

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

## Subdivision of Section 31, T. 29 S., R. 8 W.

## CHAINS

- 12.35 Woven wire fence, bears N. and S.; enter pasture.
- 13.70 Top of ascent, slopes N.; desc. 80 ft. over broken NW. slope.
- 25.60 Woven wire fence, bears NW. and SE.; enter logged area and dense undergrowth.
- 32.95 Dirt road, 15 lks. wide, bears N. 10° W. and S. 10° E.
- 35.15 Barbed wire fence, bears N. and S.
- 39.80 Dirt road, 15 lks. wide, bears N. and S.
- 41.54 Intersect SW. cor. of a house, dimensions 24 ft. x 48 ft., long side bears N. 80° E.
- 42.35 Creek, 5 lks. wide, course N. 30° W.; asc. 15 ft. over NE. slope.
- 44.05 The N 1/16 sec. cor. of secs. 31 and 36, on the W. bdy. of the Tp.

## GENERAL DESCRIPTION

Section 31, township 29 south, range 8 west, is located in Douglas County, about two miles wouthwest of Camas Valley, Oregon. Elevations range from about 1,500 feet above sea level near the southeast corner of the section, to 1,100 feet near the northwest corner of the section. The area is nearly level in the northern portion of the section to rolling hills in the southern portion with the soil consisting of clay and rocky clay.

Drainage is via Day Creek and other small streams in a northwesterly direction into the Middle Fork of the Coquille River. Access is gained via State Highway No. 42 and logging roads branching from it. There are a number of small ranches in the northwestern portion of the section.

Timber consists chiefly of Douglas fir, with stands of white fir, cedar, hemlock, pine, maple, madrone, oak, dogwood, yew, chinquapin, ash and alder. The undergrowth is mainly salal, arrowood, Oregon grape, huckleberry, blackberry, willow, poison oak, vine maple, hazel, manzanita, vines and ferns.

No mineral deposits were noted along the lines surveyed.

The average of a considerable number of observations along the lines surveyed gives a value of 19° 30' E. for the mean magnetic declination. There is a range of 30' in local attraction.