

Eighth Standard Parallel North 4

Field Notes of the Survey of the
Eighth Standard Parallel North
through Ranges 52-53-54th & 55 East
Mount-Diablo Baseth Meridian

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Begin December 7th 1870 at a
Point 8 chth & 17 lks West of the
Closing Corner to Townships 40 North,
Ranges 54th & 55 East, (previously
established, being the Convergency that
would arise in running the Range line
North from the 7th Standard, being
3^{ch} & 17^{lks} for each Range West of the
Ruby Valley Guide Meridian, I set a
charred Post in mound with pits as per
instructions for Standard Corner to
Townships 41 North, Ranges 54th & 55
East, and run thence along the 8th
Standard in Range 55 East, having
ascertained the Variation of my Compass
at this point by observation on Polaris