

County Surveyor's Record, Douglas County, Oregon

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T. 22 S., R. 10 W., Willamette Meridian, Oregon

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The history of surveys of that portion of township 22 south, range 10 west, pertaining to this resurvey, is as follows:

That portion of the east boundary south of the meander corner on the right bank of the Umpqua River in section 13 to the 1/4 section corner of sections 19 and 24, and a portion of the boundaries of sections 13, 14, 23, and 24, were surveyed by William H. Byars, in 1874, as shown on the official plat of survey approved August 20, 1875.

The north one-half mile of the line between sections 19 and 24 was resurveyed and that portion of the east boundary between the 1/4 section corner of sections 19 and 24, and the corner of sections 19, 24, 25, and 30, was surveyed, and the survey of the boundaries of sections 24 and 25 was completed by William H. Byars, in 1878, as shown on the official plat of survey approved June 21, 1878.

The line between sections 31 and 36 on the east boundary of the township was surveyed by William H. Byars, in 1878, as shown on the official plat of survey of T. 22 S., R. 9 W., approved July 31, 1878.

The east five and one-half miles of the south boundary were surveyed by William H. Byars, in 1879, as shown on the official plat of survey of T. 23 S., R. 10 W. approved July 26, 1879. Byars, while surveying the south boundary, established a double set of corners; one set for the township to the north and one set for the township to the south.

The survey of the township was completed by Aurelius Todd, in 1894, as shown on the official plat of survey approved March 3, 1896. Todd was unable to obtain closures using the Byars corners for the south boundary of the township. He then resurveyed the south boundary, destroyed the Byars corners for T. 22 S., R. 10 W., and established new corners from which to initiate his subdivisional lines. Todd also retraced a portion of the subdivisional lines established by Byars.

The south one-half mile between sections 25 and 30, on the east boundary, was retraced by Alonzo Gesner, in 1895, as shown on the official plat of survey of T. 22 S., R. 9 W., approved January 16, 1896.

A portion of the south boundary was retraced by Levi C. Walker, in 1906, as shown on the official plat of survey of T. 23 S., R. 10 W., approved March 15, 1909. Walker, in subdividing T. 23 S., R. 10 W., established closing corners, except for the corner of sections 1 and 2, on the line between townships 22 and 23 south. Corners established by William Byars on the township line for T. 23 S., R. 10 W., were destroyed by Walker when found.

Preliminary to the resurvey the lines of the original survey were retraced and search was made for all corners and other calls of the record. Identified corners were remonumented in their original positions, lost corners were reestablished and remonumented at proportionate positions based on the original record. The retracement data were thoroughly verified and only the true line field notes are given herein. Only those lines bounding, or crossing, public lands were blazed. All lines not forming a closure were chained twice.

The survey was executed in accordance with the specifications as set forth in the Manual of Surveying