

12. Re-Survey of Sub-divisions of Tp. 45 N., R. 26 E.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION.

In this township agricultural land exists only in the following sections; namely: secs. 2, 3, 9, 10, 11, 14, 17 and 18. Secs. 17 and 18 have already been surveyed. The re-survey of the latter and the survey of the remaining comprise the total sub-divisional work of this survey. The agricultural land in the eastern part of Section 10 and in secs. 11 and 14 consists of a rich, sandy loam bottom land along Sand or Sagebrush Creek, covered at the present time with a rank growth of sagebrush. Considerable water flows down Sand or Sagebrush Creek in wet seasons but at the present time water comes to the surface in a few places only. The building of a reservoir near the head waters is no doubt practicable whereby the entire bottom land could be irrigated.

The agricultural land in the other sections consists of bottom lands along the branches of Thousand Creek.

Most of same is irrigated by Thousand Creek and raises good crops of wild hay. Thousand Creek flows the year around and is a stream of clear fresh water.

The remainder of the township consists almost entirely of rough, broken mountainous land, destitute of vegetation and uninhabited by man. Late basaltic intrusions have upheaved, broken and tilted the later sedimentary beds of lime and clay leaving the latter with their rough upturned edges intermingled in the most intricate and complicated manner.

NOTE:-- As there was no Notary Public within 100 miles of this township at this time, I, myself administered the preliminary and final oaths, to my assistants.

Albert C. Horton Jr.
U. S. Deputy Surveyor.