T. 12 N., R. 56 E., Mt. Diablo Mer., Nevada

CHAINS

## GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The area surveyed and resurveyed is situated around Duckwater, Nevada. The elevation varies from 5,300 to 5,600 ft. above sea level. The soil consists mainly of sandy loam.

Access to the area is provided by Nevada State Highway No. 20, which crosses the area from south to north. Further access is provided by numerous gravel, dirt, and jeep roads.

Drainage to the area is provided by Duckwater Creek, which drains in generally a southerly direction. Numerous irrigation ditches from Duckwater Creek, provide water for cultivation purposes. The principle uses of the land are for growing hay and grazing cattle.

No mineral deposits of value were noted.

The mean magnetic declination is  $16\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  E., with a range of 1° due to local attraction.