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Field notes of the Subdivis-ion lines in Fractional Township No 12 North of the Base Line. Range No. 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian, in the State of Nebraska.

Surveyed by John W. Daugherty Deputy Surveyor

Commenced August 27th 1871
Concluded, August 29th 1871

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Names and duties of assistants, employed in Sub-dividing Fractional Township No 12 North of the Base Line Range No. 53. West of the 6th Principal Meridian in the State of Nebraska.

Bennet T Yates } chainmen
Frank Adams }

John R Gordon } Axemen
Sanford C. Carpenter }

To determine the proper adjustment of my compass for subdividing this Township, I commenced at the corner to Townships No 12 North, Ranges No. 52 & 53 West, on the 3rd standard Parallel, and run South on a blank line, along the East Boundary of Sec 1.

N. 15° East.

40.02 To the 1/4 Sec. Cor.

79.97 To the corner of Sec's. 1 & 12.

I find a Variation of 15° East, to be the proper Variation, for subdividing this Township.

Fractional

Township No. 12 North. Range No 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian

At a point 9 chs and 99 lks. East of the 1/4 Sec. Cor, on the South Boundary of Sec. 31. Township No 13. North. Range No 52 West on the 3rd Standard Parallel, I set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for Closing Corner to Sec's 1 & 2, thence I run South on a true line between Sec's. 1 & 2

Va. 15° East

8.00 Draw 50 lks wide. descends E & W

40.00 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

40.00 To foot of Bluff bears. E & W

54.60 To top of Bluff 40 ft high above the level land on the North

80.00 Set limestone 18x16x4 with notches as per instructions for Corner to Sec's. 1, 2, 11 & 12.

Land north of Bluff level 2 rods

" South " Broken 3 rods

East on a random line between Sec's. 1 & 12.

Va. 15° East.

40.00 Set ~~charred~~ post ~~in mound of earth with pits as per instructions~~ mound for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

65.00 Draw 50 lks wide descends North

79.62 Intersect the East Boundary of the Township 7 lks South of Post corner to Sec's. 1 & 12 from which I run South 89° 59' West on a true line between Sec's 1 & 12.

Va 15° East

39.81 Set limestone 15x14x4 marked as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

79.62 The corner to Sec's. 1, 2, 11 & 12

Land Hilly. Soil 2 rods

Fractional Township No 12 North Range No 53. West of the 6th Principal Meridian

South on a true line between Sec's. 11 & 12

Va. 15°. East.

36.00 Drain 30 lks wide descends E.

40.00 Set limestone 14x14x4 marked as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor

80.00 Set limestone 16x15x4 with notches as per instructions for corner to Sec's. 11, 12, 13 & 14

Land Broken and Rocky Soil 3rd rate

East on a random line between Sec's. 12 & 13.

Va. 15°. East

12.80 Drain 1 ch wide descends N.E.

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

79.62 Intersect the East Boundary of the Township at Post corner to Sec's. 12 & 13. from which I run west on a true line between Sec's. 12 & 13

Va. 15°. East.

39.81 Set limestone 15x14x5 marked as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

79.62 The corner to Sec's. 11, 12, 13 & 14

Land rolling and Stony Soil 3rd rate

South on a true line between
Sec's. 13 & 14
Va. 15° East.

40.00 Set charred post in mound
of earth with pits as per in-
structions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set charred post in mound
of earth with pits as per in-
structions for corner to Sec's
13, 14, 23 & 24.

Land Rolling
Soil, 2nd rate.

East on a random line be-
tween Sec's. 13 & 24
Va. 15°. East.

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

79.70 Intersect the East Boundary
5 lks north of corner to Sec's
13 & 24. from which I run
North 89°58' West on a true
line between Sec's. 13 & 24
Va. 15°. East.

39.85 Set charred Post in mound of
earth with pits as per instruc-
tions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

79.70 The corner to Sec's. 13, 14, 23 & 24

Land rolling. Soil 2nd rate

Fractional Township, No 12 North Range No. 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian

South on a true line between Sec's. 23 & 24.
Va. 15°. East.

11.10 Intersect the State line 31 chs East of the 67th mile corner on the State Boundary.
where I set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for closing corner to fractional Sec's, 23 & 24
Land level. soil 2" rate

At a point 10 chs & 40 lks East of the 1/4 Sec. cor, on the South Boundary of Sec 36 Township No. 13. North. Range No. 53 West of the 6th P. M. on the 3rd Standard Parallel. I set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for closing Corner to Sec's. 2 & 3, Thence I run South on a true line between Sec's. 2 & 3.
Va. 15°. East.

38.00 Drain 1 ch wide descends, E.

40.00 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set Limestone 16x14x4 with notches, for cor as per instructions for corner to Sec's. 2, 3, 10 & 11

Land Rolling. soil, 2" rate

Fractional Township No. 12 North, Range No. 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian

East on a random line between
Sec's. 2 & 11
Va. 15°. East.

40.00 Set Stone for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
46.00 To foot of rocky hill bears. N.E. & S.W.
50.00 To top of Rocky hill. " " "
79.68 Intersect the N. & S. line, 5 lks South
of Stone corner to Sec's. 1, 2, 11 & 12
from which I run South
89°58' West on a true line
between Sec's 2 & 11
Va. 15°. East.
39.84 Set limestone 15 x 14 x 5 marked as
per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.68 The corner to Sec's. 2, 3, 10 & 11

Land East of hill rolling. 2nd rate
Land West of hill Broken 3rd rate

South on a true line between
Sec's. 10 & 11.
Va 15°. East.

40.00 Set charred post in mound of
earth with pits as per instructions
for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00 Set charred post in mound of
earth with pits as per instruc
tions for corner to Sec's. 10, 11
14, & 15.

Land gently rolling. 2nd rate

Fractional Township No. 12 North Range No. 53, West of the 6th Principal Meridian

East on a random line between Sec's. 11 & 14

Va. 15°. East.

40.00 Set Post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.

79.64 Intersect N & S line 21 lks South of Post corner to Sec's 11, 12, 13, 14 from which I run South 89°57' West on a true line between Sec's. 11 & 14.

Va. 15°. East.

39.82 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

79.64 The corner to Sec's. 10, 11, 14 & 15.

Land rolling hills.
Soil 2nd rate

South on a true line between Sec's. 14 & 15

Va. 15°. East.

40.00 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Sec's, 14, 15, 22 & 23.

Land gently rolling.
Soil 2nd rate.

Fractional Township No. 12. North

East on a random line between Sec's. 14 & 23
Va. 15° East.

40.00 Set post for temporary ¼ Sec. Cor.

79.66 Intersect N & S line at Post Corner to Sec's. 13. 14. 23 & 24 from which I run west on a true line. between Sec's. 14 & 23.
Va. 15° East.

39.83 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for ¼ Sec. Cor

79.66 The corner to Sec's. 14. 15. 22 & 23

Land gently rolling. 2nd rate

Range No. 53. West of 6th Principal Meridian

South on a true line between Sec's. 22 & 23
Va. 15° East.

11.09 Intersect the State line 31 chs and 40 lks east of the 68th mile corner on the State Boundary ~~for closing corner~~ where I set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for closing corner to fractional Sec's. 22 & 23

Land level. 2nd rate
August 27th 1871

Fractional Township No. 12 North. Range No 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian

	At a point 10 chs and 81 lks
	east of the ¼ Sec. Cor. on the
	South Boundary of Sec's 35
	Township No 13 North Range 53
	West of the 6th P.M. on the 3rd
	Standard Parallel. I set
	Charred post in mound of earth
	with pits as per instructions
	for closing corner to Sec's. 3 & 4
	Thence I run South on a true
	line between Sec's. 3 & 4
	Va. 15°, East.
3.00	Drain 40 lks wide descends E.
40.00	Set charred post in mound of
	earth with pits as per instruc-
	tions for ¼ Sec. Cor
43.00	Drain 30 lks wide descends E.
84.00	Set limestone 16×15×4 with
	notches as per instructions for
	Corner to Sec's. 3, 4, 9, & 10.
	Land Hilly 2nd rate Soil

	East on a random line be-
	tween Sec's 3 & 10
	Va. 15°. East.
20.00	Drain 20 lks wide descends N.
44.00	Set Stone for temporary ¼ Sec. Cor
45.00	Drain 75 lks wide descends N.
79.70	Intersect N. & S. line 14 lks North
	of Post corner to Sec's 2, 3, 10 & 11
	from which I run North
	89° 54' West on a true line
	between Sec's. 3 & 10
	Va. 15°, East.
39.85	Set limestone 18×15×4 marked
	as per instructions for ¼ Sec. Cor
79.70	The corner to Sec's. 3, 4, 9, 10.
	Land Broken, Soil 3rd rate

South on a true line between
Sec's 9 & 10.
Va. 15°. East.

6.00	To foot of rocky hill bears East
10.00	To top of " " "
40.00	Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00	Set limestone 20x16x4 with notches as per instructions for Corner to Sec's. 9.10.15.16

Land broken 3rd rate

East on a random line between Sec's. 10 & 15
Va. 15°. East.

40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.66	Intersect N. & S. line 11 lks South of Post corner to Sec's. 14, 15, 22 & 23. from which I run South 89° 55' West on a true line between Sec's 10 & 15,

Va 15°. East

39.83	Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.66	The corner to Sec's. 9, 10, 15 & 16

Fractional Township No. 12. North Range No. 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian

South on a true line between Sec's. 15 & 16.
Va. 15°. East.
40.00 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00 Set limestone 18 x 10 x 8 with notches as per instructions for corner to Sec's. 15. 16. 21. 22.

Land gently rolling
2" rate.

East ~~to~~ a random line between Sec's. 15 & 22.
Va. 15°. East.
40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.68 Intersect N. & S. line 7 lks South of East Corner to Sec's. 14. 15. 22 & 23. from which I run South 89° 57' West ~~of the~~ a true line between Sec's. 15. ~~14. 21 & 22~~
39.82 Va. 15°. East.
39.84 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor
79.68 The Corner to Sec's. 15. 16. 21 & 22

Land rolling 2" rate

Fractional Township No 12 North Range No 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian

South on a true line between Sec's. 21 & 22

Va 15° East

11.08 Intersect the State line 31 chs & 73 lks East of the 69th mile Corner on the State Boundary where I set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for closing corner to Sec's Fractional Sec's. 21 & 22

Land level, 2nd rate

At a point 11 chs and 22 lks east of the ¼ Sec. Cor. on the South Boundary of Sec 34, Township No. 13 North. Range No 53 West on the 3rd Standard Parallel I set charred post in mound of earth with Pits as per instructions for ¼ Sec. cor. Closing Corner to Sec's. 4 & 5. from which Corner I run South on a true line between Sec's 4 & 5.

Va. 15° East

15.00 Drain 80 lks wide descends East.

40.00 Set charred Post in mound of earth with Pits as per instructions for ¼ Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set charred Post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Sec's. 4, 5, 8 & 9.

Land Broken. 3rd rate

East on a random line between Sec's. 4 & 9.
Va. 15°. East.

40.00 Set Post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
41.00 Drain. 35 lks wide descends N. E.
79.68 Intersect W. & S. line 25 lks South of Post corner to Sec's 3.4.9 & 10 from which corner I run South 89° 54' West on a true line between Sec's. 4 & 9.
Va. 15°. East.
39.84 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.68 The corner to Sec's. 4.5.8 & 9.

Land hilly & rafty

South on a true line between Sec's. 8 & 9.
Va. 15°. East.

39.00 Drain 90 lks wide descends E.
40.00 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00 Set Charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Sec's 8.9.16 & 17.

Land rolling & rate.

Fractional Township No. 12. North Range No. 53 West of the 5th Principal Meridian

East on a random line between Sec's 9 & 16.
Va. 15° East.

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
42.00 Drain 95 lks wide descends N.
79.70 Intersect the N. & S. line 16 lks North of Post corner to Sec's 9, 10, 15 & 16. from which Corner Down North 89°53' West on a true line between Sec's 9 & 16.
Va. 15° East.
39.85 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.70 The corner to Sec's. 8, 9, 16 & 17

Land rolling. 2nd rate

South on a true line between Sec's. 16 & 17
Va. 15° East.

35.00 Drain 80 lks wide descends N. E.
40.00 Set Stone 16 x 15 x 4 marked as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Sec's. 16, 17, 20 & 21

Land Broken & rocky
Soil, 3rd rate.

Fractional Township. No 12. North

East on a random line between
Secs. 16 & 21
Va. 15°. East.
40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.67 Intersect N & S line 7 lks South
of Stone corner to Secs. 15. 16
21 & 22. from which corner
Draw South 89° 57' West on
a true line between Secs
16 & 21
Va. 15° East.
39.85 Set charred post in mound
of earth with pits as per in-
structions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.67 The corner to Secs. 16. 17. 20 & 21

Land rolling. 2d rate

Range No. 53. West of the 6 Principal Meridian

South on a true line between
fractional Secs. 20 & 21
Va. 15°. East.
11.12 Intersect the State line 32 chs
East of the 40th mile post
on the State Boundary, where
I set charred post in mound
of earth with pits as per in-
structions for closing corner
to fractional Secs. 20 & 21

Land rolling. 2d rate

August 28th 1871.

Fractional Township No. 12 North

At a point 11 chs and 68 lks east of the 1/4 Sec. Cor. on the South Boundary of Sec. 33 Township No. 13. North. Range No. 53 west on the 5th Standard Parallel. I set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for closing Corner to Sec's 5 & 6. from which bearing south on a true line between Sec's. 5 & 6 Va. 15°. East.

40.00 Set limestone 18x16x5 marked as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

57.00 Drain 28 lks wide descends E.

80.00 Set limestone 16x15x5 with notches as per instructions for corner to Sec's 5.6.7.8

Land rolling. 2nd rate

Range No 53. West of the 6th Principal Meridian

East on a random line between Sec's. 5 & 8
Va. 15°. East.

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

79.62 Intersect the N. & S. line 20 lks North of post corner to Sec's 4. 5. 8. & 9. from which corner I run North 89° 51' west on a true line between Sec's 5 & 8
Va. 15°. East.

39.81 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.

79.62 The corner to Sec's. 5.6.7. & 8.

Land Hilly. 3rd rate

Fractional Township. No. 12 North. Range

West on a random line between Sec's. 6 & 7.

Va. 15°. East.

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

79.80 Intersect the west Boundary of the Township 16 lks north of the Post corner to Sec's 6 & 7, from which corner I run North 89° 53' East on a true line between Sec's. 6 & 7.

Va. 15°. East.

39.80 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

79.80 The corner to Sec's. 5. 6. 7. & 8.

Land rolling. 2" rate.

No 53 West of the 6 Principal Meridian

South on a true line between Sec's. 7 & 8.

Va. 15°. East.

29.00 Drain 50 lks wide descends East.

40.00 Set limestone 16x14x4 marked as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set limestone 15x12x4 with notches as per instructions for corner to Sec's. 7. 8. 17. & 18.

Land rolling. Soil 2" rate.

Fractional Township No. 12. North Range No 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian

East on a random line between Sec's. 8 & 17.

Va. 15° East.

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

58.00 Drain 5 lks wide descends N. E.

79.72 Intersect the N. & S. line 5 lks South of Post, corner to Sec's. 8.9.16 & 17 from which Corner I run South 89°58' West on a true line between Sec's. 8 & 17.

Va. 15° East.

39.86 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

79.72 The corner to Sec's. 7.8.17 & 18.

Land rolling. 2d rate.

West on a random line between Sec's. 7 & 18

Va. 15° East.

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

79.86 Intersect the west Boundary of Township 7 lks North of Post corner to Sec's 7 & 18. from which corner I run North 89°57' East on a true line between Sec's. 7 & 18

Va. 15° East

39.86 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. cor.

79.86 The corner to Sec's. 7.8.17 & 18.

Land rolling 2. rate

Fractional Township No. 12. North, Range

South on a true line between
Sec's. 17 & 18.
Va. 15°. East.

28.00 Drain 1ch wide Descends East.

40.00 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set limestone 18 x 15 x 3 with notches as per instructions for Corner to Sec's. 17. 18. 19. 20

Land Hilly. Soil 3 rate.

No. 53. West of the 6th Principal Meridian

East on a random line between
Sec's 17 & 20.
Va. 15°. East.

20.00 Drain 75 lks wide descends North

40.00 Set stone for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor

79.80 Intersect the N & S line at Stone Corner to Secs. 16. 17. 20 & 21 from which Corner Drain West on a true line between Sec's 17 & 20.
Va. 15°. East.

39.90 Set limestone 15 + 14 x 4 marked as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

79.80 The corner to Sec's. 17. 18. 19. & 20

Land Hilly. Soil 3° rate.

Fractional Township No. 12. North Range

West on a random line between Sec's. 18 & 19.
Va. 15°. East.

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

79.88 Intersect the West Boundary of the Township 5 lks North of the Post corner to Sec's. 18 & 19. from which corner I run North 89° 58' E. on a true line between Sec's. 18 & 19.
Va. 15°. East.

39.88 Set limestone 16 x 14 x 3 marked as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

79.88 The corner to Secs 17. 18. 19. & 20.

Land rolling 2nd rate.

No 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian

South on a true line between Sec's 19 & 20
Va. 15°. East.

11.14 Intersect the State line 32 chs & 27 lks East of the 71st mile Corner on the State Boundary where I set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for closing corner to fractional Sec's. 19 & 20

Land rolling & Stony. 3rd rate.

August 29th 1871

General Description

The land in this Township is rolling Prar
2 and 3 rate mostly covered
with a good growth
of grass

A List of the names of the individuals employed to assist in running measuring or marking the lines and corners described in the foregoing Field Notes of Fractional Township No. 12 North of the Base Line Range No 53 west of the 6" Principal Meridian, State of Nebraska, showing the respective capacities in which they they acted.

Bennet T. Yates
Frank Adams } Chairmen
John R. Gordon
Sanford C. Carpenter } Assistant

41.

Frac

I John H. Daugherty Deputy Surveyor, do solemnly swear that in pursuance of a joint contract, wherein John H. Daugherty & Dan S. Parmalee are joint contractors with E. E. Cunningham United States Surveyor General for the District of Iowa & Nebraska bearing date the 20 Day of May 1871, I have well faithfully and truly in my own proper person, and in strict conformity furnished by the Surveyor General, the Surveying Manual and the Laws of the United States, Surveyed all those parts or portions of Fractional Township No. 12 North of the Base Line Range No. 13 West of the 6th Principal Meridian, State of Nebraska as are represented in the foregoing Field Notes, as

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

John H. Daugherty
Deputy Surveyor

Subscribed & Sworn to by the person above named before me a Notary Public in for Douglas County State of Nebraska this 21st day of October 1871

R. W. Peall
Notary Public

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Frac

We hereby certify that we assisted John M Daugherty Deputy Surveyor, in Subdividing Fractional Township No. 12 North of the Base Line, Range No. 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian, State of Nebraska 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

40.11
79.8

Bennet J Yates } Chainmen
Frank Adams
John R. Gordon } Axemen
Sanford C Carpenter

Subscribed and sworn to by the above named persons before me, a Notary Public in and for the County of Lincoln Neb. in the State of Nebraska this 25th day of October 1871.

J. B. Park
Notary Public

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40.11

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Surveyors Office
Plattsmouth January 27th 1872

The foregoing field notes of the survey of the Sub-division lines of Township No 12. North Range No 53 West in the State of Nebraska Executed by John W Daugherty under joint contract No 42 dated May 20 1871 wherein John W. Daugherty & Dan S. Parmelee are joint contractors in the month of August 1871 having been critically examined the necessary corrections and explanations made the said field notes and the survey they described are hereby approved

E. E. Cunningham
Surveyor General.

T 13 N., R 53 W.

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Field Notes of the Subdivisions in Township 13 North Range 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian, in the State of Nebraska.

Surveyed by John M. Daugherty Deputy Surveyor

Commenced July 16th 1871
Concluded July 21st 1871

Names and duties of assistants, employed in subdividing Township 13 North Range 53 west of the 6th Principal Meridian; in the State of Nebraska

Bennet D. Yates
Frank Adams, } Chainmen

John R. Gordon
Sanford C. Carpenter } Axmen

To determine the Proper adjustment of my Compass, for subdividing this Township I commenced at the 3rd Standard Parallel, Corner to Township 13 North 4th & Ranges 52 & 53 West, and ran North on a blank line along the East Boundary of Sec 36

Va 15°, 16' East

40.05 To a Point 9 links West of the ¼ Sec Corner.

80.08 To a Point 16⅔ lks West of the Corner to Sections 35 & 36.

To retrace this Line or any Parallel thereto my Compass must be adjusted to a Variation of

15°, 3' East.

Township 13 north Range 53

North between Secs. 35 & 36
Va 15°, 3' East
38.00 Drain 5 lks wide descends S.E.:-
40.00 Set Lime stone 16x15x4 marked as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00 Set Charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as per instructions for corner to Sections 25.26.35 & 36

Land South 40 chs gently rolling
Land North 40 chs Broken
2" Rate.

West of the 6th Principal meridian

East on a Random Line between Sections 25 & 36
Va 15°, 3' East
40.00 Set Post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor
80.02 Intersect East boundary of Township at post corner to Sections 25 & 36, from which I ran West on a true line between Sections 25 & 36.
Va 15°, 3' East.
40.01 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sect. Cor.
80.02 The corner to Sec's 25.26.35.36

Land gently Rolling
2" Rate.

Township 13 north Range 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian

North between Sec's 25 & 26
Va 15°. 3'. East
40.00 Set charred Post in Mound of Earth with Pits as Per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor
80.00 Set charred Post in Mound of Earth with Pits as Per instructions for corner to Sec's. 23. 24. 25 & 26

Land gently Rolling 2nd Rate,

East on a Random line between Sections 24 & 25
Va 15°. 3' East
40.00 Set Post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.17 Intersect the East Boundary of the Township, 21 Links South of Post, Corner to Sec's. 24 & 25 from which I run South 89°. 51' West on a true line between Sections 24 & 25
Va 15°. 3' East
40.08 Set charred Post in Mound of Earth with Pits as Per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.17 The Corner to Sec's 23. 24. 25 & 26

Land gently Rolling 2nd Rate

Township 13 north Range 53

North between Sec's 23 & 24
W 15°, 3' East
40.00 Set charred Post in Mound of Earth with Pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
70.00 Drain 20. lks wide descend N. E
80.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as per instructions for corner to Sections 13, 14, 23 & 24

Land gently Rolling
2" Rate

West of the 6th Principal Meridian

East on a Random line between Sections 13 & 24
W 15°, 3' East.
10.00 Drain 20 lks wide descend N. E.
40.00 Set Stone for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor
80.00 Intersect the East Boundary of Township at corner to Sections 13 & 24 from which I run West on a true line between Sections 13 & 24
W 15°, 3' East.
40.00 Set Limestone 15 x 14 x 24 marked as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor
80.00 The corner to Sec's 13, 14, ~~24~~ 23 & 24 ~~& 25~~

Land gently Rolling
2" Rate.

Township 13 north Range 53

North between Sections 13 & 14
Va 15°, 3' East
40.00 Set chorred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as Per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
72.00 Drain 50 lks wide descends N.E.
80.00 Set chorred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as Per instructions for corner to Sections 11, 12, 13 & 14

Land Hilly. 2nd Rate.

West of the 6th Principal Meridian

East on a Random Line between Secs. 12 & 13
Va 15°, 3' East.
10.00 Drain 40 lks wide descends N.E.
40.00 Set Post in mound for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
57.00 Drain 60 lks wide descends N.E.
79.94 Intersect the East Boundary of Township at corner to Sec's 12 & 13. from which Draw West on a true line between Sec's 12 & 13.
Va 15°, 3' East
39.97 Set chorred Post in mound of Earth with Pits, as Per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.94 The Corner to Sec's. 11, 12, 13 & 14

Land Hilly & Rocky
3rd Rate.

Township 13 North Range 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian

North between Sections 11 & 12
Va 15°. 3' East
40.00 Set Limestone 14 x 14 x 4 marked as Per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
50.00 Drain 6 lks wide descends S. E
80.00 Set Limestone 15 x 15 x 4 marked as Per instructions for corner to Sections 1, 2, 11, & 12.

Land Hilly & Rocky 2nd Rate.

East on a Random line between Sections 1 & 12
Va 15°. 3' East.
40.00 Set Stone for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00 Intersect the East Boundary of Township 11 2/3 lks South of Post Corner to Sec's. 1 & 12 from which I run South 89° 55' West on a true line between Sections 1 & 12
Va 15°. 3' East.
40.00 Set Limestone 16 x 14 x 3 marked as Per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00 The corner to Sec's. 1, 2, 11 & 12.

Land gently Rolling 2nd Rate

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Township 13 north Range 53

North on a Random line between Sec's 1 & 2
Va 15°. 3'. East.
40.00 Set Post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.34 Intersect the north Boundary of Township 21 lks East of Post Corner to Secs. 1 & 2 from which I run South 0°. 9'. East on a true line between Sections 1 & 2.
Va 15°. 3'. East.
40.20 Set charred Post in mound of Earth. with Pits as Per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.20 The corner to Secs. 1. 2. 11 & 12

Land Level 2" Rate.

West of the 6" Principal Meridian

North between Sec's. 34 & 35
Va 15°. 3'. East.
40.00 Set Limestone 14 x 14 x 4 marked as Per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as Per instructions for corner to Sec's 26. 27. 34 & 35

Land Hilly and Rocky
3rd Rate

Township 13 north Range 53

East on a Random line between Sections 26 & 35
Va 15°. 3'. East

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

80.10 Intersect the N. & S. Line, 12 lks South at Post corner to Sec's. 25. 26. 35 & 36 from which I ran South 89°55' West, on a true line between Sec's, 26 & 35 ~~on a true line, betw~~
Va. 15°. 3'. East

40.05 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as Per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.10 The corner to Sec's. 26, 27, 34 & 35

Land gently Rolling 2" Rate.

West of the 6" Principal Meridian

North between Sec's 26 & 27
Va 15°. 3'. East

40.00. Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as Per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as Per instructions for corner to Sec's. 22. 23. 26 & 27.

Land gently Rolling
2" Rate.

Township 13 north Range 53

East on a Random line between Sections 23 & 26.

Va. 15°. 3'. East.

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

80.00 Intersect. N. & S. line 16 Lks South at Post Corner to Sec's. 23. 24. 25 & 26 from which I saw West on a true line, between Sections 23 & 26.

Va 15°. 3'. East.

40.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as Per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 The corner to Sec's. 22. 23. 26 & 27

Land gently Rolling
2nd Rate

West of the 6th Principal Meridian

North between Sections 22 & 23

Va. 15°. 3'. East

40.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as Per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as Per instructions for corner to Sections. 14. 15. 22. & 23.

Land gently Rolling
2nd Rate.

Township 13 north. Range 53

East on a Random line between Sections 14 & 23
Va 15°. 3'. East.

40.00 Set charred Post for temporary 1/4 Sec, Cor.

80.09 Intersect N & S. Line 5 lks north of Post corner to Sec's. 13. 14. 23 & 24 from which I ran north 89°58 West on a true, line between Sections 14 & 23
Va 15°. 3'. East.

40.04 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as Per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor

80.09 The corner to Sec's, 14. 15. 22 & 23

Land Rolling 2" Rate.

West of the 6" Principal Meridian

North between Sec's 14 & 15
Va 15°. 3' East.

40.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as Per instructions for 1/4 Sec, Cor.

80.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as Per instructions for corner to Sec's 10. 11. 14 & 15

Land Rolling 2" Rate.

Township 13 north Range 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian

East on a Random line between Sec's. 11 & 14
Va 15°. 3' East.
40.00 Set Post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.95 Intersect N. & S. Line 7 links South of Stone Corner to Sec's, 11, 12, 13 & 14. from which Draw South 89° 57' West on a true line between Sections 11 & 14
Va 15°. 3' East
39.97 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as Per. instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.95 The corner to Sec's 10, 11, 14 & 15

Land gently Rolling
2nd Rate

North between Sec's. 10 & 11
Va 15°. 3'. East
35.00 Drain 50 lks wide descends E.
40.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits for 1/4 Sec. Cor as Per instructions.
80.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits, as Per instructions, for corner to Sec's 2, 3, 10 & 11

Land Rolling. 2nd Rate.

July 17th 1871

Township 13 North Range 53

East on a Random line between Sec's. 2 & 11

Va 15°. 3' East,

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

80.00 Intersect. N & S. Line 18 chs South of Post corner to Sec's. 1. 2. 11 & 12 from which I run South 89°52' West on a true line between Sec's. 2 & 11

Va 15°. 3' East,

40.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth, with Pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 The corner to Sec's. 2. 3. 10 & 11

Land Rolling 2° Rate

West of the 6th Principal Meridian

North on a Random line between Sec's. 2 & 3

Va 15°. 3'. East,

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

80.19 Intersect. North Boundary of Township, 7 chs West of Post corner to Sec's 2 & 3. from which I run South 3° West on a true line between Sec's 2 & 3.

Va 15°. 3' East,

40.19 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.19 The corner to Sec's. 2. 3. 10 & 11

Land Rolling. 2° Rate

Township 13 North Range 53

North between Sec's. 33 & 34
Va 15°. 3' East.

40.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as per instructions for corner to Sec's. 27. 28 33. & 34.

Land Hilly. 2nd Rate

West of the 6th Principal Meridian

East on a Random line between Sec's. 27 & 34.
Va 15°. 3'. East.

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

80.00 Intersect N. & S. line at Post Corner to Sec's. 26. 27, 34 & 35 from which I run west on a true line between Sec's 27 & 34.
Va 15° 3'. East

40.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 The corner to Sec's. 27. 28. 33 & 34

Land gently Rolling 2° Rate

Township 13 North. Range 53

North between Sec's. 27 & 28
Va 15°. 3'. East

40.00 Set charred post in mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Sec's. 21. 22. 27 & 28.

Land Rolling 2" Rate

West of the 6" Principal Meridian

East on a Random line between Sec's. 22 & 27.
Va 15°. 3'. East

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

79.89. Intersect the N. & S. Line 28 lks. North of post. Corner to Sec's 22. 23. ~~27 & 28~~ 26 & 27 from which I ran North 89° 48' west on a true line between Sec's. 22 & 27.
Va. 15°. 3'. East.

39.94 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with pits as per instructions, for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

79.89 The corner to Sec's. 21. 22. 27 & 28

Land Rolling 2" Rate

Township 13 north Range 53

North between Secs. 21 & 22
Va 15°. 3'. East.

40.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as per instructions for corner to Sec's. 15. 16. 21. & 22.

Land Rolling 2" Rate

West of the 6th Principal meridian

East on a Random line between Secs. 15 & 22
Va 15°. 3' East.

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

79.92 Intersect N. & S. Line 4 1/3 lks South of Post corner to Sec's. 14. 15. 22 & 23 from which Draw South 89° 58' West on a true line between Sec's 15 & 22.
Va 15°. 3'. East.

39.96 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4. Sec Cor.

79.92 The corner to Sec's. 15. 16. 21 & 22.

Land Rolling. 2" Rate.

Township 13 north Range 53

North between Sec's. 15 & 16
Va 15°. 3'. East.

40.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth, with pits as per instructions, for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Sec's 9. 10. 15. & 16.

Land gently Rolling
2" Rate.

West of the 6" Principal Meridian

East on a Random line between Sec's. 10 & 15.
Va 15°. 3'. East.

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

80.06 Intersect the N & S. line 14 lks north of Corner to Sec's 10. 11. 14 & 15 from which I run north 89°. 54' west on a true line between Sec's. 10 & 15.
Va 15°. 3'. East.

40.03 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.06 The corner to Sec's. 9. 10. 15 & 16

Land Rolling 2" Rate.

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Township 13 north Range 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian

North between Sec's. 9 & 10
Va 15°. 3' East.

40.00 Set Charred Post in mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.

80.00 Set charred post in mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Sec's. 3. 4. 9. & 10.

Land Rolling 2" Rate

East on a random line between Sections 3 & 10.
Va 15°. 3'. East.

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

80.00 Intersect N. & S. Line. 20 lks S of Post corner to Secs. 2. 3. 10 & 11 from which Draw South 89° 57' West on a true line between Sec's. 3 & 10.
Va 15° 3' East.

40.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with pits as per instructions, for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 The Corner to Secs. 3. 4. 9. & 10.

Land Rolling 2" Rate

Township 13 north Range 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian

North on a Random line
between Sec's. 3 & 4
Va 15°. 3'. East.

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

80.27 Intersect the North Boundary of Township. 11 1/3 lks west of Post corner to Sec's 3 & 4 from which I run South 8.5' west on a true line between Sec's. 3 & 4.
Va 15°. 3' East.

40.27 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits for 1/4 Sec corner, as per instructions.

84.27. The Corner to Sec's 3. 4. 9 & 10

Land Rolling 2nd Rate

North between Sec's 32 & 33
Va 15°. 3'. East

15.00 Drain 90 lks wide descends East.

40.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as per. instructions for corner to Sec's. 28. 29. 32. & 33

Land Hilly & Rocky 2nd Rate.

Township 13 North Range 53

East on a random line between Secs. 28. & 33.

Va 15°. 3'. East.

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

80.00 Intersect N. & S. line, 7 lks. north of Post corner to Secs. ~~28. 29.~~ 27. 28. 33. 34 from which I ran ~~South~~ North 89°.57' west on a true line between Secs 28 & 33.

Va 15°. 3'. East.

40.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.

80.00 The corner to Secs. 28. 29. 32 & 33

Land Hilly & Rocky 2" Rate.

West of the 6" Principal Meridian

North between Secs. 28 & 29.

Va 15°. 3'. East.

40.00 Set. charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. cor,

80.00 Set charred post in mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Secs. 20. 21. 28 & 29.

Land gently Rolling 2nd Rate.

Township 1.3. North Range 53

East on a Random line between Sec's. 21 & 28

Va 15°. 3'. East.

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

80.00 Intersect N. & S. Line at Post corner to Sec's. 21. 22. 27. & 28 from which I raw west on a true line between Sec's. 21 & 28.

Va 15°. 3'. East.

40.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 The corner to Sec's. 20. 21. 28 & 29

Land gently Rolling 2" Rate

West of the 6" Principal Meridian

North between Sec's. 20 & 21

Va 15°. 3'. East.

40.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. cor.

80.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Sec's. 16. 17. 20 & 21.

Land gently Rolling 2" Rate.

Township 13. North Range 53

East on a Random line between
Sections. 16 & 21
N 15°. 3'. East.
40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.10 Intersect. N & S. Line 7 lks north
of Post corner to Secs. 15.16.21. & 22
from which Draw north. 89.°57'
west on a true line between
Secs. 16 & 21.
N. 15°. 3'. East.
40.05 Set charred post in mound
of Earth with pits as per in-
structions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00 The Corner to Secs. 16.17. 20 & 21.

Land gently Rolling 2nd Rate

West of the 6th Principal Meridian

North between Sec's. 16 & 17.
N 15°. 3'. East.
40.00 Set charred Post in mound
of Earth with pits as per in
Structions. for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00 Set charred Post in mound
of Earth with pits as per
instructions for corner to Sec's
8. 9. 16 & 17.

Land gently Rolling
2nd Rate

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Township 13 north Range 53

East on a Random line between Sec's. 9 & 16
N. 15°. 3'. East.

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

80.00 Intersect N. & S. Line. at post corner to Sec's. 9.10. 15 & 16. from which I raw west on a true line between Sec's. 9 & 16.
N. 15°. 3'. East.

40.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. cor.

80.00 The corner to Sec's. 8.9. 16 & 17

Land Rolling. 2nd Rate.

West of the 6th Principal meridian

North between Sec's. 8 & 9
N. 15°. 3'. East

40.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as per instructions. for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set charred Post in mound of earth with Pits as per instructions for corner to Sec's 4.5. 8. & 9.

Land gently Rolling
2nd Rate.

Township 13 North Range 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian

East on a Random line between Sec's. 4 & 9.
Va 15°. 3'. East.

40.00 Set charred Post for temporary 1/4 Sec cor.

80.19 Intersect N & S. Line 10.46 South at Post Corner to Sec's. 3.4.9 & 10. from which I ran South 89° 57' West on a true line. between Sec's. 4. & 9.
Va. 15°. 3'. East.

40.09 Set charred Post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions. for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.19 The corner to Sec's. 4.5.8 & 9.

Land Rolling. 2nd Rate.

North on a Random line between Sec's. 4 & 5.
Va. 15°. 3'. East.

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

53.00. Dry creek. descends. N. E.

80.25 Intersect. North Boundary of Township, at Post corner to Sec's. 4 & 5. from which I ran South, on a true line between Sec's. 4 & 5.
Va 15°. 3'. East.

40.25 Set Charred Post in mound of Earth. with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.25. The corner to Sec's. 4.5.8.& 9.

Land Rolling. 2nd Rate

Township 13. North Range 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian

North between Sec's 31 & 32
Va 15°. 3'. East,

40.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth, with Pits as per instructions. for 1/4 Sec. corner.

80.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with Pits as per instructions. for corner to Sec's. 29. 30 31 & 32,

Land Rolling. 2" Rate.

East on a Random line between Sections. 29 & 32
Va 15°. 3' East

40.00 Set Post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor,

80.06 Intersect N. & S. Line at Post, Corner to Sec's. 28. 29. 32 & 33. from which Draw West on a true line between Sec's, 29 & 32
Va 15°. 3' East,

40.03 Set charred Post in mound of earth with Pits as per instructions. for 1/4 Sec. Cor,

80.06 The corner to Sec's. 29. 30. 31 & 32,

Land Rolling 2" Rate.

Township 13 north Range 53

West on a random line between Sec's. 30 & 31.
Va 15°. 3'. East.

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

80.08 Intersect the West Boundary of Township, 71 lks South of Post corner to Sec's. 30 & 31, from which I run South 89°.51 East on a true line between Sec's. 30 & 31.
Va 15°. 3'. East.

40.08 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. cor.

80.08 The corner to Sec's. 29. 30. 31. 32

Land Rolling 2nd Rate.

West of the 6th Principal Meridian

North between Sec's 29 & 30.
Va 15°. 3'. East.

40.00 Set charred Post in mound of earth. with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Sec's. 19. 20. 29. 30.

Land Rolling 2nd Rate.

Township 13 North Range 53

East on a Random line between Sec's. 20 & 29.
Va 15°. 3'. East.

40.00 Set Post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor
80.00 Intersect N. & S. line 11 3/13 lks South of Post corner to Sec's. 20, 21, 28 & 29. from which I run South. 89°. 55' west. on a true line between Sec's. 20. & 29
Va 15°. 3'. East.

40.00. Set charred Post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions, for 1/4 Sec. cor.
80.00 The corner to Sec's. 19, 20, 29 & 30

Land Rolling. 2" Rate.

West of the 6" Principal Meridian

West on a Random line between Sec's. 19 & 30.
Va 15°. 3'. East.

40.00 Set Post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.95 Intersect West Boundary of Township. 19 lks south of Corner to Sec's 19 & 30. from which I run South 89°. 52' East on a true line between Sec's. 19 & 30
Va 15°. 3'. East.

39.95 Set charred Post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions, for 1/4 Sec. cor.
79.95 The corner to Sec's. 19. 20. 29. 30.

Land Rolling. 2" Rate.

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Township 13 north, Range 53

North between Sec's. 19 & 20
N 15°. 3'. East.

40.00 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions, for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Sections 17. 18. 19. & 20.

Land Rolling, 2' Rate.

West of the 6th Principal Meridian

East on a random line between Sec's. 17 & 20.
N 15°. 3'. East.

40.00 Set Post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.

80.12 Intersect the N. & S. Line 21 lks South of Post corner to Secs. 16. 17. 20 & 21. from which I run South 89° 57' west on a true line between Sec's. 17 & 20.
N 15°. 3' East.

40.06 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.12 The Corner to Sec's. 17. 18. 19. 20

Land Rolling 2" Rate.

Township 13 North Range 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian

West on a Random line between Sections. 18 & 19.

Va. 15°. 3'. East.

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

79.80 Intersect the west Boundary of Township. 23 1/2 lks South of Corner to Secs 18 & 19. from which Draw South. 89°. 50' East. on a true line between Secs. 18. & 19.

Va 15°. 3'. East.

39.80 Set charred Post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

79.80 The corner to Secs. 17. 18. 19. & 20

Land gently Rolling 2nd Rate.

North between Secs. 17. & 18

Va 15°. 3'. East.

40.00 Set charred Post for ~~temporary~~ 1/4 Sec. Cor. in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

80.00 Set charred Post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Secs. 7. 8. 17 & 18.

Land Rolling 2nd Rate.

Township 13 North Range 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian

East on a Random line between Sec's. 8 & 17.
Va 15°. 3'. East.
40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00 Intersect N. & S line, 9 1/3 lks. N of Post corner to Sec's. 8.9.16 & 17 from which I ran North 89°. 56' West on a true line between Sec's. 8 & 17.
Va 15°. 3'. East
40.00 Set charred Post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00 The corner to Sec's. 7.8.17 & 18

Land gently Rolling
2nd Rate

West on a Random line between Sec's. 7 & 18.
Va 15°. 3'. East.
40.00 Set Post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
79.78 Intersect the West Boundary of Township, 21 lks south of Post corner to Sec's. 7 & 18. from which I ran South 89°. 51 East on a true line between Sec's 7 & 18.
Va 15°. 3' East
39.78 Set charred Post in mound of Earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. cor.
79.78 The corner to Sec's. 7.8.17 & 18.

Land gently Rolling
2nd Rate

Township 13 North Range 58

North between Sec's 7. & 8
(Va 15°. 3'. East.
40.00 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for corner to Sec's 5. 6. 7. & 8.

Land gently Rolling
2nd Rate.

West of the 6th principal meridian

East on a Random line between Sec's. 5 & 8.
(Va 15°. 3'. East
40.00 Set Post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00 Intersect N & S. Line at Post corner to Sec's. 4.5.8.9. from which I run west on a true line between Sec's. 5 & 8.
(Va 15°. 3'. East
40.00 Set charred Post in mound of earth with Pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00 The corner to Sec's, 5. 6. 7. & 8

Land Rolling 2nd Rate

Township 13 north Range 33

West on a Random line between Sec's. 6 & 7.

Va 15°. 3' East.

40.00 Set Post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.

52.00 Dry creek descends N.E.

79.58 Intersect West Boundary of Township. 28 lks South of corner to Sec's 6 & 7. from which Draw South 89°48' East on a true line. between Sec's 6 & 7.

Va 15°. 3' East

39.58 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor.

79.58 The corner to Secs. 5.6.7 & 8.

Land gently Rolling 2nd Rate

West of the 6th Principal Meridian

North on a Random line between Sec's. 5 & 6.

Va 15°. 3'. East.

9.50 Dry creek Descends E.

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

80.24 Intersect the north Boundary of Township. 12 lks east of the corner to Sec's. 5 & 6. from which Draw South 89°. 5' East on a true line between Sec's. 5 & 6.

Va 15°. 3'. East

40.24 Set charred post in mound of earth with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.

80.24 The corner to Secs. 5.6.7.& 8

Land gently Rolling 2nd Rate

July 21st 1871

General Description

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A list of the names of the individuals employed to assist in running, measuring or marking the lines and corners, described in the foregoing field notes of Township 18 north Range 53 west of the 6th Principal Meridian, Showing the respective capacities in which they acted

Bennet T. Yates
Frank Adams } Chainmen

John R. Gordon
Sanford C. Carpenter } Axemen

General Description

The land in this Township is nearly all 2nd rate, is high and rolling prairie, covered with a good growth of grass, and well adapted for grazing.

There is no water in this Township.

We hereby certify that we assisted John M. Daugherty, Deputy Surveyor, in Surveying and Subdividing, Township No 13 north Range No 53 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 the boundary monuments planted according to the instructions furnished by the Surveyor General

Bennet T Yates
Frank Adams } Chainmen
John R Gordon
Sanford C Carpenter } Axemen

Subscribed & sworn to by the above named persons before me a Justice of the Peace for the County of Cheyenne in the State of Nebraska this 27th day of July A D 1871

Thos Kane
Justice of the Peace

I John W. Daugherty, Deputy Surveyor, do solemnly swear that in pursuance of a Contract with E. E. Cunningham, Surveyor of the Public Lands of the United States in the State of Nebraska, bearing date the 20th day of May 1871, and in strict conformity to the laws of the United States and the instructions furnished by said Surveyor General, I have faithfully surveyed the Subdivision lines of Township 13 north Range 53 west of the 6th Principal Meridian in the State aforesaid, and do further solemnly swear that the foregoing are the true and original field notes of said Survey. John W. Daugherty

Deputy Surveyor

Subscribed to by said John W. Daugherty Deputy Surveyor and Sworn to before me a Justice of the Peace for Cheyenne County and State of Nebraska this 27th day of July AD 1871

Thos Kane
Justice of the Peace

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joint Contract
United States
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I John W. Daugherty, Deputy Surveyor.
do solemnly swear that in pursuance
of a joint Contract wherein, John W.
Daugherty, and Dan. S. Parmales, are
joint Contractors with E. E. Cunningham
United States Surveyor General, for
the District of Iowa and Nebraska
bearing date the 20th day of May 1871.
I have well, faithfully, and truly,
in my own proper person, and in
strict conformity with the instructions
furnished by the Surveyor General
the Surveying Manual, and the laws
of the United States, surveyed the
Subdivision lines, of Township No.
13. north of the Base line, Range No
53 west of the 6th Principal Meridian
in the State of Nebraska, as are
represented in the foregoing field
notes, as having been surveyed under

my directions; and I do further solemnly swear that all the corners of said surveys have been established and perpetuated in strict conformity with the surveying manual, and printed instructions and that the foregoing are the true and original field notes of such survey. John H. Daugherty
Deputy Surveyor

Subscribed by the said John H Daugherty Dept Surveyor and Sworn to before me a Justice of the Peace for the County of Cheyenne and State of Nebraska this 23rd day of August A D 1871
Thos Lane
Justice of the Peace

Surveyor General's Office
Plattsmouth Sept 1871

The foregoing field Notes of the Survey and Subdivision of Township No 13 North of the Base line & Range No 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian in the State of Nebraska Executed by John N. Daugherty under Joint Contract No 12. wherein John N. Daugherty and Sam. S. Parmelee are Joint Contractors Dated May 20th a.D. 1871 (in the Month of July a.D. 1871.) having been critically Examined the Necessary Corrections and Explanations made the said field Notes and the Surveys they Describe are hereby approved

S. E. Cunningham
Surveyor General

Field Notes

of the
Subdivision Lines of ~~the~~ Township 14 North of the Base Line and Range No. 53. West. of the 6th principal Meridian
in the
State of Nebraska

Executed by Charles Wimpf under Contract No. 28, bearing date July 10. 1869.

Commenced ~~Septr~~ Octr 19. 1869
Completed ~~Septr~~ Octr 25. 1869.

Names & duties of Asst.

John Barr } Chainmen
John Donohue }
A. Schwarzberg Marker

T 14 N., R 53 W.

6	62	5	46	4	35	3	24	2	13	1
61		60		45		34		23		12
7	59	8	44	9	33	10	22	11	11	12
58		57		43		32		21		10
18	56	17	42	16	31	15	20	14	9	13
55		54		41		30		19		8
19	53	20	40	21	29	22	18	23	7	24
52		51		39		28		17		6
30	50	29	38	28	27	27	16	26	5	25
49		48		37		26		15		4
31	47	32	36	33	25	34	14	35	3	36

To determine the proper Adjustment of my Compass for Sub-dividing this Township. I Commenced at the S.E. Cor ~~of this Township between~~ Townships 13 and 14 and ran between Ranges 52 and 53 W. North on a blank line along the East boundary line of Sect. 36.

I found the Variation to be 15° 10' E

40.00 To quarter Sec. Cor

80.00 To Cor. of Sect.s 25 ~~and~~ 36, 30 & 31

Township 14. N. Range 53 W

From the Cor. to Secs 1. 2. 35. and 36. on the South Boundary of the Township. I run North. between Secs 35 and 36.

Var 15° 10' 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 25. 26. 35 and 36.

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Rang 53. W

East. on a random line between Secs 25 and 36.

Var 15° 10' E

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

80.16 16 Intersect East Boundary line of Township. 14 links North of Cor. to Secs 25 and 36. from which Corner I run N. 89° 54'

West. on a true line between Secs 25 and 36.

Var 15° 10' E

40.08 Set post. deposit Charred Stake. raise mound of earth. with pits. as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor

80.16 The Cor. to Secs 25. 26. 35 and 36

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

North. ~~on a true line~~
between. Secs 25 and 26.
Var 15° 10' E

40.00 Desired ~~In~~ bluffs 2 with bottom, bears S.E. Set post. deposit
charred Stake. raise
mound. with pits. as per
instructions for 1/4 sec. Cor

74.00 Bed of dry creek. bears E and W.

80.00 ~~On North edge~~ At foot of bluffs. bearing E & W
Set post. deposit charred
Stake. raise mound of
earth. with pits. as per
instructions for Cor
to Secs 23. 24. 25 and 26.

Land South 40 cha. rolling
Soil 3rd rate
North 40 cha.
Soil 2nd rate

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

East. on a random line
between Secs 24 and 25
Var 15° 10' E

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

80.00 Intersect East Boundary of
Township. 6 links North of
Cor to Secs 24 and 25. from
which Cor. I run North
89° 57'
West. on a true line between
Secs 24 and 25.
Var 15° 10' 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 and 26

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

North. ~~on a true line~~
between Secs 23 and 24
Var 15° 10' E.

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

80.00 Planted lime Stone. with
notches. as per instructions
for Cor. to Secs 13. 14. 23. and 24.

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W.

East on a random line
between Secs 13 and 24
Var 15° 10' E

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

80.00 Intersect East Boundary of
Township. at Cor. to Secs
13 and 24. from which Cor.
Iron
West. on a true line between
Secs 13 and 24.
Var 15° 10' 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 13. 14. 23 and 24.

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W.

North. on a true line between Secs 13 and 14.
Var 15° 10' 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 and 14.

Land rolling
Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

East. on a random line between Secs 12 and 13.
Var 15° 10' E

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor

79.90 Intersect East Boundary of Township. 10 links South of Cor to Secs 12 and 13 from which Cor. I run South 89° 56'
West. on a true line between Secs 12 and 13.
Var 15° 10' 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 and 14.

Land rolling
Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

North on a true line
between Secs 11 and 12
Var 15° 10' E

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

80.00 Set post. deposit charred
Stake. raise mound of
earth. with pits. as per
instruction for Cor to
Secs 1. 2. 11 and 12.

Land rolling
Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

East on a random line
between Secs 1 and 12.
Var 15° 10' E

40.00 Set post for temporary
1/4 Sec. Cor

79.86. Intersect East Boundary
of Township. 6 chs North
of Cor to Secs 1 and 12, from
which Cor. I run North
89° 57'
West on a true line between
Secs 1 and 12
Var 15° 10' E

39.93 Set post. deposit charred
Stake. raise mound of
earth. with pits. as per
instruction for 1/4 Sec. Cor

79.86 The cor to Secs 1. 2. 11 and 12

Land rolling
Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

North. on a random line between Secs 1 and 2
Var 15° 10' E

15.00 Enter bottom ~~bluffs~~ bars E and W
~~20.00 leave bluffs.~~
40.00 Set post. for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor
50.00 Wagon Road bars E and W
58.00 U. P. Rail Road bars E and W
80.00 Intersect North Boundary of Township 19 links east of Cor to Secs 1 and 2. from which Cor. I run South ~~00° 07'~~ East on a true line between Secs 1 and 2
Var 15° 10' 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 1. 2. 11 and 12.

Land rolling
Soil 3rd rate

Township 14. N. Range 53 W.

North. ~~on a true line~~ between Secs 34 and 35.
Var 15° 10' 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

Land rolling
Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

East. on a random line between Secs 26 and 35
Var 15° 14' E

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

~~90.06~~ 80.06 Intersect North and South line 10 links North of Cor to Secs 25, 26, ~~27, 34 and~~ 35 & 36 from which Cor I run North 89°56'

West on a true line between Secs 26 and 35.
Var 15° ~~10~~ 14' E

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

80.06 The Cor to Secs 26. 27. 34 and 35.

Land rolling

Sail 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

North. ~~on a true line~~ between Secs 26 and 27
Var 15° 10' E

35.00 Enter ~~bluffs~~ bottom bears E and W

40.00 Planted lime Stone with notches as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor

50.00 Bed of dry Creek bears E and W

58.00 Enter bluffs & leave bottom bears N W and S E.

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.

Land hilly

Sail 3rd rate.

Township 14 N. Range 53. W

East on a random line between Secs 23 and 26
Var 15° 10' E

40.00 Enter ~~Bluffs~~ bottom bearing N.E. Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor

50.00 bottom bearing S.E.

79.84. Intersect North and South line at Cor to Secs 23, 24, 25 and 26. from which Cor I run

West on a true line between Secs 23 and 26.
Var 15° 10' E

39.92 planted line Stone. with notches. as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor

79.84. The cor to Secs 22, 23, 26 and 27

Land hilly

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14 N. Range 53. W

North on a true line between Secs 22 and 23
Var 15° 10' 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 14, 15, 22 and 23.

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

East. on a random line
between Secs 14 and 23.
Var 15° 10' E

40.00 Set post for temporary
1/4 Sec Cor.

80.24 Intersect North and South
line 6. links North of Cor
to Secs 13 and 14. 23 and 24
from which Cor. I run
North 89° 58'
West on a true line
between Secs 14 and 23
Var 15° 10' E

40.12 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 14. 15. 22 and 23.

Land rolling
Soil 3rd rate.

North. ~~on a true line~~
between Secs 14 and 15
Var 15° 10' 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
10. 11. 14 and 15

Land rolling
Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14 N. Range 53 W

East on a random line between Secs 11 and 14
Var 15° 10' E

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.

80.16 Intersect North and South line 10 links North of Cor to Secs 11.12.13 and 14 from which Cor. I run North 89° 56'

West on a true line between Secs 11 and 14
Var 15° 10' E

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

80.16 The Cor to Secs 10.11.14 and 15

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14 N. Range 53 W

North. ~~on a true line~~ between Secs 10 and 11.
Var 15° 10' E

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

80.00 Set. pgsh. deposit charred Stake. raise mound of earth. with pits. as per instructions for Cor to Secs 2.3.10 and 11.

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

East. on a random line between Secs 2 and 11.
Var 15° 10' E

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor

79.92 Intersect North and South line 8. links North of Cor to Secs 1 and 2. 11 and 12 from which Cor I run North 89° 57'
West. on a true line between Secs 2 and 11
Var 15° 10' E

39.96 Set post. deposit 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

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

North. on a random line between Secs 2 and 3.
Var 15° 10' E

~~8~~8.00 Enter ~~bluffs~~ bottom bears E and W

~~25.00 Leave bluffs~~

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor

70.00 Wagon Road bears E and W

80.00 Intersect North Boundary of Township 6 links East of Cor to Secs 2 and 3. from which Cor I run
South. ~~00° 03~~ East. on a true line between Secs 2 and 3.
Var 15° 10' 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 and 11

Land hilly & rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

North. on a true line
between Secs 33 and 34
Var 15° 10' 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 and 34.

Land bottom

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

East. on a random line
between Secs 27 and 34
Var 15° 10' E

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4
Sec. Cor

80.24 Intersect North and South
line 10 chs North of Cor
to Secs 26. 27. 34 and 35 -
from which Cor. I run North
89° 56'
West. on a true line between
Secs 27 and 34
Var 15° 10' E

40.12 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 27. 28. 33 and 34.

Land bottom

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

North. ~~on a true line~~
between Secs 27 and 28
Var 15° 10' E

30.00 Enter bottom ~~bluffs~~ bears E and W
40.00 Set past. deposit Charred
Stake. raise mound of
earth. with pits. as per
instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor
72.00 Bottom of dry creek bears E + W
80.00 Set past. deposit Charred
Stake. raise mound of
earth. with pits. as per
instructions for Cor. to
Secs 21. 22. 27 and 28.

Land rolling

Soil 2. rate North 40 Chs
" 3 rate South 40. Chs

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

East. on a random line
between Secs 22 and 27
Var 15° 11' E

25.00 Bottom. dry creek bears 10 N and S
40.00 Set past for temporary 1/4
Sec. Cor. in Bottom dry creek
descends ~~N W and~~ S E & leave bottom br. S.E.
80.10 Intersect North and South
line 16 links South of Cor.
to Secs 22. 23. 26 and 27.
from which Cor I run
South 89° 53'
West. on a true line between
Secs 22 and 27 var. 15° 10' E.
40.05 Planted lime Stone. with
Notches. as per instructions
for 1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.10 The Cor to Secs 21. 22. 27 and 28

Land hilly

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14 N. Range 53 W

North. on a true line
between Secs 21 and 22.
Var 15° 10' E

18.00 Enter bluffs, [illegible] E and W + leave bottom
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 and 22

Land hilly

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

East. on a random line
between Secs 15 and 22
Var 15° 10' E

40.00 Set post for temporary
1/4 Sec. Cor.
80.00 Intersect North and South
line 14 links South of Cor
to Secs 14, 15. 22 and 23
from which Cor I run
South 89° 54'
West. on a true line between
Secs 15 and 22
Var 15° 10' 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 15. 16. 21 and 22.

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

North. on a true line
between Secs 15 and 16
Var 15° 10' 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 9. 10. 15 and 16

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

East. on a random line
between Secs 10 and 15
Var 15° 10' E

40.00 Set post for temporary
1/4 Sec. Cor

80.04 Intersect North and South
line 6. links South of Cor
to Secs 10. 11. 14 and 15. from
which Cor. I run South
89.5 ~~89~~

West. on a true line
between Secs 10 and 15
Var 15° 10' E

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

80.04 Corner to Secs 9, 10, 15 and 16

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14 N. Range 53. W

North on a true line
between Secs 9 and 10
Var 15° 10' 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 3. 4. 9 and 10.

Land rolling
Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14 N. Range 53. W

East on random line
between Secs 3 and 10
Var 15° 10' E
40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4
Sec. Cor
79.90 Intersect North and South
line 7 links North of Cor
to Secs 2. 3. 10 and 11. from
which Cor. Drum North
89° 57'
West on a true line between
Secs 3 and 10
Var 15° 10' 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 3. 4. 9 and 10.

Land rolling
Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14 N. Range 53. W

North on a random line between Secs 3 and 4
Var 15° 10' E

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor

48.00 Enter ~~bluffs~~ bottom lands E and W

~~54.00 Leave bluffs~~

60.00 Intersect North Boundary of Township 7 miles West of Cor to Secs 3 and 4 from which Cor I run South on a true line between Secs 3 and 4
Var 15° 10' 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 3. 4. 9 and 10

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14 N. Range 53. W

North ~~on a true line~~ between Secs 32 and 33.
Var 15° 10' 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 and 33.

on South edge of bluffs bear. S 8 W.

Land Broken

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

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

Var 15°10' E

10.00 Bottom of dry Creek. ~~NW~~ dreams SE

28.00 Bottom of dry creek dreams NE ~~and SW~~

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

79.80 Intersect North and South line 8.8 links South of Cor to Secs 27. 28. 33 and 34. from which Cor I run South 89° 5~~6~~1

80

West. on a true line between Secs 28 and 33

Var 15°10' 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 28. 29. 32 and 33.

Land broken + hilly

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

~~North. on a true line~~ between Secs 28 and 29

Var 15°10' E

~~8~~8.00 Bottom of dry creek. dreams E ~~and W~~ with bluffs on each side

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

72.00 Enter ~~bluffs~~ bottom heard E and W

80.00 Set post. deposit charred Stake. raise mound of earth with pits. as per instructions for Cor. to Secs 20. 21. 28 and 29.

Land hilly

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

East. on a random line between Secs 21 and 28
Var 15° 10' E

40.00 Set post. for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor in bottom of Dry creek. dreams S. E.

79.80 Intersect North and South line. at Cor for Secs 21. 22. 27. and 28. from which Cor. I run
West. on a true line between Secs 21 and 28
Var 15° 10' 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 and 29

Land hilly

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

North. ~~on a true line~~ between Secs 20 and 21
Var 15° 10' E

35.00 Bottom of dry creek. dreams E ~~and W~~

40.00 ~~In bluffs.~~ Set post. deposit charred Stake. raise. mound of earth. with pits. as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor. & leave bottom bears E.

80.00 Set post. deposit charred Stake. raise mound of earth. with pits. as per instructions. for Cor to Secs 16. 17. 20 and 21

Land South 40 chains
Bottom
Soil 2 rate
North 40 ch. rolling
Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

East. on a random line
between Secs 16 and 21
Var 15° 10' E

40.00 Set post for temporary
1/4 Sec. Cor

79.90 Intersect North and South
line 6 links North of
Cor to Secs 15, 16, 21 and 22
from which Cor I run
North 89° 57'
West. on a true line
between Secs 16 and 21
Var 15° 10' 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 16, 17, 20 and 21

Land gently rolling
Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

North. on a true line
between Secs 16 and 17
Var 15° 10' 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 8, 9, 16 and 17

Land gently rolling
Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

East. on a random line between Secs 9 and 16
Var 15° 10' E

40.10 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor
79.96 Intersect North and South line & links North of Cor to Secs 9, 10, 15 and 16. from which Cor. I run North 89° 57'

West. on a true line between Secs 9 and 16
Var 15° 10' E

39.98 Set post. deposit charred Stake. raise mound of earth. with pits. as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor
79.96 The Cor to Secs 8, 9, 16 and 17

Land gently rolling
Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

North. on a true line between Secs 8 and 9
Var 15° 10' E

40.00 Set post. deposit charred Stake. raised mound of earth. with pits. as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor
80.00 Set post. deposit charred Stake. raise mound of earth with pits. as per instructions for Cor to Secs 4, 5, 8, and 9

Land gently rolling
Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14 N. Range 53. W

East on a random line between Secs 4 and 9
Var 15° 10' E

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor

80.10 Intersect North and South line 10 links North of Cor to Secs 3, 4, 9 and 10. from which Cor. I run North 89.56'

West on a true line between Secs 4 and 9
Var 15° 10' E

40.05 Planted lime Stone with Notches as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor

80.10 The Cor to Secs 4, 5, 8 and 9

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14 N. Range 53. W

North on a random line between Secs 4 and 5
Var 15° 10' E

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

80.80 Intersect North Boundary line of Township. 5 links east of Cor to Secs 4 and 5 from which cor I run South 89° 42' East

South on a true line between Secs 4 and 5
Var 15° 10' E

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

80.80 Corner to Sec. 4, 5, 8 and 9

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

North on a true line
between Secs 31 and 32
Var 15° 10' 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 and 32

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

East on a true line
between Secs 29 and 32
Var 15° 10. E

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor

40.16 Intersect North and South line at Cor to Secs 28, 29. 32 and 33. from which I run

West on a true line
between Secs 29 and 32.
Var 15° 10' E

40.08 Set post. deposit charred stake. raise mound of earth with pits. as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor

80.16 The Cor to Secs 29. 30. 31 and 32

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14 N. Range 53 W

West on a random line between Secs 30 and 31
Var 15° 10' E

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor

80.00 Intersect West Boundary of Township 16 miles North of Cor to Secs 30 and 31, from which Cor. I run ~~South~~ N. 89° 53' East on a true line between Secs 30 and 31
Var 15° 10' 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 29, 30, 31, and 32.

Land rolling
Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14 N. Range 53 W

North on a true line between Secs 29 and 30.
Var 15° 10' E

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

80.00 In bluffs. Set post deposit charred stake raise mound of earth with pits, as per instructions for Cor to Secs 19, 20, 29, and 30.

Land rolling
Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14 N. Range 53. W

East. on a random line between Secs 20 and 29
Var 15° 10' E

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

80.00 Intersect North and South line at Cor to Secs 20. 21. 28 and 29. from which Cor. I run West. on a true line between Secs 20 and 29
Var 15° 10' E

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

80.00 The Cor to Secs 19. 20. 29. and 30

Land hilly on South bottom on North
Soil 2nd rate.

Township 14. N. Range 53. W

West. on random line between Secs 19 and 30
Var 15° 10' E

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

50.00 Enter bluffs. bearing N W and S E + leave bottom

80.00 Intersect West boundary of Township 10. links South of Cor to Secs 19 and 30 from which Cor. I run
~~North~~ 89° 56'

East. on a true line between Secs 19 and 30.
Var 15° 10' 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 19. 20. 29 and 30.

Land hilly
Soil 3rd rate.

North ~~on a true line~~
between Secs 19 and 20
Var 15° 10' E

25.00 Bottom of dry creek. Cr. ~~E and W~~
32.00 Bluffs. bearing E and W & leave bottom
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. and 20

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

East. on a random line. between Secs 17 and 20.
Var 15° 10' E

40.00 Set post. for temporary 1/4 Sec. Cor
80.06. Intersect North and South line 7 links South of Cor for Secs 16. 17. 20 and 21 from which Cor. I run South 89° 57'
West. on a true line between Secs 17 and 20
Var 15° 10' E

40.03 Set post. deposit charred stake. raise mound of earth. with pits. as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor
0.06 The Cor to Secs 17. 18. 19 and 20

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

West. on a ~~true~~ random line
between Secs 18 and 19
Var 15° 10' E

40.00 Set post for temporary
1/4 Sec. Cor

80.03 Intersect West boundary
of Township 8. links South
of Cor to Secs 18 and 19. from
which Cor I run ~~North~~ 89° 57'
East. on a true line
between Secs 18 and 19
Var 15° 10' E

40.03 Set post. deposit Charred
Stake. raise mound of
earth. with pits. as per
instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor

80.03 The Cor to Secs 17. 18. 19 and 20

Land rolling
Soil 3rd rate.

~~North on a true line~~
between Secs 17 and 18
Var 15° 10' 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 and 18.

Land rolling
Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14 N. Range 53. W

East on a true line between Secs 8 and 17
Var 15° 10' E

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

80.04 Intersect the North and South line 8. links South of Cor to Secs 8. 9. 16 and 17. from which Cor I run South 89° 57'

West on a true line between Secs 8 and 17
Var 15° 10' E

40.02 Set post. deposit charred stake. raise mound of earth with pits. as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor

80.04 The Cor to Secs 7. 8. 17 and 18

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14 N. Range 53. W

West on a random line between Secs 7 and 18
Var 15° 10' E

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

79.96 Intersect West boundary of Township 6. links North of Cor to Secs 7 and 18. from which Cor I run ~~South~~ N. 89° 57'

East on a true line between Secs 7 and 18
Var 15° 10' E.

39.96 Set post. deposit charred stake. raise mound of earth with pits. as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. Cor

79.96 The Cor to Secs 7. 8. 17 and 18

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14 N. Range 53. W

North on a true line between Secs 7 and 8.
Var 15° 10' 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~~ Secs 5. 6. 7 and 8.

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14 N. Range 53. W

East on random line between Secs 5 and 8.
Var 15° 10' E

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

80.10 Intersect North and South line 10 links South of Cor to Secs 4. 5. 8 and 9. from which Cor. I run South 89° 56'

West on a true line between Secs 5 and 8.
Var 15° 10' 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 5. 6. 7 and 8.

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14 N. Range 53. W

West. on a random line between Secs 6 and 7
Var 15° 10' E

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

79.80 Intersect West boundary of Township. 4 links North of Cor to Secs 6 and 7. from which Cor I run
~~South~~ N. 89° 58
East. on a true line between Secs 6 and 7.
Var 15° 10' E

39.80 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 5. 6. 7 and 8

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

Township 14 N. Range 53. W

North. on a random line. between Secs 5 and 6.
Var. 15° 10' E.

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

60.00 Enter bottom Bluffs. Leave E and W

80.00 Intersect North boundary of Township 6 links West of Cor to Secs 5 and 6. from which Cor I run.
South. on a true line between Secs 5 and 6.
Var 15° 10' E

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

80.06 The cor for Secs 5. 6. 7 and 8.

Land rolling

Soil 3rd rate.

General Description

The township is in its south half — sandy, dry land, the land towards the Northern boundary however is mostly gently rolling ~~land~~ and containing some sections good soil.

The Bottom in the North end along the U. P. R. R. is a little better and has deeper soil than the land in the Southern part of the township

We hereby certify that we assisted Charles Wimpf. U.S. Deputy Surveyor in Subdividing Township number fourteen North of Range number fifty three West of the Sixth 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

John Sarr
Jno Donahoe
A. Shwarzberg

Subscribed & sworn to before me on the 16th day of Nov. 1869
N. L. Chile Probate Judge
of Cass County Neb

I Charles Wimpf, Deputy Surveyor do solemnly swear that in pursuance of a Contract with R. R. Livingston, Surveyor General of the Public Lands in the State of Nebraska, bearing date the 10th day of July 1869, and in strict conformity to the laws of the U. States and the instructions furnished by the said Surveyor General, I have faithfully subdivided the Township number fourteen North of Range number fifty three West of the Sixth Principal Meridian in the State aforesaid, and do further solemnly swear that the forgoing are the true and original field notes of such Survey.

Charles Wimpf.
U.S. Deputy Surveyor.

Subscribed & sworn to before me this 8 day of Dec. AD 1869
N. L. Chile
Probate Judge
of Cass County Neb

Surveyor General's Office
Plattsmouth Neb. March 17th 1870.

The foregoing field notes of the survey of the subdivision lines of Township No. 14 North of the Base Line, of Range No. 53, West of the 6th Principal Meridian in the State of Nebraska, executed by Charles Wimpf under contract No. 28. of the 10th day of July 1869 in the month of October 1869. having been critically examined, the necessary corrections and explanations made, the said field notes, and the surveys they describe are hereby approved.

Robt. R. Livingston
Surveyor General.

T 15 N., R 53. W.

6	61	5	45	4	35	3	24	2	13	1
60		59		44		34		23		12
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54		53		40		30		19		8
19	52	20	39	21	29	22	18	23	7	24
51		50		38		28		17		6
30	49	29	38	28	27	27	16	26	6	25
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Field Notes
of the
Subdivision lines
in
Township No. 15 North
Range No. 53 West
of
the 6th Principal Meridian
in
Nebraska
by
Hiram C. Fielens, Dep. Surr.
under
Contract No. 31
dated
August 4th.
1870

List of Names

A list of the names of the individuals employed in running, measuring or marking the lines and corners described in the following field notes of Township No. 15 North of the Base Line, of Range No 53 West of the 6th. Principal Meridian, showing the respective capacities in which they acted.

Ed. F. Smith, — Chainman
Geo. H. Brown, — Chainman
Peter V. De Lorimier, Flagman
S. Gillespie, — Moundman

Having previously run the exterior boundaries of Township 15 N. Range 53 West, with the same instrument used in subdividing, the usual list of Town Lines is omitted.

Survey commenced Sept. 5th. 1870
" completed " 8th "

Township No 15 North

From cor to Secs 1, 2, 35 & 36, on S. bound of Town. I run

Chains	
	North bet Secs 35 and 36.
	Va 15° 20' East
40.00	Set Lime Stone 13 x 10 x 5 * for 1/4 Sec Cor.
43.65	To bed of Lodge Pole Creek 75 links wide. brs N. East.
70.00	Leave bottom land brs East and West.
80.00	Set a lime Stone 17 x 12 x 6 for Cor to Secs 25.26.35 & 36
	Land Rolling Prairie
	Soil 3d Rate.

* (Write "on this" at all stone corners)

Range 53 West.

Chains	
	East on a random line between Sections 25 and 36.
	Va 15° 20' East.
40.00	Set a lime stone for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.88	Intersect East boundary of Township 10 links South of Corner to Sections 25 & 36 from which Corner I run.
	S 89° 56' W on a true line between Secs 25 & 36
	Va 15° 20' East
39.94	Set a lime stone 13 x 9 x 7 for 1/4 Sec Cor
79.88	To Cor to Sections 25.26.35. and 36.
	Land Hilly.
	Soil 3d Rate Prairie

Township No 15 North

Chains	
	North between Secs 25 and 26.
	Vw 15° 20' East
40.00	Set a lime stone 20 X 16 X 3. for 1/4 Section Corner.
80.00	Set a lime stone 30 X 17 X 4 for Corner to Sections 23. 24. 25 & 26
	Land Broken
	Soil 30 Rate Prairie
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	East on a random line between Sections 24 and 25.
	Vw 15° 20' East
40.00	Set lime stone for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor
79.87	Intersect East boundary of Township 20 links South of Cor to Secs 24 and 25. from which Corner Drum.

Range 53 West.

Chains	
	S 89° 51' W on a true line between Secs 24 and 25'
	Vw 15° 20' East
39.93½	Set a lime stone 17 X 13 X 4 for 1/4 Sec Cor
68.70	To wagon road brs S.E.
79.87	To Cor to Secs 23.24. 25 and 26.
	Land Broken
	Soil 30 Rate. Prairie
	——— " ———
	North between Sections 23 and 24
	Vw 15° 20' East
33.25	To wagon road brs S.E
40.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
60.05	To drain 25 links wide brs East.
80.00	Set a lime stone 15 X 12 X 3 for Cor to Secs 13.14.23 & 24
	Land Rolling. Soil 30 Rate Prairie

Township No. 15 North

Chains	
	East on a random line between Sections 13 and 24
40.00	Va 15° 20' East Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.86	Intersect East boundary of township 21 links South of Cor to Sections 13 and 24 from which Corner I run S. 89° 51' W on a true line between Secs 13 & 24 Va 15° 20' East
39.93	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor
79.86	To Cor to Secs 13 14, 23 & 24
	Land Rolling
	Soil 3d Rate Prairie

Range 53 West

Chains	
	North between Secs 13 and 14 Va 15° 20' East
40.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
80.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for Cor to Sections 11, 12, 13 and 14.
	Land Rolling
	Soil 3d Rate Prairie

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Township No 15 North

Chains	East on a random line between Sections 12 and 13
	Var 15° 20' East
4000	Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.83	Intersect East boundary of township 1/4 links South of Cor to Sections 12 and 13 from which Corner I run
	S 89° 54' W on a true line between Sections 12 and 13.
	Var 15° 20' East
39.91½	Set a chained post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.83	To Corner to Sections 11, 12, 13 and 14.
	Land Rolling
	Soil 3° Rate Prairie

Range 53 West.

Chains	North between Sections 11 and 12.
	Var 15° 20' East
4000	Set a line Stone 19 x 11 x 3 for 1/4 Sec Corner.
8000	Set a chained post in mound with pits as per instructions for Cor to Sections 1, 2, 11 & 12.
	Land Rolling
	Soil 3° Rate Prairie

Township No 15 North

Chains	
	East on a random line between Sections 1 and 12.
	Va 15° 20' East
40.00	Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor
79.80	Intersect East boundary of township 17 links South of Cor to Sections 1 and 12 from which Corner Drum
	S 89° 53' W on a true line between Sections 1 and 12
	Va 15° 20' East
39.90	Set a chained post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor
79.80	To Cor to Sections 1. 2. 11 and 12.
	Land Rolling
	Soil 30 Rate Prairie

Range 53 West.

Chains	
	North on a random line between Sections 1 and 2.
	Va 15.20' East
40.00	Set Chained post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor
80.20	Intersect North boundary of township 25 links East of Cor to Secs 1 and 2 from which Corner Drum.
	S .11' E on a true line between Sections 1 and 2.
	Va 15° 20' East
40.20	Set a chained post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
80.20	To Cor to Secs 1.2.11 & 12
	Land Rolling
	Soil 30 Rate Prairie

Township No 15 North

Chains	
	North between Secs 34 and 35.
	Var 15° 21' East
12.85	To wagon road. brs S.E
4000	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
45.60	To bed of Lodge Pole Creek 20 links wide brs S.E.
8000	Set a line stone 18x17x2 for Corner to Sections 26. 27. 33 + 34
	Land 1st half Level 2d half Hilly.
X	Soil 3d Rate.

Range 53 West

Chains	
	East on a random line between Sections 26 and 35'
	Var 15° 21' East.
4000	Set line stone for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
80.10	Intersect north and South line ~~of township~~ 7 links South of the Cor to Sections 25. 26. 35 & 36 from which Corner I run
	S 89° 57' W on a true line between Sections 26 and 35.
	Var 15° 21' East
12.45	Enter bottom land brs
40.05	Set line stone 13x10x5 for 1/4 Sec Cor.
80.10	To Corner to Sections 26. 27. 33 and 34.
	Land Rolling Soil 3d Rate Prairie

Township No 15 North

Chains	
	North between Secs 26 and 27.
	Va 15° 21' East
10.70	Leave low ground bar E & W.
40.00	Set a line stone 19 x 16 x 5. for 1/4 Sec Cor.
80.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for Corner to Sections 22, 23. 26 and 27.
	Land Broken Soil 30 Rate.

Range 53 West

Chains	
	East on a random line between Sections 23 and 26.
	Va 15° 21' East
40.00	Set a line stone for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
80.10	Intersect North and South line 15 links North of Corner to Sections 23. 24. 25 & 26 from which Corner I run.
	N. 89° 54' W on a true line between Sections 23 and 26:
	Va 15° 21 East
40.05	Set a line stone 18 x 20 x 4 for 1/4 Section Cor.
80.10	To Corner to Sections 22. 23. 26 and 27.
	Land Broken Soil 30 Rate Prairie

Township No 15 North

Chains	North bet Sections 22 and 23.
	Va 15° 21' East
40.00	Set a line stone 13 X 12 X 5 for 1/4 Sec Cor.
47.58	To drain 30 links wide for East
80.00	Set a line stone 19 X 14 X 3 for Corner to Sections 14, 15, 22, & 23
	Land Rolling
	Soil 3d Rate Prairie
	Sept - 8 - th 1870

Range 53 West

Chains	East on a random line between Sec 14 + 23
	Va 15° 21' East
40.00	Set line stone for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor
80.19	Intersect North and South line 25 links South of Corner to Sections 13, 14, 23, and 24 from which Corner I run.
	S. 89° 49' W on a true line between Sections 14 and 23.
	Va 15° 21' East
40.00 9/2	Set line stone 16 X 11 X 3 for 1/4 Sec Cor.
41.15	To wagon road brs S.E.
65.75	To drain 120 links wide for S.E.
80.19	Corner to Sections 14, 15, 22, and 23
	Land Rolling
	Soil 3d Rate Prairie

Township No 15 North

Chains	
	North between Sections 14 and 15.
	Var 15° 21' East
4 15.75	To drain 25 links wide brs S.E.
4 00.00	Set charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
8 75.85	To road brs E.
8 00.00	Set charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for Sec Cor. to Secs 10.11.14+15
	Land Rolling
	Soil 3° Rate Prairie

Range 53 West

Chains	
	East on a random line between Sections 11 and 14
	Var 15° 21' East
40 00.00	Set a ~~charred~~ post ~~in mound with pits as per instructions~~ for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor
80.10	Intersect North and South line 10 links S of Cor to Sections 11.12.13+14 from which Corner I run.
	S 89° 56' W on a true line between Sections 11 and 14.
	Var 15° 24' East
40 00.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
80.10	To Corner to Secs 10.11.14+15
	Land Rolling
	Soil 3° Rate Prairie

Township No 15 North

Chains	
	North bet Sections 10 and 11
	Va 15° 21' East
4000	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor
8000	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for Cor to Sections 2. 3. 10 and 11.
	Land Rolling Soil 30 R ate Prairie

Range 53 West.

Chains	
	East on a random line between Sections 2 and 11.
	Va 15° 21' East
4000	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.85	Intersect North and South line ~~of town-ship~~ at Cor to Secs 1. 2. 11 and 12 from which Corner I run
	West on a true line between Secs 2 + 11
	Va 15° 21' East
39.92½	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instruction for 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.85	To Cor to Sections 2. 3 10 and 11
	Land rolling Soil 30 rate Prairie

Chains	
	North on a random line between Sections 2 and 3
	Va 15° 21' East
40 / 40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
80.15	Intersect North boundary of township 20 links East of Corner to Secs 2 and 3 from which Corner I run S. 9' E on a true line between Sections 2 and 3.
	Va 15° 22½' East
40.15	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
80.15	To Cor to Secs 2, 3, 10 + 11
	Land rolling
	Soil 3° Rate Prairie

Chains	
	North between Secs 33 and 34
	Va 15° 22' East
13.75	To center U. P. R. R track brs S 80° E.
39.40	To wagon road br S. E.
40.00	Set post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor
59.63	To bed of Lodge Pole Creek 36 links wide brs East
80.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for Cor to Sections 27, 28, 33 and 34.
	Land rolling
	Soil 3° Rate Prairie

Township No 15 North

Chains	East on a random line between Sections 27 and 34.
	Var 15° 22' East
40 00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.87	Intersect North and South line ~~of township~~ 28 links South of Corner to Secs 26. 27. 34 and 35 from which Corner V. run
	S 89° 50' W on a true line between Sections 27 and 34.
	Var 15° 22' East
12.15	Drain 10 lks wide bra S. E
39 93½	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor
79.87	To Corner to Sections 27. 28. 33 and 34.
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d Rate Prairie

Range 53 West.

Chains	North between Sections 27 and 28.
	Var 15° 22' East
28 00	Leave bottom land bra E
40 00	Set line stone 19x17x2 for 1/4 Sec Cor
80 00	Set line stone 27x16x3 for Cor to Sections 21. 22. 27 and 28.
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d Rate.

Township No 15 North

Chains	
	East on a random line between Sections 22 and 27. Var 15° 22' East
4000	Set a line stone for 1/4 Sec Cor
8000	Intersect North and South line ~~of Township~~ 17 links South of Cor to Secs 22.23.26 & 27 from which Corner I run S. 89° 53' W on a true line between Sections 22 and 27. Var 15° 22' East
4000	Set a line stone 20x15x3 for 1/4 Sec Cor
8000	To Corner to Sections 21.22.27 and 28 Land rolling Soil 3d Rate Prairie

Range 53 West

Chains	
	North between Secs 21 and 22. Var 15° 22 East
4000	Set line stone 17x10x6 for 1/4 Sec. Cor
7 8000	Set line stone 19x18x5 for Corner to Sections 15.16.21 and 22. Land rolling Soil 3d Rate Prairie

Township No 15 North

Chains	
	East on a random line between Sections 15 and 22.
	Va 15° 22' East
4000	Set line stone for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.89	Intersect North and South line ~~of township~~ at corner to Sections 14. 15. 22 and 23 from which Corner I run
	West on a true line between Sections 15 and 22.
	Va 15° 22' East
20.83	To drain 20 links wide brs South East.
23.75	To drain 30 links wide brs S.
39.94½	Set line stone 20 x 17 x 4 for 1/4 Sec Cor
79.89	To Cor to Sections 15. 16. 21 and 22.
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d Rate
	Prairie

Range 53 West

Chains	
	North bet Sections 15 and 16.
	Va 15° 22' East
17.84	To waggon road brs ~~S.~~ N.
4000	Set a line stone 17 x 13 x 4 for 1/4 Sec Cor.
45.25	To drain 20 links wide brs S.E.
8000	Set line stone 21 x 10 x 3 for Corner to Sec 9. 10. 15 and 16.
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d Rate
	Prairie

Township No 15 North

Chains	
	East on a random line between Sections 10 and 15.
	Va 15° 22' East
4000	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
8005	Intersect North and South line ~~of township~~ 14 links South of Cor to Secs 10, 11, 14 & 15 from which Cor I run
	S 89° 54' W on a true line between Sections 10 and 15.
	Va 15° 22' East
30.73 4002½	wagon road cr S.E. Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
8005	To Cor to Secs 9.10.15 & 16

Land Rolling
Soil 3° Rate
Prairie

Range 53 West

Chains	
	North between Secs 9 and 10
	Va 15° 22' East
4000	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
8000	Set a line stone 23 x 14 x 5 for Corner to Sections 3.4.9 & 10.

Land rolling
Soil 3° Rate.
Prairie

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Township No 15 North

Chains	
	East on a random line between Sections 3 and 10. Var 15° 22' East
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.81	Intersect North and South line ~~of township~~ at Corner to Sections 2, 3, 10 & 11 from which Corner I run
	West on a true line between Secs 3 and 10 Var 15° 22' East
19.15	To wagon road br S.
39.95½	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.81	To Corner to Sections 3 4 9 and 10
	Land Rolling
	Soil 30 Rate
	Prairie

Range 53 West

Chains	
	North on a random line between Sections 3 and 4 Var 15° 22' East
40.00	Set line stone for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
80.23	Intersect North boundary of township 12 links East of the Cor to Sections 3 and 4 from which Corner I run
	S. 5' E on a true line between Sections 3 and 4 Var 15° 22' East
40.23	Set a line stone 19 x 11 x 2 for 1/4 Sec Cor.
80.23	To Cor to Secs 3, 4, 9 & 10
	Land rolling
	Soil 30 Rate Prairie

Township No 15 North

Chains	
	North between Secs. 32 and 33. Var 15° 22' East
30.75	To center U.P.R.R track bra S.E.
35.60	To wagon road bra S.E.
38.70	To bro of Lodge Pole Creek 37 links wide bra N.E.
4000	Set charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
8000	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for Cor to Secs 28. 29. 32 and 33.

Land rolling
Soil 3rd Rate Prairie

Range 53 West

Chains	
	East on a random line between Secs 28 and 33. Var 15° 22' East
4000	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.83	Intersect North and South line 13 links South of the Corner to Secs 27. 28. 33 and 34 from which Corner a run. S 89° 54' W on a true line between Secs 28 and 33. Var 15° 22' East
39.91½	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor
79.83	To Cor to Secs 28. 29. 32 + 33

Land pretty rolling
Soil 3rd Rate Prairie.

Township No 15 North

Chains	
	North bet Secs 28 & 29 Var 15° 22' East
30.00	Leave bottom land, trans 6.
40.00	Set line stone 23 X 17 X 5 for 1/4 Sec Cor
30.	
80.00	Set line stone 30 X 21 X 3 for Cor to Secs 20. 21. 28 & 29
35.	
38	Land rolling. Soil 3d Rate Prairie

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4	East on a random line between Secs 21 and 28 Var 15° 22' East
40.00	Set line stone for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.90	Intersect North and South line at Corner to Secs 21. 22. 27 & 28 from which Corner I run,
	West on a true line between Secs 21 and 28 Var 15° 22' East
39.95	Set a line stone 18 X 15 X 4 for 1/4 Sec Cor.

Range 53 West

Chains	
79.90	To Corner to Sections 20. 21. 28 & 29. Land rolling Soil 3d Rate Prairie

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	North bet Secs 20 & 21 Var 15° 22' East
16.75	To waggon road bn S.W.
40.00	Set line stone 18 X 12 X 5 for 1/4 Sec Cor
80.00	Set line stone 21 X 13 X 4 for Cor to Sections 16. 17 20 and 21. Land rolling Soil 3d Rate. Prairie

Township No 15 North

Chains	
	East on a random line between Secs 16 and 21. Va 15° 22' East
4000	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.87	Intersect North and South line 16 links South of Corner to Secs 15.16.21 & 22 from which Corner Drum S 89° 53' W on a true line between Secs 16 and 21. Va 15° 22' East
14.25	To wagon road bs 5.
39.98½	Set Charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.87	To Corner to Secs 16.17 20 and 21.

Land Rolling
Soil 3° Rate
Prairie

Range 53 West

Chains	
	North between Secs 16 and 17. Va 15° 22' East
4000	Set a line stone 20 x 8 x 4 for 1/4 Sec Cor.
8000	Set a line stone 13 x 12 x 3 for Cor to Sections 8.9.16 & 17

Land rolling
Soil 3° Rate
Prairie

Township No 15 North

Chains	
	East on a random line between Secs 9 and 16. Var 15° 22' East
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.80	Intersect North and South line at Cor to Sections 9. 10. 15 & 16 from which Corner I run West on a true line between Secs 9 and 16 Var 15° 22' East
36.83	To drain 15 links wide brs S. East
39.90	Set charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.80	To Cor to Sections 8. 9. 16 and 17. Land rolling Soil 30 Rate Prairie

Range 53 West.

Chains	
	North between Secs 8 and 9 Var 15° 22' East
22.75	Drain 15 links wide brs E
40.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Section Cor.
80.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for Corner to Sections 4. 5. 8 and 9. Land rolling Soil 30 Rate Prairie.

Township No 15 North

Chains	
	East on a random line between Sections 4 and 9.
	Va 15° 22' East
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.89	Intersect North and South line 21 links South of Corner to Secs 3. 4. 9 and 10 from which corner I run S 89° 51' W on a true line between Sections 4 and 9.
	Va 15° 22' East
39.94½	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.89	To Cor to Secs 4. 5. 8 & 9
	Land Rolling
	Soil 3° Rate
	Prairie

Range 53 West

Chains	
	North on a random line between Sections 4 & 5
	Va 15° 22' East
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor
80.26	Intersect North boundary of township 20 links East Cor to Sections 4 and 5 from which Corner I run S .9' E on a true line between Sections 4 and 5.
	Va 15° 22' East
40.26	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor
80.26	To Cor to Sections 4. 5. 8 and 9.
	Land rolling
	Soil 3° Rate
	Prairie

Township No 15 North

Chains	
	North between Sections 31 and 32.
	Va 15°23' East
4000	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
48.16	To center U.R.R.R track brs S.80° E.
50.75	To wagon road brs S.E
64.75	To bed of Lodge Pole Creek, brs S.E.
8000	Set charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for Cor to Sections 29.30 31 and 32.
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d Rate
	Prairie

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Range 53 West

Chains	
	East on a random line between Secs 29 and 32.
	Va 15°23 East
4000	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.89	Intersect North and South line 10 links South of Cor to Secs 28.29.32 and 33 from which corner I run S 89°56' W on a true line between Secs 29 and 32.
	Va 15° 23' East
39.94½	Set charred post in in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.89	To Cor to Secs 29.30.31 and 32.
	Land Rolling
	Soil 3d Rate
	Prairie

Township No 15 North

Chains	
	West on a random line between Secs 30 & 31 39 & 31 Vw 15° 23' East
4000	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
8020	Intersect West boundary of township 12 links N of Corner to Secs 30 and 31 from which Corner Drum run N 89° 55' E on a true line between Secs 30 & 31 Vw 15° 23' East
13.15	To waggon road brs S.W.
4020	Set charred post in mound with pits as per instruction for 1/4 Sec Cor.
60.69	To bed of Lodge Pole Creek 30 links wide brs S.E.
8020	To Cor to Sections 29, 30 31 and 32.

Land rolling
Soil 3d Rate Prairie

Range 53 West

Chains	
	North bet Sections 29 and 30 Vw 15° 23' East
21.74	To road brs S.W.
4000	Set line stone 16 x 13 x 5 for 1/4 Sec Cor
5000	leave bottom land brs E & W
8000	Set line stone 23 x 18 x 2 for Corner to Secs 19. 20. 29 and 30.

Land rolling
Soil 3d Rate
Prairie

Township No 15 North

Chains	East on a random line between Secs 20 & 29 Var 15° 23' East.
4000	Set line stone for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor
8005	Intersect North and South line 12 links North of Cor to Secs 20. 21. 28 and 29 from which corner I run N 89° 55' W on a true line between Secs 20 and 29. Var 15° 23' East.
4002½	Set line stone 19 x 17 x 3 for 1/4 Sec Cor.
4950	To wagon road bra S. W.
8005	To Cor to Sections 19. 20. 29 and 30 Land rolling Soil 3d Rate Prairie

Range 53 West

Chains	West on a random line between Sections 19 and 30. Var 15° 23' East
4000	Set line stone for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
8007	Intersect West boundary of township 18 links S of Cor to Secs 19 and 30 from which corner I run S 89° 52' E on a true line between Secs 19 and 30. Var 15° 23' East
4007	Set a line stone 17 x 15 x 3 for 1/4 Sec Cor
8007	To Cor to Secs 19. 20. 29 and 30. Land Rolling Soil 3d Rate Prairie.

Township No 15 North

Chains	
	North between Secs 19 and 20 Var 15° 23' East
4000	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
8000	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for Cor to Secs 17, 18, 19 & 20
	Land rolling Soil 3d Rate Prairie

Range 53 West

Chains	
	East on a random line between Sections 17 and 20 Var 15° 23' East
4000	Set lime stone for 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.86	Intersect North and South line 14 links S of Corner to Sections 16 17, 20, and 21. from which corner I run S 89° 54' W on a true line between Sections 17 and 20. Var 15° 23' East.
39.93	Set lime stone 15 X 11 X 8 for 1/4 Sec Cor
79.86	To Cor to Secs 17, 18, 19 & 20
	Land Rolling Soil 3d Rate Prairie.

Township No 15 North

Chains	
	West on a random line between Sections 18 and 19. Var 15° 28' East
30 4000	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor
35 80.20	Intersect West boundary of township 35 links S of Cor to Secs 18 and 19 from which corner I run
4	S 89° 45' E on a true line bet Secs 18 and 19 Var 15° 23' East
40.20	Set charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
80 20	To Cor to Sections 17. 18. 19 and 20 Land rolling Soil 3d Rate Prairie

Range 53 West

Chains	
	North between Secs 17 and 18. Var 15° 23' East
4000	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
8000	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for Cor to Secs 7.8.17 & 18
	Land rolling Soil 3d Rate Prairie

Township No 15 North

Chains	
	East on a random line between Sections 8 and 17. Var 15° 28' East
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
80.15	Intersect North and South line 15 links S of Corner to Sections 8. 9. 16. and 17 from which Corner I run S. 89° 54' W on a true line between Sections 8 and 17 Var 15° 28' East
40.07½	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
80.15	To Cor to Sections 7. 8. 17 and 18. Land rolling Soil 3° Rate Prairie

Range 53 West.

Chains	
	West on a random line between Sections 7 and 18. Var 15° 28' East
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.86	Intersect West boundary of township at Corner to Sections 7. 18 from which corner I run East on a true line between Sections 7 and 18. Var 15° 28
39.86	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.86	To Cor to Secs 7. 8. 17 + 18 Land Rolling Soil 3° Rate Prairie.

Township No 15 North

Chains	
	North between Secs 7 and 8. Var 15° 23' East
40.00	Set charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
73.15	To drain 10 links wide bra N.E.
80.00	Set charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for Cor to Secs 5.6.7+8 Land rolling Soil 3d Rate Prairie

Range 53 West

Chains	
	East on a random line between Sections 5 and 8. Var 15° 23' East
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
80.05	Intersect North and South line 18 links S of Cor to Sections 4.5.8+9 from which Corner Drum S 89° 54' W on a true line between Secs 5 and 8. Var 15° 23' East
40.02½	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
53.16	To bend in drain bra ~~N.E.~~ S.E.
58.90	Leave bend in drain bra ~~S.E.~~ N.E.
80.05	To Cor to Sections 5.6. 7 and 8. Land rolling Soil 3d Rate Prairie

Township No 15 North

Chains	
	West on a random line between Sections 6 and 7. Var 15° 23' East
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor.
79.89	Intersect West boundary of township 20 links South of Cor to Secs 6 and 7 from which Corner I run S 89° 51' E on a true line between Sections 6 and 7. Var 15° 23' East
~~40.00~~ 39.89	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor.
69.75	To drain 10 lks wide bra S.E.
79.89	To Cor to Secs 5.6.7+8 Land rolling Soil 3d Rate Prairie

Range 53 West

Chains	
	North on a random line between Sections 5 and 6. Var 15° 23' East
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec Cor
80.17	Intersect North boundary of township 10 links East of Cor to Secs 5 and 6 from which Corner I run S .14' E on a true line between Sections 5 and 6 Var 15° 23' East
40.17	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec Cor
80.17	To Cor to Secs. 5.6.7+8 Land rolling Soil 3d Rate Prairie

September 8th 1870.

General Description

The general quality of the land in this township is high rolling prairie, and owing to the lack of sufficient water is unfit for cultivation. No timber in the township.

(For oaths of Surv. & Asst. see sub. of T. 16 N. 54 W.)

Surveyor General's Office
Nebraska City Neb. Oct. 25th 1870.

The foregoing field notes of the survey of the subdivision lines of Township No. 16 North, of Range No. 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian in the State of Nebraska, executed by Hiram C. Fellows, under contract No. 31, of the 4th day of August 1870, in the month of Sept. 1870, having been critically examined, the necessary corrections and explanations made, the said field notes and the surveys they describe are hereby approved.

Robt. R. Simpson
Surveyor General

Field Notes
of the
Subdivision lines
in
Township No. 16 North
of
Range No. 53 West
of
the 6th Principal Meridian
in
Nebraska
by
Hiram C. Fellows, Dep. Surv.
under
Contract No. 31
dated
August 4th.
1870

List of Names.

A list of the names of the individuals, employed in running, measuring or marking the lines and corners, described in the following field notes of Township No. 16 North, of the Base Line, of Range No. 53 West of the 6th Principal Meridian, showing the respective capacities in which they acted.

Ed. F. Smith —	Chainman
Geo. H. Brown —	Chainman
Peter V. De Lorimier —	Flagman
S. Gillespie —	Moundman

Having previously run the exterior boundaries of Township 16 N. Range 53 W. with the same instrument, used in subdividing, the usual test of Township lines is omitted.

Survey commenced Aug. 28. 1870
" completed " 31. "

T 16 N., R 53 West

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

Township No 16 North

From cor. to Sec. 2. 35 & 36 on S. Boundary of Township I run

Chains	
	North between Sec 35 + 36. Va 15° 30' East
40.00	Set chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for corner to 1/4 Sec
80.00	Set chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for corner to Sec 25. 26 35 + 36
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d rate Prairie
	East on a random line between Sec 25 + 36 Va 15° 30' East
40.00	Set ~~chared~~ post ~~in mound with pits as per instructions~~ for temporary 1/4 Sec corner
7982	Intersect East boudary of Township at post cor to Sec 25. 30. 31 + 36

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Chains	
	from which corner I run west on a true line between Sec 25 + 36 Va 15° 30' East
39.91	Set chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner
7982	To the corner to Sec 25. 26. 35 + 36
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d rate Prairie
	North between Sec 25 + 26 Va 15° 30' East
40.00	Set chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner
80.00	Set a Lime stone 19 x 15 x 3 * for corner to Sec 23. 24 25 + 26
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d rate Prairie

(* Write "inches" at all stone corners.)

Township No 16 North

chains

East on a random line between Sec 24 + 25 Va 15° 30' East

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec corner

79.90 Intersect East boundary of Township 10 lks S of post cor to Sec 19. 24. 25 + 30 from which corner run S 89° 56' W on a true line between Sec 24 + 25 Va 15° 30' East

39.95 Set a charcd post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner

79.90 To the cor to Sec 23. 24 25 + 26.

Sand rolling

Soil 2d rate Prairie

Range 53 West

chains

North between Sec 23 + 24 Va 15° 30' East

40.00 Set a Lime stone 19 x 13 x 2 for 1/4 Sec corner

80.00 Set a charcd post in mound with pits as per instructions for cor to Sec 13. 14. 23 + 24

Sand rolling

Soil 2d rate Prairie

East on a random line between Sec 13 + 24 Va 15° 30' East

40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec corner

80.00 Intersect East boundary of Township 23 links S of post cor. to Sec 13. 18. 19 + 24 from which corner run S 89° 50' W on a true line between Sec 13 + 24

Township No 16 North

Chains	
	Var. 15° 30' East
40.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner
80.00	To the corner to Sec 13. 14. 23 + 24
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d rate Prairie
	North between Sec 13 + 14 Va 15° 30' East
40.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner
80.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits a per instructions for cor to Sec 11. 12. 13 + 14
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d rate Prairie

Range 53 West

Chains	
	East on a random line between Sec 12 + 13 Va 15° 30'
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec corner
79.80	Intersect East boundary of Township 12 Chs South of post corner to Sec 7. 12. 13 + 18 from which corner I run
	S 89° 55' W on a true line between Sec 12 + 13 Va 15° 30' East
39.90	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec cor
79.80	To the corner to Sec 11. 12. 13 + 14
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d rate Prairie

Township No 16 North

Chains	
	North between Sec 11+12 Va 15°30' East
40.00	Set a chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec cor
80.00	Set a chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for cor to Sec 1.2.11+12 Land rolling Soil 3d rate Prairie
	East on a random line between Sec 1+12 Va 15°30' East
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec cor
80.10	Intersect East boundary of Township 21 lks S of post cor to Sec 1.6.7+12 from which corner I run S89°57' W on a true line between

Range 53 West

Chains	
	Sections 1+12 Va 15°30' East
40.05	Set chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner
80.10	To the corner to Sec 1.2.11+12 Land rolling Soil 3d rate Prairie
	North between Sec 1+2 Va 15°30' East
40.00	Set a Lime stone 13x10x5 for 1/4 Sec corner
80.20	Intersect 4th Stand Paralell N 11.60 Chains E of 1/4 Sec cor. Sec. 31, T. 17 N. R. 53 W. P. of PK and set Lime stone 18x15x2 for closing corner to Sec 1+2 Land rolling Soil 3d rate Prairie

Township No 16 North

× Chains	North between Sec 34 + 35 Va 15°30' East
40.00	Set a chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner
80.00	Set chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for corner to Sec 26.27.34 + 35
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d rate
	Prairie
	East on a random line between Sec 26 + 35 Va 15°30' East
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 Sec corner
80.00	Intersect N + S line 12 lks N of post-cor. to Sec 25.26.35 + 36 from which corner I run

Range 53 West

Chains	N 89°55' W on a true line between Sec 26 + 35 Va 15°30' East
40.00	Set a chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec cor
80.00	To the corner to Sec 26.27.34 + 35
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d rate Prairie
×	North between Sec 26 + 27 Va 15°30' East
40.00	Set a chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec cor
80.00	Set a chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for cor to Sec 22.23 26 + 27
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d rate Prairie

Township No 16 North

chains East on a random line between Sec 23 + 26 Va 15° 30' East

40.00 Set stone for temporary 1/4 Sec corner.

79.76 Intersect N + S line 12 lks S of corner to Sec 23. 24. 25 + 26 from which corner run S 89° 55' West on a true line between Sec 23 + 26 Va 15° 30' East

39.88 set a line stone 17 x 10 x 4 for 1/4 Sec cor

79.76 So the corner to Sec 22. 23. 26 + 27

Land rolling

Soil 3d rate Prairie

North between Sec 22 + 23 Va 15° 30' East

40.00 Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions

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chains for 1/4 Sec corner

80.00 Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for corner to Sec 14. 15. 22 + 23

Land rolling

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East on a random line between Sec 14 + 23 Va 15° 30' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec cor

79.80 Intersect N + S line 13 lks S of corner to Sec 13. 14. 23 + 24 from which corner run S 89° 54' W on a true line between Sec 14 + 23 Va 15° 30' E

39.90 Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions

chains	
79.80	for 1/4 Sec corner to the corner to Sec 14.15.22+23
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d rate Prairie
X	North between Sec 14+15 Va 15° 30' East
40.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner
80.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for corner to Sec 10.11.14+15
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d rate Prairie
	East on a random line between Sec 11+14 Va 15° 30' E

chains	
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec cor
79.90	Intersect N+S line at post corner to Sec 11.12.13+14
	From which corner I run
	West on a true line between Sec 11+14 Va 15° 30' E
39.95	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner
79.90	to the corner to Sec 10.11.14+15
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d rate Prairie
X	North between Sec 10+11 Va 15° 30' E
40.00	Set a Lime stone 19x11x2 for 1/4 Sec cor

Township No 16 North

chains	
80.00	Set a chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for cor to Sec 2. 3 10 + 11
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d rate Prairie
	East on a random line between Sec 2 + 11 Va 15°31' E
40.00	Set a post for temporary 1/4 sec corner
79.88	Intersect N + S line 15 lks N of post cor to Sec 1. 2. 11 + 12 from which cor I run
	N 89°54' W on a true line between Sec 2 + 11 Va 15°31' E

Range 53 West

chains	
39.94	Set a chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner
79.88	To the corner to Sec 2. 3. 10 + 11
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d rate Prairie
X	North between Sec 2 + 3 Va 15°30' E
40.00	Set a chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec corner
80.15	Intersect 4th Stand Paralel N 12.00 Chains E of 1/4 Sec corner (T. of Sec. 36, T. 17 N. R. 53 W.) and set Line, stone 20 x 13 x 2 for closing Cor. to Sec 2 + 3

Chains	
	Sand rolling
	Soil 3d rate Prairie
	North between Sec 33 + 34 Va 15° 31' East
40.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner
80.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for corner to Sec 27. 28 33 + 34
	Sand rolling
	Soil 3d rate
	East on a random line between Sec 27 + 34 Va 15° 30' East
40.00	Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec corner

Chains	
79.90	Intersect North and South line 21 lks South of post cor to Sec 26. 27. 34 + 35 from which corner I run, S 89° 57' W on a true line between Sec 27 + 34 Va 15° 30' East
39.95	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec cor
79.90	To the corner to Sec 27. 28. 33 + 34
	Sand rolling
	Soil 3d rate Prairie

Township No 16 North

chains	
	North between Sec 27+28 Va 15° 30' East
40.00	Set a chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec cor
80.00	Set a chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for corner to Sec 21.22.27+28
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d rate Prairie

Range 53 West

chains	
	East on a random line between Sec 22+27 Va 15° 31' East
40.00	Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec corner
79.80	Intersect N and S line 15 links N of post corner to Sec 22.23 26+27 from which corner I run N 89° 54' W on a true line between Sec 22+27 Va 15° 31' E
39.90	Set a chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner
79.80	to the corner to Sec 21.22.27+28
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d rate Prairie

Township No 18 North

Chains	
	North between Sec 21 + 22 Va 15° 31' E.
40.00	Set a charcd post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner
80.00	Set a charcd post in mound with pits as per instructions for corner to sec 15. 16. 21 + 22
	Land rolling Soil 3d rate Prairie

Range 53 West

Chains	
	East on a random line between Sec 15 + 22 Va 15° 31' E
40.00	Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec corner
80.10	Intersect N and S line 10 lks N of post cor to Sec 14. 15. 22 + 23 from which corner I run
	N 89° 56' W on a true line between sec 15 + 22 Va 15° 31' E
40.05	Set a charcd post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner
80.10	To the corner to sec 15. 16. 21 + 22
	Land rolling Soil 3d rate Prairie

Township No 16 North

chains	
	North between Sec 15 + 16 Va 15° 31' East
40.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor
80.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for corner to Sec 9.10.15 + 16
	Land rolling Soil 3d rate Prairie

Range 53 West

chain	
	East on a random line between Sec 10 + 15 Va 15° 31' E
40.00	Set a post for temporary 1/4 sec cor
79.82	Intersect N and S line 20 lks N of corner to sec 10.11.14 + 15 From which corner I run N 89° 57' W on a true between Sec 10 + 15 Va 15° 31' E
39.91	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor
79.82	To the corner to Sec 9.10.15 + 16
	Land rolling Soil 3d rate Prairie

Township No 16 North

Chains	
	North between Sec 9 + 10 Va 15° 31' East
40.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec. cor.
80.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for corner to secs 3. 4. 9 + 10
	Land rolling Soil 2d rate Prairie
	August 29th 1870

Range 53 West

chains	
	East on a random line between Sec 3 + 10 Va 15° 31' E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec cor
79.78	Intersect N and S line 20 lks N of post corner to Sec 2. 3. 10 + 11 from which corner I run N 89° 57' W on a true line between sections 3 + 10 Va 15° 31' E
39.89	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 section corner
79.78	To the cor. to sections 3. 4. 9 + 10
	Land rolling Soil 2d rate Prairie

Township No 16 North

Chains	
	North between Sec 3 + 4
	Va 15° 31' E
40.00	Set a charcd post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec cor.
79	80.17 Intersect the 4th Stand Parallel 1270 chains E of 1/4 Sec cor. and set a Limestone 23X11X2 for closing corner to Sec 3+4
	Land rolling
40	Soil 3d rate Prairie

Range 53 West

Chains	
	North between Sec 32 + 33
	Va 15° 30'
40.00	Set a charcd post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner
80.00	Set a charcd post in mound with pits as per instructions for corner to Sec 28. 29. 32 + 33
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d rate Prairie

Township No 16 North

chains East on a random line between sec 28 + 33
Va 15° 31' E
40.00 Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec corner
79.82 Intersect N and S line 15 lks N of post-cor. to Sec 27. 28. 33 + 34 from which corner run
N 89° 54' W on a true line between secs 28 + 33 – Var. 15° 31' E.
39.91 Set a chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec corner
79.82 To the corner to secs 28. 29. 32 + 33

Land rolling
Soil 3d rate
Prairie

Range 33 West

chains North between Sec 28 + 29
Va 15° 31' E.
40.00 Set a chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner
80.00 Set a chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for corner to secs 20. 21. 28 + 29

Land rolling
Soil 3d rate
Prairie

Township No 16 North

chains	
	East on random between Sec 21 + 28
	Va 15° 31' E
40.00	set post for temporary 1/4 sec cor
79.76	Intersect N and S line 16 lks S of post cor to sec 21. 22. 27 + 28 from which corner I run
	S 89° 53' W on a true line, betn. Sec. 21 & 28 — Var. 15° 31' E.
3988	set chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor
79.76	the corner to sec 20. 21. 28 + 29

Land rolling
soil 3d rate
Prairie

Range 53 West

chains	
	North between sec 20 + 21
	Va 15° 31' E
40.00	set a chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec cor
80.00	Set a chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for cor to Sec 16. 17 20 + 21

Land rolling
Soil 3d rate Prairie

Township No 16 North

chains	
	East on a random between Sec 16 + 21 Va 15° 31' E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec corner
80.13	Intersect N and S line 18 lks S of cor to Sec 15. 16. 21 + 22
	From which cor run S 89° 52' West on a true line between Sec 16 + 21 Va 15° 31' E
40.06½	Set a chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec corner
80.13	To the corner to Sec 16. 17. 20 + 21
	Land rolling Soil 2d rate Prairie

Range 15 West

chains	
	North between Sec 16 + 17 Va 15° 31' E
40.00	Set a chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 sec corner
80.00	Set a chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for cor to Sec 8. 9. 16 + 17
	Land rolling Soil 2d rate Prairie

Township No 16 North

chains	
	East on a random line between Sec 9 + 16 Va 15° 31' E
40.00	Set a post for temporary 1/4 sec corner
79.80	Intersect N and S line 10 lks N of corner to Sec 9, 10, 15 + 16 from which corner I run N 89° 56' W on a true line between Sec 9 + 16 Va 15° 31' E
39.90	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instruction for 1/4 sec cor
79.80	to the cor to sec 8, 9, 16 + 17
	Land rolling soil 3rd rate Prairie

Range 53 West

chains	
	North between Sec 8 + 9 Va 15° 31' E
40.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instruction for 1/4 sec corner
80.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instruction for corner to sec 4, 5, 8 + 9
	Land rolling soil 3rd rate Prairie

Township No. 16 North

chains	
	East on a random line between Sec 4+9 Va 15° 31' E
40.00	Set stone for temporary 1/4 sec cor
79.82	Intersect N and S line at post corner to Sec 3.4.9+10 from which cor. I run
	West on a true line between Sec 4+9 Va 15° 31' E
39.91 ~~40.00~~	Set a Limestone 16x9x7 for 1/4 Sec cor.
79.82	To the cor to sec 4.5.8+9
	Land rolling Soil 3d rate Prairie

Range 53 West

chains	
	North between Sec 4+5 Va 15° 31' E
40.00	Set a chared post in mound with pits per instructions for 1/4 sec cor
80.11	Intersect the 4th Stand Paralel N. 13.00 chains E of 1/4 sec corner T. 17 N. R. 53 W. S. of Sec. 34 and Set Lime stone 19x17x3 for closing corner to Sec 4+5
	Land rolling Soil 3d rate Prairie

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Township No 16 North

Chains	
	North between Sections 31 + 32 Va 15° 31' East
40.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Section corner
80.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for corner to Sections 29. 30. 31 + 32
	Land rolling Soil 2d rate Prairie

Range 53 West

Chains	
	East on a random line between Sec 29 + 32 Va 15° 31' East
40.00	Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec corner
79.86	Intersect N and S line at post corner to Sec 28. 29. 32 + 33 from which corner I run West on a true line between Sec 29 + 32 Va 15° 31' East
39.93	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner
79.86	To the corner to Sections 29. 30. 31 + 32
	Land rolling Soil 2d rate Prairie

Township No 16 North

Chains	West on a random line between Sections 30 + 31 Va 15° 31' East
40.00	Set a post for temporary 1/4 Section corner
80.19	Intersect west boundary of Township 21 lks N of post cor to Sec 25. 30. 31 + 36 from which Corner I run N 89° 51' E on a true line between Sections 30 + 31 Va 15° 31' East
40.19	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Section corner
80.19	Do for corner to Sections 29. 30. 31 + 32

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Soil 3d rate Prairie

Range 53 West

Chains	North between Sections 29 + 30 Va 15° 31' East
40.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Section corner
80.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for corner to Sections 19. 20. 29 + 30.

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Soil 3d rate Prairie

Township No 16 North

chains	
	East on a random line between Sections 20 + 29 Va 15° 31' East
40.00	Set a stone for temporary 1/4 Sec corner
79.84	Intersect N and S line 12 lks. N of corner to Sections 20. 21. 28 + 29 from which corner I run N 89° 55' W on a true line between Sec 20 + 29 Va 15° 31' East
39.92	Set a Lime stone 19 x 15 x 4 for 1/4 Section corner
79.84	To corner to Sections 19. 20. 29 + 30

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Soil 2d rate Prairie

Range 53 West

chains	
	West on a random line between Sections 19 + 30 Va 15° 31' East
40.00	Set a post for temporary 1/4 Section corner
80.20	Intersect west boundary of Township 16 links North of post corner to Sec. 19. 24. 25 + 30 from which corner I run N 89° 55' E on a true line between Sec 19 + 30 Va 15° 31' E
40.20	Set a charcd post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Section corner
80.20	Cor corner to Sections 19. 20. 29 + 30

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Soil 2d rate Prairie

Township No 16 North

chains	North between Sec 19 + 20 Va 15° 31' East
40.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Section corner
80.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for corner to Sec 17.18.19 + 20
	Land rolling Soil 3d rate Prairie

Range 3 West

chains	East on a random line between Sections 17 + 20 Va 15° 31' East
40.00	Set a stone for temporary 1/4 Sec cor
79.90	Intersect N and S line at corner to section 16. 17. 20 + 21 from which corner I run West on a true line between Sections 17 + 20 Va 15° 31' East
39.95	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Section corner
79.90	To the corner to Sec 17.18.19 + 20
	Land rolling Soil 3d rate

Township No 16 North

chains	
	West on random line between Sec. 18 + 19 Va 15° 31' East
40.00	Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec corner
80.13	Intersect west boundary of Township 9 lks N. of post cor to Sections 13. 18. 19 + 24 from which corner run N 89° 56' E on a true line between Sec. 18 + 19 Va 15° 31' E
40.13	Set a charcd post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner
80.18	To the corner to Sec 17. 18. 19 + 20

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Range No 53 West

chains	
	North between Sec 17 + 18 Va 15° 31' E
40.00	Set a charcd post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec cor
80.00	Set a charcd post in mound with pits as per instructions for corner to Sections 7. 8. 17 + 18

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Soil 3d rate
Prairie

Chains	
	East on a random line between Sec 8 + 17
	Va 15° 31' E
40.00	Set a post for temporary 1/4 Sec corner
80.00	Intersect N end S line 21 lks N of cor to Sec 8. 9. 16 + 17 from which corner run N 89° 51 W on a true line between Sec 8 + 17
	Va 15° 31' E
40.00	Set a chard post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner
80.00	for cor to Sec 7. 8. 17 + 18
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d rate
	Prairie

Chains	
	West on a random line between Sec 7 + 18
	Va 15° 31' E
40.00	Set a stone for temporary 1/4 Sec corner
80.20	Intersect ~~N end S line~~ West boundary of Township 19 lks N of post cor to Sec 7. 12. 13 + 18 from which corner I run N 89° 52 E on a true line between Sec 7 + 18
	Va 15° 31' E
40.20	Set a Limestone 19x17x8 for 1/4 Sec corner
80.20	for cor to Sec 7. 8. 17 + 18
	Land rolling
	Soil 3d rate
	Prairie

Township No. 16 North

chains	
	North between Sections 7 + 8 Va 15° 31' E
40.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec cor
80.00	Set a charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for corner to Sec 5. 6. 7 + 8
	Land rolling Soil 3rd rate Prairie

Range 53 West

chains	
	East on a random line between Sec 5 + 8 Va 15° 31' E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec cor
79.80	Intersect N and S line 17 lks N of post cor to Sec 4. 5. 8 + 9 from which corner I run N 89° 53 W on a true line between Sec 5 + 8 Va 15° 31' E
39.90	Set charred post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner
79.80	To the corner to Sec 5. 6. 7 + 8
	Land rolling Soil 3rd rate Prairie

Township No. 16 North

chains	
	West on a random line between Sec 6 + 7. Va 15° 31' E
40.00	Set a chared post for temporary 1/4 Sec corner
80.16	Intersect west boundary of Township at post cor to Sec 1. 6. 7 + 12 from which corner I run East on a true line between Sec 6 + 7 Va 15° 31' E
40.16	Set a chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec cor
80.16	To the corner to Sec 5. 6. 7 + 8 Land rolling Soil 3d rate Prairie

Range 53 West

chains	
	North between Sec 5 + 6 Va 15° 31' E
40.00	Set a chared post in mound with pits as per instructions for 1/4 Sec corner
80.18	Intersect 4th Stand Parallel N. 13.42 chains E of 1/4 Section cor (S. of Sec 33, T. 17 N. R. 53 W.) and Set Lime stone 21 x 12 x 3 for closing corner to Sections 5 + 6 Land rolling Soil 3d rate Prairie

August 31st 1870

General Description

The general character of this township is high rolling prairie. The soil is good but owing to the lack of water is unfit for farming purposes.
No timber.

(For oaths of Surveyor and Assistants See Subdivision of T. 16 R. 54 W.)

Surveyor General's Office
Plattsmouth Neb. Oct. 25th. 1870.

The foregoing field notes of the survey of the subdivision lines of Township No. 16. North of Range No. 53. West of the 6th Principal Meridian, in the State of Nebraska, executed by Hiram C. Fellows, under contract No. 31. of the 4th day of August 1870, in the month of August 1870, having been critically examined, the necessary corrections and explanations, made, the said field notes and the surveys they describe are hereby approved.

Robt. A. Simpson
Surveyor General

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