

## County Surveyor's Record, Douglas County, Oregon

T. 32 S., R.7 W.

CHAINS

## GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The portion of township 32 south, range 7 west, as covered by this resurvey lies about 12 miles southwest of Riddle, Oregon, in mountainous country. Elevations range from about 1,600 feet above sea level to about 2,800 feet above sea level on the main ridge in the western part of section 3. The soil is rocky clay with rock outcrops noted along the lines resurveyed. The land is suited mainly for timber purposes.

Section 3 drains in a northeasterly direction into Middle Creek, which flows southwesterly into Cow Creek several miles to the west.

The timber is predominately Douglas fir, with stands of pine, white fir, hemlock, maple, madrone, chinquapin, yew, alder, cedar, and dogwood. The undergrowth consists of salal, gooseberry, huckleberry, Oregon grape, poison oak, live oak, hazel, arrowwood, vine maple, young timber, ferns, and vines.

Access is gained via the Cow Creek Road from Riddle to Middle Creek Road. A dirt road leaves Middle Creek Road at Buck Creek which traverses through the northern and western portions of section 3. There is no habitation in the immediate vicinity.

No mineral deposits were noted along the lines resurveyed.

The average of several readings over the area gives a value of  $19^{\circ} 30'$  E. for the mean magnetic declination. There is a range of  $30'$  in local attraction.