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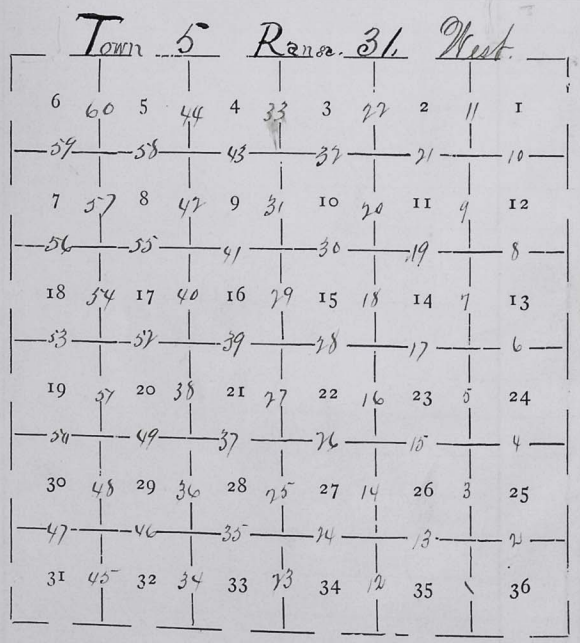

Field Notes
of the
Survey and Sub divisions of Township Number Five (5) North of the Base Line in Range Number Thirty one (31) West of the Sixth (6) Principal Meridian State of Nebraska

Executed by
William A. Richards
Deputy Surveyor

Survey commenced July 12. 1877

Survey completed July 16 1877

List of Names of those persons who assisted in measuring and marking the following described lines.

B. M. Smith } Chainman
E. Spare } Do
W. J. Harmon } Axemen and
C. S. Woods } Moundmen

To determine the proper adjustment of my compass for sub-dividing this Township & commence at the corner to Township ~~4 and~~ 5 in 1st Stand Parl North, Rangs 30 and 31 West and run North on a blank line along the Eastern boundary of Section 36
Variation 13° East

40.15 To a point 23 links East of the 1/4 Section corner

80.25 To a point 47 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 of 13° 20' East

Township No 5 N. R. 31. W.

North between sections
35 and 36
Va 13° 20' E.

40.00 Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner

78.00 Enter ravine near its head, bearing N.

80.00 Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 25, 26, 35 & 36

Surface Level
Soil 1st Rate
Grass short

Township No 5 N. R. 31. W.

East on a Random line between secs 25 & 36
Va. 13° 20' E.

3.00 Leave ravine bearing N. & S.

39.40 Ravine bearing N.W. & S.E.

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. corner

80.20 Intersect Eastern boundary of Township at a point 20 links S. of the corner to sections 25 & 36, from which corner I run S. 89° 51' W. on true line between Secs. 25 & 36
Va 13° 20' E.

40.10 Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor

80.20 The corner to secs 25, 26, 35 & 36

Surface Rolling
Soil 1st Rate

	North between secs. 25 & 26 Va 13.20
14.00	Leave ravine bearing N.E. & S.
40.00	Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to section 23. 24. 25, & 26
	Surface Rolling. Soil 2nd Rate.
	Grass light and poor.

	East on a random line between Secs. 24 & 25. Va 13° 15' E
22.00	Ravine bearing N.E. & S.W.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner.
41.00	Ravine bearing N.E. & S.W.
80.20	Intersect East boundary of Township at a point 6 links S. of the corner to Secs. 24 & 25 from which corner I run S. 89° 57' W. on true line between Secs. 24 & 25 Va 13° 15' E.
40.15	Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. cor.
80.30	The corner to sections 23. 24. 25 & 26
	Surface Rolling. Soil 2nd Rate.

North between Secs 23 & 24
Va 13° 15' E.

40.00 Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth, with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner

61.00 Bed of dry creek, course N.E.

77.00 Bed of dry creek. course N.E. Sand stone cropping out along its banks which are high and abupt.

80.00 Set a sand stone 18 in. x 20 in. x 4 in. for corner to sections 13. 14. 23. & 24

Surfac Broken.
Soil 3rd Rate.

East on a Random line between Secs. 13 & 24
Va 13° 15' E.

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner

45.00 Bed of dry creek course N.E.

80.10 Intersect Eastern boundary of Township at a point 8 link south of the corner to Secs. 13 & 24 from which corner I run S. 89° 57' W. on true line between Secs. 13 & 24
Va. 13° 15' E

40.05 Set sand stone 14 in. x 12 inches x 5 inches for 1/4 sec. corner.

80.10 The corner to Secs. 13. 14 23 & 24
Broken Surface
Soil 3rd Rate

North between secs 13 + 14
Va. 13° 15' E.

25.00 Ravine bearing E. + S.W.

40.00 Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner.

80.00 Set post, deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for the corner to sections 11. 12. 13 + 14 from which a large cotton-wood tree 10 in. dia. bears N. 5° E. 1.63 chains distant.

Surface Rolling.
Soil 2nd Rate.

East on a Random line between Secs. 12 + 13
Va 13° 15' E.

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

50.00 Enter bottom containing Willow. Elm + bottomwood trees, bearing S.E. + N.W.

56.00 Stream 215 lks. wide, muddy banks and bottom course S. E. (Willow)

63.00 Stream bottom bearing S.E. + N.W.

80.30 Intersect East boundary of Township at a point 22 links S. of the corner to Secs. 12 + 13 from which corner I run
S. 89° 58' W on true line between Secs. 12 + 13
Va 13° 15' E.

40.15 Set post deposite charred stake raise
~~40.15~~ Mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner

80.30 The corner to Sec 11 12 13 + 14
Surface Rolling. Soil 2nd Rate.

North between secs. 11 & 12
Va. 13°15' E

36.90 Dry brk. course East.

40.00 Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth, with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner.

60.00 Enter bottom containing Elm, Willow & cottonwood trees bearing S.E. & N.W.

66.00 Stream (Hamilton) 25 link wide. course S.E.

70.00 Leave bottom bearing S.E. & N.W.

80.00 Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of Earth, with pits as per instructions for corner to secs. 1. 2. 11 & 12
Upland rolling, bottom level, Soil 2nd rate
Timber Cottonwood, Elm, and Willow

East on a Random line between Secs 1 & 12
Va 13°15' E

10.00 Ravine bearing S.W. & N.

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

80.32 Intersect East boundary of Township at a point 36 links South of the corner to secs. 1 & 12 from which corner I run
S. 89° ~~44~~ 45' W on true line between secs. 1 & 12
Va 13°15' E.

40.16 Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner.

80.32 The corner to sections 1. 2. 12 & 11
Surface very Rolling.
Soil 2nd Rate.

Township No 5 N. R. No 31 W

North on a Random line between sections 1 & 2 Va 13° 15' E.

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

80.68 Intersect Northern boundary of Township at a point 42 links West of the corner to secs 1 & 2 from which corner Drum. B. 18' N. on true line between Secs 1 & 2 Va 13° 15' E.

40.68 Set post deposite charred stake, raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner

80.68 The corner to sections 1 2 11 & 12

Surface Broken
Soil 3rd Rate.

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Township No 5 N. R. 31. W.

North between Secs. 34 & 35 Va. 13° 26' E

40.00 Set post deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner

50.00 Enter Ravine bearing S.W. & N.

78.00 Leave Ravine at head.

80.00 Set post. deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 26 27 34 & 35

Surface Broken.
Soil 2nd rate

East on a Random line between secs. 26 & 35 Va 13° 15' E

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner

48.00 Ravine bearing N.W. & S.

80.00 Intersect N. & S. line at a point 12 links S. of the corner to sections 25. 26. 35 & 36 from which corner I run S 89° 55' W on a true line between secs. 26 & 35 Va. 13° 15' E.

40.00 Set post. deposite charred stake, raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner

80.00 The corner to section 26. 27. 34 & 35

Surface Rolling
Soil 1st Rate
Grass short and rich

North between Secs. 26 & 27 Va 13° 20' E.

2.40 Enter ravine, at its head, bearing N.

40.00 Set post deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. cor.

41.00 Leave ravine bearing N.E. & S.

80.00 Set post deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 22 23 26 & 27.

Surface Broken.
Soil 2nd Rate.

East on a Random line
between secs 23 & 26
Va 13°15' E
37.00 Ravine bearing N.E. & S.W.
40.00 Set post. for ~~tile pond~~
~~ry 1/4 sec. cor~~
Earth with pits as per
80.20 Intersect N. & S.
line at a point
10 links South of the
corner to secs. 23. 24,
25 & 26. from which
corner I run
S. 89°56' W. on true line
between secs 23 & 26
Va 13°15' E.
40.10 Set post, deposite charred
stake, raise mound of
earth with pits as per
instructions for 1/4 Sec
corner.
80.20 The corner to secs. 22 23
26 & 27
Surface Broken.
Soil 2nd Rate.

North between Secs. 22 & 23
Va 13°15' E
12.00 Ravine bearing E & W.
40.00 Set post, deposite charred
stake, raise mound of
Earth with pits as per
instructions for 1/4 Sec.
corner.
80.00 Set post deposite charred
stake, raise mound of
Earth with pits as per
instructions for the
corner to sections
14 15 22 & 23

Rolling Surface
Soil 2nd Rate

Township No 5 N R No 31 W

Va 13°15' E	East on a Random line between secs. 14 & 23
9.00	Ravine bearing N.E. & S.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner.
80.30	Intersect N & S line at a point 16 links S. of the corner to sections 13. 14. 23 & 24 from which corner from S. 89° 53' W on true line between secs. 14 & 23
	Va 13°15' E
40.15	Set post deposite charred stake, raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
80.30	The corner to secs. 14 15 22 & 23
	Surface Broken
	Soil 3rd Rate

Township No 5 N R No 31 W

	North between secs. 14 & 15
	Va 13° 15' E
28.00	Dry creek course N.E. & S.W.
40.00	Set post deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner.
71.00	Enter Dry creek course N & S.W
75.00	Leave Dry creek course N.E. & S.W
80.00	Set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ~~XXX XXX~~ corner to secs 10. 11. 14 & 15.
	Surface Broken
	Soil 3rd Rate

Township No. 5. N. R. No. 31. W.

	East on a Random line between secs. 11 & 14 Va 13° 15' E.
5.00	Dry creek course N.E. & S.W.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
80.32	Intersect N & S line at a point 7 links N of the corner to secs. 11 12 13 & 14 from which corner I run N. 89° 57' W. on true line between secs. 11 & 14 Va 13° 15' E.
40.16	Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.32	The corner to sections 10. 11. 14 & 15
	Surface Broken Soil 3rd rate

Township No. 5. N. R. No. 31. W.

	North between Secs. 10 & 11 Va 13° 15' E.
34.00	Dry creek course E. & W.
40.00	Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner.
80.00	Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to T. 3. 10 & 11
	Surface Broken Soil 3rd Rate.

Township No. 5 N. R. No. 31 W

	East on a Random line between Secs. 2 & 11 Va. 13° 15' E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
45.00	Enter bottom, bearing S & N.W. contains Elm & bottomwood timber with willow undergrowth
47.10	Red Willow Stream 25 links wide. S.E.
51.00	Leave bottom bearing S & N.W.
80.30	Intersect N & S line at a point 24 links south of the corner to secs. 1.2.11 & 12. from which corner I run S. 89° 50' W. on true line between secs. 2 & 11 Va 13° 15' E
40.18	Set post deposite chained stake, raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. cor.
80.36	The corner to sec. 2.3.10 & 11 Surface Broke. Soil 2nd Rate.

Township No. 5. N. R. No. 31. W

	North on a random line between Secs. 2 and 3 Va 13° 15' E.
25.00	Ravine bearing E. & W.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner.
55.00	Ravine bearing S.E. & N.W. Reads a few chains N.W.
80.84	Intersect North boundary of Township at a point 30 links W. of the corner to Secs. 2 & 3 from which corner I run S. 13' W. on true line between Secs. 2 & 3 Va 13° 15' E.
40.84	Set post, deposite chained stake, raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.84	The corner to Sec. 2.3.10 & 11 Surface Broken. Soil 2nd rate. July. 13. 1872

Township No. 5. N. R. 31 W

	North Bton. Secs. 33 & 34 Va 13° 20' E
40.00	Set post. deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Set post. deposite charred stake, raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for corner to secs. 27. 28. 33 & 34
	Surface Rolling Soil 2nd rate

Township No. 5 R 31 W.

	East on a Random line between Secs. 27 & 34 Va 13° 15' E
40.00	Set post. for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
80.12	Intersect N & S line at point 8 links S. of the corner to sections 26. 27. 34 & 35 from which corner B. mon S. 89° 57' W. on true line between secs 27 & 34 Va. 13° 15' E.
40.06	Set post. deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth, with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.12	The corner to Secs. 27. 28. 33 and 34
	Surface Level Soil 2nd Rate.

Township No. 5. N. R. 31. W.

	North between Secs. 27 & 28 Va 13° 20' E
40.00	Set post deposite charred stake. raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 21. 22. 27. & 28.
	Surface Rolling Soil 2nd Rate,

Township No. 5 N R No. 31 W

	East on a Random line between Secs. 22 & 27 Va 13° 15' E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
80.16	Intersect N & S line at the corner to sections 22. 23. 26 & 27 from which I run W. on true line between Secs. 22 & 27 Va. 13° 15' E.
240.08	Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner,
80.16	The corner to Secs. 21. 22. 27 & 28
	Level Surface. 2nd Rate Soil.

	North between Sections 21 & 22 Va. 13° 15' E
40.00	Set post. deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Secs. 15. 16. 21 & 22
	Surface Rolling Soil 2nd Rate

	East on a random line between Secs. 15 & 22 Va 13° 15' E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
80.20	Intersect N & S line at a point 10 links N of the corner to Secs 14, 15, 22 & 23 from which corner Bears N. 89° 56' W on true line between Secs 15 & 22 Va 13° 15' E
40.10	Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.20	The corner to sections 15. 16. 21 & 22
	Surface Rolling Soil 2nd Rate Very little Grass.

Township No 5 N. R. No 31 W

	North between Secs 15 & 16
	Va 13° 15' E
40.00	Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner.
79.00	Dry creek course N.E. & N.W.
80.00	Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 9. 10. 15 & 16
	Surface rolling. Soil: 3rd Rate.

Township No 5. R. No 31. W.

	East on a Random line between Secs. 10 & 15
	Va. 13° 15' E.
7.00	Dry creek course N.E. ~~& W.~~
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
80.30	Intersect N. & S. line at the corner to sections 10 11 14 & 15 from which corner run W. on true line between Secs. 10 & 15.
	Va. 13° 15' E
40.15	Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.30	The corner to Secs. 9 10. 15 & 16
	Surface Broken. Soil 3rd Rate.

Township No. 5. N. R. No. 31. W.

	North between Secs. 9 & 10 Va. 13° 15' E
40.00	Set post, deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner
46.00	Dry creek, course E & W
80.00	Set post & deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth, with pits as per instructions for corner to Secs 3. 4. 9 & 10
	Surface Broken. Soil 3rd Rate.

Township No. 5 N. R. 31. W.

	East on a Random line between Secs. 3 & 10 Va. 13° 15' E
40.00	Set post, for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner.
80.20	Intersect N & S line at a point 3 links S. of the corner to Secs. 2. 3. 10 & 11 from which corner I run S 89° 59' W. on true line between Secs. 3 & 10 Va 13° 15' E.
40.10	Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.20	The corner to Secs 3. 4. 9 & 10
	Surface Rolling Soil 2nd Rate.

Township No 5 N R No 31 W

	North on a random line between Secs 3 & 4
12.00	Ravine bearing E ~~W~~ Va. 13° 15' E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
80.60	Intersect North boundary of Township at a point 22 links W of the corner to Secs. 3 & 4 from which Prim S. 9 1/2 W on a true line between Secs 3 & 4 Va. 13° 15' E
40.60	Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec corner
80.60	The corner to Secs 3, 4, 9 & 10

Surface Broken.
Soil 2nd Rate.
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Township No 5 N R No 31 W

	North between Secs 32 & 33 Va. 13° 20
40.00	Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Set post, deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Sections 28 29 32 & 33

Surface Rolling.
Soil 2nd rate.

Township No 5 N R No 31 W

	East on a random line between Sections 28 & 33 Va. 13°76' E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner.
80.00	Intersect N & S line at 1/4 Sec corner to Secs 27 28 33 & 34 from which corner Brass W. on true line between Secs. 28 & 33. Va. 13° 15' E
40.00	Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Corner
80.00	The corner to Secs 28, 29 32 & 33 Surface Gravel Soil 2nd rate.

Township No 5 N. R. No 31 W

	North between Secs. 28 & 29 Va. 13°56' E
40.00	Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to secs. 20 21. 28 & 29 Surface Gravel Soil 2nd rate.

Township No 5 N R No 3 W

	East on a random line between secs. 21 + 28 Va 13° 15' E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner.
80.32	Intersect N. + S. line at a point 14 links S of the corner to secs 21, 22, 27 + 28 from which corner I run S. 89° 54' W on true line between Secs. 21 and 28 Va. 13° 15' E.
1016	Set post, deposite chained stake, raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.32	The corner to Secs. 20. 21. 28 + 29. Surface Gently Rolling Soil 2nd Rate.

Township No 5 N. R. No 3 W

	North between Secs. 20 + 21 Va. 13° 15' E.
40.00	Set post. deposite chained stake, raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner.
80.00	Set post. deposite chained stake. raise mound of Earth. with pits as per instructions for corner to secs. 16 17 20 + 21 Surface level. Soil 2nd Rate.

East on a random line between Secs. 16 & 21
Va. 13°15' E
40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec corner.
80.16 Intersect N & S line at a point 20 link N of the corner to Secs 15 16 21 & 22 from which corner B. runs
N. 89°51' W. on true line between Secs 16 & 21
Va 13° 15' E
40.08 Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner.
80.16 The corner to Secs. 16.17. 20 & 21

Surface Rolling.
Soil 2nd Rate.

North between Secs. 16 & 17
Va 13°15' E
40.00 Set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner.
80.00 Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 8. 9. 16 & 17.

Surface Gently Rolling
Soil 2nd Rate 1

	East on a Random line between Secs 9 + 16 Va 13° 15' E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec corner
80.40	Intersect S + S line at a point 16 links S of the corner to Sections 9, 10, 15 + 16 from which corner Bears S. 89° 53' W. on true line between Secs 9 + 16 Va 13° 15' E
40.20	Set post deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.40	The corner to Secs 8, 9, 16 + 17
	Surface Broken. Soil 2nd Rate.

	North between Sections 8 + 9 Va 13° 15' E
36.00	Dry creek course E. ~~N.~~
40.00	Set post. deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner.
72.00	Ravine bearing S.E ~~N.W.~~
80.00	Set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Sections 4-5-8 + 9
	Surface Rolling. Soil 2nd Rate.

Township No 5 N R No 31 W

East on a Random line between Secs. 4 & 9
Va 13° 15' E

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

80.25 Intersect N & S line at a point 13 links S of the corner to Secs 3.4. 9 & 10 from which corner I rea
S 89. 54 1/2 W. on true line between Secs. 4 & 9
Va. 13° 15' E.

40.12 1/2 Set post, deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner.

80.25 The corner to Secs 4. 5. 8 & 9

Surface Rolling.
Soil 2nd Rate.

Township No 5 N R No 31 W

North on a random line between Secs. 4 & 5
Va 13° 15' E

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner

70.00 Ravine bearing S.E. & N.W.

80.84 Intersect N. boundary of Township at a point 31 links E. of the corner to Secs. 4 & 5 from which corner I
S. 13' E. on true line between Secs. 4 & 5
Va. 13° 15' E.

40.84 Set post, deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner.

80.84 The corner to Secs 4.5. 8 & 9

Surface Rolling.
Soil 2nd Rate.

Township No 5 N. R. No 31 W.

North between Secs. 31 & 32
Va. 13° 15'
40.00 Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Corner.
80.00 Set post, deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for corner to section 29. 30. 31 & 32.

Surface Rolling.
Soil. 2nd Rate. well adapted to grazing.

Township No 5 N. R. No 31 W

East on a Random line between secs. 29 & 32
Va 13° 15' E
40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. corner.
80.36 Intersect N. & S. line at a point 30 links S. of the corner to secs. 28, 29 & 32 & 33 from which corner I run S. 89° 47' W. on true line between Secs. 29 & 32
Va. 13° 15' E
40.18 Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. corner.
80.36 The corner to secs. 29, 30, 31 & 32
Surface Gently Rolling
Soil 2nd Rate. Too dry for cultivation but well adapted to grazing.

West on a random line
between Secs. 30 + 31
Va. 13° 15' E
40.00 Set post for temporary
1/4 Sec. cor
80.00 Intersect the western
boundary of Township at
a point 60 links South
of the corner to Secs 30 + 31
from which corner I run
S. 89° 34' E on true line
between Secs 30 + 31
Va. 13° 15' E.
40.00 Set post, deposite charred
stake, raise mound of
earth with pits as per
instructions for 1/4 Sec.
cor
80.00 The corner to Secs. 29, 30.
31 + 32.
Surface Gently Rolling
Soil 2nd Rate, Good for
grazing.

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North between Secs. 29 + 30
Va. 13° 15' E
40.00 Set post, deposite charred
stake, raise mound of earth
with pits as per instruc-
tions for 1/4 Sec. corner.
80.00 Set post, deposite charred
stake, raise mound of
earth with pits as per
instructions for the corner to
Sections 19, 20, 29 + 30.

Surface Rolling
Soil 2nd Rate.

East on a Random line
between Secs. 20 & 29
Va 13° 15' E.

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

80.40 Intersect N & S line at a
point 45 links S. of the
corner to Sections 20.
21. 28 and 29 from which
corner I run
S 89° 41' W. on true line
between Secs 20 & 29
Va. 13° 15' E.

40.20 Set post, deposits charred
stake, raise mound of
earth with pits as per
instructions for 1/4 Sec cor.

80.40 The corner to Secs. 19. 20.
29 & 30.

Surface Gently Rolling
Soil 2nd Rate. Good for
grazing purposes

West on a Random line
between Secs. 19 & 30
Va. 13° 15' E.

38.00 Ravine bearing S.W. ~~N.E.~~

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

80.20 Intersect Western boundary
of Township at a point 40
links south of the corner to
sections 19 & 30 from which
corner I run
S. 89° 43' E on true line
between secs. 19 & 30
Va 13° 15' E.

40.20 Set post deposits charred
stake raise mound of earth
with pits as per instruc-
tions for 1/4 Sec. corner

80.40 The corner to Secs. 19. 20.
29 & 30.

Surface Rolling.
Soil 2nd Rate.

North Btwen 19 + 20
Va. 13° 15' E
40.00 Set post deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner.
80.00 Set post, deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to secs. 17, 18, 19 + 20.

Surface Gently Rolling
Soil 2nd Rate

East on a random line between Secs. 17 + 20
Va 13° 15' E.
40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
80.20 Intersect N + S line at a point 61 links South of the corner to secs. 16, 17, 20 + 21 from which corner I run S 89° 34' W on true line between sections 17 + 20
Va 13° 15' E
40.10 Set post deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. cor.
80.20 The corner to secs. 17, 18, 19 + 20
Surface Gently rolling.
Soil 2nd Rate.
Well adapted to grazing.

Township No 5 N R No 3 W

	West on a random line between Secs 18 & 19 Va 13° 15' E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
80.30	Intersect Western boundary of Township at a point 32 link North of the corner to Secs. 18 & 19 from which corner Bears N. 89° 46' E on true line between Secs. 18 & 19 Va 13° 15' E.
40.30	Set post deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner
80.30	The corner to Secs 17, 18, 19 & 20
	Surface Quality Rolling Soil 2nd Rate

Township No 5 N R No 3 W

	North between Secs. 17 & 18 Va. 13° 15' E
40.00	Set post. deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Set post. deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Secs. 7. 8. 17 & 18
	Surface Rolling. Soil 2nd Rate.

Township No 5 N R No 31 W

	East on a Random line between Secs 8 + 17 Va. 13° 45' E.
11.00	Ravine bearing SE + NW
23.00	Ravine bearing NE + SW.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. cor.
80.00	Intersect N + S line at a point 70 links South of the corner to Secs. 8, 9, 16 + 17 from which corner I run:
	S. 89° 30' W. on true line between Secs 8 + 17 Va 13° 15' E.
40.00	Set post, deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec cor.
80.00	The corner to Secs 7, 8, 17 + 18.
	Surface Broken Soil 2nd Rate

Township No 5 N R. No 31 W.

	West on a Random line between Secs 7 + 18 Va. 13° 15' E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec corner.
80.40	Intersect Western boundary of Township at a point 35 links North of the corner to Secs. 7 + 18 from which corner I run North 89° 45' W. on true line between Secs 7 + 18 Va. 13° 15' E.
40.40	Set post deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.40	The corner to Secs 7, 8, 17 + 18
	Surface Rolling Soil 2nd Rate.

Township No 5 N R No 3 W

	North between Secs 7 + 8
	Va 13° 15 E.
4.50	Ravine bearing E. ~~N~~
40.00	Set post, deposite charred stake, raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. cor
80.00	Set post, deposits charred stake, raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for corner to sections 5. 6. 7 + 8.
	Surface Rolling
	Soil 2nd Rate Upland.

Township No 5 N R No 3 W

	East on a Random line between Secs 5 + 8
	Va. 13° 15' E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec corner.
79.70	Intersect N + S line at a point 75 links South of the corner to Secs 5 + 8 from which corner I run S. 89° 28' W. on true line between Secs. 5 + 8
	Va 13° 15' E.
39.85	Set post, deposite charred stake; raise mound of Earth with pits as per instruction for 1/4 Sec. corner
79.70	The corner to Sec 5. 6. 7 + 8.
	Surface Rolling
	Soil 2nd Rate
	Upland

Township No. 5 N R No. 31 W

	West on a Random line between Secs. 6 & 7 Va. 13° 15' E.
40.00	Set post. for temporary 1/4 Sec corner.
65.00	Range bearing SW & NE
80.44	Intersect Western boundary of Township at the corner to Secs 6 & 7 [illegible] from which corner Run East on a true line between Secs 6 & 7 Va. 13° 15' E
40.44	Set post deposite chard stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner.
80.44	The corner to Secs 5. 6. 7 & 8. Surface Rolling. Soil 2nd Rate.

Township No. 5 N R No. 31 W

	North on a Random line between Secs. 5 & 6 Va 13° 15' E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec corner.
80.60	Intersect North boundary of Township at a point 24 links East of the corner to Secs. 5 & 6 from which corner I run S. 10' E. on true line between Secs. 5 & 6 Va. 13° 15' E.
40.60	Set post. deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.60	The corner to Secs. 5. 6. 7 & 8
	Surface Rolling Soil 2nd Rate Upland.
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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. 5 North of the Base line of Range No. 31 West of the 6th Principal Meridian showing the respective capacities in which they acted

B. M. Smith } Chainman.
E. Spare }
W. J. Harmon } Moundman and
C. S. Woods } Axeman.

We hereby certify that we assisted William A. Richards, deputy surveyor in surveying and subdividing Township No. 5 North of the Base line of Range No. 31 West of the 6th Principal Meridian and that said Township has 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.

B. M. Smith } Chainman
E. Spare }
W. J. Harmon } Axeman and
C. S. Woods } Moundman

Subscribed & Sworn to by the above named persons, before me, a Justice of the Peace for the County of Lincoln in the State of Nebraska this 3rd day of October A.D. 1872.

A. T. Fray
Justice of the Peace

I William A. Richards, Deputy Surveyor, do solemnly swear that, in pursuance of a joint contract, wherein William A. Richards and Reuben H. Wilber are joint contractors with E. C. Cunningham United States Surveyor General for the District of Iowa and Nebraska bearing date the 26th day of June A.D. 1872 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

Township No. 5. North of Range 31 West of the 6th Principal Meridian State 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 survey.

William A. Richards

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me this 10th day of Oct. AD. 1872.

W. R. Barlett
Notary Public

General Description

This Township contains a large amount of land well adapted to grazing while some portions could be cultivated. It is watered by the Red Willow, a stream of about twenty five links, in the bottom of which there grows Elm willow and Cottonwood. The western and south western portion are gently rolling with good buffalo grass in abundance.

Surveyor General's Office
Plattsmouth Dec 14th 1872

The foregoing Field Notes of the Survey of the Subdivision of Township No 5. N. Range No 31. West of the 6th Principal Meridian in the state of Nebraska, executed by William A. Richards under joint contract No 56. dated June 26. 1872. wherein William A. Richards and Reuben H. Wilbur are joint Contractors in the month of July 1872. having been critically examined the necessary corrections and explanations made the said Field Notes and the Surveys they describe are hereby approved

E. E. Cunningham
Surveyor General

Town 6 Range 31 W

6	60	5	44	4	33	3	22	2	11	1
59		58		43		32		21		10
7	57	8	42	9	31	10	20	11	9	12
56		55		41		30		19		8
18	54	17	40	16	29	15	18	14	7	13
53		52		39		28		17		6
19	51	20	38	21	27	22	16	23	5	24
50		49		37		26		15		4
30	48	29	36	28	25	27	14	26	3	25
47		46		35		24		13		2
31	45	32	34	33	23	34	12	35	1	36

Field Notes
of the
Subdivision Lines
of
Township No. 6. North
of
Range No. 31. West
of the
6th Principal Meridian
Executed By
Wm. A. Richards.
Deputy Surveyor

Survey commenced
July. 17. 1872
Survey completed
July. 21. 1872

List of Names.

B. M. Smith } Chainman
E. Spare }

W. J. Hamon } Mounduren and
C. S. Woods } Axemen.

To determine the proper adjustment of my compass for subdividing this Township I commenced at the corner to Townships 5. and 6. Ranges 30 and 31 and run North on a blank line along the East Boundary of Section 36.

Va. 13°10' E.

40.06 to a point 11 lks West of the 1/4 sec. cor

80.13 to a point 73 lks West of the corner to secs. 25. and 36.

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

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	
	N. thru. secs. 35 & 36
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
44.00	Ravine course W. } joined
53.00	Ravine " S. W. }
	at 25 ch. W.
80.00.	Set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for. cor. to secs. 25. 26. 35. & 36 –
	Surface Broken
	Soil Sandy 3" Pate.

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line thru
	Secs 25 & 36
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4. sec. cor.
48.00	Ravine. course ~~S. & N. W.~~
80.00	Intersect E. Bdy. of Twp. at a point 12 lks. N. of the cor. to secs. 25. & 36. from which cor. I run N. 89° 55' W. on a true line thru secs. 25. & 36.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	The cor to secs. 25. 26. 35 & 36
	Surface Rolling
	Soil Sandy 2" Pate

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains.	N. btwn secs. 25. & ~~36~~ 26
	Va. 13° E.
18.00	Dry creek. course S. W. } unite 5 chs
29.00	Dry creek course S. W } S. W
40.00	Head of Ravine course S. W. set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 23. 24. 25. & 26.

Surface Broken
Soil Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	E. on random line btwn. secs 24. & 25
	Va. 13°. E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
47.00	Ravine - course - S. W.
80.00	Intersect E. Bdy. of Twp. at a point 10 lks N. of the cor. to secs. 24. & 25. from which cor I run. N. 89°56' W. on true line btwn secs 24. & 25.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
80.00	The cor. to secs. 23. 24. 25. & 26

Surface Rolling
Soil Sandy 2nd rate.

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. thru secs. 23. & 24.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Raise - course S.W.
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
53.00	Raise - course. S.W.
65.00	Raise - course. S.W.
80.00	Set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 13. 14. 23. & 24
	Surface Broken
	Soil Sandy 3rd

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line thru secs 13. & 24.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.36	Intersect E. Bdy. Twp. at a point 21 lks N. of the cor. to secs 13 & 24 from which cor. I run N. 89° 51' W. on true line thru secs. 13. & 24.
	Va. 13° E.
39.68	Set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.36	The cor. to secs. 13. 14. 23. & 24.
	Surface Level
	Soil 1st Rate.

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. thru secs. 13. & 14.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 11, 12, 13. & 14
	Surface Gently Rolling
	Soil 2d Rate.

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line thru secs 12. & 13.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor
79.90	Intersect E. Bdy of Twp. at a point 18 lks. N. of the cor to secs. 12. & 13. from which corner I run N. 89° 52' W. on true line thru secs. 12. & 13
	Va. 13° E.
39.95	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.90	The cor. to secs. 11, 12, 13. & 14.
	Surface Gently rolling
	Soil 2d Rate –

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	N. thru Secs. 11. & 12. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec cor
80.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to Secs. 1, 2, 11. & 12.
	Surface Gently rolling Soil 2nd Rate.

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	E. on random line thru Secs. 1. & 12. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 Sec cor
80.20	Intersect E. Bdy. of Twp. at a point 21 lks. S of the cor to Sec's. 1. & 12. from which cor. I run S. 89°51' W. on true line thru Secs. 1. & 12. Va. 13° E.
40.10	set post. deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.30	The cor. to Sec's. 1, 2, 11. & 12.
	Surface Gently Rolling Soil Sandy 2nd Rate.

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W

Chains	
	N. on random line btwn Secs. 1. & 2.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor
80.64	Intersect N. Bdy of Twp at a point 8 lks W. of the cor. to Secs. 1. & 2. from which cor. I run S. 3½' W. on btwn line btwn Secs. 1. & 2.
	Va. 13° E
40.64	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor
80.64	The cor to Secs. 1. 2. 11. & 12
	Surface Gently rolling
	Soil Sandy 2nd Rate.
	July. 17. 1872

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. btwn Secs. 34. & 35.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
68.00	Enter bottom course E. & W.
72.60	Red Willow Stream 25 lks. wide course E.
80.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to Secs. 26. 27. 34. & 35.
	Surface Broken
	Soil Sandy 3rd Rate.

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn secs. 26. & 35.
	Va. 13° E.
26.00	Red Willow Stream 20. lks. course N.E.
31.60	Stream 20. lks. course S.E.
38.00	Dry creek. course S.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
44.00	leave bottom N. & S.
64.00	~~Branch~~ & Dry Creek course S.W.
80.00	Intersect N. & S. line at a point 10 lks. N. of the cor. to secs. 25. 26. 35. & 36. from which cor. I run —
	N. 89° 56' W. on true line btwn secs. 26. & 35.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	The cor. to secs. 26. 27. 34. & 35
	Upland - Rolling. 2nd rate
	Bottom Level 2nd rate
	scattering elm & willow timber on bottom —

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	
	N. btwn secs. 26 & 27.
	Va. 13° E.
4.00	Red Willow Stream 25 lks wide course W.
35.00	Stream 25 lks wide - course S.E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
41.00	leave bottom. course. S.E. & N.W.
80.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to 22. 23. 26. & 27.
	Surface. Upland Rolling
	Soil. 2nd Rate
	Bottom Level. 1st rate.

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn secs 23. & 26. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor
80.20	Intersect N. & S. line at a point 15 lks. S of the cor. to secs. 23. 24. 25 & 26. from which cor. I run S. 89° 54' W. on true line btwn secs. 23 & 26. Va. 13° E.
40.10	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.20	The cor. to secs. 22. 23 - 26. & 27.

Surface Broken.
Soil 3rd Rate.

Township No. 6. N. Range No 31. W.

Chains	
	N. btwn secs 22. & 23. Va. 13° E.
11.00	Enter Ravine - course ~~N.~~ & S. W. [illegible]
22.00	Leave same " S [illegible] N. E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.
62.00	Ravine - course - S. W.
80.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor to secs. 14. 15. 22. & 23.

Surface Broken
Soil 3rd Rate.

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	E. on random line btwn. Secs. 14 & 23. Va. 13° E.
5.00	Prairie cross. S.W.
36.00	do. do do
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.08	Intersect N. & S. line at a point 17 lks S. of the cor. to Sec's. 13. 14. 23. & 24 from which cor I run S. 89° 53' W. on a true line btwn Secs 14 & 23. Va. 13°. E.
40.04	set post deposit Charred Stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec cor
80.08	The cor. to secs. 14. 15. 22. & 23.
Surface	Rough.
Soil	2nd Rate

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	N. btwn. Sec's. 14 & 15. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit Charred Stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec cor
55.00	Prairie - deep - cross S.E.
80.00	set post deposit Charred Stake raiser mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to Sec's. 14. 15. 10. & 11.
Surface	Broken.
Soil	2nd Rate.

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn secs. 11. & 14. Va. 13° E —
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor
43.00	Ravine. course S. W.
80.07	Intersect N. & S. line at the cor. to secs. 11. 12. 13. & 14 from which cor. bears N. on a true line btwn secs. 11. & 14. Va. 13° E.
40.03 1/2	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.07	The cor. to secs. 10. 11. 14. & 15.
	Surface Gently rolling Soil 2nd Rate.

Township No. 6. N. Range. No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. btwn secs. 10. & 11. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
80.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor to secs. 2. 3. 10. & 11.
	Surface Gently Rolling Soil 2nd Rate

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn secs. 2. & 11.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	Intersect N. & S. line at a point 13 lks. S. of the corner to secs. 1. 2. 11. & 12. from which cor I run S. 89° 54½' W. on true line btwn secs. 2. & 11.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	The cor. to secs. 2. 3. 10. & 11.
Surface	Gently Rolling
Soil	Sandy 2nd Rate.

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. on random line btwn secs. 2. and 3.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.40	Intersect N. Bdy. of Twp. at a point 16 lks. W. of the cor. to secs. 2. and 3. from which cor. I run S. 7' W. on a true line btwn secs 2. and 3.
	Va. 13° E.
40.40	Set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.40	The cor. to secs. 2. 3. 10. & 11.
Surface	Gently Rolling
Soil	1st Rate.

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Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	N. btwn secs. 33. & 34.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 27. 28. 33. & 34.

Surface Rolling.
Soil Sandy 3rd Rate.

Township No. 6. N. Range. No. 31. W.

Chains	E. on random line btwn. secs. 27. & 34.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
73.00	Enter bottom course. S. E. & N. W.
75.00	Redwillow Stream 25 lks. wide. course S.
80.20	Intersect N. & S. line at a point 21 lks. N. of the cor. 26. 27. 34 & 35. from which cor. I run N. 89.° 51' W. on true line btwn. secs. 27. & 34.
	Va. 13° E.
40.10	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.20	The cor. to secs. 27. 28. 33. & 34

Surface Broken
Soil Sandy 3rd Rate.

Township No. 6 N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. thru secs. 27, & 28. Va. 13° E.
11.00	Dry creek, course S.E.
16.00	do. do. do. N.
18.00	do. do. do. S.E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
41.00	Ravine - course E.
80.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 21, 22, 27, & 28.
	Surface Broken Soil 2nd Rate.

Township No. 6 N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line thru secs. 22 & 27. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
46.00	Enter bottom course N. & S.
48.50	Red Willow Stream 25 lks wide. course S.
53.00	leave bottom course N. & S.
80.00	Intersect N. & S. line at the cor. to secs. 22, 23, 26, & 27 from which cor I run W. on a true line thru secs. 22 & 27. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	The corner to secs 21, 22, 27, & 28
	Surface Rolling Soil 2nd Rate

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	N. btwn secs. 21. & 22 Va. 13° E.
18.60	Ravine E. and W.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 15. 16. 21. & 22
	Surface Rolling
	Soil Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	E. on random line btwn secs. 15. & 22. Va. 13° E.
22.00	Enter bottom. course S.E.
26.00	Redwillow Stream 26 lks wide, course S. & ~~N. W.~~
32.00	leave bottom N. and S.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.20	Intersect N. & S. line at a point 18 lks. N. of the cor. to secs. 14. 15. 22. & 23. from which cor. I run N. 89°52' W. on true line btwn secs. 15 & 22. Va. 13° E.
40.10	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.20	The cor. to secs. 15. 16. 21. & 22.
	Surface Rolling
	Soil 2nd Rate —

Township No. 6. N. Range. No. 31 W

Chains	
	N. btwn. secs. 15. & 16
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
74.00	Enter bottom course N.W. & S.E.
80.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs 9. 10. 15. & 16.
	Surface Rolling.
	Soil 2" Rate
	Scattering Elm & Cottonwood on bottom

Township No. 6. N. Range. No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn. secs. 10. & 15.
	Va. 13° E.
3.50	Redwillow Stream. 25 lks wide. course N & S.
28.00	Leave bottom course N. & S.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	Intersect N. & S. line at a point 8 lks. S. of the cor. to secs. 10. 11. 14. & 15. from which cor. I run S. 89° 57 1/2' W. on true line btwn secs. 10. & 15.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	The cor. to secs. 9. 10. 15. & 16.
	Surface Rolling
	Soil 2" Rate.

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. btwn. secs. 9. & 10.
	Va. 13° E.
1.80	Red willow Stream 20 lks. wide S.E. & N.W.
5.90	leave bottom course do.
40.00	set post. deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for Cor. to secs. 3. 4. 9. 10.
	Surface Broken Soil 3rd Rate
	Scattering cottonwood Elm & Willow on bottom.

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn secs. 3. & 10
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor
52.00	Ravine N and S.
80.10	Intersect N. & S. line at a point 10 lks. N. of the cor. to secs 2. 3. 10. & 11. from which cor. I run N. 89° 56' W. on true line btwn secs. 3 & 10.
	Va. 13° E.
40.05	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.10	The cor. to secs. 3. 4. 9. & 10.
	Surface Gently rolling Soil 1st Rate

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	N. on random line btwn secs. 3 & 4 Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.24	Intersect N. Bdy. of Twp. at a point 15 lks. W. of the cor to secs. 3. & 4. from which corner I run S. 67½ W. on true line btwn secs. 3. & 4. Va. 13° E.
40.24	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per Instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.24	The cor. to secs. 3. 4. 9. & 10.

Surface Rocky
Soil 3rd Rate.

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Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	N. btwn secs. 32 & 33 Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 28. 29. 32. & 33.

Surface Rocky
Soil 2nd Rate

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W

Chains	E. on random line btwn secs. 28. & 33. Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.20	Intersect N. & S. line at a point 20. lks. N. of the cor. to secs. 28. ~~29.~~ 27. ~~32.~~ 34. & 33. from which cor. I run N. 89°51 1/2' W. on true line btwn secs. 28 & 33 Va. 13° E.
40.10	Set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.20	The cor. to secs. 28. 29. 32. & 33

Surface Broken
Soil 2nd Rate

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	N. btwn secs. 28. & 29. Va. 13° E.
10.00	Ravine. Water in holes. course S.E.
39.00	Ravine course S.E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.00	Ravine. course S.E. & N.W.
80.00	Set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 20. 21. 28. & 29.

Surface Rolling
Soil 1st Rate.

Township No. 6 N. R. No. 31 W.

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn secs 21. & 28.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 cor [illegible]
79.80	Intersect N. & S. line at the cor. to secs 21. 22. 27. & 28. from which cor. I run W. on true line btwn secs. 21. & 28.
	Va. 13° E.
39.90	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.80	The cor. to secs 20. 21. 28. & 29
	Surface Rolling Soil 2nd Rate

Township No. 6 N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	
	N. btwn secs. 20. & 21.
	Va. 13° E.
37.00	Raine S.E. & N.W.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 16. 17. 20. & 21
	Surface Rolling Soil 1st Rate

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn secs 16. & 21. Var. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor
54.00	Praire course S.E. & N.W.
70.00	Praire course N. & S. water in holes
80.00	Intersect N. & S. line at a point 8 lks N. of the cor to secs. 15. 16. 21. & 22. from which cor. I run N. 89° 57' W. on true line btwn secs. 16 & 21. Var. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
80.00	The cor. to secs. 16. 17. 20. & 21
	Surface Broken
	Soil 2nd Rate.

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. btwn secs. 16. & 17 Var. 13° E.
27.00	Praire course S.E. & N.W.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.
80.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 8. 9. 16. & 17.
	Surface Broken
	Soil 3rd Rate

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn secs 9. & 16.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor.
77.00	Enter bottom course N. & S. E.
80.30	Intersect N. & S. line at a point 35 lks S. of the cor. to secs. 9. 10. 15 & 16 from which cor. I run S. 89° 45' W. on true line btwn secs. 9 & 16.
	Va. 13° E.
40.15	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.30	The cor. to secs. 8. 9. 16. & 17
	Surface Rolling
	Soil 2nd Rate
	Willow underbrush on bottom

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W

Chains	
	N. btwn. secs. 8. & 9.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instruction for 1/4 sec. corner.
80.00	set post deposit charred stake - raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor to secs. 4. 5. 8. & 9. from which are Elm 10 in. dia bears N. 20° E. 1 ch distant
	Surface Rolling
	Soil 2d rate

Township No. 6 N. Range No. 31. W

Chains	E. on random line btwn secs. 4. & 9. Va. 13° E.
6.00	Enter bottom & timber conse N. W. & S. E.
26.10	Red Willow Stream 20. lks Conse S. E. & ~~N. W.~~
28.00	leave bottom & timber do. do.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
65.00	Ravine. conse N. & S.
79.90	Intersect N. & S. line at a point 19 lks S. of the cor. to secs. 3. 4. 9. & 10. from which cor. I run S 89° 53' W. on true line btwn secs. 4 & 9. Va. 13° E.
39.95	set post deposit chared stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.90	The cor. to secs. 4. 5. 8 & 9.

Bottom - Level 2nd rate
Upland - Broken 3rd rate
Timber cottonwood Elm & willow with willow underbrush

Township No. 6 N. Range No 31. W.

Chains	N. on random line btwn secs. 4. & 5. Va. 13° E.
.50	Enter bottom & timber S. E. & N. W.
1.50	Red Willow Stream 20. lks. conse. E. & N. W.
15.00	leave bottom & timber. Conse E. & N. W.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor.
80.68	Intersect N. Bdy Twp at a point 20 lks N. of the cor to secs. 4. & 5. from which cor I run S. 89° W. on true line btwn secs. 4 & 5. Va. 13° E
40.68	set post deposit chared stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.
80.68	The cor. to secs. 4. 5. 8. 9.

Bottom Level & 1st Rate
Upland Rolling. 2nd Rate
Timber cottonwood Elm & willow

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. btwn secs 31 & 32
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 29, 30, 31 & 32.
	Surface Broken
	Soil 2nd Rate

Township No. 6. N. Range No 31 W.

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn secs. 29 & 32.
	Va. 13° E.
7.00	Ravine - water in holes. course S. & then E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
77.00	Ravine. water in holes. course N. & S.W.
79.80	Intersect N. & S. line at the cor to secs. 28. 29. 32. & 33. from which corner I run W. on a true line btwn secs. 29 & 32.
	Va. 13° E.
39.90	Set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instruction for 1/4 sec cor
79.80	The cor. to secs. 29. 30. 31. & 32
	Surface Rolling
	Soil 1st Rate.

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	
	W. on random line btwn secs. 30 & 31.
	Va. 13° E.
7.00	Passing water in holes N.E. & S.
9.00.	Same do. South ~~E. & N.W.~~
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.34	Intersect W. Bdy of Twp at a point 12 lks N. of the cor. to secs. 30. & 31, from which cor. I run. N. 89°55' E. on true line btwn secs. 30 & 31
	Va. 13° E.
39.34	Set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instruction for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.34	The cor. to secs. 29. 30. 31. & 32
	Surface Broken Soil 2nd Rate.
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Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	
	W. btwn secs 29 & 30.
	Va. 13° E.
8.00	Passing water in holes, course S.E. ~~N.W.~~
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor to secs 19, 20, 29, & 30
	Surface Gently rolling Soil 1st Rate

Township No. 6 N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	E on random line btwn secs. 20 & 29. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor
77.50	Ravine course. S.E. & ~~N.W.~~
80.08	Intersect N. & S. line at a point 11 lks. S. of the corner to secs 20. 21. 28. and 29. from which cor I run S. 89°55' W. on true line btwn secs. 20. & 29. Va 13° E
40.04	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.08	The cor. to secs. 19. 20. 29. & 30
	Surface Rolling Soil 1st rate

Township No 6 N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	W. on random line btwn secs. 19 & 30 Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor
72.00	Ravine - water in holes - course S.E. & N.W.
79.42	Intersect W. Bdy Twp. at a point 12 lks N. of the cor. to secs. 19. & 30. from which cor I run N. 89°55' E. on true line btwn secs 19 & 30. Va. 13° E.
39.42	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.42	The cor. to secs. 19. 20. 29 & 30.
	Surface Level Soil 1st Rate.

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. thru secs. 19. & 20.
	Va. 13° E.
17.00	Prairie - course S.E. ~~& N.W.~~
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	Set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 17, 18, 19 & 20.
	Surface Level Soil 1st Rate.

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains.	
	E on random line thru secs 17. & 20
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.20	Intersect N. & S. line at a point 15 lks N. of the cor. to secs 16, 17, 20, and 21. from which cor. I run N. 89° 54' W. on true line thru secs. 17. & 20.
	Va. 13° E.
40.10	Set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.20	The cor. to secs. 17, 18, 19 & 20.
	Surface Level Soil 1st rate.

Township No. 6 N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	
	W. on random line betw. secs 18 & 19. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor.
79.30	Intersect W. Bdy of Twp — at a point 17 lks. N. of the cor. to secs. 18. & 19. from which cor I run N. 89° ~~45~~ 53' E. on true line betw secs. 18. & 19. Va. 13° E.
39.30	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.30	The cor. to secs. 17. 18. 19. & 20.
	Surface Soil — Level 1st Rate.

Township No. 6 N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains.	
	N. betw. secs. 17. & 18. Va. 13° E.
33.00	Ravine. N. E. ~~& S. W.~~
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
46.	Ravine - N. E. ~~& S. W.~~
80.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 7. 8. 17. & 18.
	Surface Soil — Broken 2nd Rate.

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line betn secs 8. and 17. Va. 13° E.
13.00	Ravine. course S.E. ~~+ N.W.~~
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor
80.00	Intersect N. & S. line at the cor. to secs. 8. 9. 16. + 17. from which cor. I run N. on true line betn secs 8. + 17. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	The cor. to secs. 7. 8. 17 + 18
	Surface Broken Soil 3rd Rate

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	W. on random line betn secs. 7 + 18. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor
79.28	Intersect N. Bdy of Twp at a point 12 lks N. of the cor to secs. 7. + 18. from which cor I run N. 89° 55' E. on true line betn secs. 7 + 18 Va. 13° E
39.28	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.
79.28	The corner to secs. 7. 8. 17. + 18.
	Surface Rolling Soil 2nd Rate.

Township No. 6 N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	N. btwn secs. 7. & 8.
	Va. 13° E.
19.00	Ravine - course S.E. & ~~N.W.~~
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
66.00	Ravine - course N.E. ~~& S.W.~~
80.00	set post. deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 5. 6. 7. & 8.
	Surface Broken
	Soil 2nd rate.

Township No. 6 N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	E. on random line btwn secs. 5 & 8.
	Va. 13° E
16.00	Ravine. Course N.E. ~~& S.W.~~
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor.
79.82.	Intersect. N. & S. line at a point 11 lks N. of the cor. to secs. 4. 5. 8. and 9. from which cor I run N. 89°55½' W. on true line btwn secs. 5 & 8.
	Va. 13° E.
39.91	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.
79.82	The corner to secs. 5. 6. 7. & 8.
	Surface Broken
	Soil 2nd Rate

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31 W

Chains	
	W. on random line btwn secs. 6. & 7.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.24	Intersect W. Bdy of Twp at a point 18 lks. N. of the cor. to secs. 6. & 7. from which cor. I run N. 89° 52' E. on true line btwn secs. 6. & 7.
	Va. 13° E.
39.24	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.
79.24	The cor. to secs. 5. 6. 7. & 8.
	Surface Rolling Soil 2nd Rate

Township No. 6. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. on a random line btwn. secs. 5. & 6.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 cor.
43.00	Enter bottom S E and N W.
80.40	Intersect N. bdy. of Twp. at a point 17 lks. E. of the cor. to secs 5. & 6. from which cor I run S. 7/8' E. on true line btwn secs. 5 & 6.
	Va. 13° E.
40.40	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.40	The cor. to secs 5. 6. 7. & 8.
	Surface Broken Soil 3rd Rate

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Hos Guard Description
See page 66.

Guard Description see page 66

List of Names

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. 6. North of the base line of Range No. 31. West of the 6th Principal Meridian, showing the respective capacities in which they acted

B. M. Smith } Chainmen
E. Spare }

W. J. Harmon } Moundmen
C. S. Woods } and Axemen

We hereby certify that we assisted Wm A. Richards Deputy Surveyor in surveying and subdividing Township No 6. North of the base line of Range No. 31. W. of the 6th Principal Meridian and that said Township has 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

E Spare } Chainmen
B. M. Smith }

W J Harmon } Moundmen and
C S Woods } Axemen

Subscribed by the above named persons and sworn to before me a Notary Public for the County of Douglas State of Nebraska this 19 day of Nov. A.D. 1872

Rollin C. Smith
Notary Public

I. William A. Richards Deputy Surveyor do solemnly swear that in pursuance of a joint contract wherein Wm. A. Richards & Reuben H. Wilbur are joint contractors with E. E. Cunningham, United States Surveyor General for the District of Iowa and Nebraska bearing date the 26th day of June 1872, I have well faithfully and truly in 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 Townships No. 6. North of the Base line & of Range No. 31. West of the 6th Principal Meridian as are represented in the foregoing field notes

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 true and original field notes of such survey

Wm A Richards
Deputy Surveyor

Subscribed by said Wm. A. Richards Deputy Surveyor and sworn to before me a Notary Public for the County of Douglas in the State of Nebraska this 25th day of November 1872.

Rollin C. Smith
Notary Public

General Description.

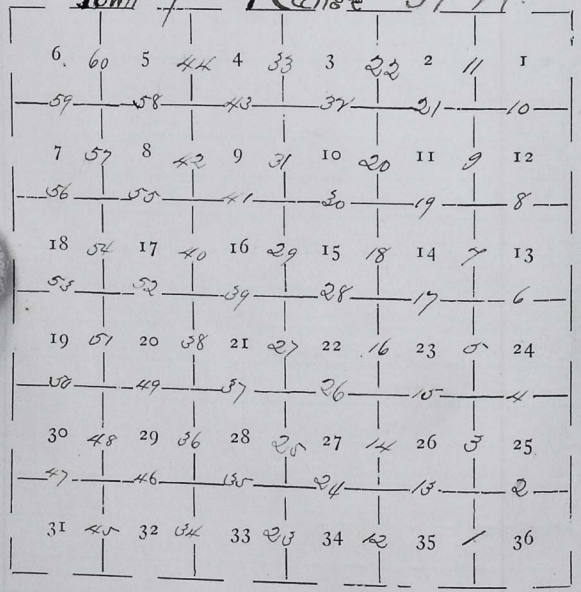
The surface of this Township varies, being level rolling and broken. The Red Willow a stream of 25 lks. flows from the N.W. to the S.E. Its bottom contain Cottonwood, Blue Willow. The soil of the bottom is generally 1st rate of the upland 2nd rate.

Surveyor General's Office
Plattsmouth Dec 14th 1872

The foregoing Field Notes of the Survey and Subdivision of Township No 6 North of the Base Line of Range No 31 West of the 6th Principal Meridian in the State of Nebraska. Executed by Wm. Richards Deputy Surveyor under joint Contract No dated June 26th 1872, wherein Wm Richards and Reuben H. Wilbur are joint Contractors, in the Month of July 1872, having been Critically Examined, the necessary Corrections and Explanations made, the said Field Notes and Surveys they describe are hereby approved

E. E. Cunningham
Surveyor General

Town 7 Range 31 W.



Field Notes of the Subdivision lines of Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W. of the 6th Principal Meridian

Executed by
Wm. A. Richards
Deputy Surveyor

Survey commenced Aug 1 1872

Survey completed Aug 5 1872

List of Names.

B. M. Smith. Chainman
E. Spare Chainman
W. J. Hannon } Moundman & Axeman
C. S. Woods } Moundman & Axeman

To determine the proper adjustment of my compass for subdividing this Township I commenced at the corner to Townships 6 and 7 N. R. 30 & 31 W. and run North on a blank line along the East boundary of Section 36.

Variation 13°.10′ East

40.08 to a point 11 links West of the 1/4 sec. cor.

80.15 to a point 23 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 13° East.

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains.	North between Sections 35 and 36
	Va. 13° E-
40.00	Set post deposite chamd stake raise mounds of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
80.00	Set post deposite chamd stake raise mounds of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 25. 26. 35 and 36.
	Surface — Gently rolling
	Soil — Sandy. 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	E. on a random line btwn. Secs. 25 and 36.
	Va. 13° E-
40.00	Set post for Temporary 1/4 sec. cor
80.10	Intersect E. bdry. of Township at a point 12 lks. N. of the cor. to Secs. 25 and 36 from which corner I run N. 89°55' W. on true line btwn Secs. 25 and 36
	Va. 13° E.
40.05	set post deposite chamd stake raise mounds of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.10	The cor. to Secs. 25. 26. 35 and 36
	Surface — gently rolling
	Soil — Sandy. 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	North btwn. Secs. 25 and 26. Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	Set post deposite charred stake, raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to Secs. 23. 24. 25 and 26.
	Surface — Gently rolling
	Soil — Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. R. No. 31. W.

Chains	E. on a random line btwn. Secs. 24 and 25. Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.60	Intersect E. bdry. of Township at a point 20. lks. Ct. of the cor. to Secs. 24 & 25. from which cor. I run Ct. 89°.51' W. on a true lin btwn Secs. 24 & 25. Va. 13° E.
39.80	Set post, deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.60	The cor. to 23. 24. 25 & 26.
	Surface — gently rolling
	Soil — Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No 31. W.

Chains	
	N. btwn secs. 23 & 24
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposite charred stake. raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	Set post deposite charred stake. raise mound of earth as per instructions for cor. to 13. 14. 23 & 24.
	Surface — Gently rolling
	Soil — Sandy 2nd rate.

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on a random line btwn secs. 13 & 24.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.80	Intersect E. Bdry. of Township at a point 14 lks N. of the cor. to secs. 13 & 24. from which cor. I run N. 89°54' W. on a true line btwn secs. 13 & 24 — Va. 13° E.
39.90	set post, deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
79.80	the cor. to secs. 13. 14. 23. & 24.
	Surface — Gently rolling
	Soil — Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	N. btwn Secs. 13 & 14
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposite chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
80.00	Set post deposite chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instruction for cor. to secs. 11. 12. 13 & 14
	Surface — Gently rolling
	Soil — Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	E. on a random line btwn Secs. 12 & 13
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.24	Intersect E. Bdry of Township at a point 16 lks N. of the cor. to Secs. 12 & 13. from which cor. I run N. 89°53' W. on a true line btwn Secs. 12 & 13.
	Va. 13° E.
40.12	Set post deposite chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.24	The cor. to 11. 12. 13. & 14.
	Surface — Gently rolling
	Soil — Sandy 2nd rate

chains	N. btwn Secs. 11. & 12.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposite chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set post deposite chained stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to Secs. 1. 2. 11 & 12.
	Surface gently rolling Soil Sandy 2nd rate

chains	E. on a random line btwn. Secs. 1. & 12
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor
79.84	Intersect E. Bdry of Township at a point 10 lks. N. of the cor. to secs. to 1. & 12. from which cor I run N. 89°56' W. on a true line btwn Secs. 1. & 12.
	Va. 13° E.
39.92	Set post deposite chained stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.84	the cor. to 1. 2. 11. & 12.
	Surface rolling Soil Sandy 3rd rate.

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31 W.

	chains	N. on random line btwn Secs. 1. and 2.
		Va. 13° E.
40.	40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79	80.12	Intersect N. Bdy. of Township a point 14 links E. of cor to secs. 1. and 2. from which cor I run S. 6' E. on a true line btwn Secs. 1. and 2.
		Va. 13° E.
39	40.12	set post deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
79	80.12	the cor. to secs. 1. 2. 11. and 12.
		Surface rolling
		Soil sandy 3rd rate
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Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

chains	N. btwn Secs. 34 and 35
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 26. 27. 34 and 35
	Surface gently rolling
	Soil sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn Secs 26 and 35
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.12	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 16 lks. N. of cor. to Secs. 25. 26. 35. and 36 from which cor. I run N. 89°53' W. on a true line btwn Secs. 26. and 35
	Va. 13° E.
40.06	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.12	the cor. to 26. 27. 34. and 35.
	Surface gently rolling
	Soil sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	
	N. btwn Secs. 26 and 27.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
80.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to 22. 23. 26. and 27
	Surface gently rolling
	Soil sandy 2nd rate.

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	
	E. on a random line btwn Secs. 23 and 26
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.92	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 13 lks. S. of cor. to Secs. 23. 24. 25 and 26. from which cor. I run S. 89° 54' W. on a true line btwn secs. 23. and 26
	Va. 13° E.
39.96	set post deposite charred stake, raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.92	the cor. to Secs. 22. 23. 26. and 27
	Surface — Gently rolling Soil — Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	
	N. btwn Secs. 22 and 23
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.
80.00	Set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to Secs. 14. 15. 22. and 23.
	Surface — Gently rolling Soil — Sandy. 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on a random line btwn Secs. 14 and 23
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.15	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 23 lks S. of cor. to Secs. 13. 14. 23. and 24. from which cor. I run S. 89°50' W. on a true line btwn. Secs. 14 and 23.
	Va. 13° E.
40.07	Set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.15	The cor. to secs. 14. 15. 22. and 23.
	Surface — Gently rolling
	Soil — Sandy 2nd rate.

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	
	N. btwn Secs. 14. and 15.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	Set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to Secs. 10. 11. 14. and 15.
	Surface — Gently rolling
	Soil — Sandy 2nd rate.

Township No. 7 N. Range No. 31 W

Chains	E. on random line btwn Secs. 11. and 14.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.96	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 16 lks. N. of cor. to secs 11. 12. 13. and 14. from which cor. I run N. 89° 53' W. on a true line btwn secs 11. and 14.
	Va. 13° E.
39.98	Set post deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
79.96	the cor. secs. 10. 11. 14 and 15
Surface	gently rolling
Soil	Sandy 2nd rate.

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	N. btwn Secs. 10. and 11.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	Set post deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to Secs. 2. 3. 10. and 11.
Surface	Gently rolling
Soil	Sandy – 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn Secs. 2. and 11.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.31	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 14 lks. N. of cor. to secs. 1. 2. 11. and 12. from which cor. I run N. 89°54' W. on a true line btwn Secs. 2. and 11.
	Va. 13° E.
40.15	Set post deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.31	The cor. to 2. 3. 10. and 11.
Surface	Gently rolling
Soil	Sandy. 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No 31 W.

Chains	
	N. on random line btwn secs. 2. and 3.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.62	Intersect N. Bdry of Township, at a point 20 lks. W. of cor. to Secs. 2. and 3. from which cor. I run S. 89° W. on a true line btwn Secs. 2. and 3.
	Va. 13° E.
39.62	Set post deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.62	The cor. to Secs. 2. 3. 10. and 11.
Surface	Rolling
Soil	Sandy. Worthless

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Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W

Chains	N. btwn. Secs. 33. and 34. Va. 13.° E.
40.00	Set post deposite chamd stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	Set post deposite chamd stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to Secs. 27. 28. 33. and 34.
	Surface Gently rolling Soil Sandy 2d rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No 31. W.

Chains	E. on random line btwn Secs. 27. and 34. Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 12 lks. N. of cor. to Secs. 26. 27. 34 and 35 from which cor. I run N. 89.°55' W. on a true line btwn Secs. 27. and 34 Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposite chamd stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.
80.00	The cor. to Secs. 27. 28. 33. and 34.
	Surface Gently rolling Soil Sandy 2d rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. on sec. 27. and 28.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposite chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	Set post deposite chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to Secs 21, 22. 27. and 28.
	Surface — Gently rolling
	Soil — Sandy 2d rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn Secs. 22. and 27.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	Intersect N. and S. line at the cor. to Secs. 22. 23. 26. and 27. from which cor. I run W. on a true line btwn Secs. 22. and 27.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposite chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	The cor. to Secs. 21. 22. 27. and 28.
	Surface — gently rolling
	Soil — Sandy 2d rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. thru Secs. 21. and 22.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.
80.00	Set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to Secs. 15. 16. 21. and 22.
	Surface Gently rolling Soil Sandy Loam

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains.	
	E. on random line thru Secs 15. and 22.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.80	Intersect N. and S. line at the cor. to secs. 14. 15. 22. and 23. from which cor. I run W. on a true line thru sec 15. and 22.
	Va. 13° E.
39.90	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.80	The cor. to 15. 16. 21. and 22.
	Surface Gently rolling Soil Sandy Loam

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	
	N. bton Secs. 15 & 16
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instruction for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	Set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to Secs. 9. 10. 15 & 16
	Surface — Gently rolling
	Soil — Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn. Secs 10. & 15
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor
79.88	Intersect N. & S. line at a point 10. lks N. of the cor. Secs. 10 11. 14. & 15 from which cor. bears N. 89° 56' W. on a true line btwn Secs 10. & 15.
	Va. 13° E.
39.94	Set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.80	The cor. to Secs. 9. 10. 15 & 16
	Surface — Gently rolling
	Soil — Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. btn secs. 9. and 10.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposite chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	Set post deposite chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 3. 4. 9. and 10.
	Surface — Gently rolling
	Soil — Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range. No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn secs. 3. and 10.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor.
80.40	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 24 lks. S. of the cor. to secs. 2. 3. 10. and 11. from which cor. I run S. 89° 50' W. on a true line btwn secs. 3. and 10
	Va. 13° E.
40.20	set post deposite chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.
80.40	The cor. to secs. 3. 4. 9. and 10.
	Surface — Gently rolling
	Soil — Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. on random line btwn Sec's 3. & 4.
	Va. 13° E
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.40	Intersect N. bdry. of Township at a point 20. lks. W. of cor. to secs. 3 & 4 from which cor. I run S. 89° W. on a true line btwn secs. 3. & 4.
	Va. 13° E.
39.40	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
79.40	The cor. to secs. 3. 4. 9. & 10.
	Surface Rolling
	Soil Sandy 3rd rate
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Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. btn Sec's. 32 & 33.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post - deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor to secs. 28. 29. 32. & 33.
	Surface Broken
	Soil Sandy 2nd rate.

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn. secs. 28 and 33.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.80	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 8 lks. S. of cor to secs. 27. 28. 33 and 34. from which cor. I run S 89° 58' 7½" W. on a true line btwn secs. 28. and 33.
	Va. 13° E.
39.90	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.
79.80	The cor. to secs. 28. 29. 32 and 33.
	Surface — gently rolling
	Soil — Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No 31. W.

Chains	
	N. btwn secs. 28. and 29.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
80.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 20. 21. 28. and 29.
	Surface — Gently rolling
	Soil — Sandy 2nd rate.

Township No. 7. N. Range. No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn. secs 21. and 28.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.10	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 18 lks N. of cor. to secs. 21. 22. 27. and 28 from which cor. I run N. 89°52' W. on a true line btwn secs. 21. and 28
	Va. 13° E.
40.05	set post deposite chaned stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor
80.10	The cor. to secs. 20. 21. 28 and 29.
	Surface — Gently rolling
	Soil — Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	
	N. btwn Secs. 20. and 21.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposite chaned stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposite chaned stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 16. 17. 20. and 21.
	Surface — Gently rolling
	Soil — Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No 31. W

	Chains	
		E. on random line btwn secs. 16. and 21. Va. 13° E.
	40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
	80.00	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 6 lks. S. of the cor. to Secs. 15. 16. 21. and 22. from which cor. I run S. 89° 57' W. on a true line btwn secs. 16. and 21. Va. 13° E.
	40.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
	80.00	The cor. to secs. 16. 17. 20. and 21
		Surface — gently rolling Soil — sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No 31. W.

Chains	
	N. btwn secs. 16. and 17. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 8. 9. 16. and 17.
	Surface — Gently rolling Soil — Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	E. on random line btwn secs. 9. and 16. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor
80.12	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 12 lks. N. of the cor. to secs. 9.10.15. and 16. from which cor I run N. 89°55' W. on a true line 9 & 16 Va. 13° E.
40.06	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor
80.12	The cor. to secs. 8.9.17. and 16.
	Surface Gently rolling Soil Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	N. btwn secs 8. and 9. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post. deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor to secs. 4. 5. 8. and 9.
	Surface Gently rolling Soil Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 21 W.

Chains	
	E. on a random line bton Secs. 4 and 9
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor
80.10	Intersect N. and S. line at the cor. to secs. 3. 4. 9. and 10. from which cor I run W. on a true line bton Secs. 4. and 9.
	Va. 13° E.
40.05	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor
80.10	The cor. to secs. 4. 5. 8. and 9.
	Surface Soil — Gently rolling Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 21 W.

Chains	
	N. on a random line bton. bton Secs. 4. and 5
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.60	Intersect N. bdry. of Township at cor. of Secs. 4. and 5. from which cor. I run — S. on a true line bton Sec's 4. and 5
	Va. 13° E.
39.60	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.60	The cor. to Sec's. 4. 5. 8. and 9.
	Surface Soil — Gently rolling Sandy 3rd rate.

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. thru secs. 31 & 32.
	Va. 13° E.
~~27.00~~	~~enter bottom~~ -
30.14	stream 20 lks wide. course S. E. ~~& N. W.~~
35.00	leave bottom - level. 2nd rate - course S.E. & N.W.
40.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 29. 30. 31. & 32.
	Surface Broken
	Soil Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line thru. secs 29. & 32.
	Va. 13° E.
28.00	Ravine - course S.E. & N. W.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
45.00	Ravine - course S.W. & N. E. -
79.60	Intersect N. & S. line at a point 10. lks S. of cor. to secs. 28. 29. 32 & 33. from which cor. bears - S 89° 56' W. on a true line thru secs. 29. & 32.
	Va. 13° E.
39.80	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.60	The cor. to secs. 29. 30. 31. & 32
	Surface Broken
	Soil Sandy 2nd rate.

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	W. on random line btwn secs. 30. and 31. Va. 13° E.
26.00	Enter bottom. cours N. and S.
31.00	Stream 20. lks.
~~34.00~~	~~Leave bottom~~
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.20	Intersect W. bdry of Twp. at a point 35 lks. N. of cor. to secs. 30. and 31. from which cor. I run N. 89° 45' E. on true line btwn secs. 30 and 31. Va. 13° E.
39.20	set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.20	The cor. to secs. 29. 30. 31. and 32

Surface Broken.
Soil Sandy 3rd rate
Scattering cottonwoods & willows along bottom.
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Township No. 7. N. Range. No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. btwn secs. 29. and 30. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 19. 20. 29. and 30.

Surface Broken.
Soil Sandy. 3rd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range. No. 31.

Chains	E. on random line btwn Secs. 20 and 29 – Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
73.00	Raine S. W. and N. E.
80.00	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 32 lks. N. of cor. to Secs. 20. 21. 28 and 29. from which cor I run N. 89° 46' W on a true line btwn Secs. 20 and 29. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	The cor. to secs. 19, 20. 29 & 30
Surface	Broken
Soil	Sandy 3rd rate.

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	W. on random line btwn Secs. 19 and 30. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.00	Intersect W. bdry of Twp. at a point 20 lks S. of cor. to Secs. 19. 20. 29. and 30. from which cor. I run N. 89° 51' E. on a true line btwn Secs. 19 and 30. Va. 13° E.
39.00	set post. deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.00	The cor. to Secs. 19. 20. 29. and 30.
Surface	Broken
Soil	Sandy 3rd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	N. btwn secs. 19. and 20. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post. deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 17. 18. 19. and 20

Surface Gently rolling
Soil Sandy 2nd rate.

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains.	E. on random line btwn secs. 17. and 20. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.20	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 10 lks. S. of the cor. to secs. 16. 17. 20. and 21. from which cor. I run S. 89°56' W. on a true line btwn. secs. 17. and 20. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.20	The cor. to secs. 17. 18. 19. and 20.

Surface Rolling
Soil Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	W. on random line btwn secs 18. and 19.
	Va. 13° E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.37	Intersect W. bdry of Twp. at a point 12 lks N. of the cor. to secs. 18. and 19. from which cor I run N. 89° 55' E. on a true line btwn secs. 18. and 19.
	Va 13° E
39.32	set post deposit chamd stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.32	The cor. to secs. 17. 18. 19. and 20
	Surface - Rolling to 1/4 sec. cor Then Broken -
	Soil - Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	N. btwn Secs. 17. and 18.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit chamd stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.
80.00	Set post. deposit chamd stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 7. 8. 17. and 18.
	Surface Gently rolling
	Soil Sandy 2nd rate.

Township No. 7. N. Range No 3 W.

Chains	E. on random line btwn secs. 8. and 17. Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor
80.00	Intersect N. and S. line at the cor to secs. 8. 9. 16. and 17. from which cor I run W. on a true line btwn secs. 8. and 17. Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor
80.00	The cor. to secs. 7. 8. 17. and 18
	Surface Gently rolling Soil Sandy 2nd rate

Township No 7. N. Range No. 3 W.

Chains	W. on random line btwn secs. 7. and 18. Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor
55.20	road - course N. & S.
79.38	Intersect W. Bdry. of Twp at a point 40. lks. N. of the cor. to secs. 7. and 18. from which cor. I run N. 89° 45' E. on a true line btwn secs. 7. and 18. Va. 13° E.
39.38	Set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.38	The cor. to secs. 7. 8. 17. and 18
	Surface Rolling Soil Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W

Chains	N. btwn secs. 7. and 8. Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	Set post deposit chained stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 5. 6. 7. and 8.
	Surface Gently rolling Soil Sandy 2nd rate.

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	E. on random line btwn secs 5. and 8. Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.10	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 8 lks N. of the cor. to Secs. 4. 5. 8. and 9. from which cor. I run N. 89° 51' W. on a true line btwn secs. 5. and 8. Va. 13° E.
40.05	Set post deposit chained stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.10	The cor. to secs. 5. 6. 7. and 8.
	Surface Rolling. Soil Sandy 3rd rate.

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. on random line btwn Secs. 6. & 7. Va. 13° E.
36.00	Road. course N.E. & S.W.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec.
79.60	Intersect W. bdry. of Twp. at a point 32 lks. N. of the cor. to secs. 6. & 7. from which cor I run N. 89° 46' E. on a true line btwn. secs. 6 & 7. Va. 13° E.
39.60	set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor
79.60	The cor. to secs 5. 6. 7. & 8.

Surface Rolling
Soil Sandy Loam

Township No. 7. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	
	N. on random line btwn Secs. 5. & 6. Va. 13° E.
12.00	Road - course. N.E. & S.W.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.63	Intersect N. Bdry. of Twp. at a point 10 lks. E. of the cor to secs. 5. & 6. from which cor. I run S. 4' E. on a true line btwn secs. 5. & 6. Va. 13° E.
39.63	set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.
79.63	The cor. to secs. 5. 6. 7. & 8.

Surface Gently rolling
Soil Sandy Loam
For general Description see page 67.
Aug. 5-1872

See Description on page 67

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. 7. N. of the base line of Range No. 31 West of the 6th Principal Meridian showing the respective capacities in which they acted –

B. M. Smith } Chainmen
E. Spare }
W. J. Harmon } Moundmen and
C. S. Woods } Axemen –

We hereby certify that we assisted Wm. A. Richards Deputy Surveyor in surveying and subdividing Township No. 7. North of the Base line of Range No. 31 W. of the 6th Principal Meridian, and that said Township has 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 –

B. M. Smith } Chainmen
E. Spare }
W. J. Harmon } Moundmen and
C. S. Woods } Axemen

Subscribed and sworn to by the above named persons before me a Justice of the peace for the County of Lincoln in the State of Nebraska this 21 day of October A.D. 1872.

A. T. Fay
Justice of the Peace

I. William A. Richards Deputy Surveyor, do solemnly swear that in pursuance of a joint contract wherein Wm A. Richards and Reuben H. Wilbur are joint contractors with E. E. Cunningham, United States Surveyor General for the district of Iowa and Nebraska, bearing date the 26th day of June 1872, 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 Township No. 7. North of the Base line of Range No. 21 West of the 6th principal meridian, as are represented in the

foregoing field notes as having been surveyed under my direction; and I do further 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.

Wm. A. Richards
Deputy Surveyor

Subscribed by said Wm. A. Richards Deputy Surveyor and sworn to before me a Notary Public for the county of Douglas in the State of Nebraska, this day of November 1872.

J. R. Hyde
Notary Public
Douglas Co
Neb

Surveyor Generals Office
Plattsmouth Dec 14th 1872

The foregoing Field Notes of the Survey and Subdivision of Township No 7 North of the Baseline, of Range No 31 West 6th P.M. in the State of Nebraska. Executed by Wm. A. Richards Deputy Surveyor under your Contract No 56 dated June 26th 1872 wherein Wm. A. Richards and Reuben H. Wiber are joint Contractors, in the Month of August 1872, having been critically Examined the necessary corrections and Explanations made, the said Field Notes and Surveys they describe are hereby approved.

E. E. Cunningham
Surveyor General

General Description.

The soil of this township is a sandy loam which doubtless could be profitably cultivated. It would not be so badly affected by drouth as a loam entirely destitute of sand.

The surface is mostly gently rolling.

The Red Willow, a stream of 70 links, passes through the south west corner.

In many places there is good grazing, but water, unless supplied by artificial means, would be wanting.

Town 8 Range 31 W.

6	60	5	44	4	33	3	22	2	11	1	
59		58		43		32		21		10	
7	57	8	42	9	31	10	20	11	9	12	
56		55		41		30		19		8	
18	54	17	40	16	29	15	18	14	7	13	
53		52		39		28		17		6	
19	51	20	38	21	27	22	16	23	5	24	
50		49		37		26		15		4	
30	48	29	36	28	25	27	14	26	3	25	
47		46		35		24		13		2	
31	45	32	34	33	23	34	12	35	1	36	

Field Notes
of the
Subdivision Lines of
Township No. 8. North
of the
Range No. 31. West
of the
6th Principal Meridian
Executed By
Wm. A. Richards.
Deputy Surveyor.

Survey commenced
Aug.-6.-1872

Survey completed.
Aug.-10-1872

List of Names.

R. M. Smith } Chainmen
E. Spare }
W. J. Harmon } Moundmen and
C. J. Woods } Axemen

To determine the proper adjustment of my compass for subdividing this Township I commenced at the corner to Townships 7 and 8 N. R. 30 and 31 and run North on a blank line along the East Boundary of Section 36.

Va. 13°15' East

40.09 to a point 17 links West of the 1/4 sec. cor.

80.18 to a point 35 lks. 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 13°E.

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31 W

Chains	
	N. btwn secs. 35. and 36.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposite chamd stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	Set post deposite chamd stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 25. 26. 35 and 36.
	Surface Broken Soil Sandy 3rd rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn secs. 25 and 36
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.58	Intersect E. Bdry. at a point 46 lks S. of the cor. to secs. 25. and 36. from which cor. I run S. 89° 40' W. on a true line btwn secs. 25. and 36.
	Va. 13° E.
39.79	Set post deposite chamd stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.
79.58	The cor. secs. 25. 26. 35. and 36.
	Surface Broken Soil Sandy 3rd rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. btwn Secs. 25. and 26. Va. 13° E
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor
80.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 23. 24. 25. and 26.
	Surface Broken Soil Sandy 3rd rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn. Secs. 24 and 25. Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor.
79.56	Intersect E. Bdy of Twp. at a point 12 lks. S. of the cor. to Secs 24. and 25. from which cor I run S. 89°. 55' W. on a true a line btwn. Secs. 24. and 25. Va. 13° E.
39.78	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.56	The cor. to secs. 23. 24. 25. and 26.
	Surface Broken Soil Sandy 3rd rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31 W

Chains.	N. btwn secs. 23 and 24 Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor
80.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor to secs. 13, 14, 23 and 24

Surface. Broken
Soil Sandy 3rd rate

Township No. 8. N. Range. No. 31. W

Chains	E. on random line btwn secs. 13 and 24. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post ~~a~~ for temporary 1/4 sec cor raise mound of earth with
79.68	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 20. lks. S. of the cor. to secs. 13 and 24, from which cor I run S. 89° 51½' W. on a true line bet Secs 13 & 24 Va. 13° E.
39.84	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.68	The cor. to secs. 13. 14. 23 and 24.

Surface Broken
Soil Sandy 3rd rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	N. btwn secs. 13. and 14. Va. 13. E.
40.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 11. 12. 13. and 14
	Surface Broken Soil Sandy 3rd rate

Township No. 8. N. Range. No. 31. W.

Chains	E. on random line btwn secs. 12. and 13. Va. 13. E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.60	Intersect W. Bdy of Twp. at a point 10 lks S. of the cor to secs. 12. and 13 from which cor. I run S. 89° 56' W. on a true line btwn secs. 12. and 13. Va. 13.° E.
39.80	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.
79.60	The cor. to secs. 11. 12. 13. and 14
	Surface Broken Soil Sandy 3rd rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No 31. W

Chains	N. btwn secs. 11. and 12 Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instruction for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. sec. 1. 2. 11. and 12.

Surface Rolling
Soil Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	E. on random line btwn secs. 1. and 12. Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
48.00	Ravine. course N. and S.
80.15	Intersect E. Bdy at a point 30. lks. S. of the cor. to secs. 1. and 12. from which cor. I run S. 89° 47' W. on a true line btwn secs. 1 and 12. Va. 13° E.
40.07²	Set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.15	The cor. to secs. 1. 2. 11. and 12.

Surface Broken
Soil Worthless

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31 W

Chains	N. on true line betw secs. 1 and 2. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.
88.42	Intersect N. Bdy of Twp. and 2nd Stand Par. at a point 18.70 E. of the 1/4 sec. cor. on the S. Bdy of Sec. 36. T. 9 N. R. 31 W set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for closing cor. to secs. 1 & 2.
	Surface Rolling Soil Sandy 2nd Rate
	Aug. 6. 1872

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	N. betw. secs. 34 and 35 Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor to secs. 26, 27, 34 and 35.
	Surface Rolling Soil Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	E. on random line betn secs. 26. and 35. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor
80.00	Intersect N. and S line at the cor. to secs. 25. 26. 35. and 36. from which cor I run N. on a true line betn secs. 26. and 35 Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	The cor. to secs. 26. 27. 34. and 35
	Surface Rolling Soil Sandy 3rd rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	N. betn. secs. 26. and 27. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.
80.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 22. 23. 26. and 27.
	Surface. Rolling Soil Sandy 3rd rate.

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line betwn secs. 23 and 26 Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.10	Intersect N. & S. line at a point 10 lks. N. of the cor. to secs. 23. 24. 25 & 26. from which cor. I run N. 89°56' W. on this line betwn secs. 23 and 26 Va. 13° E.
40.05	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.10	The cor. to secs. 22. 23. 26 & 27.

Surface Rolling
Soil Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. betwn. secs. 22 & 23. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor
80.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs 14. 15. 22. and 23.

Surface Rolling
Soil Sandy 2nd rate.

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	
	E. on random line thru secs. 14 and 23. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor
80.14	Intersect N. and S line at a point 6 lks N. of the cor. to secs. 13. 14. 23 and 24 from which cor. I run N. 89° 07½' W. on a true line Secs 14 & 23 Va. 13° E.
40.07	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.14	The cor. to secs. 14. 15. 22 and 23

Surface Rolling
Soil Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	
	N. thru secs. 14 and 15. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.
80.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 10. 11. 14 and 15.

Surface Rolling
Soil Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn Secs 11. and 14. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.29	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 12 lks. N. of the cor. to secs. 11. 12. 13. and 14. from which cor. I run - N. 89° 55' W. on a true line btwn secs. 11. and 14. Va. 13° E.
40.14½	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
80.29	The cor to secs. 10. 11. 14. and 15.

Surface Rolling
Soil Sandy 2nd rate.

Township No. 8. N. Range. No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. btwn Secs. 10. and 11. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
80.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to Sec's. 2. 3. 10. and 11.

Surface Rolling
Soil Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 8. N. Range. No. 31 W.

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn secs. 2. and 11. Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor
79.92	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 19 lks S. of the cor to secs. 1. 2. 11. and 12. from which cor. I run S. 89° 52' W. on a true line btwn secs 2. and 11. Va. 13° E.
39.96	Set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.92	The cor. to secs. 2. 3. 10. and 11

Surface Soil — Rolling Sandy 2nd rate

Township No. 8. N. Range. No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. on a true line btwn secs 2. and 3. Va. 13° E
40.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor 1/4 sec.
88.98	Intersect N. Bdy. of Twp and 2nd Stand. Par. N. at a point 19.17. E. of the 1/4 sec. cor. on the S. Bdy. of Sec. 35 (T. 9. N. R. 31 W) Set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for closing corner to secs. 2. & 3.

Surface Soil — Rolling Sandy 2nd Rate

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Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31 W

Chains	N. btwn secs. 33. & 34. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor to secs. 27. 28. 33. & 34.

Surface Rolling
Soil Sandy 3rd Rate.

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	E. on a ~~true~~ random line btwn. secs. 27. & 34. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.13	Intersect N. & S. line at the cor. to secs. 26. 27. 34. & 35 from which cor I run W. on a true line btwn secs. 27. & 34. Va. 13° E.
40.06 1/2	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
80.13	~~set post deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for~~ the cor. to secs. 27. 28. 33. & 34

Surface Rolling
Soil Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	N. bton secs. 27. and 28. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposite chaned stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposite chaned stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 21, 22, 27. and 28.

Surface Rolling
Soil Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	E. on random line btwn secs 22. and 27. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor
80.14	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 10 lks S. of the cor. to secs. 22. 23. 26. and 27. from which cor. I run S. 89°56' W. on a true line btwn secs. 22. and 27. Va. 13° E.
40.07	set post deposite chaned stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.14	The corner to secs. 21. 22. 27. and 28.

Surface Rolling
Soil Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. thro. Secs. 21. & 22. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to Secs. 15. 16. 21. & 22.
	Surface Rolling. Soil Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line thro Secs. 15. & 22. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor
80.00	Intersect N. & S. line at the cor. to Secs. 14. 15. 22. & 23. from which cor. I run W. on a true line thro Secs. 15. & 22. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	The cor. to Secs. 15. 16. 21. & 22
	Surface Rolling. Soil Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31 W

Chains	N. bton Secs. 15 & 16. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposite chamd stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
80.00	set post deposite chamd stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 9, 10, 15 & 16.
	Surface Rolling Soil Sandy Loam

Township No. 8. N. Range No 31. W.

Chains	E. on random line btwn secs 10. & 15 Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.78	Intersect N. & S. line at a point 17 lks. S. of the cor. to secs. 10, 11, 14 & 15. from which corner I run S. 89°53' W. on a true line btwn. secs. 10. & 15. Va. 13° E.
39.89	set post deposite chamd stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
79.78	The cor to secs. 9, 10, 15 & 16.
	Surface Rolling Soil Sandy Loam

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W

Chains	
	N. thru secs. 9. & 10.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor
80.00	set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 3.4.9. & 10.
	Surface Soil — Rolling Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line thru secs. 3. & 10,
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor
80.28	Intersect N. & S. line at a point 27 lks. N. of the cor. to secs. 2. 3. 10. & 11. from which cor. I run N. 89° 48' W. on true line thru secs. 3 & 10
	Va. 13° E.
40.14	set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
80.28	The cor. to secs. 3.4.9. & 10.
	Surface Soil — Rolling Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 21. W.

Chains	
	N. on the line Bdry. Secs 3 & 4
	Va 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposite chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. Cor -
89.29	Intersect N. Bdy of Twp and 2nd Stand Par. N. at a point 19.34 E. of the 1/4 sec. cor. on the S. Bdy of Sec. 34 - T. 9. N. R. 31 W. Set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for closing cor. to secs. 3 & 4
	Surface Rolling
	Soil Sandy & Rate

Aug. 18. - 1872

Township No. 8. N. Range. No. 21. W.

Chains	
	N. Bdry. Secs. 32 & 33.
	Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposite chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor
80.00	Set post. deposite chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor to secs. 28 & 29, 32 & 33.
	Surface Rolling
	Soil Sandy & Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31 W.

Chains	
	E. on random line betwn secs. 28. and 33. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 7. lks N. of the cor. to secs 27, 28. 33. and 34. from which cor. I run N. 89° 57' W. on true line betwn secs 28. and 33. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposite chamd stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instruction for 1/4 sec cor.
80.00	The cor. to secs. 28. 29. 32. & 33

Surface Rolling
Soil Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. betwn secs. 28 and 29. Va. 13° E
40.00	set post deposite chamd stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
80.00	set post deposite chamd stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor to secs. 20. 21. 28. and 29.

Surface Rolling
Soil Sandy 3rd Rate.

Township No. 8. N. Range. No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn secs. 21. and 28. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.16	Intersect N. and S. line at the cor. to secs. 21. 22. 27. and 28. from which cor. I run W. on a true line btwn secs. 21. and 28 Va. 13° E.
40.08	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor
80.16	The cor to secs. 20. 21. 28. and 29.
	Surface Rolling Soil Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. btwn secs. 20 and 21 Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposite charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor to secs 16. 17. 20 and 21
	Surface Rolling Soil Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No 31. W

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn. Secs. 16. and 21. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.91	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 16 lks. S. of the cor. to Secs. 15. 16. 21 and 22. from which cor. I run S. 89°53' W. on a true line btwn Secs 16. and 21. Va. 13° E.
39.95	set post deposit chaned stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.91	The cor. to Secs. 16. 17. 20. and 21

Surface Soil — Rolling Sandy 2nd Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range. No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. btwn. Secs. 16. and 17 Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit chaned stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor —
80.00	set post deposit chaned stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor to Secs. 8. 9. 16. and 17 —

Surface Soil — Rolling Sandy 2nd Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range. No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line betn secs. 9. and 16. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor
80.13	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 14 lks. S. of the cor. to secs. 9.10.15. and 16. from which cor. I run S. 89°54' W. on a true line betn. secs. 9 & 16 Va. 13° E.
40.06½	set post, deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.13	The cor. to secs. 8.9.16. & 17.

Surface Rolling
Soil Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range. No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. betn. secs. 8. & 9. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post, deposite charred stake - raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post, deposite charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 4, 5. 8. & 9.

Surface Rolling
Soil Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 8 N. Range No. 31 W

Chains	
	E. on random line thro secs. 4 and 9. Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.88	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 22 lks. N. of the cor to secs. 3. 4. 9. and 10. from which cor. I run N. 89° 58' W. on a true line thro secs. 4 and 9. Va. 13° E.
39.94	Set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.88	The cor. to secs. 4. 5. 8. and 9.

Surface Soil — Rolling Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 8 N. Range No. 31 W

Chains	
	N. on a true line thro secs. 4. and 5. Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
90.12	Intersect N. Bdy. of Twp. and 2nd Stand. Par. N. at a point 19.48 E. of the 1/4 sec. cor. on S. Bdy. of sec. 33 T. 9 N. R. 31 W. Set post deposit charred stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for closing cor. to secs. 4 & 5

Surface Soil — Rolling Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. bton secs. 31. & 32. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposite chamd stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposite chamd stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 29, 30, 31. & 32.
	Surface Broken Soil Sandy 3rd Rate.

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W

Chains	
	E. on random line btwn. secs. 29. & 32. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.08	Intersect N. & S. line at the cor. to secs. 29, 30, 31, & 32 from which cor. I run W. on a true line btwn secs. 29. & 32. Va. 13° E.
40.04	set post deposite chamd stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.
80.08	The cor to secs. 29, 30, 31. & 32
	Surface Broken Soil Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	W. on random line thru secs. 30. and 31 Va 13° E.
37.00	Wagon road. course N. and S.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.60	Intersect W. Bdy of Twp at a point 12 lks W. of the cor. to secs. 30. and 31. from which cor. I run N. 89° 55' E. on a true line thru secs. 30. and 31. Va. 13° E
39.60	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor.
79.60	The cor. to secs. 29, 30. 31. and 32.
	Surface Broken Soil Sandy 3rd Rate.
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Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. thru secs. 29. and 30. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposit charred stake. raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 19. 20. 29. and 30.
	Surface Rolling Soil Sandy. 3rd-rate.

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	E. on random line bet'n secs. 20. and 29. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor.
80.00	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 6 lks. N. of the corner to secs. 20. 21. 28 and 29. from which corner I run N. 89° 57½' W. on true line bet'n secs. 20 and 29. Va. 13° E. —
40.00	set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	The cor. to secs. 19. 20. 29. and 30

Surface Broken
Soil Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	W. on random line bet'n secs. 19. and 30. Va. 13° E.
30.00	Wagon Road - course N. and S.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.66	Intersect W. Bdry of Twp. at a point 16 lks N. of the cor to secs. 19. and 30. from which cor I run N. 89° 55' E. on true line bet'n secs. 19. and 30. Va. 13° E.
39.66	set post deposit chained stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.66	The cor. to secs. 19. 20. 29. and 30.

Surface Broken
Soil Sandy 3rd Rate.

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. thru Secs. 19 & 20. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposite chained stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.00	set post deposite chained stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to Secs. 17, 18, 19 & 20.
	Surface Rolling Soil Sandy Grs Rate.

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	E. on random line thru Secs 17 & 20. Va 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.14	Intersect N. & S. line at a point 11 lks S. of the cor. to Secs 16, 17, 20 & 21. from which cor. I run S. 89°55' W. on true line thru Secs. 17 & 20. Va. 13° E.
40.07	set post deposite chained stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.14	The cor. to Secs. 17, 18, 19 & 20.
	Surface Rolling Soil Sandy Grs Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. on random line betn secs. 18. & 19.
37.20	Road N.E. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor.
79.70	Intersect W. Bdry at the cor. to secs. 18 & 19. from which cor. I run E. on a true line betn secs. 18. & 19. Va. 13° E.
39.70	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.70	The cor. to secs. 17, 18, 19. & 20
	Surface Rolling Soil Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	
	N. betn. secs. 17. & 18. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor
80.00	set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 7. 8. 17. & 18.
	Surface Rolling Soil Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	E. on random line btwn secs. 8 and 17. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
80.20	Intersect N. and S. line at a point 16 lks N. of the cor. to secs. 8. 9. 16. and 17. From which cor. I run N. 89°.53' W. on a true line btwn. secs. 8 and 17. Va. 13° E.
40.10	set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.20	The cor. to secs. 7. 8. 17. and 18.

Surface Rolling
Soil Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	W. on random line btwn secs. 7. and 18. Va. 13° E.
36.10	Wagon road. course S. and N. E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.80 ~~80.10~~	Intersect W. Bdy. of Twp. at a point 17 lks N. of the cor. to secs. 7. and 18. From which cor I run N. 89°.53' E. on true line btwn secs. 7. and 18. Va. 13° E.
39.80 ~~40.10~~	set post deposit chained stake raise mound of earth with pits as per instructions
79.80	The cor. to secs. 7. 8. 17. and 18.

Surface Rolling
Soil Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	N. bdry. secs. 7. & 8. Va. 13° E
23.00	Wagon Road. course S.W. & N.
40.00	set post deposit chaned stake - raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
80.00	set post deposit chaned stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for cor. to secs. 5.6.7. & 8.
Surface	Rolling
Soil	Sandy 3rd Rate.

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W.

Chains	E. on random line bdry secs. 5 & 8 Va 13° E.
26.30	Wagon Road. course S.W. & N
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor
80.24	Intersect N. & S. line at a point 14 lks. S. of the cor. to secs. 4.5.8. & 9. from which cor. I run S. 89° 54' W. on true line bdry secs. 5 & 8. Va 13.° E.
40.12	set post. deposit chaned stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
80.24	The cor. to secs. 5.6.7. & 8.
Surface	Rolling
Soil	Sandy 3rd Rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W

Chains	W. on random line thro. secs. 6. & 7. Va. 13° E.
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec. cor.
79.89 ~~80.78~~	Intersect W. Bdy of Twp at a point 21 lks N. of the cor. to secs. 6. & 7. from which cor. I run N. 89°51' E. on true line thro. secs 6. & 7. Va 13° E.
39.89 ~~40.78~~	set post deposit chained stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor.
79.89 ~~79.89~~	The cor. to secs 5. 6. 7. & 8
	Surface Rolling Soil Sandy 3rd rate

Township No. 8. N. Range No. 31. W

Chains	N. on true line thro secs 5. & 6. Va. 13° E.
40.00	Set post deposit chained stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec. cor
90.96	Intersect N. Bdy of Twp. and 2nd Stand. Par. N. at a point 19.59 E. of the 1/4 sec. cor. to the S. Bdy. of sec. 32. T. 9. N. R. 31 W. set post deposit chained stake raise mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for closing cor. to secs. 5 & 6.
	Surface Rolling Soil Sandy 3rd Rate
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List of Names.

A list of names of the individuals employed to assist in running measuring or marking the lines or corners described in the foregoing field notes of Township No. 8. N. of the base line & Range No. 31 West of the 6th Principal Meridian showing the respective capacities in which they acted.

B. M. Smith } Chainmen
E. Spare }

W. J. Harmon } Moundmen
C. S. Woods } & Axemen.

We hereby certify That we assisted Wm A. Richards Deputy Surveyor in surveying and subdividing Township No. 8. North of the base line of Range No. 31. W. of the 6th Principal Meridian and that said Township has 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 —

B M Smith } Chainmen
E Spare }

W J Harmon } Moundmen and
C S Woods } Axemen

Subscribed and
sworn to by the above named
persons before me a
Justice of the peace for the
County of Lincoln in the State
of Nebraska this 2nd day of
October A. D. 1872.

A. T. Fray
Justice of the Peace

I. William A. Richards
Deputy Surveyor do solemnly
swear that in pursuance of
a joint contract wherein Wm
A. Richards and Reuben H.
Wilbur are joint contractors
with E. E. Cunningham United
States Surveyor General for
the District of Iowa and Neb-
-raska bearing date the
26th day of June 1872, 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 Township
No. 8. North of the Base line
of Range No. 31 West of
the 6th Principal Meridian
as are represented in the
forgoing 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

Wm A Richards
Deputy Surveyor

Subscribed by said Wm A. Richards deputy surveyor and sworn to before me a Notary Public for the County of Douglas in the State of Nebraska this 25 day of November 1872

Rollin C Smith
Notary Public

General Description

This Township contains but little land of any value for agriculture, as it consists largely of sand hills. The Eastern portion, particularly in the North East, is broken and worthless. The other portions of the Township are rolling with soil mostly clear sand.

Surveyor General's Office
Plattsmouth Dec 14th 1872

The foregoing Field Notes of the Survey and Subdivision of Township No 8 North of the Base line, of Range No 31 West of 6th Principal Meridian in the State of Nebraska Executed by Wm A. Richards Deputy Surveyor under joint Contract No 56 dated June 26th 1872, wherein Wm A. Richards and Reuben H. Wilbur are joint Contractors, in the Month of August 1872. having been critically Examined, the necessary corrections and Explanations made, the said Field Notes and Surveys they describe are hereby approved.

E. E. Cunningham
Surveyor General

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