

Field Notes and description of the
Monument established by me for the North
East corner of the State of California.

Having ascertained from actual Survey
and measurement that the 120th Degree
of Longitude (as established by Daniel
G. Major, U.S. Astronomer & Surveyor, at the
42nd Degree of North Latitude, for the
North east corner of the State of California)
at a distance of one hundred miles due
South from said corner, viz: at North
Latitude 40° 33'. 3" fell 3 miles 25 chains
and 57 links (264 chns 51 lks) to the west of
my flag line brought up from a point
at Crystal Peak, which point I established
by Telegraph as the 120° of Longitude
west from Greenwich, I concluded to adopt
my own line as the correct Longitude.

I therefore made calculations for
convergency of meridians between North
Latitude 40° 33'. 3" and North Latitude
42°, and found the convergency for
the difference of latitude of 1° 26'. 5" to
be 5 chains and 7/8 links.

From Majors corner I therefore ran
Var 18° 37' East.

East,

264 chains 51 links, less 5 chns 7/8 lks,
convergency of meridians in 100 miles,
equal 258 chains and 7/3 links, or
Three miles 18 chains and 7/3 links,
at which point I established a large
Stone Monument for the North East
Corner of the State of California.

This Monument is set in a core
of Juniper Trees, on the South Bank
of Twelve Mile Creek, 1° 20' South of
edge of Bluff, and a sketch thereof