

PRIMARY CORNER DESCRIPTION S Cor. Secs. 16 & 17

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GLO survey by W.H. Byars under contract #279, dated March 5, 1878 - (DCSO records Vol. 6 Page(s) 2638)

Set Dogwood post 5 ft. long, 5" dia., 20" in ground for the sec. corner between Secs. 16, 17, 20, & 21, from which
 A Fir, 16" dia., bears N.10°E., 33 lks.
 A Fir, 20" dia., bears S.88°E., 26 lks.
 A Fir, 48" dia., bears S.60°W., 16 lks.
 A Fir, 20" dia., bears N.70°W., 9 lks.

GLO survey by Oscar F. Thiel, under contract # 688, dated June 9, 1898 - (DCSO records Vol. 7 Page(s) 2691)

I re-establish the cor. by setting a Hemlock post, 3 ft. long, 4" sq. 24" in the ground for cor. of secs. 16, 17, 20, & 21, marked & witnessed as described by the surveyor general; I destroy all marks, referring to sec. 21 & 17. Set a hemlock post, 3 ft long, 4" sq. 24" in the ground, for cor. of secs. 16 & 17, mkd: T23S S16 on NE, and R9W S17 on NW faces with 4 notches on E edge, from which
 A Fir, 40" dia. bears N.50°E., 48 lks. mkd:T23S R9W S16 BT
 A Fir, 36" dia. bears N.64°W., 69 lks. mkd:T23S R9W S17 BT

H.T. Lewis, Eng. 722 - "Old" Corner Renewal Book pg. 42 - Dec. 27, 1933

I found both witness trees as described in the field notes, but NW tree was dead. I therefore:
Set - A fir post 4' long 4" dia., 18' in the ground, as there were no available trees to the NW, I marked:
 12" Hemlock, which bears S.69°W., 20.0 ft., mkd: T23S R9W S20 BT #722.

BLM Dependent resurvey by James E. Jelley and Rolla R. Steward, Cadastral Surveyors under Group #703 surveyed July 1969 - May 1970 - (DCSO records Vol. 35 Page(s) 14560-1)

The orig. closing cor. of secs. 16 & 17, bears North, 11 lks., monumented with a rotted stake, with fragmentary scribe marks visible on N side, alongside of which is an iron pipe, 1" dia., firmly set, protruding 18" above ground, from which OBTs:
 A sawed Fir stump, 50" dia. bears N.50°E., 48 lks. with scribe marks T23S R9W S16 BT visible on opened blaze.
 A rotted Fir stump, 45" dia. bears N.64°W., 69 lks. no marks visible.
and locally established BT
 A Hemlock, 17" dia., bears S.66°W., 32 lks., with healed blaze.