

County Surveyor's Record, Douglas County, Oregon

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Subdivision of Section 28
T. 21 S., R.7 W., Willamette Meridian, Oregon

CHAINS

from which bearing trees mkd. by Brooks and Jelley

A fir, 18 ins. diam., bears S. 26¼° E., 13 lks.
dist., with healed blaze.

A fir, 14 ins. diam., bears S. 87° W., 19 lks.
dist., with healed blaze.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The lands involved in the foregoing survey are located in Douglas County, 6 to 10 miles northeasterly of the small town of Elkton, Oregon. The area is mountainous, with elevations ranging from about 700 feet above sea level near the corner of sections 13, 14, 23, and 24, to about 1600 feet above sea level near the ¼ section corner of sections 28 and 29.

Access into the area is by way of several gravelled roads leading off Oregon State Highway No. 28. Section 28 is traversed by a major ridge draining water northerly into the Smith River and southerly into Elk Creek. The soil is a rocky clay loam and supports a bountiful growth of fir, cedar, maple, and alder. The dense undergrowth consists of salmonberry, huckleberry, vine maple, poison oak, Oregon grape, salal, ferns and grasses.

There were no mineral deposits or mining activity noted along the lines of the survey.

The mean magnetic declination in the area surveyed as shown on the Elkton Quadrangle Map published by the United States Geological Survey in 1955, is 20° E.