

Statement: concerning the Survey of the West Boundary of Townships 21, 22, 23 and 24 North, between Ranges 17 and 18 East, by Andrew J. Hatch Deputy Surveyor, under his Contract dated July 30th 1867.

In accordance with the conditions of my Contract dated July 30th 1867 and special instructions from the Surveyor General's Office I ran the West Boundary of Townships N 21, 22, 23 and 24 North between Ranges N 17 and 18 East, on the California and Nevada State Line,

I found corners established thereon marked for and corresponding to the East boundary of those Townships in Range N 17 E being also marked for corresponding corners in Range N 18 East. - For instance on the West Boundary of Sec 30 T 21 N. R 18 E, at 2.53 chains I find a post in mound with pits marked for corner to sections 24 and 25 in T 21 N. Range 17 East, also marked for sections 19 and 30 in T 21 N. R 18 E, this is an error as will be seen by reference to the accompanying Plat,

Settlers living in Range 18 East of and near the State Line, who were on the ground at the time I was engaged in running this line, contended that their lands lay in the sections indicated by the marks on the post on the East side of the line. It was with considerable difficulty that I convinced them of their