

## [2.—PRELIMINARY OATH OF CHAINMEN.]

We, Samuel C. Purkeeand Frank J. Bingham

do solemnly swear that we will well and faithfully execute the duties of chain-carriers; 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 distance to all notable objects, and the true length of all lines that we assist in measuring, to the best of our skill and ability, and in accordance with the instructions given us, in

the survey of the Centras and Subdivisions of  
Townships 40 North Range 56 & 57 East

" 41 " " 57 " 58 "

" 42 " " " " "

" 43 " " " " "

of the Mt. Diablo base and meridian, in the District of Nevada.

Samuel C. Purkee, Chainman.

Frank J. Bingham, Chainman.

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....., Chainman.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 1<sup>st</sup> day of

June 1897

Alexander J. Chalmers

U.S. Deputy Surveyor