

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80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake
and raised mound of earth with
pits as per instructions for corner
to sections, 16. 17. 20 and 21.
Land level; Soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between
sections 16 and 21 -
Va 12° 40 East.
40.00 Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.,
80.02 Intersected N. and South line 12
links South of post Corner to sections
15. 16. 21 and 22. from which Corner
I run,
South 89° 55 West on a true
line between sections 16 and 21.
Va 12° 40 East.
40.01 Set a post, deposited charred stake
and raised mound of earth with
pits as per instructions for 1/4 Section Corners
80.02 The corner to sections 16. 17. 20 and 21.
Land level, soil 2nd rate.

Township 10 N. 8 W of the 6th Pr. Md

North between sections 16 and 17.
Va 12°-40 East.

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits, as per instructions for ¼ Sec, Cor.

80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 8.9.16 and 17.
Land level, Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between sections 9 and 16.
Va. 12°-40 East.

40.00 Set a post ~~for temporary~~ ¼ Sec, Cor.

80.10 Intersected North and South line 14 links South of post corner to sections 9.10 15 and 16 from which corner Prun

South 89°-54 West on a true line between sections 9 and 16.
Va 12°-40 East

Township 10 N. R. 8 W of the 6th Pr. Md

40.05 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as pr instructions for ¼ Sec, Cor.

80.10 The corner to sections 8.9.16 and 17.
Land Level; Soil 2nd rate.

North between sections 8 and 9.
Va 12°-40 East.

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits, as per instructions for ¼ Sec, Cor.

80.00 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 4.5. 8 and 9.
Land level; soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 4 and 9.
Va 12°-40 East.

40.00 Set a post, for temporary ¼ Sec, Cor.

Township 10 N. Range 8 W of the 6th P. M.

80.18 Intersected N and S. Line 15 Links North of post, corner to sections 3. 4. 9 and 10, from which corner Iron North 89° 54 West on a true line between sections 4 and 9. Va 12° 40 East.

40.09 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.18 The corner to sections 4. 5. 8 and 9 Land rolling; Soil 2nd rate.

North on a random line between sections 4 and 5. Va 12° 40 East.

40.00 Set a post, for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor,

80.04 Intersected the North Boundary of Township 20 links East of the corner to sections 4 and 5 from which corner Iron S 9° East on a true line between sections 4 and 5. Va 12° 40 East

Township 10 N. Range 8 W of the 6th P. M.

40.04 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor,

80.04 The corner to sections 5. 6. 7 and 8. - 9 Land rolling; Soil 2nd rate.

June 24th 1865.

Surveyed by Peter Cosgrey -

Surveyed by Isaac B. Wilcox

North between sections 31 and 32 Va 12° 40 East.

40.00 Set a post - deposited charred stake and raised mounted of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor,

80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 29. 30. 31 and 32.

Land rolling soil 2nd rate

Township 10 N, R. 8 W of the 6th Pr. Md.

East on a random line between sections 29 and 32.

Va. 12°-40 East.

40.00 Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec, Cor,

79.98 Intersected N, and S, line 8 links North of post corner to sections 28.29 32 and 33 from which corner I run

North 89°-57 West on a true line between sections 29 and 32.

Va. 12°-40 East.

39.99 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec, Cor,

79.98 The corner to sections 29.30.31 and 32

Land rolling; Soil 2nd rate.

West on a random line between sections 30 and 31

Va 12°-40 East.

40.00 Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec, Cor,

78.07 Intersected the West Boundary of Township 16 links south of post

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corner to sections 30 and 31 from which corner I run

South 89°-53 East on a true line between sections 30 and 31.

Va 12°-40 East.

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

78.07 The corner to sections 29.30.31 and 32.

Land rolling; Soil 2nd rate

by Isaac B Wilcox June 26 1865

Surveyed by Peter Cosgray

North between sections 29 and 30

Va 12°-40 East.

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec, Cor,

80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections ~~29~~ 19. ~~30~~ 20. ~~31~~ 29 and ~~32~~ 30.

Land rolling; Soil 2nd rate

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East on a random line between sections 20 and 29.
Va 12° 40 East.

40.00 Set a post for temporary ¼ Sec Cor.
80.08 Intersected the N and S. line 10 link North of post corner to sections 20. 21. 28 and 29 from which corner Bears
North 89° 56 West on a true line between sections 20 and 29
Va 12° 40 East.
40.04 Set a post deposited Charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ Sec. Cor,
80.08 The Corner to sections 19. 20. 29 30.
Land rolling soil; 2nd rate.

West on a random line between sections 19 and 30
Va 12° 40 East.
40.00 Set a post for temporary ¼ Sec. Cor,

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77.68 Intersected the West boundary of Township 14 links South of post-corner to sections 19 and 30 from which corner Bears
South 89° 54 East on a true line between sections 19 and 30.
Va 12° 40 East.
37.68 Set a post deposited Charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ Sec, Cor,
77.68 The Corner to sections 19. 20. 29 30
Land rolling Soil 2nd rate.
Surveyed by Peter Cosgrey June 26 1865
Surveyed by Isaac B Wilcox
North between sections 19 and 20.
Va 12° 40 East.
40.00 Set a post, deposited Charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ Sec. Cor.
43.53 Nebraska City and Fort Kearney Road. Bears W and S.E.
80.00 Set a post deposited Charred stake and raised mound of earth with

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pits as per instructions for corner to sections 17. 18. 19 and 20.
Land rolling; Soil 2nd rate.

East on a random line between sections 17 and 20.
Va 12° - 40 East

60.00 Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor,
80.04 Intersected North and South line / links North of post corner to sections 16. 17 20 and 21 from which corner Iron.
North 89° 57 West on a true line between sections 17 and 20.
Va 12° - 40. East.
60.02 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor,
80.04 The corner to sections 17. 18. 19 20.
Land rolling; Soil 2nd rate.

West on a random line between sections 18 and 19
Va 12° - 40 East

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40.00 Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor,
77.30 Intersected West boundary of the Township 11 links South of post corner to sections 18 and 19 from which corner Iron
South 89° 55 East on a true line between sections 18 and 19.
Va 12° - 40 East.
37.30 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec, Cor,
77.30 The corner to sections 17. 18. 19 and 20.
Land rolling; Soil 2nd rate
Surveyed by Isaac B Wilcox June 26. 1865 -
Surveyed by Peter Cosgray -
North between sections 17 and 18.
Va 12° - 40 East
60.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec, Cor,
80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner

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to sections 7. 8. 17 and 18.
Land rolling; Soil 2nd rate

East on a random line
between sections 8 and 17.
Va 12° 40 East

40.00 Set a post for temporary ¼ Sec. Cor.
79.88 Intersected North and South line 9 links north of post corner to sections 8, 9, 16 and 17 from which Corner Iron
North 89° 56 West on a true line between sections 8 and 17
Va 12° 40 East
39.94 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ Sec. Cor,
79.88 The corner to Sections 7. 8. 17 and 18.
Land rolling; soil 2nd rate.

West on a random line
between sections 7 and 18.
Va 12° 40 East

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40.00 Set a post for temporary ¼ Sec. Cor.
77.08 Intersected the West boundary of the Township 8 Links South of post corner to sections 7 and 18 from which corner Iron
South 89° 57 East on a true line between sections 7 and 18.
Va 12° 40 East.
37.08 Set a post deposited Charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ Sec, Cor,
77.08 The Corner to sections 7. 8. 17 and 18.
Land rolling; Soil 2nd rate.

North between sections 7 and 8.
Va 12° 40 East

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits, as per instructions for ¼ Sec, Cor,
80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner

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to sections 5.6.7 and 8
Land rolling; Soil 2nd rate

East on a random line between sections 5 and 8.
Va 12° 40 East.

40.00 Set a post for temporary ¼ Sec, Cor,
79.88 Intersected North and South line 14 links South of post corner to sections 4.5.8 and 9 from which corner Irun.
South 89°-54 West on a true line between sections 5 and 8.
Va. 12° 40 East
39.94 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ Sec, Cor,
79.88 The corner to sections 5.6.7 and 8.
Land rolling; Soil 2nd rate

West on a random line between sections 6 and 7
Va 12° 40 East.

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40.00, 55.00 Set a post for temporary ¼ Sec, Cor
To the Ft Kearney and Platts mouth road bears N.E. & S.W.
76.98 Intersected the West boundary of Township 13 links South of post corner to sections 6 and 7 from which corner Irun,
South 89°-54 East on a true line between sections 6 and 7.
Va 12°-40 East
36.98 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ Sec, Cor,
76.98 The corner to sections 5.6.7 and 8.
Land level; Soil 2nd rate.

North on a random line between Sections 5 and 6.
Va 12° 40 East.

40.00 Set a post for temporary ¼ Sec. Cor.
57.00 To the Ft Kearney and Platts mouth road bears N.E. & S.W.
80.02 Intersected, the North boundary of Township 14 links East of post corner to sections 5 and 6

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from which corner I run
South 6' East on a true line
between sections 5 and 6.
Va 12° 40 East
40.02 Set a post, deposited charred stake
and raised mound of earth with
pits, as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor,
80.02 The corner to sections 5. 6. 7 and 8.
Land rolling; soil 2nd rate.
June 26th 1865.
Surveyed by Peter Cosgray

Surveyed by Isaac B. Wilcox
The corner to Fractional Township
10 N. on the 1st Guide Meridian
West. on the right bank of the
Platte has been washed away
and also the bearing tree
to said Corner. —

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From the corner to Sections 5. 6. 7
and 12 on the 1st Guide
Meridian West. between Ranges
8 and 9 W. Township 10 N.
I run
North on a true line between
Sections 1 and 6.
Va. 12° 40' East
32.68 Intersected the right bank of the
Platte river, Set a post deposited
charred stake and raised mound
of earth with pits as per instruc-
tions for corner to fractional
Sections 1 and 6.
No. trees on bank at the
point. —

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Meanders of the right bank of Platte river through this Township.

Begin at the corner to fractional sections 1 and 31, in the North Boundary of the Township on the right bank of the Platte river, and runs thence up the stream with the meanders of the right-bank of said river, in fractional section 6, as follows: Va. 12° 40 East.

S. 37° W. 7.00
S. 41° W. 5.00
S. 29° W. 7.00
S. 48° W. 10.00
S. 31° W. 4.00
S. 47° W. 3.00
S 31° W 23.00 To the corner to fractional sections 1 and 6 on the 1st Guide Meridian W. 32 chains and 68 links North of the corner to sections 1. 6. 7 and 12.

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Land along the river, narrow bottom. Soil 2 rate no timber. — June 26th 1865

Surveyed by Isaac B. Wiley

General Description

This Township contains second and third rate rolling prairie. No timber and no water except in the Platte river which runs through the N.W. corner of the Township. But very little bottom land.

The Ft Kearney and Nebraska City road and the Ft-Kearney and Plattsmouth road pass through this Township.

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. 10 North of the base line of Range No. 8 West of the 6th Principal Meridian, showing the respective capacities in which they acted:

Thomas V. Collins	Chainman
William Gleason	Chainman
Hiram Dougherty	Chainman
John Geelan	Chainman
William T. Carson	Cornerman
William J. Kent	Cornerman
Richard Hyer	Flagman
John Poisett	Flagman
Isaac B. Wilcox	Compassman
Peter Cosgray	Compassman

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We hereby certify that we assisted Isaac B. Wilcox and Peter Cosgray deputy surveyors, in surveying the exterior boundaries of Townships number seven, eight, nine, ten and eleven North of the Base line of Ranges number six, seven and eight West, Townships number twelve North of the Base line of Ranges number six and seven West of the Sixth Principal Meridian. and also Subdividing Townships number twelve North of the Base line of Ranges number five, six and seven West, Township number eleven North of the Base line of Ranges number five and eight West and Township number ten North of the Base line of Ranges number eight West of the Sixth Principal Meridian. and that said Townships have been in all respects, to the best of our Knowledge and belief, well and faithfully surveyed, and

and the boundary monuments planted according to the instructions furnished by the Surveyor General.

his mark
William + Gleason — Chainman
his mark
Thomas V Collins — Chainman
Wm T. Carson — Commman
his mark
William × Gleason — Commman
his mark
Richard Rogers — Flagman
Compassman

Subscribed and sworn to by the above named persons, before me, a Justice of the Peace for the County of Atchison in the State of Kansas, this 5th day of July, 1865.

Jonathan Hunt Justice of the Peace

We hereby certify that we assisted Isaac B. Wilcox and Peter Lessgray, deputy surveyors, in surveying the subdivisional lines of Township number eleven North of the Base line of Range number six and seven West and Township number ten North of the Base line of Range eight West of the sixth Principal Meridian, and that said Townships have been in all respects, to the best of our knowledge and belief, well and faithfully surveyed, and the boundary monuments planted according to the instructions furnished by the Surveyor General

Hiram Dougherty Chainman
John Cochran Chainman
William L. Kent, Commman
John Poisett Flagman
Compassman

Subscribed and sworn to by the above named persons, before me, a Justice of the Peace for the County of Atchison in the State of Kansas, this 5th day of July 1865.

Jonathan Hunt Justice of the Peace

John Geelan, Chainman was employed by Isaac B. Wilcox and Peter Cosgray, and on or about the 26th day of June 1865, while in their employ, left in a hand for Idaho no Justice of the Peace living within sixty or seventy miles, consequently there was no opportunity to have him sworn out.

Subscribed in my presence & sworn to before me this 8th day of July AD 1865 Robt H Horsley

Wm J. Kent
Commander

Notary Public

I, Isaac B. Wilcox, Deputy Surveyor, do solemnly swear that, in pursuance of a joint contract wherein Isaac B. Wilcox and Peter Cosgray are joint contractors with Daniel W. Wilder United States Surveyor General for the State of Kansas and Territory of Nebraska, bearing date the 18th day of March 1865, I have well, faithfully, and truly, in my own proper person, and in strict conformity with the instructions furnished by the Surveyor General, the Surveying Manual, and the laws of the United States, surveyed all those parts or portions of the exterior lines of Townships number seven, eight, nine ten and eleven North of the Base line of Ranges six, seven and eight West, and Township number twelve North of the Base line of Ranges six and seven West, of the 6th Principal Meridian, and the subdivisional and Meander lines of Township number ten North of the Base line of Range eight West. Township number eleven North of the Base line of Ranges five and eight West, and Township

number twelve North of the Base line of Ranges five, six and seven West of the 6th Principal Meridian, in the Territory of Nebraska, as are represented in the foregoing field notes as having been surveyed under my direction; and I do further solemnly swear that all the corners of said surveys have been established and perpetuated in strict accordance with the Surveying Manual and printed instructions and that the foregoing are the true and original field notes of such surveys.

Isaac B. Wilcox
Deputy Surveyor.

Subscribed by said Isaac B Wilcox, deputy surveyor, and sworn to before me a Notary Public within & for the County of Leavenworth & State of Kansas this 21st day of July 1866.

William McNeill Clonghs
Notary Public.

I, Peter Cozzens, Deputy Surveyor, do solemnly swear that, in pursuance of a joint contract, wherein Isaac B. Wilcox and Peter Cozzens are joint contractors with Daniel H. Wilder, United States Surveyor General for the State of Kansas and Territory of Nebraska, bearing date the 18th day of March 1865. I have well, faithfully, and truly, in my own proper person, and in strict conformity with the instructions furnished by the Surveyor General, the Surveying Manual, and the laws of the United States, surveyed all those parts or portions of the subdivisional and meander lines of Townships number eleven North of the Baseline of Ranges number six and seven West and Township number ten North of the Baseline of Range eight West of the 6th Principal Meridian, in the Territory of Nebraska, as are

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represented in the foregoing field notes as having been surveyed under my direction; and I do further solemnly swear that all the corners of said surveys have been established and perpetuated in strict accordance with the surveying Manual and printed instructions, and that the foregoing are the true and original field notes of such survey.

Peter Cosgray
Deputy Surveyor.

Subscribed by said Peter Cosgray deputy surveyor, and sworn to before me a Notary Public within & for the County of Leavenworth & State of Kansas, this 21st day of July 1865.

Wm. McNeil Clough
Notary Public.

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The foregoing Field Notes of the Survey of all those parts or portions of the subdivisional and meander lines of Township no ten north of the base line of range eight west. Township no eleven north of the base line, of ranges five, six, seven and eight west, and Township no twelve north of the base line of ranges five six and seven west of the sixth principal meridian lying south of the Platte river in the Territory of Nebraska executed by Isaac B. Wilcox, and Peter Cosgray, under their joint contract no. 31. of the 18th day of March 1865. in the months of May and June 1865. having been critically examined, the necessary corrections and explanations made, the said Field Notes, and the surveys they describe, are hereby approved.

H. S. Sleeper
Surveyor General

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Field Notes of the survey of the sub-divisional and Mander lines of that portion of Township number 11 North of the base line of Range number 8 West of the 6th Principal Meridian lying South of the Platte river in the Territory of Nebraska, by Isaac B. Wilcox and Peter Cosgray deputy Surveyors, under their joint contract No. 311 bearing date the 18th day of March 1865 —

Commenced June 19th 1865

Completed June 22nd 1865.

Surveyed by Isaac B. Wilcox

Exam'd by N.C.F.
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List of Names

Thomas V. Collins Chainman
William Gleason Chainman
William T. Carson Commissioner
Richard Hyer Flagman
Isaac B Wilcox Compassman

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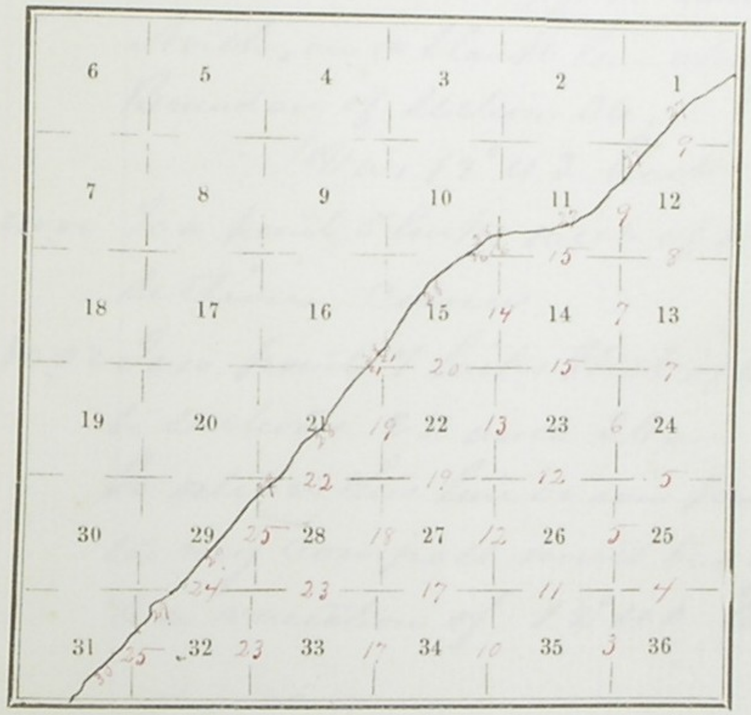
Township No. 11 S. Range No. 8 W. 6 P. M.



Var 12° 40' East

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Field Notes of the subdivisional lines and meanders of Platte river in Township 11 N Range 8 W. 6th Prin. Meridian. South of the Platte river

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To determine the proper adjustment of my Compass for subdividing said Township, I commence at the corner to Township 10 and 11 N. Range 7 & 8 W. and run North, on a blank line along the East Boundary of Section 36.

Var. 12° 43 East

40.00 To a point 5 links west of the quarter Section Corner

80.02 To a point 7 links West of the corner to sections 25 and 36.

To obtain this line or run parallel thereto, my compass must be adjusted to a variation of 12° 40 East.

Subdivision commenced June 19th 1865

From the corner to sections 1, 2, 35 & 36 on the South Boundary of the Township. I run North, between Sections 35 and 36.

Var 12° 40 East

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37.00 A drain bears South East.

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 25, 26, 35 and 36.

Land rolling prairie; 2 rods.

East, on a random line between Sections 25 and 36.

Var. 12° 40' East

40.00 Set a post for a temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.

46.40 A drain bears N. E.

80.04 Intersected the East Boundary of the Township 11 links South of the post the corner to sections 25 and 36 from which corner I run

South 89° 55 West on a true line between sections 25 and 36.

Var. 12° 40' East

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40.02 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.04 The corner to Sections 25, 26, 35 & 36

Land rolling prairie; 2 rods.

North, between sections 25 and 36.

Var. 12° 40 East.

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 23, 24, 25 and 26.

Land rolling prairie; 2 rods.

East, on a random line between sections 24 and 25.

Var. 12° 40' East

40.00 Set a post, for a temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.13 Intersected the East Boundary of the Township 14 links North of the

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post corner to sections 24 and 25.
from which corner I run
North 89° 54 West on a true line
between Sections 24 and 25.

Va. 12° 40' East

40.06½ Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for quarter Sec. Cor.

80.13 The corner to sections 23. 24, 25 and 26.

Land rolling prairie; 2 rate.

North, between Sections 23 and 24.

Va. 12° 40' East

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 13. 14. 23 and 24.

Land rolling prairie; 2 rate

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East, on a random line between Sections 13 and 24

Va. 12° 40 East

40.00 Set a post for a temporary ¼ Sec. Cor.

79.96 Intersected the East Boundary of the Township 11 links South of the post the corner to Sections 13 + 24. from which corner, I run South 89° 55 West, on a true line between Sections 13 and 24.

Va. 12° 40' East.

39.98 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ Sec. Cor.

79.96 The corner to Sections 13. 14. 23 and 24.

Land rolling prairie; 2 rate.

North, between Sections 13 and 14.

Va. 12° 40' East.

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ Sec. Cor.

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80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 11.12.13 and 14
Land rolling prairie; 2 rate

East on a random line between Sections 12 and 13.

Va. 12° 40' East.

40.00 Set a post for a temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.89 Intersected the East Boundary of the Township 15 links South of the post the corner to sections 12 and 13, from which corner I run
S. 89.54 West on a true line between Sections 12 and 13.

Va. 12° 40' East.

39.94½ Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.89 The corner to Sections 11.12.13 and 14
Land rolling; 2 rate

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North on a true line between Section 11 and 12.

Va. 12° 40' East

15.00 To the Ft Kearney and Plattsmouth road bears N.E. and S.W.
40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
42.00 Leave rolling prairie and enter bottom land. bears N.E. and S.W.
57.64 To the right bank of Platte river
Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Fractional Sections 11 and 12.
No timber on bank of river
Land South part rolling, North part bottom land; 2 rate

From the corner to Sections 1 and 12 on the Range line between Ranges 7 and 8 W. I run
West. on a true line between

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Sections 1 and 12
Var. 12° 40' East.

36.50 Lines broken land and into bottom land, bears N. E. and S. W.

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

414.80 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions, on the right bank of Platte river, for corner to fractional sections 1 and 12.

No timber on bank of river
Land East part broken; 3 rate
West part land bottom; 2 rate.

June 19th 1865.

North, between sections 34 and 35.
Var. 12° 40' East

38.40 A drain bears East.

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

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80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 26, 27, 34 & 35.

Land rolling prairie; 2 rate.

East, on a random line between sections 26 and 35.
Var. 12° 40' East

40.00 Set a post, for a temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.02 Enclosed both N. and S. line 7 links South of the post corner to sections 25, 26, 35 and 36, from which corner I run
South 89° 57' West on a true line between sections 26 and 35.
Var. 12° 40' East

40.01 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.02 The corner to Sections 26, 27, 34 & 35.

Land rolling prairie; 2 rate.

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North, between Sections 26 and 27.
Var. 12° 40 East

40.00 Set a post; deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 22. 23. 26 & 27.

Land rolling prairie; 2 rods.

East, on a random line between Sections 23 and 26.

Var. 12° 40' East

40.00 Set a post, for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.07 Intersected the N. and S. line 8 links North of the post the corner to sections 23. 24. 25 and 26 from which corner run

North 89° 57 West on a true line between Sections 23 and 26.

Var. 12° 40' East.

40.03½ Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per

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instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor

80.07 The corner to sections 22. 23. 26 and 27.

Land rolling prairie; 2 rods.

North between Sections 22 and 23.
Var. 12° 40' East

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

58.00 To the Ft-Kearny and Plattsmouth road bears N.E. and S.W.

80.00 Set a post; deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 14 15; 22 & 23

Land rolling prairie; 2 rods

East on a random line between Sections 14 and 23.

Var. 12° 40 East

17.00 To the Ft-Kearny and Plattsmouth road bears N.E. and S.W.

40.00 Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.

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80.03 Intersected the N. and S. line 11 Links North of the post-the corner to Sections 13. 14 23 and 24 from which corner Bur. North-89°55 West on a true line between Sections 14 and 23.
Var. 12° 40' East.

40.01½ Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ Sec. Cor

80.03 The Corner to Sections 14.15. 22 and 23.
Land rolling Prairie; 2 rods.

North, between Sections 14 and 15
Var. 12° 40 East

40.00 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instruction for ¼ Sec. Cor.

43.00 Leave rolling Prairie and edge bottom Land. bears N.E. & S.W.

80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for Corner Sections 10. 11. 14 and 15.

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Land South part rolling; 2 rods North part-Land bottom Land.

East on a random line between Sections 11 and 14.
Var. 12° 40 East

36.00 Leave bottom Land and enter rolling prairie. bears N.E. & S.W.

40.00 Set a post for a temporary ¼ Sec. Cor.

70.70 To the H. Kearney and Plattsmouth road bears N.E. & S.W.

80.11 Intersected the N. and S. line 13 Links North of the post Corner to Sections 11. 12. 13 and 14. from which corner Bur. run
North 89°54 West on a true line between Sections 11 and 14
Var. 12° 40' East

40.05½ Set a post; deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ Sec. Cor.

80.11 The Corner to Sections 10. 11. 14 and 15

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Sand last half rolling, west part bottom land; 2 rate.

North on a true line between sections 10 and 11.

Va, 12° 40 East.

17.34 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions, on the right bank of Platte river for corner to fractional sections 10 and 11, from which A Cottonwood 15 inch. in diam. bears S. 38° W. 75 links dist.

Land hard bottom, 2 rate.

West on a true line between sections 10 and 15.

Va. 12° 40' East

24.48 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions, on the right bank of Platte river for corner to fractional

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sections 10 and 15.

No timber on bank

Land level bottom, 2 rate

South, between Sections 33 and 34

Va. 12° 40' East

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 27. 28. 33 and 34.

Land rolling prairie; 2 rate.

East, on a random line between sections 27 and 34.

Va. 12° 40 East.

40.00 Set a post, for a temporary ¼ Sec. Cor

79.86 Intersection the N. and S. line 5 links North of the post the corner to sections 26. 27. 34 and 35 from which corner I run

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North 89° 58 West on a true line between
Sections 27 and 34.
Var 12° 40' East

39.43 Set a post, deposited charred stake and
raised mound of earth with pits as per
instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.86 Do the corner to sections 27, 28, 33 & 34.
Land rolling prairie; 2 rate

North, between Sections 27 and 28
Var. 12° 40' East

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake
and raised mound of earth with pits
as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
67.00 Do the Ft. Kearney and Platte mouth
road bears N.E. and S.W.
80.00 Set a post; deposited charred stake and
raised mound of earth with pits as
per instructions for corner to sections 21, 22, 27 & 28.
Land rolling prairie; 2 rate.

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East on a random line between
Sections 22 and 27.
Var. 12° 40' East

22.50 Do the Ft. Kearney and Platte mouth
road bears N.E. and S.W.
40.00 Set a post for a temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.96 Enter on the N. and S. line 3 links
South of the post the corner to sections
22, 23, 26 and 27 from which
corner I run
South 89° 59' West on a true line
between sections 22 and 27
Var. 12° 40 East

39.98 Set a post deposited charred stake
and raised mound of earth with pits
as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.96 The corner to sections 21, 22, 27 & 28
Land rolling prairie; 2 rate.
June 20th 1865

North, between Sections 21 and 22.
Var. 12° 40 East

40.00 Set a post; deposited charred stake and

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raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

48.00 Same rolling prairie and entire bottom land, bears N.E. & S.W.

80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Sections 15, 16, 21, 22.

Land South part rolling, north part level bottom land; 2 rods.

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

Var. 12° 40 East.

40.00 Set a post, for a temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor. bears N.E. & S.W.

42.50 Same bottom land and entire rolling prairie

79.96 Intersected the N. and S. line 6 links South of the post the corner to Sections 14, 15, 22 & 23 from which Corner I run

South 89° 57 West on a true line between Sections 15 and 22.

Var. 12° 40 East

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39.98 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

79.96 The corner to Sections 15, 16, 21 & 22 Land west part rolling, west part bottom land; 2 rods.

North on a true line between Sections 15 and 16.

Var. 12° 40 East.

12.80 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth as per instructions, on the right bank of Platte river, for corner to Fractional Sections 15 & 16.

No lines on banks of river

Land bottom land; 2 rods

West, on a true line between Sections 16 and 21.

Var. 12° 40' East

11.85 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as

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per instructions, on the right-bank of the Platte river, for Corner to fractional sections 16 and 21. Notes on bank to. Land bottom land; 2 rates.

From the corner to sections 21, 22, 27 and 28 I run
West on a true line between Sections 21 and 28.
Va. 12° 40 East

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
43.50 Leave rolling prairie and enter bottom land. bears N.E. & S.W.
62.00 Set post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instruction, on the right-bank of the Platte river for Corner to fractional sections 21 and 28.
Land last part rolling, west part level bottom land, 2 rates.

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North, between sections 32 and 33.
Va. 12° 40 East

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
65.50 To the Ft. Kearny and Plattsmouth road bears N.E. and S.W.
80.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 28, 29, 32 and 33.
Land rolling prairie, 2 rates

East on a random line between sections 28 and 33.
Va. 12° 40 East

14.30 To the Ft. Kearny and Plattsmouth road bears N.E. and S.W.
40.00 Set a post for a temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.11 Enter on the N. and S. line 20 links South of the post the corner to sections 27, 28, 33 and 34 from which corner I run

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South 89° 57' West on a true line between Sections 28 and 33.
Var. 12° 40 East

40.05½ Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instruction for ¼ Sec. Cor.
80.11 The Corner to Sections 28, 29, 32 and 33.
Land rolling; 2 cuts.

West, on a true line between Sections 29 and 32.
Var. 12° 40' East

40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ Sec. Cor.
41.25 Land rolling land and subbottom land, bears N.E & S.W.
53.25 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions, on the right bank of the Platte river for Corner to fractional Sections 29, 32
Land East part rolling, west

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part level bottom, 2 cuts
No timber on river bank

North, on a true line between Sections 28 and 29
Var. 12° 40 East

20.00 Land rolling land and subbottom land, bears N.E. & S.W.
40.00 Set a post, deposited, charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ Sec. Cor.
60.60 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instruction, on the right bank of Platte river for Corner to fractional Sections 28 and 29.
No timber on bank of river.
Land South part rolling, North part level bottom land; 2 cuts

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North, on a true line between Sections 31 and 32.
Var. 12° 40 East

31.00 Land rolling prairie and subbottom land, bears N.E. and S.W.

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40.00 Set a post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ Sec. Cor.

46.56 Set a post deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth as per instructions, on the right bank of Platte river, for corner to Fractional Sections 31 and 32.

No trees on bank of river.

Land South part rolling, North part bottom land, 2 rate.

June 21st 1865.

Meanders of the right bank of Platte river through this Township.

Beginning at the corner to fractional Section 1 & 6 in the East Boundary of the Township, and on the right bank of Platte river, and run thence up the stream with the meanders of the right bank

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of said river, in fractional Section 1. as follows:

Va.	12° 40 East.	Remarks
S. 40 W.	10.00 chs.	
S. 48 W	30.00	No timber
S. 28 W	12.00	
S. 48 W	14.00	To the corner to fractional sections 1 and 12, thence in Section 12.
S. 31 W.	8.00	Several Islands in river
S. 58 W	19.00	No timber.
S 70 W	16.00	To the corner to fractional Sections 11 and 12, thence in Section 11.
S 50 W	4.00	
S. 30 W	14.00	Several Island in river
S. 43 W	6.00	
S 68 W	12.00	Wet bottom
S 55 W	8.00	Scattering Cottonwood
S 86 W	22.50	trees on bank river
S 75 W	12.00	
S. 62 W	16.00	To the corner to fractional Sections 10 and 11

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	Timber on Section 10.
S. 56 W. 8.00	
S. 49 W 10.00	
S. 58 W 12.00	To the corner to fractional Sections 10 and 15 Timber in Section 15.
S. 63 W 14.00	
S 43 W 6.00	Wet bottom
S. 48 W 6.00	No timber
S 16 W 4.00	
S 33 W 47.00	
S 40 W 12.00	To the corner to fractional Sections 15 and 16. Timber in Section 16.
S 43 W 17.50	To the corner to fractional Sections 16 and 21 Timber in Section 21.
S. 40 W 10.00	
S. 27 W 18.00	no timber.
S 43 W. 12.00	
S 24 W 12.00	
S 9 W 3.00	

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S. 30 W 28.00	
S. 40 W 12.50	To the corner of fractional Section 21 and 28. Timber in Section 28.
S. 44 W 14.00	
S. 42 W 12.50	To the corner of fractional Sections 28 and 29 Timber in Section 29.
S 41 W 33.00	
S 68 W 8.00	Several small islands in over flow
S 38 W 14.00	
S 57 W 6.00	
S 25 W 13.00	
S 39 W 8.40	To the corner to fractional Sections 29 and 32 Timber in Section 32.
S. 33 W. 7.00	
S. 48 W 8.00	
S 7 E 3.00	
S 37 W 4.00	
S 45 W 4.00	
S 69 W 2.00	

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S. 41 W 6.00	
S. 29 W 6.00	
S 51 W 4.40	To the corner to fractional sections 31 and 32, timber in section 31.
S. 43 W 11.00	Several islands in river
S 49 W 22.00	
S 38 W 30.50	To the corner to fractional sections 6 and 31, on the Township line between Townships 10 and 11 N.

Land along the right-bank of Platte river, narrow bottom from five to forty chains wide, low and wet near river.

But very little timber on meadow growth on bank of river. Timber Cottonwood.

The timber is on islands in the Platte river.

June 22nd 1865.

General Description

This Township, South of the Platte river contains no first-rate land. Along the right-bank of the Platte river there is a narrow bottom, generally low and wet, further back the land is broken, then comes rolling prairie. But very little timber on right-bank of river. Timber Cottonwood.

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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. 11 North of the base line of Range 5 West of the 6th Principal Meridian, showing the respective capacities in which they acted.

Thomas V. Collins	Chainman
William Gleason	Chainman
William T. Carson	Commander
Richard Hyer	Flagman
Isaac B. Wilcox	Compassman

Field Notes
of the
Survey of the Subdivisional lines and Meanders of fractional Township 11 North of the Base line of Range 5 West of the Sixth Principal Meridian in the Territory of Nebraska Surveyed by Chauncy Wiltse, Deputy Surveyor, under joint contract No. 323. bearing date the 26th day of July 1866. Wherein Oscar F. Davis and Chauncy Wiltse are joint contractors

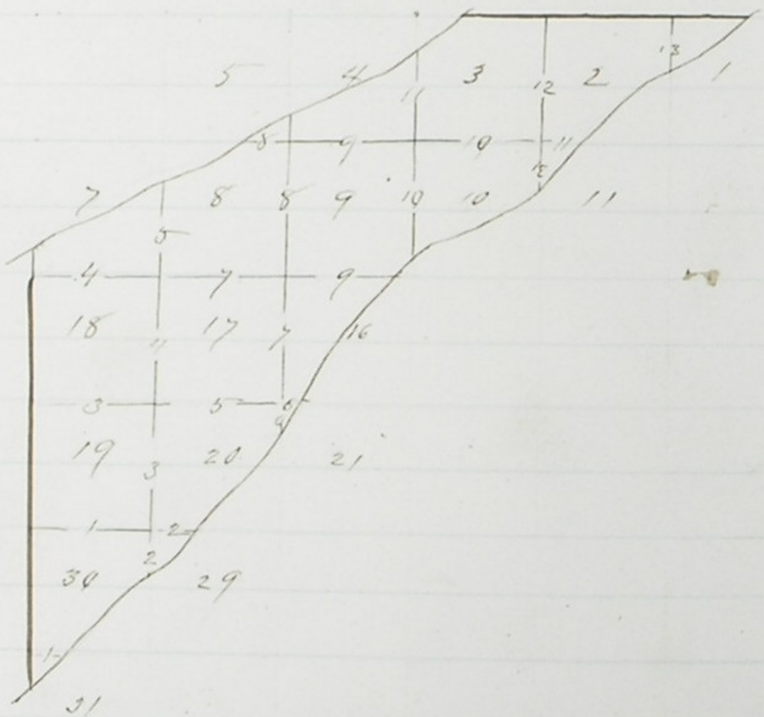
Survey commenced Decr. 6th 1866

Survey Completed Decr. 8th 1866

Names and duties of assistants

Samuel Scott Chainman
S. Connel Chainman
C. Beck Axman
J M Gillespie Flagman

Index Diagram



Meanders 13 to 17 inclusive

Subdivision
of
Fractional Township 11 North
Range 8 West
6th Principal Meridian

From corner to fractional Sections 30 & 31 on 1st Guide Meridian West and West Boundary of the Township I ran East Between Sections 30 & 31

Var 12° 30' East

33.20 Intersect Left Bank of South Channel of Platte River & set Meander Corner Deposited charred Stake & Raised Mound of earth with Pits as per instructions
Land level prairie - 1st rate.

From Corner to Sections 19 24 25 & 30 on 1st Guide Meridian West and West Boundary of Township I ran East on true line Between Sections 19 and 30.

Var 13° East

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Chains	
37.70	Set 1/4 Sec Cor
	deposited Charred Stake raised
	Mound of earth with Pits as per instructions
76.20	Slough 50 links bears N E & S W
77.70	Set post corner to Sections 19. 20
	29 and 30
	deposited Charred Stake Raised Mound of earth
	with Pits as per instructions.
	Land level Prairie Soil 1st rate
	East on true line Bet. Secs. 20 and 29
	Var 12° 30' East
7.00	Enter Marsh bears N E and S W
20.00	Leave same bears N E & S W
25.57	Intersect Left Bank of South Channel
	of Platte River and Set Meander
	Corner deposited Charred Stake raised
	mound of earth with Pits as per instructions
	Land level Prairie mostly Marsh
	South on true line Bet Secs. 29 & 30
	Var 12° 30' East
2.00	Enter Marsh bears N E & S W

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Chains	
23.00	Leave Marsh bears N E and S W
26.50	Intersect Left Bank of South Channel
	of Platte River and Set Meander Corner
	deposited Charred Stake raised Mound with
	Pits as per instructions.
	Land level Prairie low wet Marsh
	North Between Sections 19 and 20
	Var 12° 30' East
3.50	Slough 50 links wide bears N E & S W
40.00	Set post for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
	deposited Charred Stake raised Mound of earth
	with Pits as per instructions
80.00	Set post corner to Sections 17. 18. 19 &
	20. deposited Charred Stake raised Mound of earth
	with Pits as per instructions.
	Land level Prairie Soil 1st rate
	West on Random line Between Sections
	18 and 19
	Var 12° 30' East
40.00	Set temporary 1/4 Sec Cor
78.00	Intersect West Boundary at Cor to Sec 18 & 19

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Chains	
	East on true line Bet. Sec. 18 and 19 Var 12° 30' East
38.00	Set post for 1/4 Sec. Cor deposited Stone Stake raised Mound with earth Pits as per instructions
78.00	Comes to Sections 18, 19, 17 + 20 Land level Prairie Soil 1st rate
	North Between Sections 17 and 18 Var 12° 30' East
40.00	Set post for 1/4 Sec. Cor. deposited Stone Stake raised Mound of earth with Pits as per instructions
80.00	Set post for Cor to Sections 7, 8, 17 + 18 Stone Stake raised Mound with Pits as per instructions Land Rolling Prairie Soil 1st rate
	West on Random line Bet Sec 7 + 18 Var 12° 30' East
40.00	Set temporary 1/4 Sect Cor
75.00	Intersect North Bnd South on West Boundary at Corner to Sections 7 + 18

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Chains	
	East on true line Bet Sec 7 and 18 Var 12° 30' East
38.00	Set post for 1/4 Sec Cor deposited Stone Stake raised Mound of earth with Pits as per instructions
78.00	Comes to Section 7, 8, 17 + 18 Land level soil 1st rate.
	North on true line Bet. Sec 7 + 8 Var 12° 30' East
40.00	Set post for 1/4 Sec. Cor deposited Stone Stake raised Mound of earth with Pits as per instructions.
53.00	Intersect Right Bank of North Fork of Platte River & Set Meander Corner deposited Stone Stake raised Mound of earth with Pits as per instructions Land level Prairie Soil 1st rate
	From Corner to Sections 17, 18, 19 and 20 East on true line Bet. Sec 17 + 20 Var 12° 30' East
2.00	Set post for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

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Chains	
	deposited Sawed Stake raised Mound of earth with Pits as per instructions
70.00	Enters wet Marsh bears N E & S W
80.00	Set post cor. to Section 16. 17. 20. 21 in Marsh deposited Sawed Stake raised Mound of earth as per instructions Land level. East 10 chs. Marshy, soil 1st rate.
	East on true line Bet Sec. 16 & 21 Var 12° 30' East
11.00	Leave Marsh bears N E & S W
13.00	Intersect left Bank of South Sawed of Platte River and Set Meander Corner deposited Sawed Stake raised Mound of earth with Pits as per instructions Land level Prairie Mostly wet Marsh
	South on true line Bet Sec. 20 and 21 Var 12° 30' East
11.30	Leave Marsh bears N E and S W
11.64	Intersect Left Bank of South Sawed of Platte River and Set Meander Corner deposited Sawed stake raised Mound of earth with Pits as per instructions Land level prairie - Mostly Marsh.

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Chains	
	North Between Section 16 and 17 Var 12° 30' East
6.50	Leave Marsh bears N E and S W.
40.00	Set post for ¼ Sec. Cor. deposited Sawed Stake raised Mound of earth with Pits as per instructions
50.00	Set post for Corner to Sections 8. 9. 16 & 17 deposited Sawed Stake raised Mound of earth with Pits as per instructions Land level Prairie Soil 1st rate.
	West on Random line Between Sections 8 and 17 Var 12° 30' East
40.00	Set temporary ¼ Sec. Cor.
80.00	Intersect North and South line at Corner to Sections 8 and 17
	East on true line Bet Sec 8 & 17 Var 12° 30' East
40.00	Set post for ¼ Sec. Cor from which A Cottonwood 16" dia bears S 55 W 90 links dist A Cottonwood 14" dia bears N 72 E 210 links dist
80.00	Comes to Sections 8. 9. 16 & 17

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Chains	
	Land level Prairie Soil 1st rate with a very few scattering cottonwood trees
	North Between Sections 8 and 9
	Var 12° 30' East
40.00	Set post for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
	deposited Charred Stake raised Mound of earth with Pits as per instructions
80.00	Set post corner to Sections 4. 5. 8 and 9
	deposited Charred Stake raised Mound of earth with Pits as per instructions
	Land level soil 1st rate
	West true line Between Sec. 5 and 8
	Var 12° 30' East
21.10	Intersect Right Bank of North Channel of Platte River and Set Meander Corner
	deposited Charred Stake raised Mound of earth with Pits as per instructions
	Land level Prairie soil 1st rate
	North on true line Bet Sec. 4 and 5
	Var 12° 30' East

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Chains	
11.00	Intersect Right Bank North Channel Platte River and Set Meander Corner
	deposited Charred Stake raised Mound of earth with Pits as per instructions
	December 6th 1866
	Chain compared and found correct
	From corner to Sections 8. 9. 16 and 17 East
	true line Bet. Sec. 9 and 16
	Var 12° 30' East
40.00	Set post for 1/4 Sec. Cor
	deposited Charred Stake raised Mound of earth with Pits as per instructions
74.80	Intersect Left Bank of South Channel of Platte River and Set Meander corner Drove Charred Stake raised Mound as per instructions
	Land level soil 1st rate.
	From corner to Sections 4. 5. 8 and 9
	East true line Bet Sec. 4 and 9
	Var 12° 30' East
40.00	Set post for 1/4 Sec Cor
	deposited Charred Stake raised Mound of earth

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Chains	
	with Pits as per instructions
80.00	Set post for corner to Sections 3. 4. 9 and 10.
	deposited Stones Raised Mound South with Pits as per instructions.
	Land level Prairie Soil 1st rate
	South True line Bet Sec. 9 and 10 Var 12° 30' East
40.00	Set post for ¼ Sec. Cor.
	deposited Stones Raised Mound South with Pits as per instructions
73.50	Intersect Left Bank of South Channel of Platte River and Set Meander Corner
	deposited Stones Raised Mound South with Pits as per instructions
	Land level Prairie Soil 1st rate
	East on true line Bet Sec. 3 and 10 Var 12° 30' East
40.00	Set post for ¼ Sec. Cor.
	deposited Stones Raised Mound South with Pits as per instructions

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Chains	
80.00	Set post corner to Sections 2. 3. 9 & 10 & 11
	deposited Stones Raised Mound South with Pits as per instructions
	Land level Prairie Soil 1st rate
	East on true line Bet Sec. 2 & 11 Var 12° 30' East
19.00	Intersect Left Bank of South Channel of Platte River and Set Meander Corner
	deposited Stones Raised Mound South with Pits as per instructions
	Land level soil 2d rate
	North Bet Sec. 3 and 11 Var 12° 30' East
40.00	Set post for ¼ Sec Cor
	deposited Stones Raised Mound South with Pits as per instructions
60.70	Slough 50 links wide Enter Timber bears North East and South West
64.48	Intersect Right Bank of North Channel of Platte River set Meander Corner from which

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Chains	
	An Elm 5 in dia bears S 48½ W 48 links dist
	An Elm 3 in dia bears S 41 E 23 links dist
	Land level soil 1st rate
	Timber Elm, Cottonwood & Willow
	North on Random line Bet Secs 2 and 3 Var 12 30
40.00	Set temporary ¼ Sec Cor
80.00	Intersect North Boundary at Corner to Sections 2 and 3
	South true line Bet Secs 2 and 3 Var 12 30 East
40.00	Set post for ¼ Sec Cor
	deposited charred Stoke raised Mound of earth with Pits as per instructions
80.00	Corner to Sections 2. 3. 10 and 11
	Land level soil sandy 2d rate
	South True line Bet Secs 10 and 11 Var 12 30 East
16.54	Intersected Left Bank South channel of Platte River and Set Meander Corner deposited charred Stoke raised Mound of earth with Pits as per instructions.

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Chains	
	From corner to Sections 1. 2. 35 & 36 on the Township line Between Townships 11 & 12 ran South true line Between Sections 1 & 2 Var 12 30 East
5.00	~~Eater~~ Leave Marsh bears N. E. and S. W.
30.26	Intersect Left Bank of South channel of Platte River & Set Meander Corner deposited charred stoke raised Mound of earth with Pits as per instructions
	Land level Prairie soil sandy 2d rate December 7th 1866
	Meanders of Right Bank of North channel of Platte River Through fractional Township 11 North Range 8 West
	Begin at the corner to fractional Sections 7 and 12 on West Boundary of Township and on Right bank of River and run thence down stream in fractional Section 7. Var 12 30 East
courses	chains
N 57 E	31.70

Remarks

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Course	Chains	Remarks
N18½E	8.00	
N52E	9.00	
N72½E	7.00	
N85E	8.00	
North	1.50	
N81E	10.50	To Meander Cor to fractional Secs 7 and 8 thence in Section 8
N72E	3.00	
N21E	5.50	
N75E	28.00	
N55E	7.00	
N69½E	23.10	To Meander Cor to fractional Secs 5 & 8 thence in Sec 5
N5W	4.50	
N63½E	8.50	
N80E	14.00	To Meander Cor to fractional Secs 4 and 5 thence in Section 4.
N53E	2.00	
N9E	8.00	
N64½E	22.50	
N54½E	43.60	To outlet 50 lks wid runs East enter timber East
S74E	16.00	
N49E	7.70	to Meander Cor to fractional Secs 3 and 4 thence in Section 3
	237.40	

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Course	Chains	Remarks
N21E	8.00	
N29E	17.80	To Meander Cor to fractional Secs 30 & 31 on North Boundary of Township

Meanders of the Left Bank of the South Channel of Platte River in Township 11 North Range 8 West.

Begin at the Corner to fractional Sections 31 and 36 on West Boundary of the Township and the left bank of the river and run thence down stream with the Meanders of the left Bank in fractional Section 31

Var 12° 30' East

Course	Chains	Remarks
N38E	13.50	at 10 leave scattering Timber ~~[illegible]~~
N26½E	14.50	
N35E	23.00	To Meander Cor to fractional Secs 30 & 31 thence in 30
N45E	40.00	
N40E	15.00	
N33E	16.00	To Meander Cor to fractional Secs 29 & 30 thence in Section 29
N57E	10.00	
	161.10	

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Township 11 North Range 8 West 6th Mer

Courses	Chains	
N23E	16.00	
N37E	14.80	To Meander Cor to fractional Sect. 20 and 29
		thence in Section 20
N39E	34.00	
N36½E	25.00	
N42E	27.80	To Meander Cor to fractional Sects 20 & 21
		thence in Section 21
N35E	8.00	
N42E	9.65	To Meander Cor to fractional Sec 16 & 21
		thence in Section 16
N48E	43.60	
N21E	31.50	
N41½E	28.10	To Meander Cor to fractional Sects 9 & 16
		thence in Section 9
N42½E	5.50	To Meander Cor to fractional Sects 9 & 10
		thence in Section 10
N45½E	14.00	
N59E	20.00	
N64E	17.00	
N46½E	43.80	
N40½E	38.02	
N50E	5.00	To Meander Cor to fractional Sect 10 & 11
		thence in Sect 11
N51½E	28.30	To Meander Cor to fractional Sects 2 & 11

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Township 11 North Range 8 West 6th Mer

Courses	Chains	
		thence in Section 2
N44E	8.00	
N61E	10.00	
N45E	26.10	
N32½E	20.00	
N60E	14.70	To Meander Cor to fractional Sec 1 & 2
		thence in Section 1
N60E	21.50	
N40E	20.10	Enter Marsh bears W
N66E	9.10	To Meander Cor to fractional Sect
		1 and 36 on North Boundary

129.50

December 8th 1866

Township 11 North Range 8 West 6th Prin Mer

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General Description.

The surface of this Township is level soil 1st rate.

There is a wet Marsh extending along and near the River all except this is well adapted to agricultural purposes.

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Field Notes

of the

Subdivision lines and meanders of Platte River in fractional Township 11 N. R. 8 West of 6th principal meridian, surveyed by E. J. Farnsworth, Deputy Surveyor, under joint contract No. 314, dated May 15th, 1866; wherein Hackbusch and Farnsworth are joint contractors.

Survey:

commenced August 6th 1866

completed August 7th, 1866.

Exd. by H. C. A. —
Cops. H. L. B.

Names and duties of assistants.

Lemuel M. Jones, Chainman
Wm F. Worley, Chainman
John Taylor, Axeman
Alex. Neven, Flagman

Township 4 North Range 5 West 6 P. M.

6	4	5	7	4	8	3		2		1	
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7	6	8		9		10		11		12	
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Fract'l. T. 11 N. R. 8 W. 6 pl mer.

des. Township 11 N. R. 8 W. being made
fractional by Platte River on
the South and East, I, there-
fore, as per special instruction
commence at the N. W. corner.
To determine the proper adjustment
of my compass for subdividing
this Township, I commence at
the corner to Tps 11 and 12 N. Rs.
8 and 9 West, and run
South, on a blank line along the
West side of sec. 6
Va. 13° 30' E.

39.93 To quarter section corner
79.85 To corner to secs. 6 and 7
To retrace this line or run par-
allel thereto my compass must
be adjusted to a variation of 13° 30' E.
Subdivision commenced August 6, 1866
From the corner to secs 5. 6. 31 and 32
on the North Boundary of the Township
I run

Fractl. T. 11 N. R. 8 W. 6 pl. mer.

chs.	
	South, between secs. 5 and 6 Va. 13° 30' E.
3.45	Center of U. P. R. R. - bears N. 60 E. & S. 60 W.
40.00	Set post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	Set post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 5. 6. 7 and 8 Land level bottom - 1st rate.
	West, on a Random line between secs. 6 and 7 Va. 13° 30' E.
21.75	Enter Cornfield, bears N. and S.
34.20	Leave Cornfield, bears N. and S.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
78.20	Intersected West Boundary of Township 37 lks. South of cor. to secs. 6 & 7 from which cor. I run S. 89° 44' E. on a true line between secs. 6 and 7 Va. 13° 30' E.

Fractl. T. 11 N. R. 8 W. 6 pl. Mer.

chs.	
38.20	Set post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
78.20	The cor. to secs. 5. 6. 7 and 8 Land level bottom - 1st rate.
	The line between secs. 5 and 8 will strike Platte River in less than 80.00 chs., I, therefore, run East, on a true line between secs. 5 and 8 Va. 13.35' E.
27.50	Henry Viereck's House is 100 lks. South of the line
34.00	Ft Kearney and Omaha Road, bears N. 70 E. and S. 70 W.
36.75	Telegraph line, bears N. 70 E. & S. 70 W.
40.00	Set post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
48.60	To slough, 15 lks. wide, bears S. W. and N. 85° E. - Enter timber on East side of slough, bears N. E. & S. W.

Fractl. T. 11 N. R. 8 W. 6 pl. Mer.

chs.

55.50 To left bank of Platte River – Here I set a post, deposited charred stake and made pit as per instructions for meander corner to fractional secs. 5 and 8, from which
A Willow 4 in. dia. bears N. 72¼ W. 12 links dist.
No other trees to mark.
Land level bottom – 1st rate.
Timber: Willow and Cottonwood; Undergrowth the same and vines.

South, between secs. 7 and 8
Va. 13° 30' E.

17.00 Ft Kearney and Omaha Road bears N. 70 E. and S. 70 W.
18.75 Telegraph line, bears N. 70 E. & S. 70 W.
20.88 Slough, 30 lks. wide, bears N. 70 E. & S. 70 W.
24.85 A Slough, 30 lks. wide, bears N. 70 E. & S. 70 W.
25.40 To left bank of Platte River – Here I
Enter timber on South side of Slough
set a post for meander cor. to fractional secs. 7 and 8, from which

Fractl. T. 11 N. R. 8 W. 6 pl. Mer.

chs.

A Cottonwood, 9 in. dia. bears N. 83¾ W. 19 lks. dist.
A Willow, 4 in. dia. bears N. 1¾ E. 38 lks. dist.
Land level bottom – 1st rate.
Timber: Cottonwood, Willow & Elm.
Undergrowth the same and vines.

South, between secs. 4 and 5
Va. 13° 30' E.

11.00 To a field, bears E and W.
40.00 Set post, deposited charred stake and raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ sec. cor.
43.00 Leave field, bears N. 70 E. & S. 70 W.
46.50 Ft Kearney & Omaha Road, bears N. 70 E. and S. 70 W.
48.00 Telegraph line, bears N. 70 E. & S. 70 W.
61.00 To a Slough, 35 lks. wide, bears N. 70 E. & S. 70 W. – enter timber on South side of slough, bears N. 70 E. & S. 70 W.
67.30 To left bank of Platte River –

Draftl. T. 11 N. R. 8 W. 6 pl. Mer.

chs.	
	Here I set a post for meander cor. to fractional secs. 4 and 5; from which
	An Elm 20 in. dia. bears N. 15¾ E. 54 lks. dist
	An Elm 12 in. dia. bears N. 71 W. 75 lks. dist.
	Land level bottom – 1st rate.
	Timber: Cottonwood, Elm and Willow

	South, between secs. 3 and 4 Va. 13° 30' E.
4.10	To slough, 30 lks. wide, bears N. 70 E. and S. 70 W. – enter young growth of timber on South side, bears N. 70 E. & S. 70 W.
11.90	To left bank of Platte River – Here I set a post for meander cor. to fractional secs. 3 and 4, from which
	A Willow 5 in. dia, bears N. 6½ E. 32 lks. dist
	A Willow 5 in. dia. bears S. 1 W. 13 lks. dist.

Draftl. T. 11 N. R. 8 W. 6 pl. Mer.

chs.	
	Land level bottom – 1st rate
	Timber: Willow and Cottonwood
	August 6th, 1866.

Meanders of the left bank of Platte River through the Township.

Begin at the corner to fractional sections 7 and 12, on the West Boundary of the Township, and on the left bank of the River, and run thence down stream with the meanders of the left bank of said river, in fractional section 7, as follows:

Courses	dist.	Remarks. Va. 13° 30' E.
N. 56¾ E.	34.00	
N. 55 E.	18.00	At 8.15 chs Slough 80 lks. wide, bears N. E.
N. 16 E.	7.00	At 6.25 chs South of Slough, 50 lks wide, Course South West 50 lks wide
N. 55 E.	10.00	
N. 7½ E.	8.00	At 2.00 chs. Slough 20 lks. wide, bears N. & E.
N. 85 E.	7.00	
N. 10 E.	1.20	
N. 77¾ E.	10.00	At 9.50 chs. Slough. 30 lks wide, bears N. 40 E.

Tract. T. 11 N. R. 8 W. 6 pr. Mer.

Course	Dist.	Remarks.
S. 87 E.	0.94	To the cor. to fractional secs. 7 and 8 — thence in sec. 8
N. 70 E.	2.00	
N. 20 E.	6.00	At 4.50 chs. cross mouth of slough 20 lks wide, bears N. 75° W.
N. 72 E.	29.00	At 13.00 chs Slough 30 lks wide bears N. 60° E
N. 57½ E.	7.00	
N. 67 3/4 E.	13.00	
N. 70½ E.	6.70	To the cor. to fractional secs. 5 and 8 — thence in sec. 5
N. 3 E.	6.00	At 5.00 chs. mouth of slough, 30 lks. wide, N. 35° W.
N. 64 E.	10.00	
N. 80½ E.	10.00	At 5.00 chs. slough 30 lks. wide, N. 20 E.
N. 82½ E.	5.40	To cor. to fractional secs. 4 and 5 — thence in sec. 4
N. 10 E.	8.80	
N. 64 3/4 E.	33.00	At 23. chs. mouth of slough 40 lks. wide bears West
N. 54 E.	35.00	At 10. chs. Head of slough, 30 lks. wide bears N. 30 E.
N. 55½ E.	10.00	
S. 80 E.	6.00	
N. 42½ E.	10.00	To cor. to fractional secs. 3 and 4 — thence in sec. 3

Tract. T. 11 N. R. 8 W. 6 pr. mer.

Course	Dist.	Remarks.
N. 11 E.	5.00	
N. 38½ E.	9.00	To cor. to fractional secs. 3 and 34 on North Boundary of Township.

Land along the left bank of Platte River is level bottom and 1st rate soil.

Timber: Cottonwood, Willow and Elm; undergrowth the same kind.

August 7th 1866.

General Description.

The land in this fractional Township is level bottom of 1st rate quality.—

There is a narrow belt of timber along the left bank of Platte River, consisting of Cottonwood, Willow and Elm.

The water in Platte River is not very clear and about from 3 to 4 feet deep. The current is swift.— The banks are not very high, and in extra high water are subject to overflow.

The U. P. R. R. is situated in sections 5 and 6.— The Ft Kearney & Omaha Road is located along the bank of Platte River.

There are several settlers now in the Township that are doing well at farming.

List of Names.

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 fractional Townships 11 N. R. 8 W. of the 6th principal meridian, showing the respective capacities in which they acted:

Lemuel M. Jones, Chainman.
Wm T. Worley, Chainman
John Taylor, Axeman
Alex Steven, Flagman

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Platted D. Survey

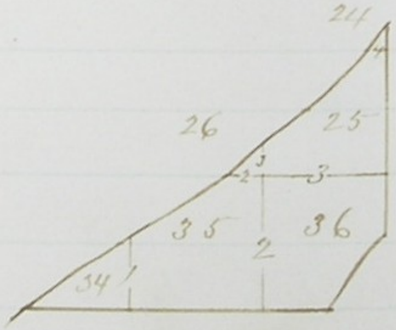
Field Notes
of the
Survey of the Subdivisional lines
and Meanders of Fractional
Township 12 North of the Base line
of Range 8 West of the Sixth
Principal Meridian in Nebraska
Territory. Surveyed by Chauncey
Wilcox Deputy Surveyor under
joint contract No 323 bearing date
the 25 day of July 1866 wherein
Oscar F Davis and Chauncey Wilcox
are joint contractors

Survey Commenced Dec 4th 1866
Survey Completed Dec 4th 1866

Names and duties of assistants

Samuel Scott Chainman
S. Connell Chainman
C. A. Beck Axman
S. M. Gillespie Flagman

Index Diagram



Meanders from 4 to 6 inclusive

Subdivision
of Fractional
Township 12 North
Range 8 West
of the
6th Principal Meridian

Subdivision commenced Decr. 4th 1866.
From Corner to Sections 34 and 35 on
South Boundary Iran North on true
line Between Sections 34 & 35
Var 12° 30' East

35.13 Slough 50 links wide and Enter timber
bears N E and S W.

40.00 Set 1/4 Section Corner from which
A Willow 4 in dia bears S 45° E 12 links dist
Elm 4 in dia bears S 21° W 21 links dist

41.85 Intersect Right Bank of North Channel
of Platte River and Set Meander Corner from which
A Willow 6 in dia bears N 62° E 11 links dist
Willow 4 in dia bears S 38° W 81 links dist
Land level 2d rate Timber Willow
Cottonwood and Elm.

Township 12 North Range 8 West 6th Mer

Chains	
	North Between Sections 35 and 36
	Var 12° 30' East
40.00	Set post for 1/4 Sec. Cor. in Marsh
	deposited Charred stake raised Mound of earth
	with Pits as per instructions,
50.00	Leave Marsh bears N E and S W
80.00	Set Post corner to Sections 25. 26.
	35 and 36 Deposited Charred Stake raised
	Mound of earth with Pits as per instructions
	Land level South half wet Marsh
	North half sandy 2d rate.
	West true line Between Sections
	26 and 35 Var 13° East
4.00	Enter Slough bears N, E, & S, W,
6.50	Leave same and Enter timber bears N, E & S, W
10.00	Intersect Right Bank of North Channel
	of Platte River and Set Meander Corner from which
	A Cottonwood 20 in dia bears N 45 E 47 links dist
	A Willow 4 in dia bears S 9 W 16 links dist
	Land level sandy 2d rate
	Timber Cottonwood Willow &c

Township 12 North Range 8 West 6th Prin. Mer.

Chains	
	North True line Bet Sec. 25 and 26
	Var 12° 30' East
3.00	Enter timber bears N E & S W.
5.76	Intersect Right Bank North Channel Platte River
	and Set Meander Corner from which
	A Willow 7 in dia bears S 8 W 21 links dist
	A Cottonwood 25 in dia bears S 62 E 118 links dist
	Land level sandy 2d rate
	Timber Willow & Cottonwood
	East on Random line Bet Sec. 25 & 36
	Var 12 30' East
40.00	Set temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
70.00	Enter Marsh bears N E and S W
80.00	Intersect East Boundary at Corner
	to Sections 25 & 36
	West true line Bet Sec. 25 and 36
	Var 12° 30' East
40.00	Set post for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
	deposited Charred Stake raised Mound of earth
	with Pits as per instructions
80.00	Corner to sections 25. 26. 35 & 36
	Land level Prairie Soil 2d rate

Township 12 North Range 8 West 6th Mer

Chains	
	From Cor to Secs 19 24 25 & 30 on East 1 Boundary
	ran West on true line 1 Bet. Secs. 24 and 25
	Var 12° 30' East
6.78	Intersect Right Bank North Channel Platte
	River and Set Meander Corner, from which
	A Cottonwood 10 in dia bears N 74 E 50 links dist
	A Cottonwood 16 in dia bears S 77 E 35 links dist
	Land level 1st rate soil Timber Cottonwood Elm, ash Willow,
	Meanders of Right Bank of North Channel
	of Platte River through this Township
	Begin at the Corner to fractional Sections 3
	and 34 on South Boundary of Township 12 North Range 8
	and run thence down Stream on Right
	Bank of said River in Sec 34 Var 12 30 East

courses	chains	Remarks
N 30½ E	3.00	
N 45½ E	10.50	
N 28½ E	5.00	
N 66½ E	7.00	
N 45½ E	6.00	
N 58½ E	16.00	
N 69 E	36.00	
N 80 E	2.40	To Meander Cor. to fractional Secs 34 & 35
	85.90	

Township 12 North Range 8 West 6th Prin. Mer.

courses	chains	Remarks
		thence in Section 35
N 66 E	8.00	
N 56 E	10.00	
N 67 E	20.00	
N 54½ E	16.00	
N 85 E	2.50	
N 43 E	8.00	
N 75 E	13.00	
N 54 E	3.20	To Meander Cor to fractional Secs 26 & 35
		thence in Section 26
N 59 E	4.00	Inlet 60 links wide comes from ~~West~~ East
N 59 E	11.10	To Meander Cor to fractional Secs 25 & 26
		thence in Section 25
N 35½ E	14.50	
N 41 E	14.00	
N 26 E	7.00	
N 54 E	27.00	
N 35½ E	29.00	
N 70 E	14.30	To Meander Cor to fractional Secs 24 & 25
		thence in Section 24
N 62 E	8.00	To Meander Cor to fractional Secs
		19 and 24 on East 1 Boundary
		of Township
	209.60	

Township 12 North Range 5 West 6th Prin Mer.

Courses Chains

Meanders of Left Bank South Channel of Platte River through fractional Township 12 North Range 5 West 6th Mer

Begins at the corner to fractional sections 1st 36 on South Boundary of Township on left Bank and run thence down stream with the Meanders of the left Bank of said river in fractional section 36

Var 12° 30' East

N 14 E	20.00	
N 24 E	17.50	
N 15 E	10.50	
N 70 E	15.00	
N 20 E	10.00	To Meander Corner to fractional
	3.00	Sections 31 and 36 on
	57.00	the East Boundary of the
	214.50	Township
	346.50	

~~Steamboat~~ 15th 1866

Dec. 4, 1866

General Description.

The surface of this Township is level Soil slightly sandy second rate. There is a marsh extending along a short distance from and nearly parallel to the River. There is a small grove of Cottonwood Elm ash and Willow timber in the North East corner on North Channel of Platte River.

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Field Notes
of the
Survey of the subdivisional lines and meanders
Township No 12 North of the Base line
& Range No 8 West of the 6th P.M.
in the Territory of Nebraska by E.S.
Farnsworth, under Joint
Contract No 311 bearing date the
15th day of May, A.D. 1866, Between
H.C.F. Hackbusch and E.S. Farnsworth
as Joint Contractors

Survey

Commenced August 11, 1866
Completed August 16, 1866

Platted W.T. Clarke
Capt. C.E.

Names and Duties of Assistants.

Samuel M. Jones, Chainman
William F. Worley Chainman
John Taylor, Axeman
Alex Nevens, Flagman

Township 12 N. Range 8 West 6 P. M.

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

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Township 12 N. Range 8 West of 6th P.M.

Township No 12 North Range No 8 West being fractional on the South east corner of Thurston, in order to determine the proper adjustment of my compass, begin at the corner to secs. 13 and 24 on the east boundary of the township and run North along the east boundary of sec 13

Va. 13° 30' E

40.00 To a point 6 lks. east of the ¼ sec. cor.

80.00 To a point 12 lks. east of the cor. to secs. 12 & 13

To retrace this line or run parallel thereto my compass must be adjusted to a Va. of 13° 35' E.

Subdivision Commenced 11th August 1866

From the cor. to secs 13 and 24 on the East Boundary of the Township I run as per special instructions West on a true line between secs. 13 & 24

Va 13° 35' E.

40.00 Set post, deposited Chained stake raised

Township 12 N. Range 8 W. of 6th P.M.

	Mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
80.00	Set post, deposited chained stake, raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs 13. 14. 23. 24
	Sand level bottom; Soil 1st rate
	South between secs. 23 and 24 Va 13° 35' E
40.00	Set post deposited chained stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	Set post, deposited chained stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 23. 24. 25. 26
	Sand level bottom; Soil 1st rate
	The line between secs. 24 and 25 will strike the Platte River in less than 80. chains, I therefore run East on a true line between secs. 24 & 25 Va. 13° 35' E.

Township 12 N. Range 8 W. 6th P.M.

40.00	Set post deposited chained stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
59.50	To a cornfield, bears N. 70° W. and S. 20° E.
63.00	Leave cornfield bears N. 70° E and S. 70° W
65.00	To telegraph line bears N. 70 E. and S. 70° W. At this point Mr. Shoemakers house stands 60 links north
66.50	Ft Kearney and Omaha road bears N. 70° E & 70° W
69.15	To left bank of Platte River, Set post deposited chained stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for meander cor. to fractional secs. 24 and 25 Sandbed bottom; Soil 1st rate
	South, between secs. 25 and 26 Va. 13° 35' E.
34.00	At this point Mr. Hiltes house is 2.00 chs east
35.90	To Telegraph line bears N. 60° E. and S. 60° W.
37.50	To Ft. Kearney and Omaha road bears N. 60° E and S. 60° W.

Township 12 N. Range 8 W. 6th P.M.

40.00	Set post. deposited Chaned stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ sec. cor.
70.96	To left bank of Platte River, Set post deposited Chaned stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for Meander cor. to secs 25 and 24 Sand level bottom ; Soil 1st rate
	North between secs. 13 and 14 Va. 13° 35' E.
13.00	To Center of Un. Pac. R.R. bears N. 50° E and S. 50° W.
40.00	Set post deposited Chaned stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ sec. cor.
80.00	Set post. deposited Chaned stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 11, 12, 13, 14 Sandlevel bottom ; Soil 1st rate
	East on a random line between secs. 12 & 13

Township 12 N. Range 8 W. 6th P.M.

Va 13° 35

40.00	Set post for temporary ¼ sec. cor.
79.80	Intersected East Boundary at cor. to secs. 12 and 13 from which cor. I run West on a true line between secs. 12 and 13.
39.90	Set post deposited Chaned Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ sec. cor. Va. 13° 35' E.
79.80	The cor. to secs. 11, 12, 13, 14 Sand level bottom ; Soil 1st rate
	North, between secs. 11 and 12 Va. 13° 40' E.
40.00	Set post deposited Chaned stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ sec. cor.
80.00	Set post deposited Chaned stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 1, 2, 11, 12 Sandlevel bottom ; Soil 1st rate
	East on a random line between secs.

Township 12 N. Range No 8 W. of 6th P.M.

1 and 12

Va. 12° 40' E.

40.00 Set post for temprary 1/4 sec. cor.

79.60 Intersected East Boundary 6 lks. N. of cor. to secs. 1 and 12 from which cor. I run N. 89° 57' W. on a true line between secs. 1 and 12

Va. 12° 40' E.

39.80 Set post deposited Chaned Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.

79.60 The Cor. to secs. 1, 2, 11 and 12
Sand level bottom; Soil 1st rate

North on a true line between secs, 1 & 12

Va. 12° 45' E.

40.00 Set post deposited Chaned stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.

80.30 Intersected 3rd Standard Parallel North 18.75 Chs. East of Standard Cor. to secs. 35 and 36 where set post deposited

Township 12 N. Range 8 W. 6th P.M.

Chaned stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 1 and 12
Sand level bottom; Soil 1st rate

From the corner to secs 23, 24, 25, 26. I run West on a true line between secs 23 & 26

Va. 13° 35 E

40.00 Set post deposited chaned stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor

80.00 Set post deposited chaned stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 22, 23, 26, 27
Sand level bottom; Soil 1st rate

South between secs. 26 and 27

Va. 13° 35' E.

40.00 Set post deposited chaned stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.

80.00 Set post deposited chaned stake raised

Township No 12 N. Range 8 W. 6th P.M.

mound of earth with pit as per instructions for cor. to secs 26. 27. 34. 35
Sand hill bottom; Soil 1st rate

The line between secs. 26 and 35 will strike the Platte River in less than 80 chains I therefore run
East on a true line between secs 26 & 35
Va. 13°25

16.80 To telegraph line bears N. 60° E and S. 60° W.
18.80 Ft Kearny and Omaha road bears N. 60° E and S. 60° W.
40.00 Set post deposited chained stake raised mound of earth with pit as per instructions for ¼ sec cor.
68.74 Left bank of Platte River. Set post deposited chained stake raised mound of earth for meander cor. to fractional secs 26 and 35
Sand hill bottom; Soil 1st rate

South between secs 34 and 35

Township No 12 N Range 8 W. 6th P.M.

Va 13°35' E.

10.30 To telegraph line bears N. 60° E & S. 60° W.
11.00 To Ft Kearny and Omaha road bears N. 60° E. and S. 60° W.
36.30 Left bank of Platte River. Set post deposited chained stake raised mound of earth with pit as per instructions for meander cor to fractional secs 34 and 35
Sand hill bottom; Soil 1st rate

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North between secs 22 and 23
Va. 13°35' E.

29.20 U.P. Rail Road bears N. 50° E and S. 50° W.
40.00 Set post in mound chained stake raised mound of earth with pit as per instructions for ¼ sec. cor.
80.00 Set post deposited chained stake raised mound of earth with pit as per instructions for Cor to secs. 14, 15, 22. 23
Sand hill bottom; Soil 1st rate

Township No 12 S. Range No 8 W. 6 PM

East, on a random line between secs 14 and 23

Va 13° 25' E.

11.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
6 41.00 Origin Pacific Rail Road bears N 50° E and S. 30° W.
79.46 Intersected S and S. line 50 lks North of cor. to secs 13. 14. 23. 24 from which cor. I run

N. 89° 39' West on a true line between secs. 14 and 23

Va 13° 25' E

39.73 Set post deposited Chains Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor

79.46 The cor. to secs 14, 15, 22, 23 Sand level bottom; Soil 1st rate

North between secs 14 and 15

Va 13° 15' E.

40.00 Set post deposited chains stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00 Set post deposited Chains Stake

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raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 10.11. 14.15 Sand level bottom; Soil 1st rate

East on a random line between secs. 11 and 14

Va. 13° 25' E.

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor.
79.62 Intersected N and S. line 16 lks North of cor. to secs 11. 12. 13. 14 from which cor. I run

N. 89° 53' W. on a true line between secs. 11 and 14

Va 13° 25' E.

39.81 Set post deposited chains Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.62 The cor to secs. 10. 11. 14. 15 Sand level bottom; Soil 1st rate

North between secs. 10 and 11

Va 13° 45' E.

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40.00 Set post deposited charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. Cor.

80.00 Set post deposited Charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for Cor. to secs. 2. 3. 10. 11

Land level bottom: Soil 1st rate

East on on a random line between sections 2 and 11

Va 13°25' E.

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.

79.40 Intersected N and S. line 31 lks. North of Cor. to secs. 1. 2. 11. 12 from which corner I run

N. 89°47' W. on a true line between secs. 2 and 11

Va 13°25' E.

39.70 Set post deposited Charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. Cor.

79.40 The cor. to secs. 2. 3. 10. 11

Land level bottom: Soil 1st rate

Township 12 N Range 8 W. 6th P.M.

North on a true line between secs 2 and 3

Va 13°45' E.

40.00 Set post deposited Charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.

79.58 Intersected 3d Standard Parallel North 18.85 chains east of Standard Corner to secs. 34 and 35. Here I set post deposited Charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for closing Corner to secs 2 and 3

Land level bottom: Soil 1st rate

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North between secs. 33 and 34

Va 13°45' E.

9.00 To telegraph line bears N 60° E. and S 60° W.

10.64 Ft. Kearney and Omaha road bears N. 60° E and S. 60° W.

11.73 Wm Hurleys Out house. His dwelling

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	house is 20 lks. West
40.00	Set post, deposited Chaned stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	Set post deposited Chaned stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 27, 28, 33, 34 Sand level bottom; Soil 1st rate
	East on a random between secs. 27 and 34 Va 13° 30' E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.30	Intersected N. and S. line 20 lks N. of cor. to secs. 26, 27, 34, 35 from which corner Ironwood N. 89° 51' E. on a true line between secs. 27 and 34 Va 13° 30' E.
39.65	Set post deposited Chaned stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.

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79.30	The cor. to secs. 27, 28, 33, 34 Sand level bottom; Soil 1st rate
	North between secs 27 and 28 Va. 13° 45' E.
40.00	Set post deposited Chaned stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
46.40	To Center of U.P. Rail Road bears N. 50° E. and S. 50° W.
80.00	Set post deposited Chaned stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 21, 22, 27, 28 Sand level bottom; Soil 1st rate
	East, on a random line between secs. 22 and 27 Va 13° 15' E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor
43.80	To Center of U. P. Rail Road bears N 50° E and S. 50° W.

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79.10 Intersected N. and S. line 54 links N. of cor. to secs. 22, 23, 26 and 27 from which corner I run N. 89° 37' W. on a true line between secs. 22 and 27

Va 13° 15' E.

39.55 Set post deposited Chaind stake raised Mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.

79.10 The corner to secs. 21, 22, 27, 28 Sand level bottom; Soil 1st rate

North between secs. 21 and 22

Va 13° 45' E.

40.00 Set post deposited Chaind stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.

80.00 Set post deposited Chaind stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for Cor. to secs. 15, 16, 21 and 22 Sand level bottom Soil 1st rate

Township N° 12 N Range 8 W. 6 P.M.

East on a random line between secs. 15 and 22

Va 13° 15' E.

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor.

79.32 Intersected N and W. line 47 lks N. of cor. to secs. 14, 15, 22, 23 from which cor. I run N. 89° 40' W. on a true line between secs. 15 and 22

Va 13° 15' E.

39.66 Set post deposited Chaind stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.

79.32 The cor. to secs. 15, 16, 21 and 22 Sand level bottom; Soil 1st rate

North, between secs. 15 and 16

Va 13° 15' E.

40.00 Set post deposited Chaind stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.

80.00 Set post deposited Chaind stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions

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for Corner to secs. 9, 10, 15, 16
Sand level bottom; Soil 1st rate

East, on a random line between secs. 10 and 15

Va. 13° 15' E

40.00 Set post, for temporary 1/4 sec. Cor.
79.38 Intersected N and S. line 59 lks N. of cor. to secs. 10, 11, 14, 15 from which Cor. Iron
N. 89° 35' W. on a true line between secs 10 and 15

Va 13° 15' E

39.69 Set post deposited stone and stake mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.38 The corner to secs. 9, 10, 15, 16
Sandlevel bottom / Soil 1st rate

North between secs. 9 and 10

Va 13° 45' E.

41.00 Set post deposited stone and stake

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raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00 Set post deposited stone and stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for Cor to secs 3, 4, 9, 10
Sand level bottom; Soil 1st rate

East on a random line between secs. 3 and 10

Va 13° 15' E.

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.50 Intersected N and S. line 63 lks. N. of cor. to secs. 2, 3, 10, 11 from which Cor. Iron
N. 89° 33' W. on a true line between secs. 3 and 10 Va. 13° 15' E.
39.75 Set post deposited stone and stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.50 The cor. to secs. 3, 4, 9, 10
Sandlevel bottom; Soil 1st rate

Township 12 N. Range 8 W. 6th P.M.

North on a true line between secs 3 and 4

Va 13° 45' E.

40.00 Set post deposited Chaund Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec.

78.60 Intersected 3rd Standard Parallel North 19.50 chs. east of standard Cor. to secs. 33 and 34. Here I set a post deposited Chaund Stake with mound of earth with pits as per instructions for Closing cor to secs. 3 and 4

Land level bottom; Soil 1st rate

North between secs. 32 and 33

Va 13° 45' E.

40.00 Set post deposited Chaund Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.

61.50 To U.P. Rail Road bears N 50° E and S. 50° W.

40.00 Set post deposited Chaund Stake raised mound of earth with pits

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as per instructions for cor to secs. 28. 29. 32. 33

Land level bottom; Soil 1st rate

East on a random line between secs. 28. and 33

Va. 13° 56 E.

23.00 To Union Pacific Rail Road bears N. 50° E. and S 50° W.

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. Cor.

80.02 Intersected N. and S. line 54 lks S. of corner to secs 27. 28. 33. 34 from which corner bears S. 89° 37' W. on a true line between secs 28 and 33

Va 13° 56' E.

44.01 Set post deposited Chaund Stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. Cor.

80.02 The Cor. to secs. 28. 29. 32. 33

Land level bottom; Soil 1st rate

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North between secs. 28 and 29
Va 13°45' E.

14.00 Set post deposited Chand Stake
raised mound of earth with pits as
per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.

80.00 Set post deposited Chand Stake
raised mound of earth with pits
as per instructions for cor. to secs.
28, 21, 28, 29
Sandlevel bottom: Soil 1st rate

East on a random line between
secs 21 and 28

Va. 14° 00' E

40.00 Set post for temprary 1/4 sec. cor.

79.88 Intersected N and S. line at cor. to secs
21, 22, 27, 28 from which corner Iron
Post on a true line between secs.
21 and 28

Va 14° 00' E.

39.94 Set post, deposited Chand Stake
raised mound of earth with pits as per
instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.

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79.88 The cor. to secs. 20, 21, 28, 29
Sandlevel bottom: Soil 1st rate

North between secs. 20 and 21
Va. 13° 45

14.00 Set post deposited Chand stake
raised mound of earth with pits
as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.

80.00 Set post deposited Chand stake
raised mound of earth with pits
as per instructions for cor. to secs. 16, 17, 20, 21
Sandlevel bottom: Soil 1st rate

East on a random line between
secs. 16 and 21

Va 14° E

40.00 Set post, for temprary 1/4 sec. cor.

80.10 Intersected N and S. line 6 lks North
of cor. to secs 15, 16, 21, 22 from which
Cor. Iron
N. 89° 57' W. on a true line between secs
16 and 21

Va. 14° 00' E.

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40.15 Set post deposited Chained Stake raised
Mound of earth with pits as per instructions
for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.10 The cor. to secs. 16. 17. 20. 21
Sandy level bottom; Soil 1st rate

North between secs. 16 and 17
Va 13° 45' E.
40.00 Set post deposited Chained stake
raised Mound of earth with pits as
per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
57.00 A Slough 40 lks wide bears East W.
80.00 Set post deposited Chained stake raised
Mound of earth with pits as per instructions
for cor. to secs. 8. 9. 16. 17
Sandy level bottom; Soil 1st rate

East on a random line between secs.
9 & 16
Va. 14° 00' E
40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. Cor.
80.20 Intersected N and S. line at cor.

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to secs 9. 10. 15. 16 from which cor.
bears
West on a true line between secs.
9 and 16
Va. 14° 00' E.
40.10 Set post deposited Chained Stake
raised Mound of earth with pits
as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.20 The cor. to secs. 8. 9. 16. 17
Sandy level bottom; Soil 1st rate

North between secs. 8 and 9
Va 13° 45' E.
40.00 Set post deposited Chained Stake
raised Mound of earth with pits
as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00 Set post deposited Chained Stake
raised Mound of earth with pits
as per instructions for Cor. to secs.
4. 5. 8. 9
Sandy level bottom; Soil 1st rate

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East on a random line between
secs. 4 and 9

Va. 14° 00' E.

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.40 Intersected N and S. line 15 lks North
of cor. to secs. 3. 4. 9. 10 from which
Cor. I mm
N. 89° 54' W. on a true line between
secs. 4 and 9

Va. 14° 00' E.

40.20 Set post deposited Chained Stake
raised mound of earth with pits
as per instructions for 1/4 sec. Cor.
80.40 The Cor. to secs. 4. 5. 8. 9
Land level bottom; Soil 1st rate

North on a true line between secs 4 & 5

Va. 13° 45' E.

10.00 A drain bears N. 40° E.
40.00 Set Post deposited Chained Stake raised
mound of earth with pits as per instructions
for Cor. 1/4 sec. Cor.

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79.16 Intersected 3rd Standard Parallel
North 19.50 chs. east of Standard
Cor. to secs. 32 and 33 Mound set
a post deposited Chained Stake
raised mound of earth with pits
as per instructions for Closing Cor.
to secs. 4 and 5
Sand level bottom; Soil 1st rate

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North between secs. 31 and 32

Va 13° 45' E.

40.00 Set post deposited Chained Stake raised
mound of earth with pits as per instructions
for 1/4 sec. Cor.
80.00 Set post deposited Chained Stake
raised mound of earth with pits
as per instructions for Cor. to secs. 29.
30. 31. 32
Sand level bottom
Soil 1st rate

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East on a random line between secs. 29 and 32

Va 13° 45' E.

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.50 Intersected N and S. line 40 chs North of cor. to secs. 28. 29. 32. 33 from which cor. I mm
N. 89° 43' W. on a true line between secs. 29. and 32

Va 13° 45' E.

40.25 Set post deposited Chaind stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.50 The cor. to secs. 29, 30. 31. 32 Sand level bottom: Soil 1st rate

West on a random line between secs. 30 and 31

Va 13° 45' E.

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor.
78.70 Intersected ~~N and S.~~ line the West boundary of the township 40 chs North of cor. to

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secs. 30 and 31 from which cor. I mm N. 89° 43' E. on a true line between secs. 30 and 31

Va 13° 45' E.

38.20 Set post deposited chaind stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
78.20 The cor. to secs. 29. 30. 31. 32 Sand level bottom: Soil 1st rate

North between secs. 29 and 30

Va 13° 45' E.

40.00 Set post deposited Chaind stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00 Set post deposited Chaind stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 19, 20, 29. 30 Sand level bottom: Soil 1st rate

East on a random line between secs. 20 and 29

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Va. 13° 45' E.

40.00 Set post for temporary ¼ sec. cor.
80.72 Intersected N and S. line 25 lks N of cor. to secs. 20, 21, 28, 29 from which corner Iron A
N. 89° 49' W. on a true line between secs 20 and 29

Va 13° 45'

40.36 Set post deported chaned stake raised mound of earth with pit as per instructions for ¼ sec. cor.
80.72 The cor. to secs 19, 20, 29, 30
Sand and bottom; Soil 1st rate

West on a random between sections 19 and 30

Va 13° 45' E.

40.00 Set post for temporary ¼ sec. cor.
78.06 Intersected West Boundary at cor to secs 19 and 30 from which cor Iron East on a true line between secs. 19 & 30

Va. 13° 45' E.

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38.06 Set post deported chaned stake raised mound of earth with pit as per instructions for ¼ sec. cor.
78.06 The cor. to secs 19, 20, 29, 30
Sand and bottom; Soil 1st rate

North between secs. 19 and 20

Va. 13° 45' E.

40.00 Set post deported chaned stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ sec. cor.
80.00 Set post deported Chaned stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 17, 18, 19, 20
Sand bend bottom; Soil 1st rate

East on a random line between secs 17 & 20

Va 13° 50' E.

40.00 Set post for temporary ¼ sec. cor.
80.30 Intersected N and S. line 29 lks North of cor. to secs 16, 17, 20, 21 from which

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cor. Iron
N. 89°48' W. on a true line between
secs. 17 and 20

Va 13°50' E.

40.25 Set post deposited chained stake raised
mound of earth with pits as per instructions
for 1/4 sec. cor.

80.50 The cor. to secs 17.18.19.20
Sand level bottom; Soil 1st rate

West on a random line between secs.
18 and 19

Va 13°50' E.

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
78.00 Intersected the West Boundary 32 lks North
of Cor. to secs. 18 and 19 from which cor
Iron
N. 89°46' E. on a true line between secs.
18 and 19

Va 13°50' E.

38.00 Set post deposited chained Stake raised
mound of earth with pits as per instructions
for 1/4 sec. cor.

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78.00 The cor. to secs 17.18.19.20
Sand level bottom; Soil 1st rate

North between secs. 17 and 18

Va 13°45' E

36.00 A Slough bears N. 40° E. 40 lks wide
40.00 Set post deposited chained stake raised
mound of earth with pits as per instructions
for 1/4 sec. cor.

80.00 Set post deposited Chained stake
raised mound of earth with pits
as per instructions for cor. to secs.
7.8.17.18
Sandlevel bottom; Soil 1st rate

East on a random line between secs.
8 and 17

Va 13°45' E.

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00 Intersected N and S. line 20 lks North of
Cor. to secs. 8.9.16.17 from which
cor. Iron

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N. 89° 51' W. on a true line between secs. 8 and 17

Va. 13° 45' E.

40.30 Set post deposited chained stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.

80.60 The cor. to secs. 7. 8. 17. 18
Sandlent bottom: Soil 1st rate

West on a random line between secs 7 and 18

Va 13° 30' E.

2.00 A drain bears N. 35° E.

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor.

77.28 Intersected the West Boundary 25 lks N. of cor. to secs. 7 and 18 from which cor. I run
N. 89° 49' E. on a true line between secs. 7 and 18

Va. 13° 50' E.

37.28 Set post deposited chained stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.

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77.28 The cor. to secs. 7. 8. 17. 18
Sandlent bottom: Soil 1st rate

North between secs. 7 and 8

Va. 13° 45' E.

1.00 A drain bears N. 35° E.

40.00 Set post deposited chained stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 secs. Cor.

80.00 Set post deposited chained stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for Cor. to secs. 5. 6. 7. 8
Sandlent bottom: Soil 1st rate

East on a random line between secs 5 and 8

Va 13° 45' E.

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. Cor.

80.60 Intersected N and S. line 30 lks North of Cor. to secs. 4. 5. 8. 9 from which cor. I run

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N. 89°47' W. on a true line between secs 5 and 8

Va 13°45' E.

40.30 Set post deposited charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.

80.60 The cor. to secs. 5.6.7.8
Land level bottom: Soil 1st rate

West on a random line between secs 6 and 7

Va. 13°50' E.

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.

76.80 Intersected the West Boundary 43 lks North of cor. to secs. 6 and 7 from which cor. I run

N. 89°42' E. on a true line between secs. 6 and 7

Va. 13°50' E.

36.80 Set post deposited charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor

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76.80 The cor. to secs. 5.6.7.8
Land level bottom: Soil 1st rate

North on a true line between secs. 5 and 6

Va. 13°45' E.

40.00 Set post deposited charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.

78.50 Intersected the 3d Standard Parallel North 19.08 chs. east of Standard Cor. to secs. 31 and 32 where I set a post deposited charred stake raised mound of earth with pits as per instructions for closing cor. to secs. 5 and 6
Land level bottom: Soil 1st rate

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Meanders of the left bank of Platte River in Township 12 N. Range 8 W. 6th P.M.

Commence at the meander corner to fractional sections 3 and 34 on the South Boundary of the Township and on the left bank of Platte River and run thence Downstream with the meanders of the left bank of Platte River as follows, viz:; in sec. 34

Va 13° 30' E.

Courses	Chains	
N. 30 E	4.00	At 1.10 to slough 30 lks wide bears N. 30° W. and leave timber bears N. 30° W.
N. 44½ E	11.00	Enter timber at end of Course bears N. 30° E.
N. 70½ E	6.00	
N. 68¾ E	7.00	
N. 43¾ E	5.80	Leave timber at end of course bears West
N. 57¼ E.	17.00	
N. 72¼ E.	9.40	
N. 73 E.	26.00	
N 82½ E.	2.70	To Meander cor. to fractional secs 34 and 35: thence in sec. 35

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Courses	Chains	
N. 68 E	7.30	
N. 54½ E	10.00	
N. 67 E	20.00	
N 54½ E	16.00	
N 81½ E	3.00	
N. 37 E	7.00	
N. 70¼ E.	4.50	
N. 76 E	11.00	To Meander cor. to fractional secs 26 and 35; — thence in sec. 26
N. 49¾ E	14.30	To Meander cor. to fractional secs. 25 and 26: thence in sec. 25
N. 31½ E	12.00	
N. 43½ E	14.00	
N. 24½ E	6.00	
N. 53¾ E	28.00	
N. 35½ E	30.00	
N 69¼ E	12.00	To Meander cor. to fractional secs 24 and 25: thence in sec 24
N. 63 E.	12.10	To meander cor. to fractional secs 19 and 24 on the East Boundary of the Township

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Sandlevel bottom; Soil 1st rate
River bank low
Timber cottonwood and Willow undergrowth
the same and vines

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General description

The quality of land in this township is very good and well adapted to farming. It is a high rich and level bottom Then is a great scarcity of timber and water. The S. E. Cor. bordus on the Platte River which stream furnishes sufficient water for all purposes

The Fort Kearney and Omaha wagon road and telegraph line are located along the bank of the Platte River

The Union Pacific Rail Road is located a[illegible]t one and a half miles north of, and parallel to Platte River

Then are now several persons living in the township

List of names

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 12 North of the Base Line of Range No 8 West of the 6th P.M. in the Territory of Nebraska showing the respective Capacities in which they acted

Samuel M Jones	Chainman
William F. Morley	Chainman
John Taylor	Axman
Alex. Heven	Flagman

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