

# County Surveyor's Record, Douglas County, Oregon

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Dependent Resurvey, Portion of Subdivisional Lines,  
T. 25 S., R. 6 W., Willamette Meridian, Oregon

CHAINS

A root hole, bears N. 51° W., 6 lks. dist., with a down fir alongside, 6 ins. diam., with axe marks visible on burned blaze.

and trees mkd. by Godfrey, in 1962

A fir, 12 ins. diam., bears N. 26° E., 24 lks. dist., with healed blaze.

A fir, 8 ins. diam., bears N. 25° W., 24 lks. dist., with healed blaze.

N. 0° 08" W., beginning new measurement.

Descend 10 ft. over NE. slope.

1.40 Ravine, drains. S. 35° E.; asc. 175 ft. over SW. slope.

15.95 Spur, slopes E.; desc. 390 ft. over N. slope.

25.38 Ravine, drains. N. 20° E.; asc. 20 ft. over SE. slope.

27.15 Spur, slopes N. 20° E., asc. 125 ft. over N. slope.

30.90 Creek, 10 lks. wide, course S. 35° E.; asc. 70 ft. over SE. slope.

40.65 The cor. of secs. 3, 4, 33, and 34, on the N. bdy. of the Tp.

Land, mountainous.

Soil, rocky clay.

Timber, fir, oak, cedar, maple, madrone, and cascara; undergrowth, poison oak, hazel, wild strawberry, blackberry, and fern.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

Section 3 of township 25 south, range 6 west, Willamette Meridian, Oregon, is located in Dodge Canyon, about 5 miles west of the town of Oakland, Oregon. The elevation ranges from about 400 feet above sea level near the southeast corner of the section to about 1200 feet above sea level on the north boundary of the section.

The section is reached by way of Oregon State Highway No. 138, a paved highway, which follows along the creek running through Dodge Canyon, and a number of gravelled roads provide access to the homes located along the creeks in section 3. The soil is rocky clay, with some loamy soil along the creek bottoms. The land is chiefly valuable for the timber resources and pasture. The timber stands are primarily fir, oak, and madrone. The undergrowth is generally moderate, consisting of poison oak, salal, fern, Oregon grape, blackberry, and huckleberry. No evidence of mineral deposits was noted in the area covered by the resurvey.

The average of a considerable number of readings throughout the area gives a value of 19° 21' E. for the mean magnetic declination. There is a range of up to 0° 15' due to local attraction.