

Proposal and Agreement to Survey  
the Eastern Boundary of Nevada

I Isaac E. James of  
Virginia State of Nevada, practical  
Astronomer and Surveyor  
having been selected by the U. S.  
Davis U. S. Surveyor General for  
the State of Nevada as the Astrono-  
mer and Surveyor for the establish-  
ment of the Eastern boundary line  
of Nevada as described in Section  
142 of "An Act concerning  
the boundaries of the State of Nevada"  
approved May 5 1866 U. S. Statutes  
at Large Vol. 14, Page 43, I  
oblige myself to execute the  
said survey astronomically in the  
following manner:

Inasmuch as the foregoing is  
an important geographical line  
I will determine it by series of  
astronomical observations which  
will be reduced and subjected to  
a rigorous discussion and the final