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Field Notes

OF THE SURVEY OF THE

SUBDIVISION LINES

-OF-

Township 15 N. Range 3 E.

Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian

ARIZONA.

By L. Burton Foster, D. S.

under contract dated Oct. 11, 1876.

Survey commenced April 25, 1876.

Survey completed April 26, 1877.

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PRELIMINARY OATHS OF ASSISTANTS.

W.E. *Amos S. Skinkle*
and *Richard Shrope*
do solemnly swear that we will faithfully execute
the duties of Chain Carriers; that we will level the
chain upon uneven ground, and plumb the tally
pins, whether by sticking or dropping the same;
that we will report the true distance to all notable
objects, and the true length of all lines that we as-
sist in measuring, to the best of our skill and
ability.

Amos S. Skinkle
Richard Shrope

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 17th
day of *Feb* March, 1877

William C. Foster
Notary Public



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~~###~~ I Paul Brutschke

I
do solemnly swear that ~~we~~ will well and truly per-
form the duties of American

according to instructions given ~~us~~^{me}, and to the best
of ~~our~~^{my} skill and ability.

Paul Brutschke

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 17th
day of March 1877

William C. Foster
Notary Public

William C. Foster



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Sectional
Township

15 N R. 3 E

Gila and Salt River Meridian.

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

Survey Commenced April 25th 1897
Completed " 26th 1897

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of the
Subdivision Lines
of
Fractional Township 16. North.
Range 3 East.

Gila and Salt River Meridian.
Territory of Arizona.

Surveyed by
C. Burton Foster
U.S. Depy. Surveyor.

Under his Contract of
October 11th 1876.

Survey Commenced April 25th 1877.
" Completed " 26th 1877.

Fractional T. 15. N. Range 3. East.
Gila and Salt River Meridian.

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Begin at Cor. to Secs. 13rd and 24th.
on the East boundary of the 24th.
from which Rod. I ran,
West on true line
between Secs 13rd and 24th.
to 140 22' East.

4000 Set a post marked 140. 1 ft long flattened
Zinc wire. 1 ft in the ground, drive chauld
stake and build mound of earth 2 ft high
with pits 2 x 1 x 1 ft for 14 sec 14. Not true mark

8000 Set a post marked and notched 140 long Zinc
square. 1 ft in the ground, drive chauld stake
and build mound of earth 2 ft high with
pits 2 x 1 x 1 ft for Cor. to Secs 13. 14. 23
and 24.

No trees near
Land gently slopes N. Soil ^{1/2} rate
No timber or undergrowth.

North between Secs. 13rd and 14th.
to 140 22' East.

Fractional T15 North Range E. E.
T14 & Salt River Meridian.

- Cho 20.40 Wash 20 lks wide flows NE
- 4000 Set a post marked 7/4 S. 4 ft long flattened
3 ins. wide 1 ft in the ground. deposit stone
marked + and build mound of earth 2 ft high
with 2 x 1 1/2 ft 1/4 sec of No trees near
- 69.90 Wash 20 lks wide, flows NE.
- 8000 Set a granite stone 14 x 12 x 6 ins. Protrude
notched, set 7/3 in the ground, and on N side
build mound of stone 2 ft high for Corner
Secs 11, 12, 13, & 14. No trees near
Said slopes NE. Soil ^{shaly} 2' rate
No timber or undergrowth

East on random line
between Secs 12 and 13.
W. 14. 22' East.

- 17.40 Wash 50 lks wide flows NE.
- 40.00 Set a post for temporary 1/4 sec Cor
- 80.00 Indirect E boundary of T15. 7 lks N of
Cor. to Secs 12 and 13. from which Cor

Fractional T. 15 N. Range 3 E,
Gila and Salt River Meridian.

Chs.

Iron.

N. 89° 57' W on true line

between Secs 12^{and} 13

or 140 22' East.

40.00 Subapost marked $\frac{1}{4}$ S. 4 ft long flattened
3 ins. wide, 1 ft in the ground. drive chauld
slake and build mound of earth 2 ft
high with pits 2 x 1 x 1 ft. for $\frac{1}{4}$ of sec cor.
No trees near.

80.00 The cor to Secs 11, 12, 13, and 14,
Land gently slopes NE. Soil ^{stony} & ^{drake} $\frac{1}{2}$ rabe,
No timber or undergrowth.

North between Secs 11^{and} 12

or 140 22' East

35.00 Irrigating ditch flows S.E.

40.00 Subapost marked $\frac{1}{4}$ S. 14 x 12 x 10 ins marked $\frac{1}{4}$
set $\frac{1}{3}$ in the ground, and build mound of stone
2 ft high. for $\frac{1}{4}$ sec cor. No trees near.

49.00 Barnum's house bears E. 10 chs dist

Fractional P. 15. N. Range 3 E.
Gila and Salt River Meridian

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53.85 Road bears NW. and SE.
67.40 " " " "
80.00 Set a post marked and marked 4 ft long 3 ins.
square. 1 ft in the ground, ^{drill chump spike} and build mound
of earth 2 ft high with pits 2 x 1 x 1 ft. for cot
to Secs. 1, 2, 11, and 12. No trees near
Layal level valley Soil 1st rate
No timber or undergrowth

Easton random line
between Secs 1 and 12.

vay 40 22' East

10.40 Verde River 90 yds wide flows S.
16.50 Road bears NW and SE.
40.00 Set a post for temporary 1/4 sec cot.
80.10 Insert E boundary of P. at Cot to
Secs 1 and 12. From which Cot. I run
Weston true line
between Secs 1 and 12
vay 40 22' East.

Fractional T. 13 N. Range B. E.,
Gila and Salt River Meridian

- Chs
- 40.05 Set a post marked 48.4 ft long flattened 3
ins. wide 1 ft in the ground, drive chisel stake
and build mound of earth 2 ft high with pits
2x1 ft for 1/4 sec cot. No trusmas
- 50.10 The Cor to Secs 1, 2, 11, and 12,
Lag and level bottom, Soil 1st rate.
Timber, an occasional Cottonwood

North on random line
between Secs 1 and 2
on 40° 22' East

- 40.00 Set a stone for temporary 1/4 sec cot.
- 40.10 Verde River. 1 ch. wide, flows S. E.
- 42.00 Road bears N. W. and S. E.
- 59.80 Wash flows S. W.
- 68.00 Leave valley bears S. E. and N. W. and
enter rolling Mesa.
- 80.00 Insect N. boundary of Sp 14 lks W
of Cor to Secs 1, and 2. From which Cor from
S. 0° 6' W. on true line

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Fractional T¹⁵N. Range 3 E.
Gila and Salt River Meridian

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between Secs. 1 and 9,
0° 14' 22" East

40.00 Set a granite stone 10x8x8 ins. Marked 1/4, set 2/3
in the ground, and build mound of stone 2 ft
high for 1/4 sec cor. No trees near.

80.00 The Cor. to Secs. 1, 2, 11, and 12.
Land mostly level valley. Soil 1st rate,
Timber a few Cedars in Sec 1.
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Weston true line

between Secs 14 and 23

0° 14' 22" East.

28.10 Road bears NW. and S E.

40.00 Set a post marked 1/4 5, 1 ft long flattened
3 ins wide 1 ft in the ground deposit stone
marked + and build mound of earth 2 ft high
with 6/16 2x1x1 ft for 1/4 sec cor. No trees near.

80.00 Set a limestone 12x12x12 ins. properly notched
set 2/3 in the ground and on W. side build
mound of stone 2 ft high for Cor to Secs

Fractional N. 15 N. Range 3. E.
Gila and Salt River Meridian.

No

14. 15. 22. 23 No trees near
Land slopes N.E. Soil 1st and 2^d grade
No timber or undergrowth

North between Secs 14th & 15th
by 40 22' East

- 3674 Gulch 40 ft wide flows N.E.
4000 Set a limestone 16 x 10 x 10 ins marked 7/4
set 2/3 in the ground and build mound
of stone 2 ft high for 4th sec lot. No trees near.
8000 Set a limestone 14 x 8 x 8 ins, properly notched
set 2/3 in the ground and on N side build mound
of stone 2 ft high, for Cor. to Secs 10. 11. 14th and
15th. No trees near
Land slopes N.E. Soil 1st and 2^d grade
No timber or undergrowth

East on random line
between Secs 11th & 12th
by 40 22' East

Fractional T157. Range 3, E.
Tila and Salt River Meridian

34.70 Road bears N. and S.
4000 Set a post for temporary 1/4 sec Cor
79.80 Inducet N. and S line 21 kds of Cor
to Secs 11, 12, 13 and 14. from which Cor I run
S. 89° 51' W on true line
between Secs 11 and 14
0.14027' East.

3990 Set a post marked 1/4 S. 4 ft long flat head 3 ins
wide 1 ft in the ground. deposit stone marked +
and build mound of earth 2 ft high with pits 2x1
x1 ft. for 1/4 sec Cor. No trees near.
79.80 The Cor to Secs. 10, 11, 14 and 15.
Land slopes N.E. Soil 1st and 2d rate
No timber or undergrowth

North between Secs 10 and 11,
0.14027' East

4000 Set a lime cone 14x10x10 ins marked 1/4
set 2/3 in the ground and build mound of
earth 2 ft high with pits 2x1x1 ft. for

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Tila and Salt River Meridian.

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1/4 sec cor. No trees near
 80.00 Set a granite stone, 14x12x12 ins. properly
 notched, set 1/2 in the ground, and on N. side
 built mound of stone 2 ft high for cor to
 sees 2, 3, 10, and 11. No trees near.
 Land gently slopes N E. Soil 1st and 2d rate
 No timber or undergrowth

East on random line
 between sees 2 and 11,
 1040 22' East.

0.10 Line runs along S. side of road.
 bears WNW, and E.
 5.50 Cross road, bears S E, and W.
 1000 Set a stone for temporary 1/4 sec cor
 6140 Irrigating ditch flows S E.
 6470 Road bears NW, and S E.
 7390 Road bears NW, and S E.
 80.00 Set a N and S line at cor to sees 1, 2,
 11, and 12. From which cor I run

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West on true line
between Secs 2nd and 11.

0⁰ 140⁰ 22' East

40⁰⁰ Set a granite stone 10x8x8 ins. marked $\frac{1}{4}$ sec
 $\frac{2}{3}$ in the ground and build mound of stone
2 ft high for $\frac{1}{4}$ sec cor. No trees near.

80⁰⁰ The cor to Secs 2, 3, 10th and 11.

Land level. soil 1st rate
No timber or undergrowth

North on random line

between Secs 2nd and 3

0⁰ 140⁰ 22' East

00⁰⁵ Road bears WNW. and E.

40⁰⁰ Set a stone for temporary $\frac{1}{4}$ sec cor.

80⁰⁸ Interset N boundary of Sp at cor. to Secs.
2nd and 3. from which cor I run

South on true line

between Secs 2nd and 3

0⁰ 140⁰ 22' East

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 Fractional T. 15. N. Range 3 E.
 Gila and Salt River Meridian.

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- 40.08 Set a granite stone $14 \times 12 \times 12$ ins marked $\frac{1}{4}$,
 set $\frac{2}{3}$ in the ground and build mound of
 earth 2 ft high with pits $2 \times 1 \times 1$ ft for
 $\frac{1}{4}$ sec cor. No trees near
- 80.08 The cor to secs 2, 3, 10, and 11
 Land gently slopes E. Soil 1st rate
 No timber or undergrowth

West on true line
 between Secs 10^{and} 15
 on $140^{\circ} 29'$ East.

- 40.00 Set a granite stone $10 \times 10 \times 10$ ins. marked $\frac{1}{4}$
 set $\frac{2}{3}$ in the ground and build mound of
 stone 2 ft high for $\frac{1}{4}$ sec cor.
 No trees near
- 80.00 Set a limestone $14 \times 14 \times 14$ ins. properly
 notched set $\frac{2}{3}$ in the ground and on W
 side build mound of stone 2 ft high
 for cor to secs 9, 10, 15, and 16. No trees near
 Land rolling and sloping NE. Soil 2nd rate.

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Timber. a few scrub cedars

North between Secs 9^{and} 10.
Va 14022' East

4000 Set a limestone 10 x 10 x 6 ins marked $\frac{1}{4}$ sec
 $\frac{2}{3}$ in the ground, and build mound of
stone 2 ft high for $\frac{1}{4}$ sec cor. No trees near.

8000 Set a granite stone 20 x 10 x 8 ins properly
notched set $\frac{3}{4}$ in the ground and on N. side
build mound of stone 2 ft high for cor
to Secs 3, 4, 9, and 10. No trees near
Land rolling and sloping E. Soil 2d rate,
Timber, scattering scrub cedar.

East on random line
between Secs 3 and 10
Va 14022' East

4000 Set a stone for temporary $\frac{1}{4}$ sec cor

8000 Intersect N and S line $\frac{1}{4}$ sec N of cor

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Gila and Salt River Meridian.

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to Secs 2, 3, 10, and 11, from which Cor. I run
N 89° 54' W on true line
between Secs 3 and 10.
by 14° 22' East.

40.00 Set granite stone 14x10x10 ins marked 1/4
set 2/3 in the ground and build mound of
earth 2 ft high with pits 2x1x1 ft. for 1/4
see Cor. No trees near

80.00 The Cor. to Secs 3, 4, 9, and 10.
Land gently slopes E. Soil 1st and 2^d rate.
No timber or undergrowth

North on random line
between Secs 3 and 4
by 14° 22' East

30.25 Road bears WNW, and ESE.
37.70 Wash 20 lks wide flows E.
40.00 Set stone for temporary 1/4 see Cor
79.90 Intersect N. boundary of Sp. at Cor

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to Secs 3rd & 4, from which cor I ran
South on true line
between Secs 3rd & 4
by 14° 22' East

3990 Set a granite stone 16x14x14 ins marked 1/4, set
7/32 in the ground and build mound of stone
2 ft high for 1/4 sec cor. No trees near.

7990 The cor to Secs 3, 4, 9, & 10.
Land slopes E. Soil plat^d & rate
No timber or undergrowth

West on true line
between Secs 4th & 9
by 14° 22' East

4000 Set a limestone 12x12x12 ins marked 1/4
set 7/32 in the ground and build mound of
stone 2 ft high for 1/4 sec cor. No trees near

6400 Dig in ascent of Black Hills. bear
WNW and SE.

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Gila and Salt River Meridian

8000 Set a volcanic stone, 20x12x12 ins properly
notched, set $\frac{3}{4}$ in the ground and on W.
side build mound of stone 2 ft high, for
cont. to sees 4, 5, 8, and 9. No trees near
Land slopes E. Soil 2d and 3d rate
Timber scattering cedar

North on random line
between sees 4 and 5.

V. 140 22' East

Begin descent from Coy slope
bears WNW. and S E.

12.50 Foot of slope and enter rolling mesa

4000 set stone for temporary $\frac{1}{4}$ sec cot

63,00 Road bears W, N.W. and E, E.

79.90 Intersect N boundary of Sp. 7. lks
E. of cot to sees 4 and 5, from which
cot.

Iron
S. 0° 3' E, on true line
between sees 4 and 5.

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Gila Salt River Meridian.

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W 1/4 221 East

3990 Set a granite stone 20 x 16 x 16 ins marked
1/4 set 3/4 in the ground and build mound
of stone 2 ft high, for 1/4 sec cot.

No true man.

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The cot to Secs 4, 5, 8, and 9.

Land rolling & sloping N.E. Soil 2nd & 3rd rate
Timber, a few cedars on end of line

April 26th 1877

General Description.

The surveyed portion of this Township
embraces all the land fit for any
use and contains some good farming
and grazing land

The Township contains but very
little timber, which consists of
scrub cedar on the Mesas, and

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Eila and Salt River Meridian.

Cottonwoods along the River
banks.

The Verde River flows through
the North Eastern portion of the
Township.

Five settlers engaged in
farming, have located along the
River bottom.

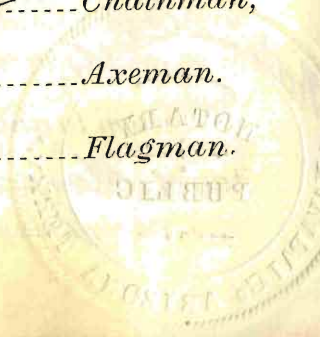
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U.S. Surveyor

List of Names.

A List of the Names of Individuals employed
 to assist in running, measuring, or marking the
 lines and corners described in the foregoing Field
 Notes of the survey of the subdivisions
 of Fractional Township 15 North
 Range 3 East
 Gila and Salt River Meridian
 Territory of Arizona

Showing the respective capacities in which they
 acted.

- Almerin Skutke Chainman.
- Richard Shrope Chainman,
- Paul Brutscheke Axeman.
- Flagman.



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Final Oath of Assistants.

We hereby certify that, we assisted W. C. Burton
Gaster U. S. Deputy Surveyor, in
surveying the out-division lines of
Practical Township 15 North
Range 3 East
Gila and Salt River Meridian
Territory of Arizona.

and that said Survey has been in all respects, to
the best of our knowledge and belief, well and
faithfully executed, and the boundary monuments
planted according to the instructions furnished by
the Surveyor-General.

Amerin S. Stinkle Chainman.

Richard Shrop Chainman,

Paul Brutochne Axeman.

Flagman.

William C. Gaster

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 31st
day of May, 1877.

William C. Gaster
Notary Public

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Final Oath of Deputy Surveyor.

I, C. Beaton

U. S. Deputy Surveyor, do solemnly swear that in pursuance of a contract with John Wasson, United States Surveyor-General for Arizona, bearing date the 11th day of October

1876. I have well, faithfully and truly, in my own proper person, and in strict conformity with the instructions furnished by the Surveyor-General, the Surveying Manual, and the laws of the United States, surveyed all those portions of the

subdivision lines of fractional
Township 15 North

Range 3 East

Gulf Salt River Meridian

Territory of Arizona

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 accordance with the Surveying Manual and printed instructions, and also in accordance with the additional requirements con-

2) tained in circular instructions from the U. S. Surveyor-General for Arizona, dated September 1, 1873, regarding the establishment of corner boundaries of public surveys, and that the foregoing are the true and original Field Notes of such surveys.

Burton Laster
Deputy Surveyor.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this *31st* day of *May*, 1877.

William C. Foster

William C. Foster
Notary Public



U. S. Surveyor General's Office,

TUCSON, ARIZONA, December 27, 1877.

The foregoing Field Notes of the Survey of the

Subdivision Lines of
Township 15 North.
Range 3 East.

Of the Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian, Arizona, executed by L. Bunter Foster,

Deputy Surveyor, under his contract of the 11th
day of October, 1876, having been

critically examined and the necessary corrections and explanations made, the said Field Notes and the surveys they describe are hereby approved.

John Masson.
Surveyor General.