

# County Surveyor's Record, Douglas County, Oregon

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T. 29 S., R. 3 W., Willamette Meridian, Oregon

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Access is by way of South Myrtle Creek Road, county road No. 18, and numerous other asphalt surfaced, gravelled, and dirt roads extending throughout the area.

The soil in the area consists of loam near the creek bottoms changing to rocky clay on the spurs and ridges. Timber consists of fir, maple, oak, yew, cedar, hemlock, madrone, ash, and pine. The undergrowth consists of poison oak, vine maple, arrowwood, hazel, Oregon grape, blackberry, thimbleberry, salmonberry, ferns, salal, and young timber.

The principal use of the area is for logging and cattle grazing, with three mineral claims located in section 20.

The average of a number of observations along the lines surveyed gives a value of  $19^{\circ} 15'$  E., for the mean magnetic declination. There is a range of  $0^{\circ} 30'$  in local attraction.