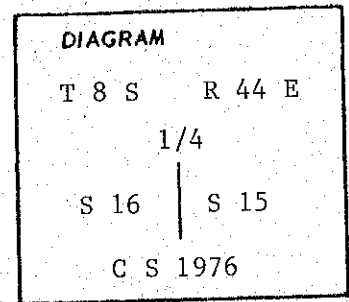


CERTIFIED RECORD OF LAND CORNER MONUMENTATION

History of original corner establishment:

Corner was established by W. B. Barr, under GLO Contract No. 388, dated May 7, 1881:

GLO record states:  
"Marked basalt rock 18 x 8 x 5 for 1/4 sec. corner. Raised a mound of rock as per instructions"



This corner was reestablished by the undersigned during the survey for Flossie Carnahan, filed June 28, 1976 as Survey No. 8-44-2 in county surveyor records. Relocation was made by retracing the original note ties of W. B. Barr to the old Sparta store building and the apparent traces of the old stage road. The original stone was found in a lone rock jack, 55 feet North of the position of this relocation.

Remonumentation consisted of a brass cap on 1-inch galvanized iron pipe, and burying the found stone alongside.

About two years later James Hambleton informed me that he had dug up the stone, that it was now painted red, had no 1/4 marks on it, and was the wrong size, and that he had found the original stone about 38 feet South of this position.

A field investigation at that time of this location confirmed Hambleton's statement statements. The quarter corner stone was found lying loose on the surface of ground under a N-S running fence line. I have been unable to account for this reappearance of stone in this position.

I explained to the Baker County Court the above facts as I knew them, and requested they appoint some other eastern Oregon county surveyor to investigate and render his decision on which location of this corner should be finalized. They chose Verne Russell, Wallowa County Surveyor for this project.

Mr. Russell accepted this appointment, and recommended the loose stone position be accepted. Attached is a copy of his report to the Court.

The existing brass cap monument was moved to this position on May 18, 1984. The loose stone quarter corner was then found alongside the brass cap monument as it existed before moving. It was reburied one foot North of the relocated brass cap monument. I hope that stone has now reached its final resting place.

A retracement of the line between Sections 15 and 16 by John G. Collins in July, 1923, found the above stone "set in a mound of stone"... The only mound of stone existing is the one above referred to, and is now about 93 feet North of the brass cap monument. Hambleton says the distance between corners along this line conforms to those found by Collins.

Monument is marked as shown in diagram above.

REGISTERED  
PROFESSIONAL  
LAND SURVEYOR

*James D. Hanley*  
OREGON  
SEPTEMBER 23, 1977  
JAMES D. HANLEY  
1206

Office of ..... County of .....  
State of ....., I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office  
for record on the ..... day of .....  
..... by .....  
(COUNTY OFFICIAL) (DEPUTY)

FILED June 18, 1984  
BAKER COUNTY SURVEYOR  
SURVEY NO. 8-44-6B