

COUNTY SURVEYOR'S RECORD, DOUGLAS COUNTY, OREGON

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BUZBOMB & CO. PORTLAND, ORE. 87545

Survey No. 37 E37 Made on Nov. 28 - 29 1927 In Town. 30 S Range 4 W Sec. 17 Made for Umpqua Date Prune Co. and Thomas Montgomery Purpose of To establish the South line and corners of Donation Land Claim No 44	Survey No. Made on In Town. Range Sec. Made for Purpose of
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Mr Montgomery was notified by letter and the President of the Umpqua Date Prune Co. personally on Nov. 12 1927 that this survey would be dated for the 28th day on November, 1927.

On the morning of November 28th 1927 I went to the point in question accompanied by Wm. Crear and R. L. Irving as chainmen.

I first went to the SE corner of claim 43 which was a post with witness trees. As I was unable to find a record of this corner having been replaced and the evidences showed that the corner existing had been placed in the last few years, I was inclined to question the corner. I did find an old laurel tree which corresponds the the tree as listed in the original field notes as the bearing tree for this corner. It was impossible to find any evidences of scribe marks as the interior of the tree was very badly rotted. There was however old blaze which would indicate that it might have been the original BT. I then set a temporary stake at the proper distance and bearing from this laurel and found that the new corner to bear S 40° W 21 ft. I then ~~ran~~ ran a ~~traverse~~ traverse northerly (using a variation of 20° E) to a stone in the South edge of the county road, said stone being reputed to be the NE corner of claim 43. This stone had a burned out oak for a BT N 70° W 203 lks. This does not agree with the original notes but appears to have been replaced a number of years ago by the County Surveyor as it bears the scribe marks CS. upon computation I find this distance to be 79.71 chains as against 80.00 chains in the original measurements. I then compute the position of the SW corner of claim 44 and upon further search locate a BT which has every apperance of being the original BT. The interior of the tree is rottef but the reverse of the original scribe marks are plainly visible and the tree also carries latter scribe marks. From the bearings and distances given in the original field notes I set an automobile axle as this corner from which the original BT bears N 20° E 323 lks instead of N20° W as called for in the original notes. I scribe an 18" fir for a new BT which bears South 15 lks. dist.

I then ran east with a variation of 21° east 20 chains. I find some blazed trees on the East line of Claim 44 north of this point and also find the original BT a Black oak now 36" in dia.

From this Black oak which I chop out and find it to be exceptionally well perserved I set a stone ~~of~~ 6"x6"x18" marked with a crows foot as the SE corner of Claim 44 from which the original BT bears N 89° W 648 lks. I scribe a 12" fir for a new BT whicg bears S 80° W 22 lks dist.

Mr Thomas Montgomery was present during this survey and so was Mr Keyser and Mr L.J. Barnes for a short period.

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Notes are filed in Vault 7 Enu37