

General Description.

The east range of sections in this fractional portion of this township is made up of mountainous to rough mountainous, the western portion sloping off to the northwest into low rolling bench land.

There are numerous limestone outcroppings and ledges in the more mountainous areas.

The soil in the highlands is generally rocky clay, while the lower elevations have a gravelly loam, with occasional small areas of sandy loam in the bottoms.

A good stand of juniper, pinon, and mountain mahogany prevails in the higher elevations.

The predominant types of undergrowth, are sagebrush, buck brush, and choke cherry.

This portion of the township has many springs for all purposes. Some of them carry high temperatures, and are considered of medicinal value.

The Bruffey Ranch in secs. 13 and 14, is under a high state of cultivation, and for years has been profitable for stock raising, there being good ranges in the near vicinity.

Considerable prospecting has been carried on, but no mineral in paying quantities has been developed.

Palisade, Nevada, a town on the Southern Pacific and Western Pacific Railways, is the nearest postoffice, it being located about 35 miles from the Bruffey Ranch by highway.