

INDEPENDENT RESURVEY, 3RD STAN. PAR. S., S. BDY. OF
T. 12 S., R. 66 E.

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INDEPENDENT RESURVEY, SUPERSEDING SURVEY
EXECUTED BY R. H. WOODS, U.S. DEPUTY SURVEYOR IN 1881.

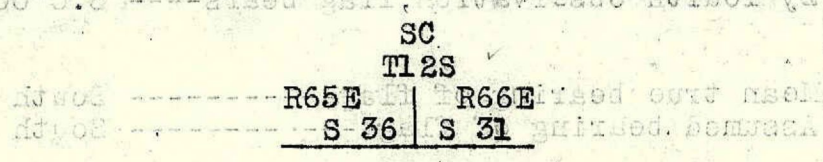
During the preliminary surveys and retracements prior to the resurvey and monumentation of the Third Standard Parallel South through Rs. 66, 67, 68, 69, 70 and 71 E., very careful and extended searches were made for evidence of the original surveys. No original standard corners were found east of the standard township corner from which this resurvey is initiated. Several unidentified monuments were found in the first mile but, being at great variance with the record and being apparently of more recent origin, are not accepted as authentic public land corners, and are considered only as land markers of private surveyors. The initial corner of this survey is in relative harmony with public land surveys to the north, west and south.

Beginning at the original standard corner of T. 12 S., Rs. 65 and 66 E., which is a sandstone, 14x10x8 ins. above ground, firmly set in a scattered mound of stone, marked 6 grooves on the E. and W. faces and SC on the N. face.

The original record calls for a sandstone, 30x18x16, marked SC with 6 notches on NE. and W. faces.

The record markings on the N. face are not apparent.

This corner is reconstructed as follows:
At the corner pt., set an iron post, 3 ft. long, 3 ins. in diam., 30 ins. in the ground, with brass cap mkd.



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raise a mound of stone, 4 ft. base, 3 ft. high, N. of cor. East, with the resurvey of the third standard parallel south, along the S. bdy. of Sec. 31, T. 12 S., R. 66 E., on a transit line describing the secant, which starts at a point 4 lks. S. of the Tp. cor., and bears N. 89° 58' E. Over rolling and broken mesa land draining generally to the SW., through scattering small undergrowth. Ascend gradually, 60 ft. to

20.50 West rim of low mesa, bears NE. and S., continue over flat top of mesa.

39.80 East rim of mesa, bears NE. and SW., desc. abrupt SE. slope 20 ft.

Diff. bet. meas. of 40.00 chs. by two sets of chainmen, 4 lks.; position of middle point-- By 1st set, 40.02 chs. By 2nd set, 39.98 chs.; the mean of which is

40.00 N. 2 lks. from the secant, Set an iron post, 3 ft. long, 1 in. in diam., 30 ins. in