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FIELD NOTES

OF THE SURVEY OF THE

Third Guide Meridian East
through Townships No. 26 North,
Between Ranges Nos. 12 and 13 East

of the Gila and Salt Rivers Base and Meridian,

in the Territory of Arizona

EXECUTED
AS SURVEYED BY

Van L. White U.S. Surveyor, United States Deputy Surveyor,
Special Deputation from the Commissioner of the General Land Office
Under his Contract No. _____, dated Oct 2nd 1907 and May 15th 1908

Survey commenced October 13th, 1910

Survey completed October 14th, 1910

T. Y. WhiteChairmanOscar W. FettessChairmanGeorge B. SeigChairmanNelson PolaccoChairmanRalph C. SampsonMoundmanWilliam R. CarsonFlagman

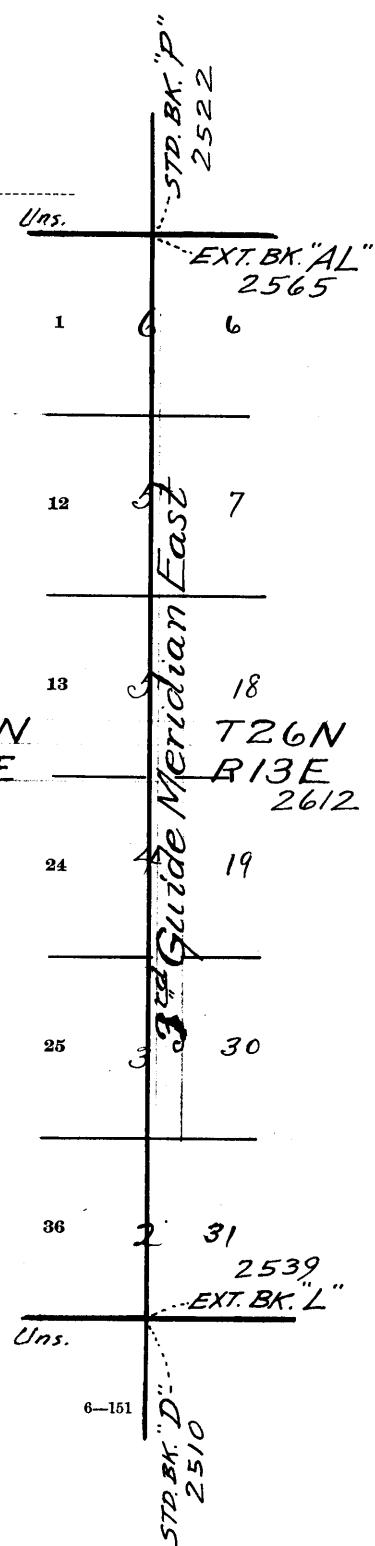
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PRELIMINARY OATHS OF ASSISTANTS.

WE, T. Y. White, George Blieg, Nelson Palacca and
Oscar W Fettler
do solemnly swear that we will well and faithfully execute the duties of chainmen; that we will level the chain upon even and uneven ground, and plumb the tally pins, either by sticking or dropping the same; that we will report the true distances to all notable objects, and the true lengths of all lines that we assist in measuring, to the best of our skill and ability, and in accordance with instructions given us, in the survey of
3rd Guide Meridians E. through Tps 26 N beh. Rs 12 and 13 E.
George B. Sieg and G. & S. R. Base & Mer. Arizona.
Nelson Palacca and Oscar W Fettler, Chainmen.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th
day of Oct., 1910 }



Van L. White
U.S. Surveyor

I, Ralph C. Sampson

do solemnly swear that ~~I~~ will well and truly perform the duties of moundman in the establishment of corners, according to the instructions given ~~me~~ to the best of my skill and ability, in the survey of
3rd Guide Meridians E. through Tps 26 N beh. Rs 12 and 13 E.
G. & S. R. Base & Meridian, Arizona.

Ralph C. Sampson, Moundman.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th
day of Oct., 1910 }



Van L. White
U.S. Surveyor

We, _____ and _____

do solemnly swear that we will well and truly perform the duties of axmen in the establishment of corners and other duties, according to instructions given us, to the best of our skill and ability, in the survey of

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th
day of _____, 1910 }



I, William P. Pearson, do solemnly swear that I will well and truly perform the duties of flagman according to instructions given me, to the best of my skill and ability, in the survey of 3rd. Guide, Meridians E. through Tps 26 N beh. Rs 12 and 13 E.
G. & S. R. Base & Mer., Arizona.

William P. Pearson, Flagman.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th
day of Oct., 1910 }



Van L. White
U.S. Surveyor

Survey commenced October 13th, ¹⁹¹⁰ And executed with a
Young & Sons light mountain transit no. 10 with
a Smith solar attachment. The horizontal limb is
provided with two double verniers placed opposite
to each other reading to single minutes of arc. which
is also the least count of the verniers of the lat.
and decl. arcs.

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At my camp which I locate near the cov. of sec.
15, 16, 21 and 22. T 26 N., R 13 E., Latitude $35^{\circ}38' \frac{1}{2}''$ N.
Longitude $110^{\circ}57' \frac{1}{2}''$ W. At 8^h 47^m p.m. l.m.t. Obs. off. $35^{\circ}38' \frac{1}{2}''$ N. on the lat. arc. $7^{\circ}41'$ S. on the decl.
arc and determine a meridian with the solar
and mark a point thereof by a tach driven in a
stake set in the ground 5 chs. N. of my instrument
At 8^h 12^m p.m. l.m.t. by my watch which is
correct local mean time. Observe Polaris in
accordance with instructions in the manual and
mark the direction thus determined by a tach
driven in a stake set firmly in the ground
5.00 chs N. of my instrument.

Automonical time of observation Oct. 13, 1910	8 ^h 12 ^m
Reduction to October Oct 12 th	32 12.
Astrom. time U.C. Polaris Oct. 1 st	12 ^h 48.6
Reduction to 12 th Part II Subtract	<u>43.2</u>
Astrom. time U.C. Polaris Oct. 12 th	12 05.3 Subtract
Star angle Polaris at observation	20 06.7
Subtract from	<u>23 56.1</u>
True arguments for table <u>VII</u>	3 49 4
Azimuth of Polaris at observation	$1^{\circ} 11 \frac{1}{2}' E.$

October 13th 1910.

October 14th ¹⁹¹⁰ At 7^h. 0m. a.m. ^{l.m.t.} lay off the azimuth of Polaris
 $1^{\circ}11 \frac{1}{2}'$ to the west and mark the meridian thus
determined by a tach driven in the stake set
last evening on which the meridian falls. 0.3.
m. E. of of the point determined by the solar
observation

At 7^h 18^m a.m. l.m.t. Obs. off. $35^{\circ}38' \frac{1}{2}''$ N. on the
lat. arc. $7^{\circ}54'$ S. on the decl. arc and determine
a meridian with the solar and mark a point

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thereof by a stake driven in the stake already.
slb. 5.00 chs. N. of my instrument, This fourth
falls 0.2 ins. East of the meridian established by
the Polaris observation.

The solar apparatus by p.m. and a.m. observations
defined positions for meridians respectively about
0'15" West. and 0'10" East of the meridian determined
by the Polaris observation therefore I conclude that
the adjustments of the instrument are satisfactory
I begin at the cor. of Rps. 25 and 26 N., R's 12 and 13 E.,
estab. by Sidney E. Blout, Feb 8, 1910
which is an iron post 8 ins. in diam. 12 ins. above
ground, firmly set. marked on brass cap T 26 N.
on N. half, T 25 N. on S. half, R 128 S 36 in N.W.
R 138 S 31 in N.E. R 138 S 6 in S.E. R 128 S 1 in S.W.
quadrant. with pits 24x24x12 ins. on line. N.E.
and W.4 ft. and 3 of post. 8 ft. dist. with a mound
of earth 5 ft. base 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. high S. of cor. Latitude
35° 35' 48" N. Longitude 111° 00' 32" W.

At 9^h 00 m a.m. <sup>10th set off 35° 36' N. on the lat. arc
7° 58' S. on the decl. arc and determine a meridian
with the solar. three times.</sup>

North sec. 31 and 36.

Over rolling sandy land through sage and greasewood
brush undergrowth and bunch grass

30.96 Dry sand wash 100 lbs. wide 4 ft. deep coarse 825° W.
Difference bet. measurements of 4.00 chs. by
two sets of chainmen is 0.4 lbs. position of
middle point.

By 1st set. 39.98 chs.

By 2nd set. 40.02 chs. the mean of which is
40.00 Set an iron post 3 ft. long 1 in. in diam. 26 ins.
in the ground for $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. cor. marked on brass
cap 1/4 S 36 on W. half and S 31 on E. half.

Dig pits 18x18x12 ins. N. and S. of post. 3 ft. dist.
and raise a mound of earth 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. base 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft.
high W of cor.

Difference between measurements of 80.00 chs.
by two sets of chainmen is 0.4 lbs. position
of middle point.

By 1st set. 79.98 chs.

By 2nd set. 79.98 chs. the mean of which is
80.00 Set an iron post 3 ft. long 3 ins. in diam. 24 ins.

in the ground for cor. of sec. 25, 30, 31 and 36
marked on brass cap T26 N. in N. half, R12 E. S.
25 in N.W., R13 E S30 in N.E. S31 in S.E. and S36
in S.W. quadrant.

Dig pits 18x18x12 ins. in each sec. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. dist.
and raise a mound of earth 4 ft. base, 2 ft. high.
W. of cor.

Land rolling.

Soil sandy ~~grd~~ rate.

No timber

North lat. sec. 25 and 30.

Around S. slope over rolling sandy land through
sage and greasewood brush undergrowth and
bunch grass

3,000 Top of ridge bears N 30° E. and S 30° W. due, gently
N.W. slope

Difference bet. measurements of 40,000 chs. by two
sets of chainmen is 02 lks. position of middle
points.

By 1st set. 40,01 chs.

By 2nd set 39,99 chs. the mean of which is
40,000 ft. an iron post 3 ft. long 1 in. in diam. 26 ins.
in the ground for 1/4 sec. cor. marked on brass cap.
1/4 S 25 in W. half and S30 in E. half
Dig pits 18x18x12 ins. N. and S. of post 3 ft. dist.
and raise a mound of earth 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. base, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. high.
W. of cor.

70,000 Roots of desert in depression bear N.E. and
S.W. drains to the S.W. all gradually.
Difference bet. measurements of 80,80 chs. by
two sets of chainmen is 04 lks. position of
middle point.

By 1st set. 80,02 chs.

By 2nd set. 79,98 chs. the mean of which is
80,000 ft. an iron post 3 ft. long 3 ins. in diam. 24 ins.
in the ground for cor. of secs. 19, 24, 25 and 30
marked on brass cap T26 N. in N. half, R12 E.
S24 in N.W., R13 E S19 in N.E. S30 in S.E. and
S25 in S.W. quadrant.
Dig pits 18x18x12 ins. in each sec. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. dist. and

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raise a mound of earth 4 ft. base, 2 ft. high W. of cor.

Land rolling.

Soil sandy 3rd rate.

No timber

North sec. 19 and 24

Around S.E. slope over sandy land through sage and greasewood bush undergrowth and bunch grass
18.90 Top of perpendicular bluff 40 ft. high, bear E. and W. around

20.00 Top of bluff, thence over rolling sandy land

38.00 Begin descent over rolling N.E. slope

Difference between measurements of 40.00 chs. by two sets of chainmen is .06 lbs., position of middle point
By 1st set 39.97 chs.

By 2nd set 40.03 chs. the mean of which is.

40.00 Set an iron post 3 ft. long 1 in. in diam 26 in. in the ground for 1/4 sec. cor. marked on brass cap T 26 S 24 on W. half and S 19 on E. half.

Dig pits 18x18x12 ins. N and S. of post 3 ft. dist. and raise a mound of earth 3 1/2 ft. base, 1 1/2 ft. high W. of cor.

NOTE On this cor. I set off 8° 01' S. on the decl. arc and at noon observe the sun on the meridian and obtain a reading of 35° 38' N. on the lat. arc.

Difference between measurements of 80.00 chs. by two sets of chainmen is 0.4 lbs., position of middle point.

By 1st set 80.02 chs.

By 2nd set 79.98 chs. the mean of which is

80.00 Set an iron post 3 ft. long 3 in. in diam 24 ins. in the ground for cor. of Recs. 13, 18, 19 and 24 marked on brass cap. T 26 N. in N. half, R 12 E S 13 in N.W.

R 12 E S 18 in N.E. S 19 in S.E. and S 24 in S.W. quadrants.

Dig pits 18x18x12 ins in each sec 5 1/2 ft. dist. and raise a mound of earth 4 ft. base, 2 ft. high W. of cor. Land rolling and broken.

Soil sandy and stony 3rd rate

No timber

	North beh. sec. 13 and 18.	BOOK 2521
	Second N.E. slope over hilly sandy land through sage and greasewood brush undergrowth and bunch grass.	
4.80	Dry ravine 10 ltrs. wide 16 ft. below cor. course N.E. asc.	
7.50	Hop of ridge bears N.E. and S.W. desc.	
15.30	Dry ravine course east asc.	
28.15	Hop of ridge bears E. and W. extends 30 ltrs E of line desc.	
32.05	Dry ravine 10 ltrs. wide course east asc	
39.00	Hop of sand ridge bears E. and W. desc. Difference between measurements of 40.00 chs. by two sets of chainmen is .04 ltrs. position of middle point By 1 st beh. 39.98 chs.	
40.00	Set an iron post 3 ft. long 1 in. in diam. 26 in. in the ground for 1/4 sec. cor. marked on base cap 1/4 S 13° OW half and 318 on E. half. Raise a mound of stone 2 ft. base, 1 1/2 ft. high W. of cor. Pits impracticable	
79.00	Dry ravine 50 ltrs. wide 3 ft. deep course S 45° E. asc Difference between measurements of 80.00 chs. by two sets of chainmen is .06 ltrs. position of middle point By 1 st beh 79.97 chs.	
80.00	Set an iron post 3 ft. long 3 in. in diam. 24 in. in the ground for cor. of sec. 7, 12, 13, and 18. marked on base cap + 26 N. in N. half R 17 & S 12 in N.W. R 18 & S 7 in N.E. S 18 in S.E. and S 13 in S.W. quadrants.	
	Dig pits 18 x 18 x 12 in. in each sec. 5 1/2 ft. dist. and raise a mound of earth 4 ft. base, 2 ft. high. W. of cor.	
	Land hilly.	
	Soil sandy and rate.	
	No timber	

North beh. sec. 7 and 12.

Second S. slope over rolling sandy land through

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sage and greasewood brush undergrowth and bunch grass.

36.00 Top of sandridge bears E and W. descend gently over N. slope.

Difference between measurements of 40.00 chs. by two sets of chainmen is 0.2 chs. position of middle point.

By 1st Set. 40.01 chs.

By 2nd Set 39.99 chs. the mean of which is.

40.00 Set an iron post 3 ft. long 1 in. in diam. 26 in. in the ground for 7/4 sec. Cor. marked on brass cap. 145 12 on W. half and 87 on E. half.

Dig pits. 18 x 18 x 12 in. N and S. of post. 3 ft. dist. and raise a mound of earth 3 1/2 ft. base, 1 1/2 ft. high W. of cor.

40.86 Dry ravine 10 lbs. wide course S.W. acc. gradually. Difference between measurements of 80.00 chs. by two sets of chainmen is 0.4 chs. position of middle point.

By 1st Set. 39.98 chs.

By 2nd Set. 40.02 chs., the mean of which is

80.00 Set an iron post 3 ft. long 3 in. in diam. 24 in. in the ground for cor. of secs. 1, 6, 7 and 12. marked on brass cap. T 26 N. in N. half, R 12 E S 1 in N. W. R 13 E 36 in N.E. 37 in S.E. and 812 in S.W. quadrants.

Dig pits 18 x 18 x 12 in. in each sec. 5 1/2 ft. dist. and raise a mound of earth 4 ft. base 2 ft. high W. of cor.

Land rolling.

Soil sandy 3rd rate.

No timber

North Secs. 1 and 6.

Around S.W. slope over rolling sandy land through sage and greasewood brush undergrowth and bunch grass.

Difference between measurements of 40.00 chs. by two sets of chainmen is 0.6 chs., position of middle point.

By 1st Set. 40.03 chs.

- By 2nd Set 39.97 chs. the mean of which is
400.0 Set an iron post 3 ft. long 1 in. in diam. 26 ins. in
the ground for $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. cor. marked on brass cap.
 $\frac{1}{4}S1owW.$ half and $S6$ on E. half.
Raise a mound of stone 2 ft. base $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft. high. W. of
cor. Bits impracticable
- 42.00 Top of sand ridge bears N.E. and S.W., lower rolling
land bears N.E. and S.W. Enter stony hilly land
bears N.E. and S.W. due. N.W. slope of ridge.
- 51.78 Dry ravine coarse wash-are.
- 60.12 Top of rocky ridge bears E and W., extends W. of
line 2.00 chs. dist. due.
- 78.00 Dry ravine 20 lks. wide coarse wash-are.
Difference between measurements of 80.00 chs
by two sets of chainmen is 10 lks., position of
middle point.
- By 1st Set 80.05 chs.
- By 2nd Set 79.95 chs. the mean of which is
80.00 Set an iron post 3 ft. long 3 ins. in diam. 24 ins.
in the ground for cor. of Twp. 26 and 27 N. Rgs 12
and 13 E., marked on brass cap. T 27 N. in N. half
and T 26 N. in S. half. R 12 E. S 36 in N.W. R 13 E S 31
in N.E., R 13 E S 6 in S.E. and R 12 E S 1 in S.W.
quadrate.
- Raise a mound of stone 2 ft. base, $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft. high S. of cor.
Bits impracticable
Land rolling and hilly.
Soil sandy and stony 3^{rd} and 4^{th} rate.
No timber

October 14th 1910

General Description

Townsip 26 N., Range 12 and 13 East are
generally rolling sandy mesa lands, producing
an abundant growth of bunch grass, and
there is some good land along the De Nefito Wash.
in township 26 north. Range 13 East.

October 14th 1910

Sam L. White

U.S. Surveyor

U.S. TRANSITMAN
FINAL OATHS OF DEPUTY SURVEYOR AND HIS ASSISTANTS.

LIST OF NAMES.

A list of the names of the individuals employed by Van L. White

U.S. Transitman, United States Deputy Surveyor, to assist in running, measuring, and marking the lines and corners described in the foregoing field notes of the survey of 3rd. Guide Meridian E. through Tps 26 N bet. Rs 12 and 13 E.
G. & S. R. Base & Mer., Arizona.
 showing the respective capacities in which they acted:

George B. Seig and T. Y. White, Chainman.

Nelson Polacka and Oscar W. Fettner, Chainman.

Ralph C. Sampson, Moundman.

, Moundman.

, Axman.

, Axman.

William R. Carson, Flagman.

FINAL OATH OF ASSISTANTS.

We hereby certify that we assisted Van L. White

U.S. Transitman, United States Deputy Surveyor, in surveying all those parts or portions of the 3rd Guide Meridian E. through Tps 26 N, bet. Rs 12 and 13 E.

of the Gila and Salt River Basins and meridian, Territory of Arizona, which are represented in the foregoing field notes as having been surveyed by him and under his direction; and that said survey has been in all respects, to the best of our knowledge and belief, well and faithfully surveyed, and the corner monuments established, according to the instructions furnished by the United States Surveyor General's Office.

George B. Seig and C. Y. White, Chainman.

Nelson Polacka and Oscar W. Fettner, Chainman.

Ralph C. Sampson, Moundman.

, Moundman.

, Axman.

, Axman.

William R. Carson, Flagman.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Oct, 1910



Van L. White
U.S. Transitman.

FINAL OATH OF UNITED STATES DEPUTY SURVEYORTRANSITMANI, Van L. WhiteTransitman

United States Deputy Surveyor do solemnly swear that, in pursuance of a contract received from the Commissioner of the United States Surveyor General for General Land Office, bearing date of the 2nd day of Oct 1907, and the 15th day of May 1908, I have well, faithfully, and truly, in my own proper person, and in strict conformity with the instructions furnished by the United States Surveyor General for General Land Office, the Manual of Surveying Instructions, and the laws of the United States, surveyed all those parts or portions of the Third Guide Meridian, East, through Tps. 26 North, between Ranges No. 12 and 13 East.

of the Gila and Salt

River Base and meridian, in the Territory of Arizona, which are represented in the foregoing field notes as having been surveyed by me, and 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 Manual of Surveying Instructions, and the special written instructions of the United States Surveyor General for General Land Office, and in the specific manner described in the field notes, and that the foregoing are the original field notes of such survey.

Van L. WhiteUnited States Deputy S.Transitman

Subscribed by said Van L. White, and sworn to before me }
this 27th day of December, 1912 }

Lyon R. Taylor,U.S. Commissionerat Las Cruces, N.M.APPROVAL.

OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES SURVEYOR GENERAL,

Phoenix, Arizona APR 25, 1914The foregoing field notes of the survey of the

3rd Guide Meridian East thru
Tps. 26 North, between
Ranges 12 and 13 East of the
Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian, Arizona.

executed by Van L. White, U.S. Transitman

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE
under the contract No. 10 dated OCTOBER 2, 1907 and MAY 15, 1908, having been critically examined, and the necessary corrections and explanations made, the said field notes, and the surveys they describe, are hereby approved.

Frank LangfordUnited States Surveyor General
SURVEYOR-GENERAL OF ARIZONA

I certify that the foregoing transcript of the field notes of the above-described surveys in _____, has been correctly copied from the original notes on file in this office.

United States Surveyor General.