

STANDARD ATLAS
OF

WEBSTER COUNTY

NEBRASKA

INCLUDING
A PLAT BOOK

OF THE

VILLAGES, CITIES AND PRECINCTS OF THE COUNTY.

MAP OF THE STATE, UNITED STATES AND WORLD.

Patrons Directory, Reference Business Directory and Departments
devoted to General Information.

ANALYSIS OF THE SYSTEM OF U.S. LAND SURVEYS. DIGEST OF THE
SYSTEM OF CIVIL GOVERNMENT, ETC. ETC.

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RED CLOUD

County Seat of Webster Co.,
Nebraska

RED CLOUD PREG

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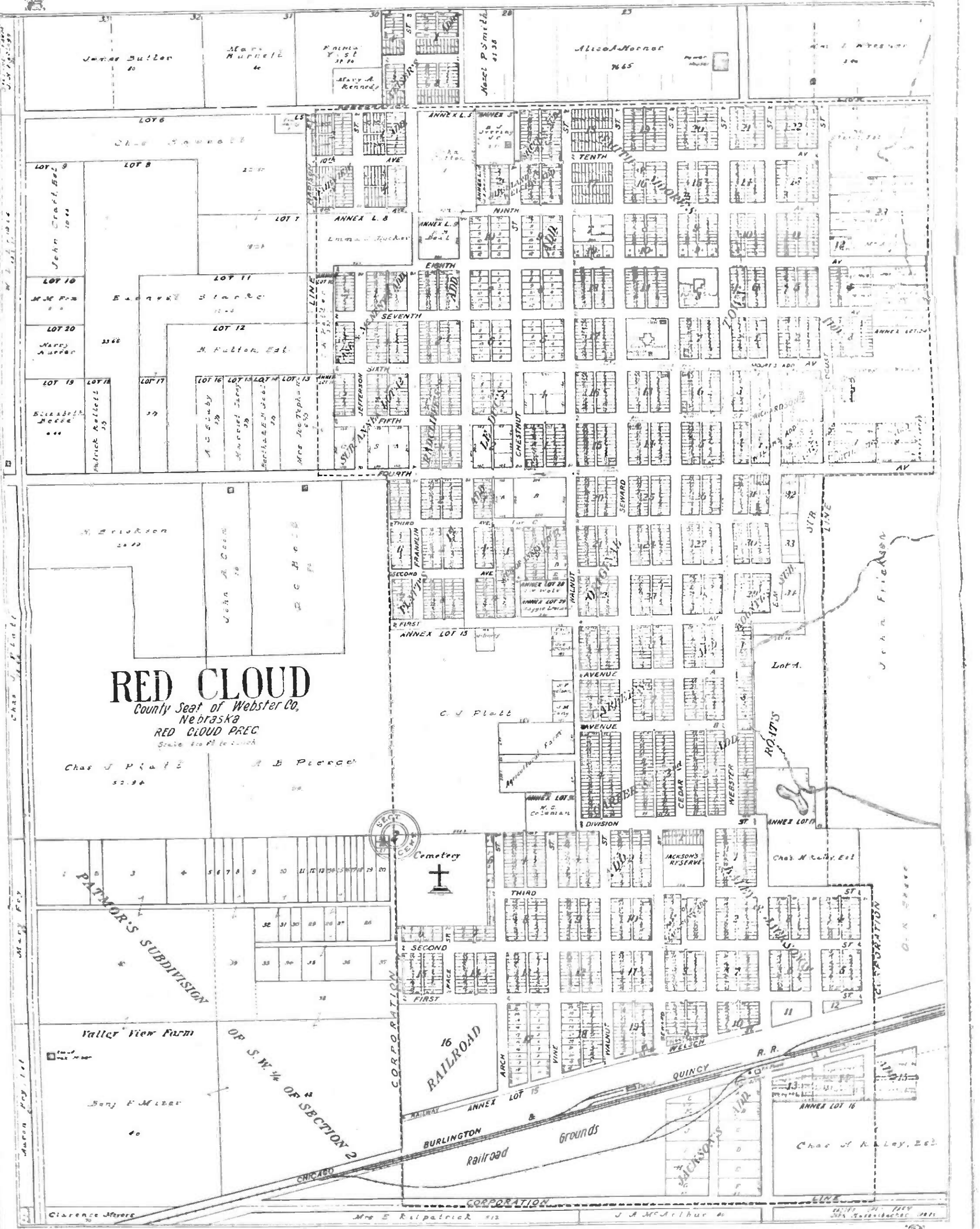
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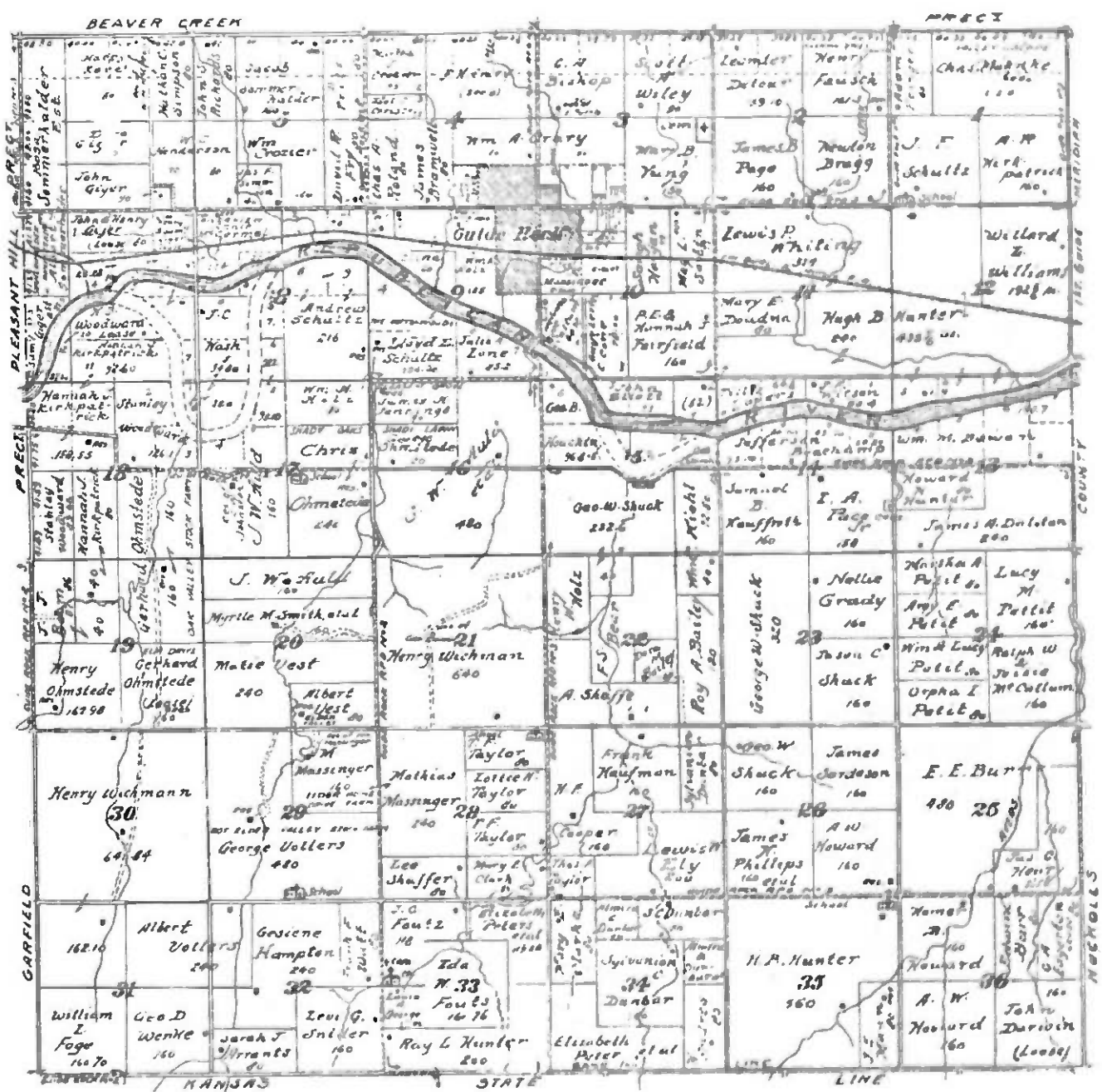
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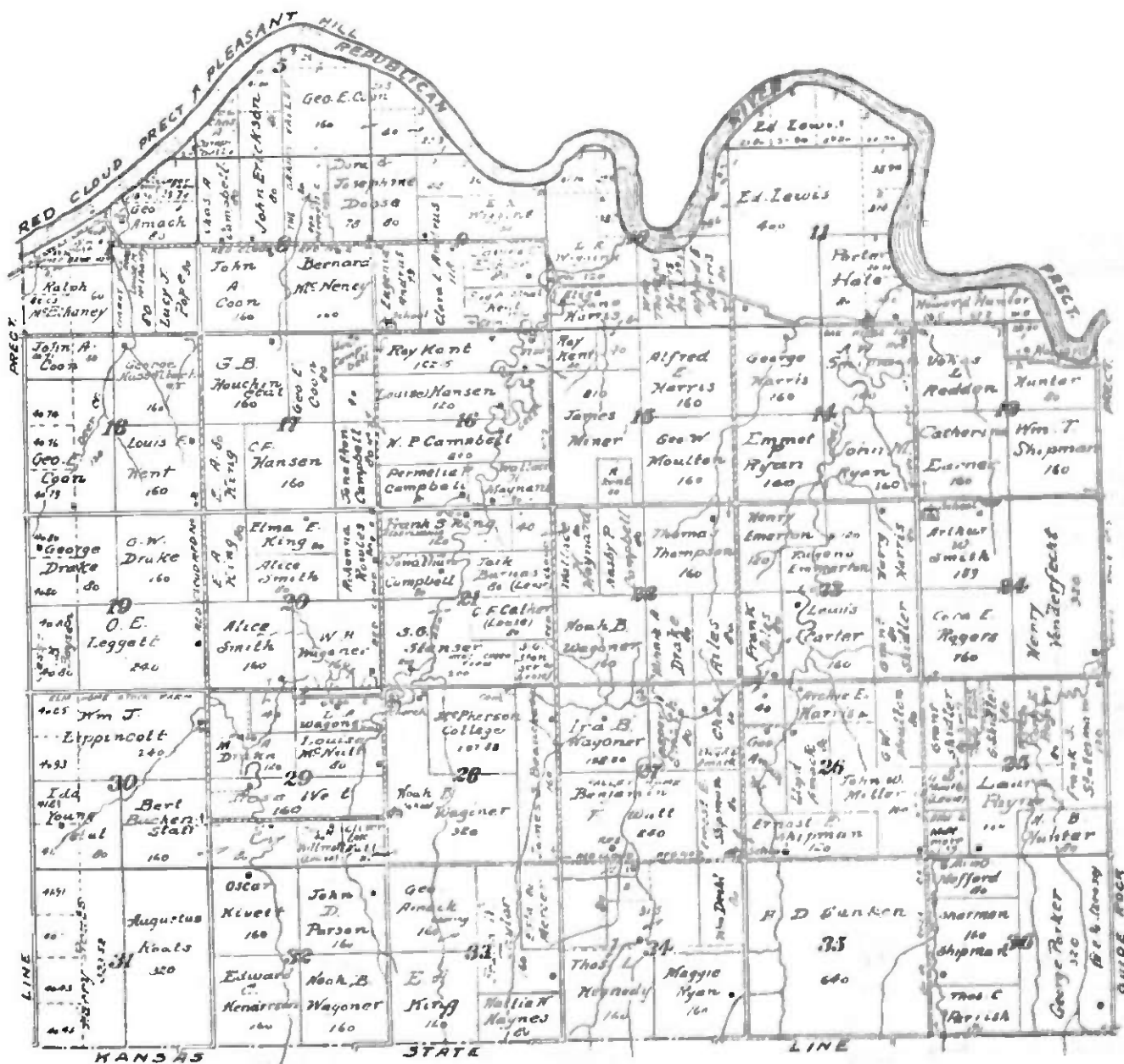


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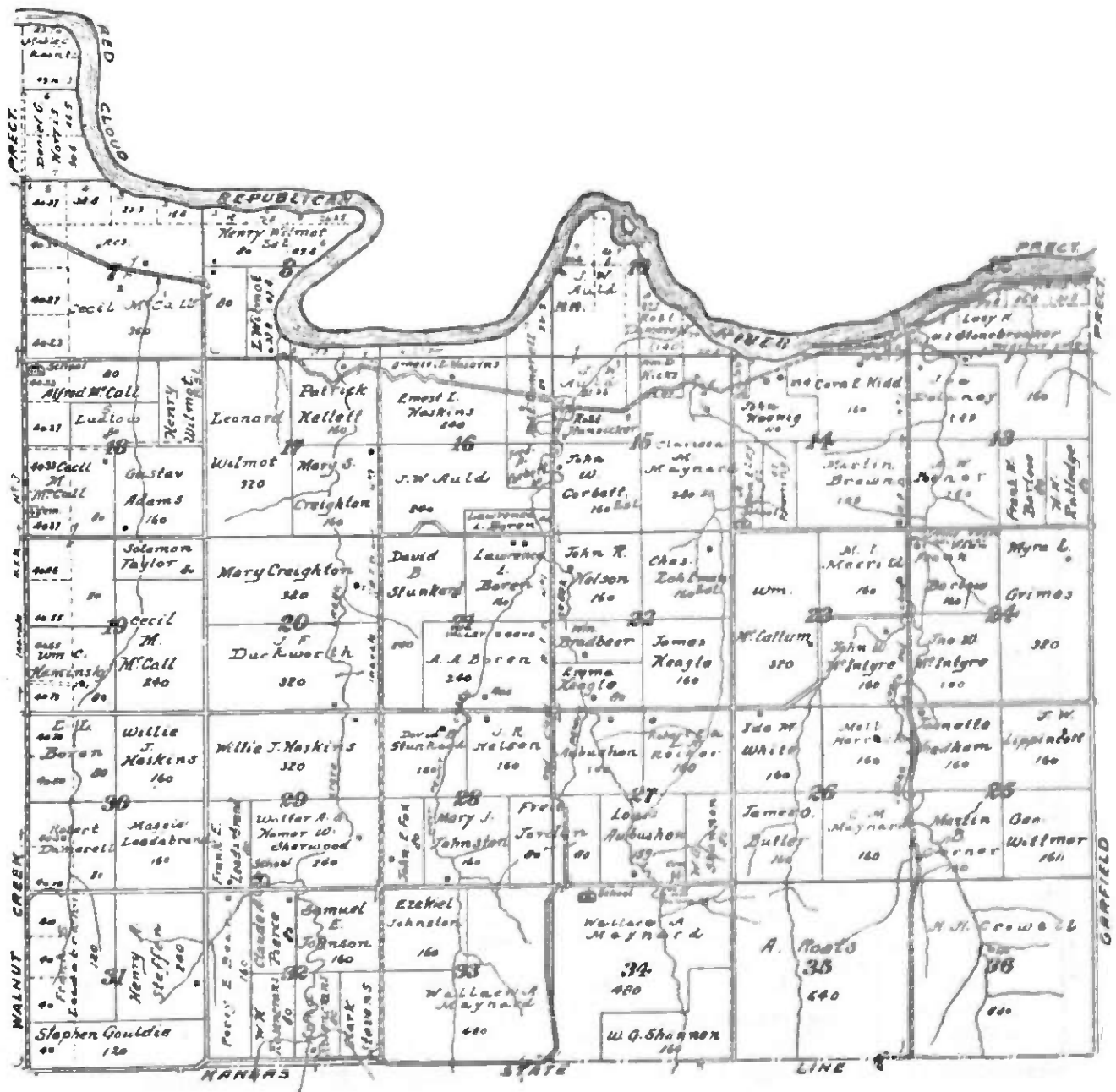


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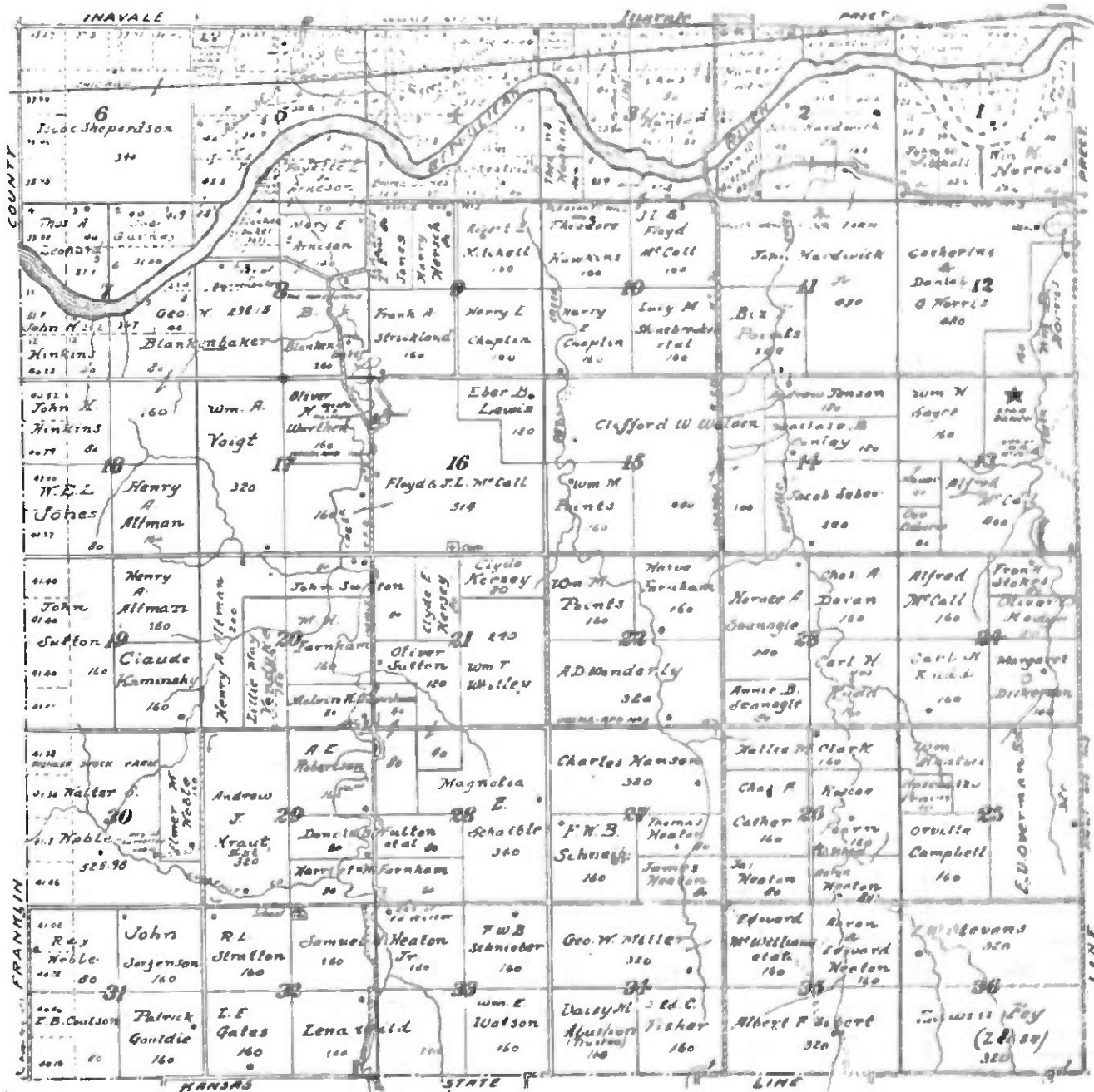


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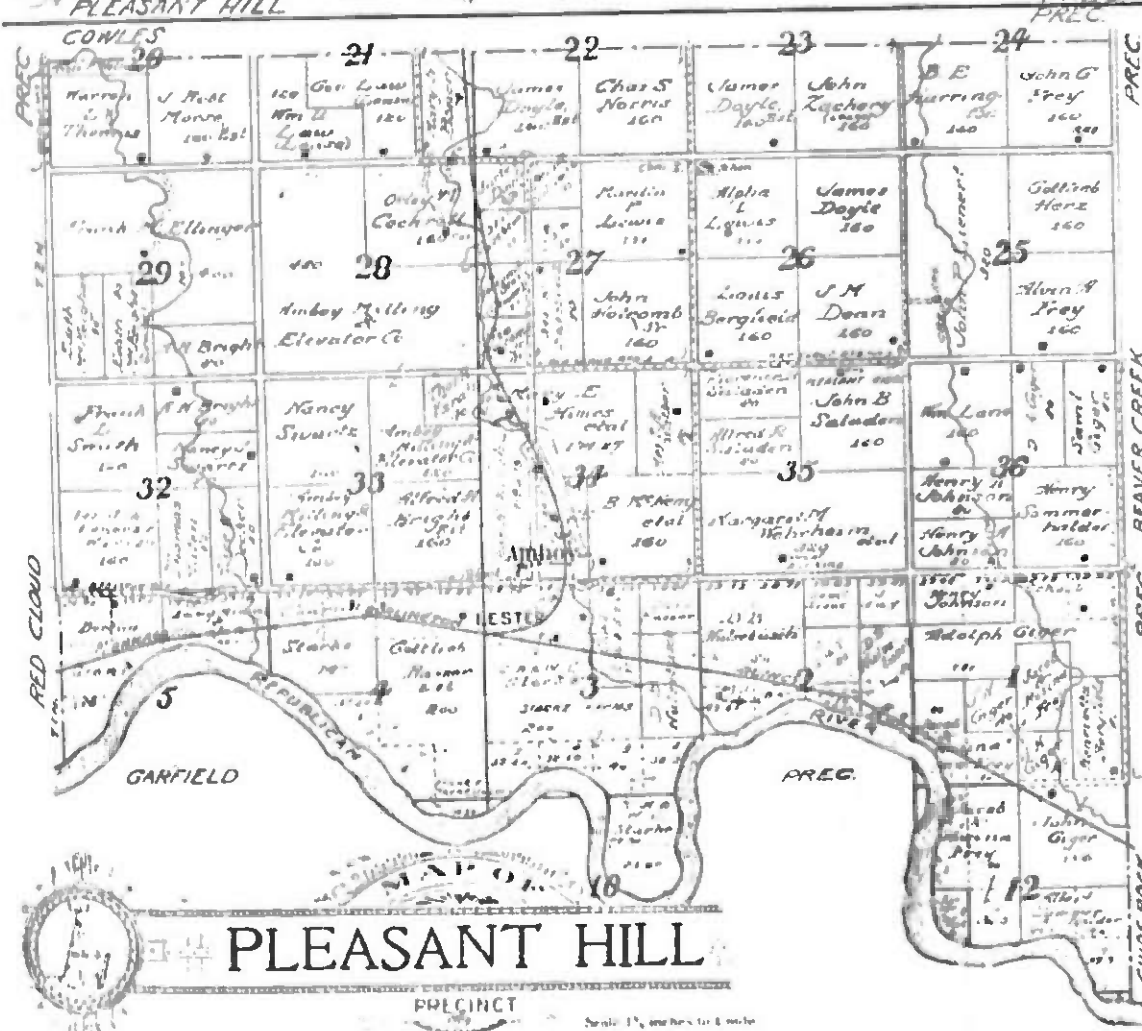
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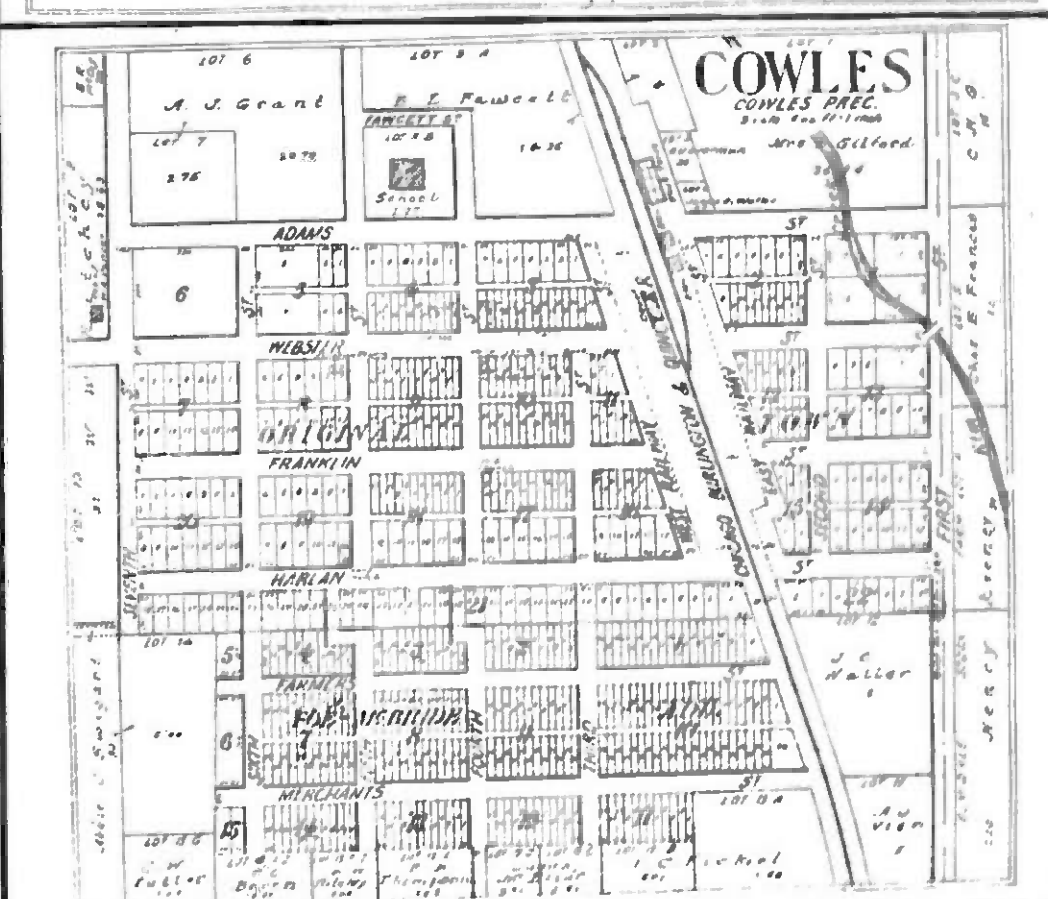
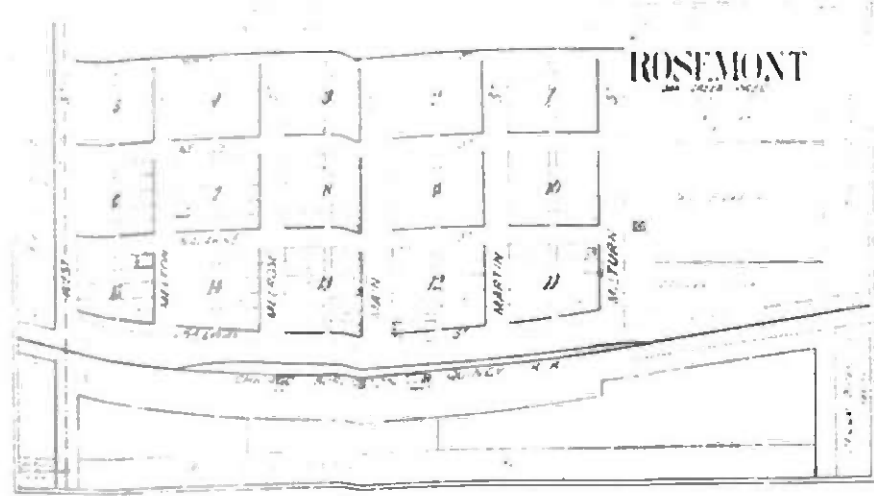


PLEASANT HILL

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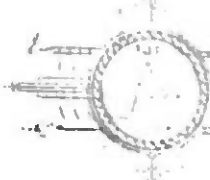
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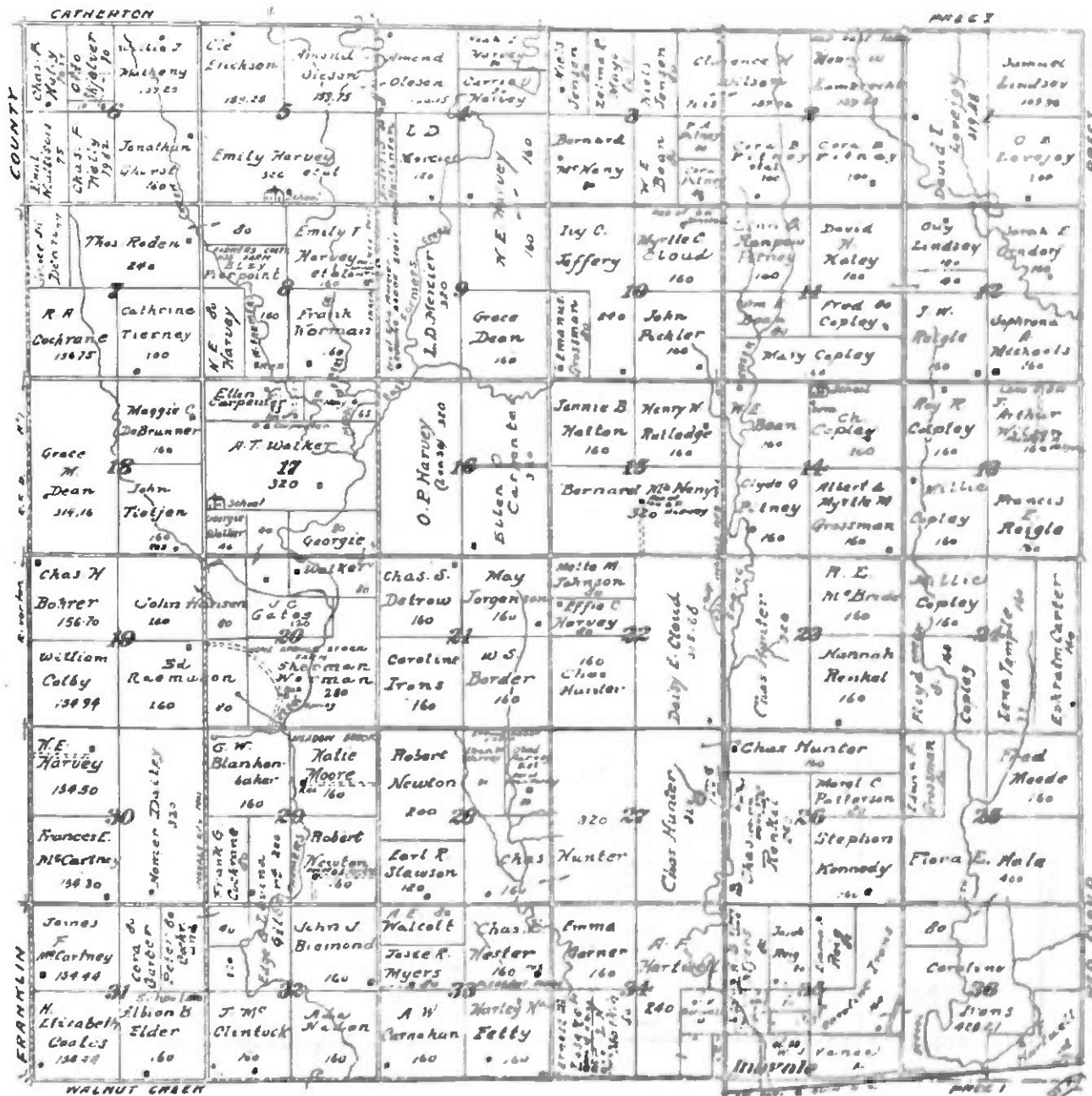


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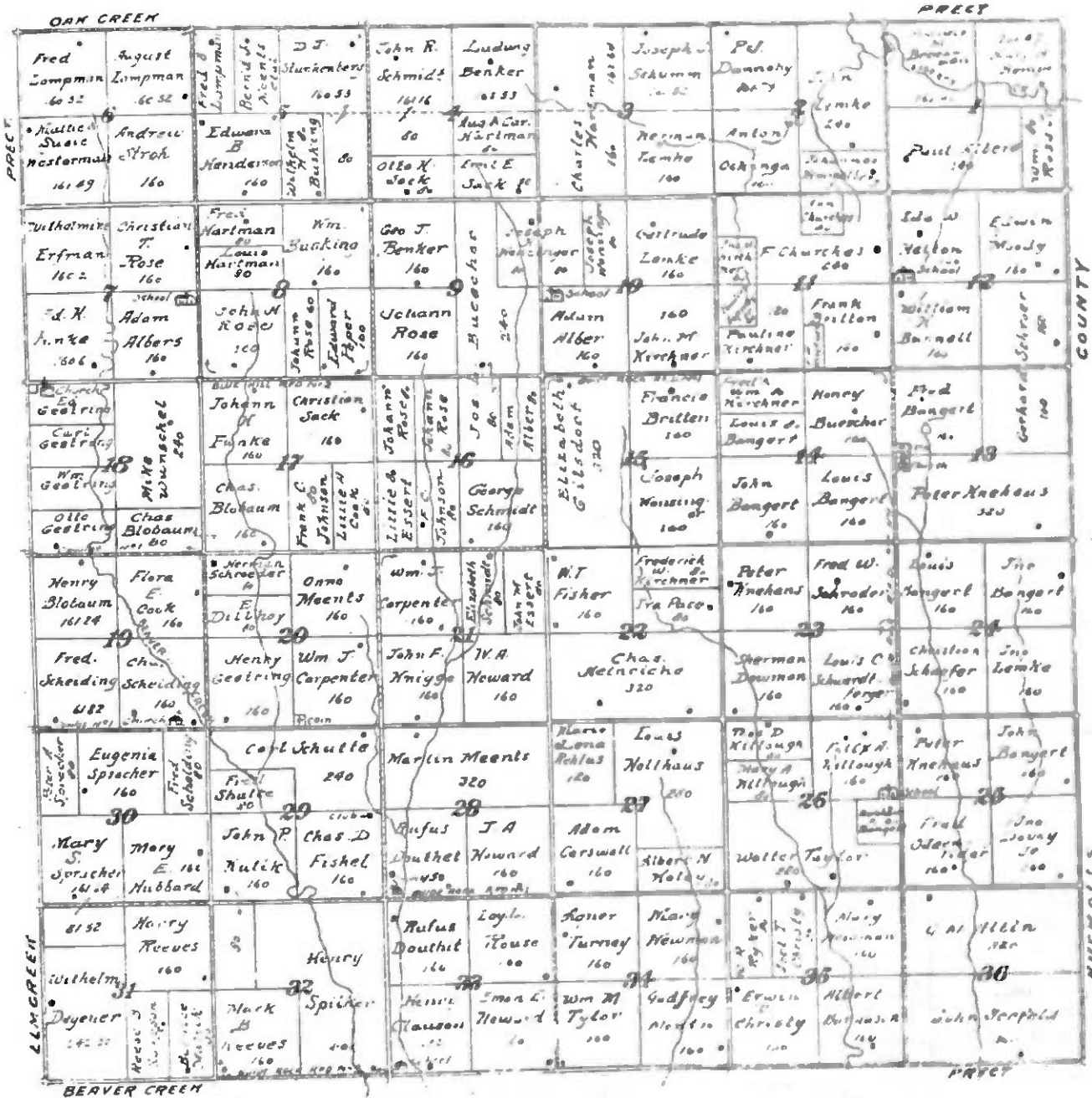


STILLWATER

PRECINCT

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ELM CREEK

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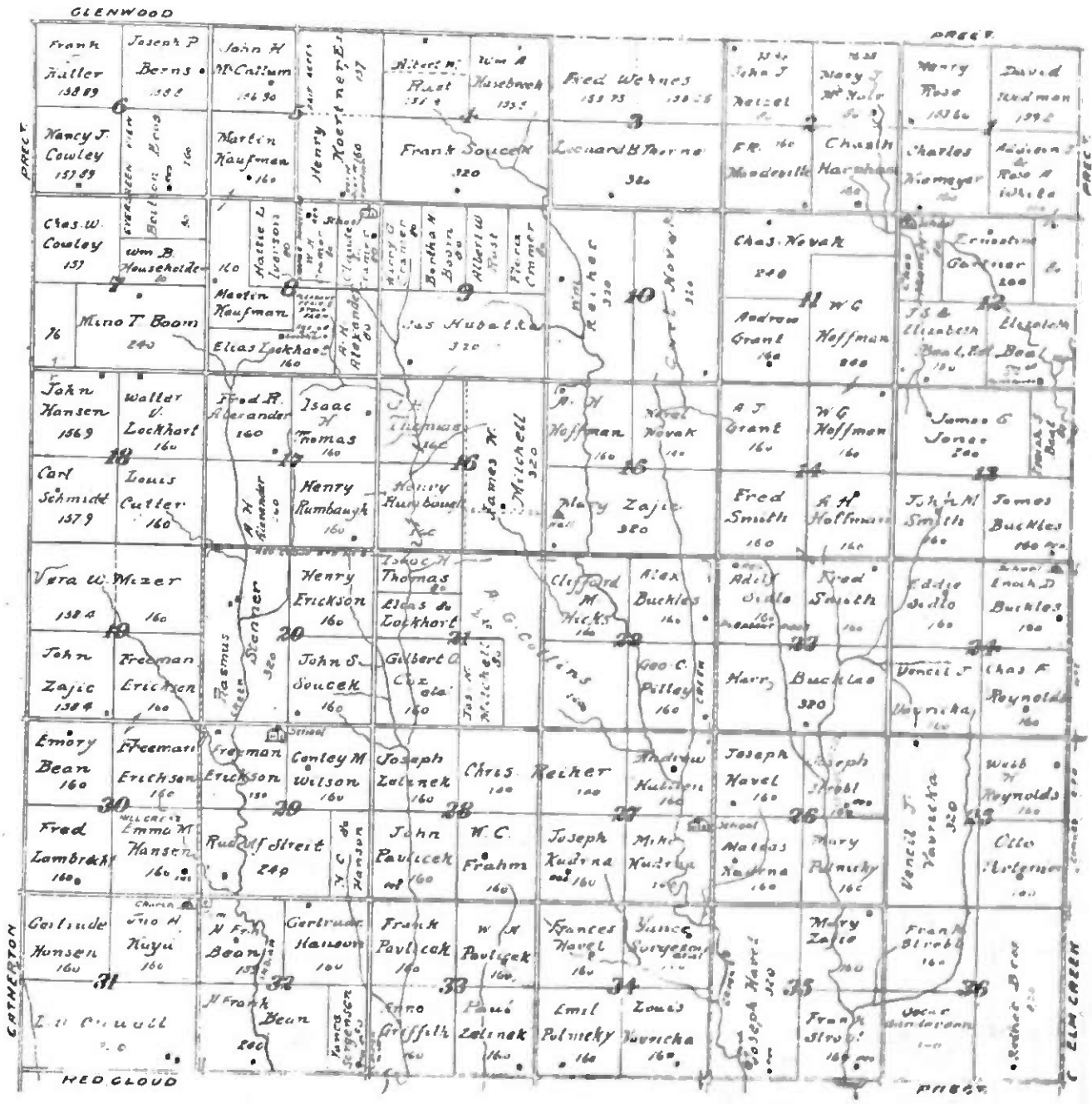


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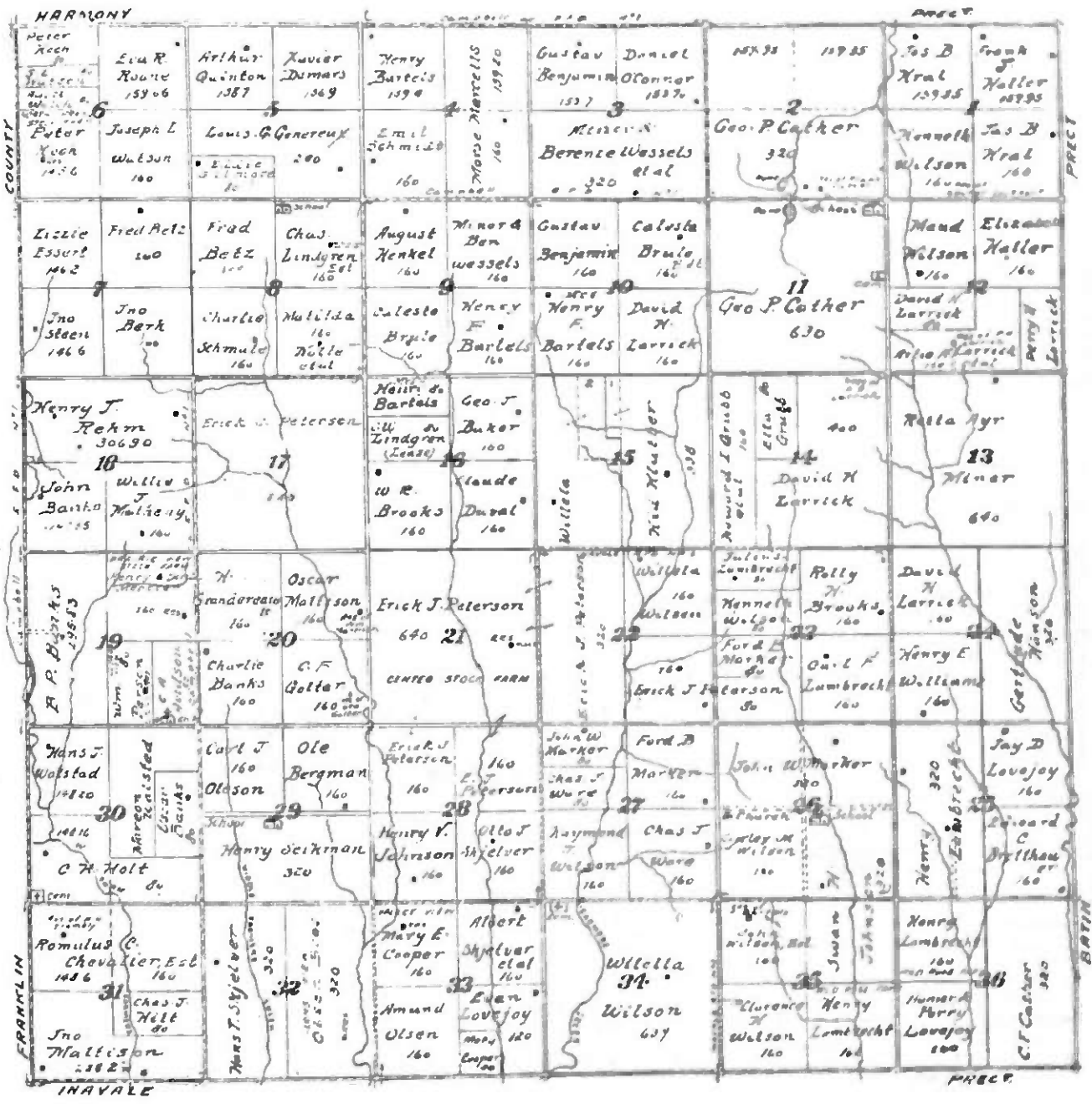


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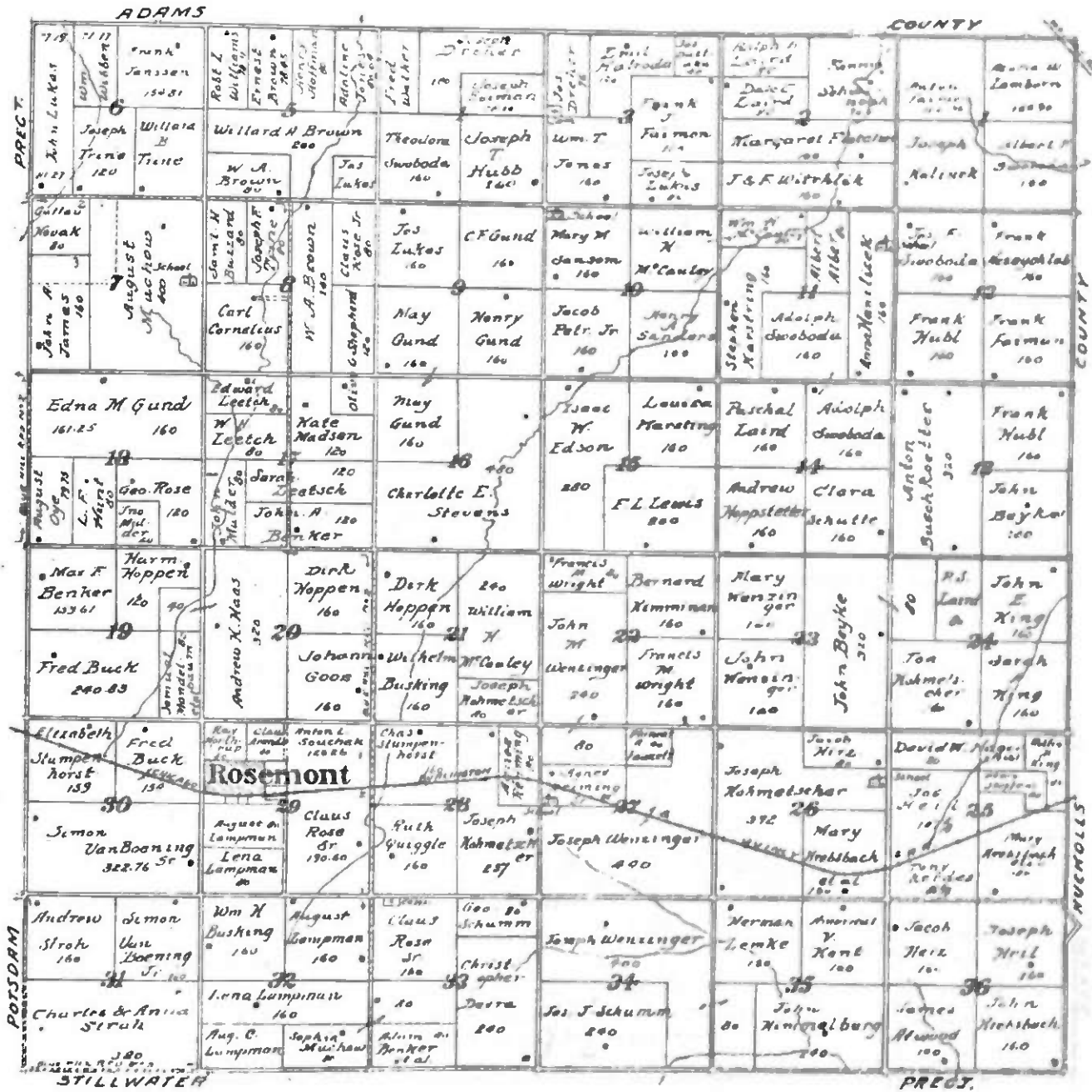
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OAK CREEK

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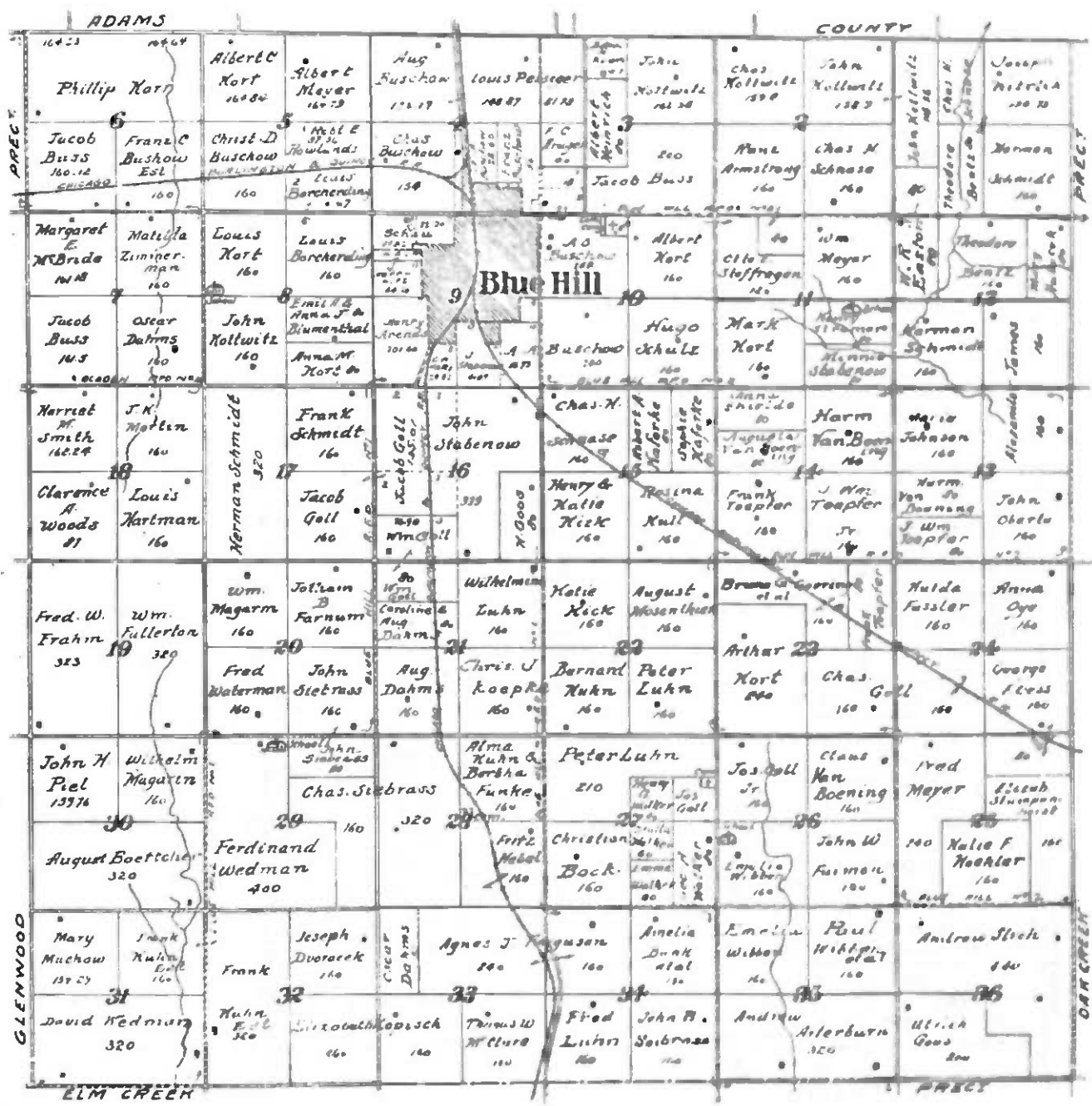


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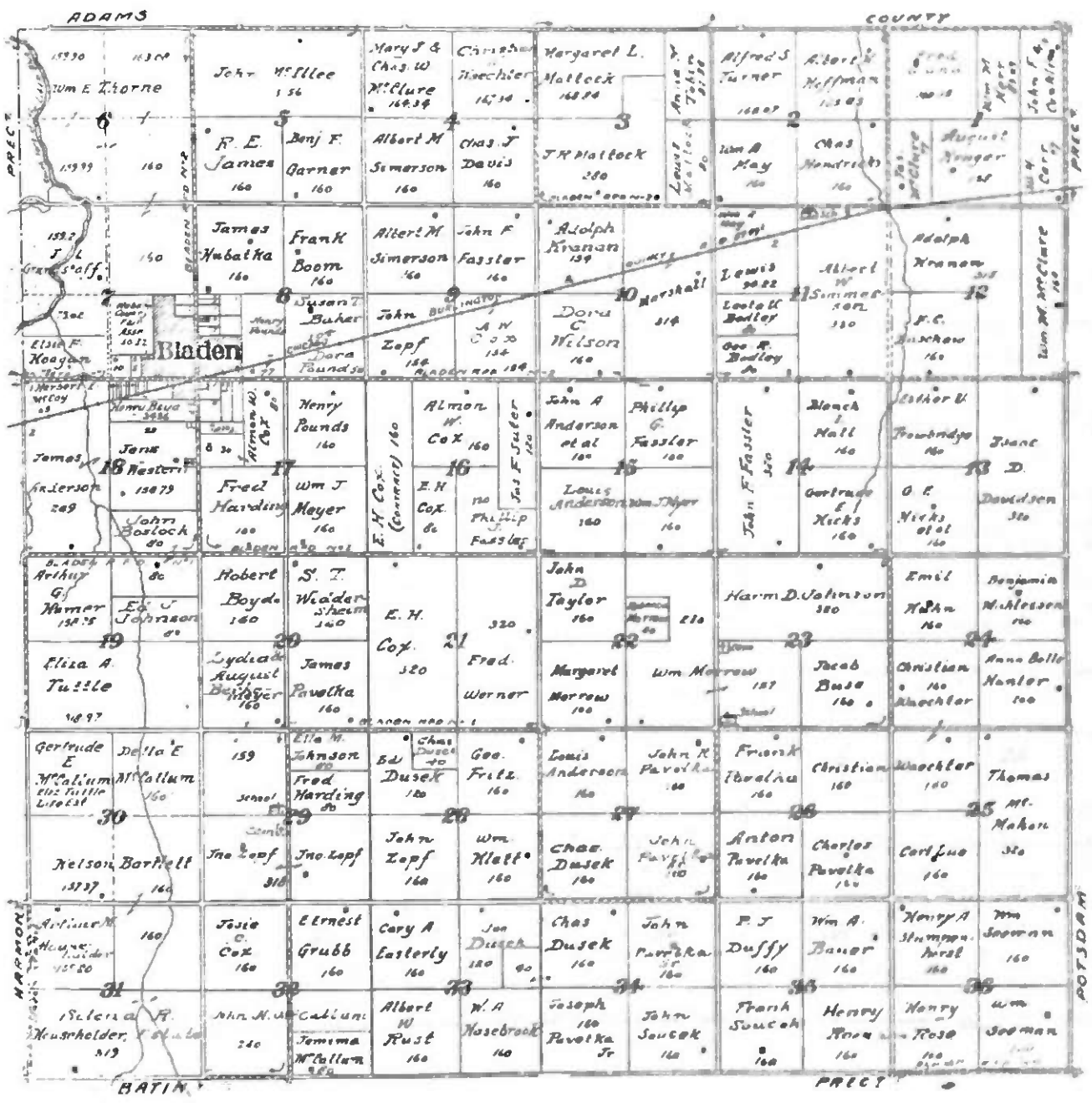
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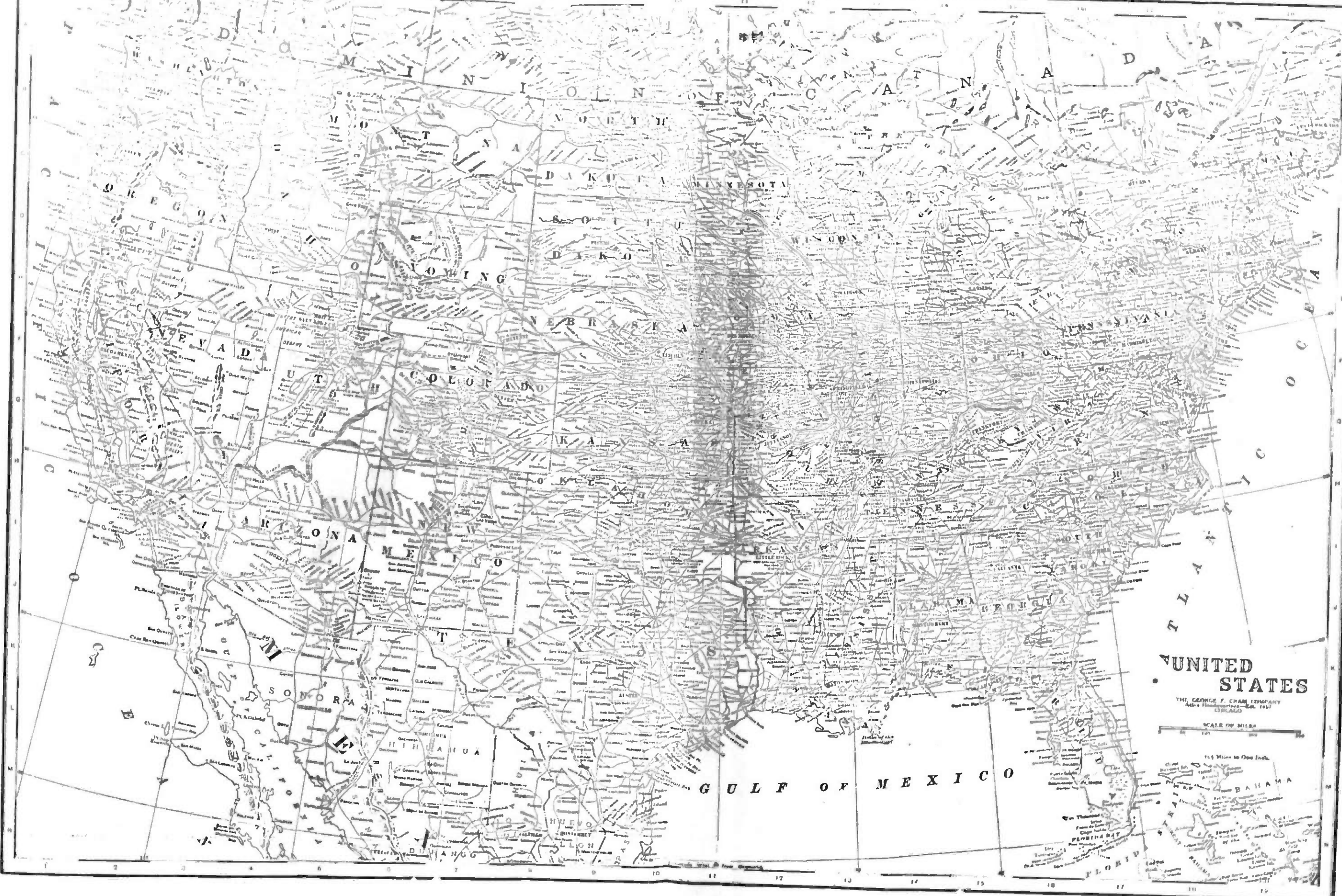


GLENWOOD

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Township 4 North, Range 11 West of the 6th P. M.





UNITED STATES

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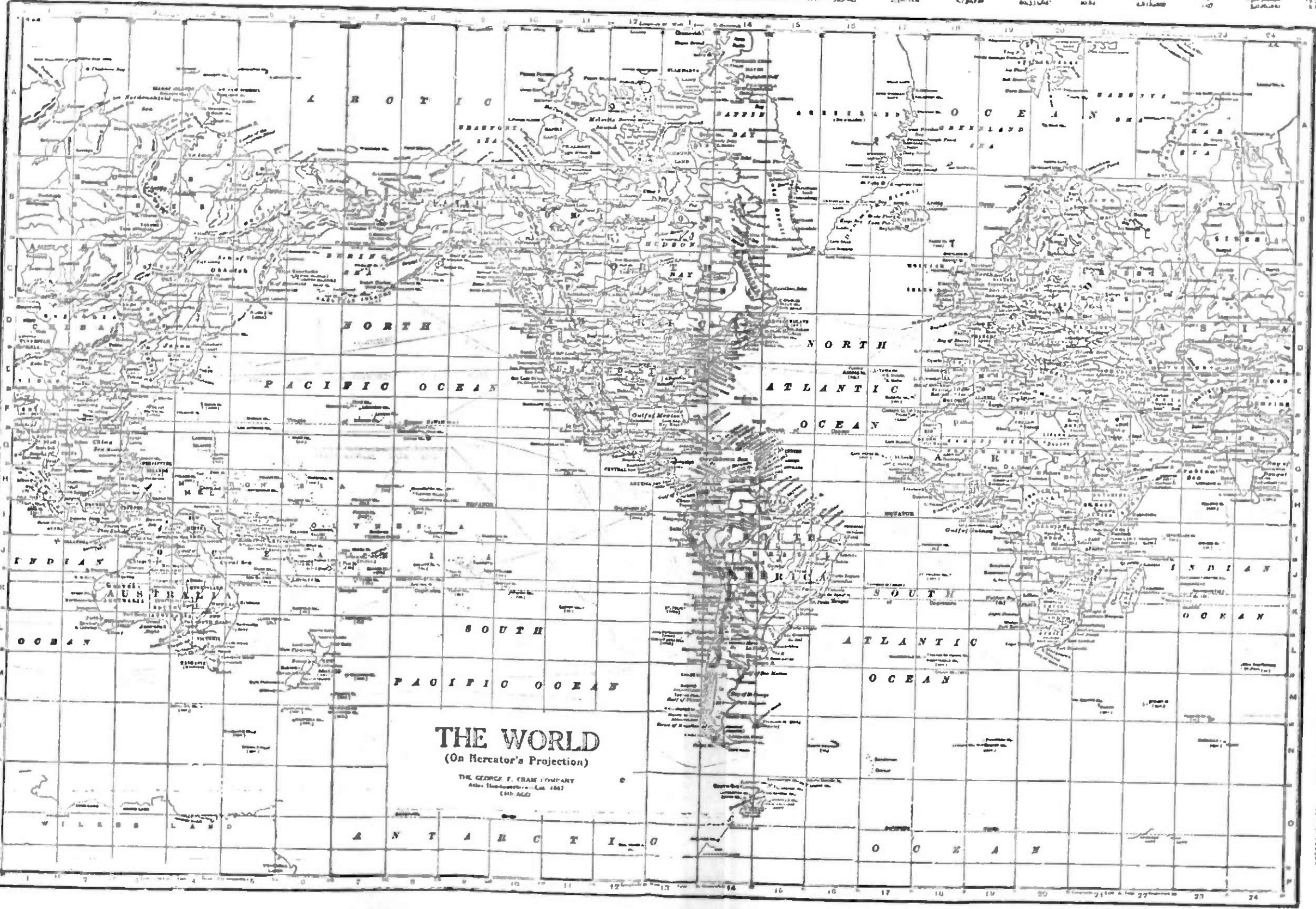
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1/2 Mile to One Inch



COUNTRY	CAPITAL	AREA	POPULATION	COMMERCE	NATIONAL DEBTS
Argentina	Buenos Aires	2,780,000	15,000,000	1,200,000,000	1,500,000,000
Australia	Canberra	3,000,000	5,000,000	1,000,000,000	1,000,000,000
Canada	Ottawa	9,970,000	30,000,000	2,000,000,000	2,000,000,000
Chile	Santiago	780,000	5,000,000	500,000,000	500,000,000
Colombia	Bogota	440,000	10,000,000	1,000,000,000	1,000,000,000
Cuba	Havana	110,000	5,000,000	500,000,000	500,000,000
Denmark	Copenhagen	43,000	3,000,000	300,000,000	300,000,000
Egypt	Cairo	700,000	25,000,000	2,000,000,000	2,000,000,000
France	Paris	130,000	40,000,000	3,000,000,000	3,000,000,000
Germany	Berlin	357,000	60,000,000	4,000,000,000	4,000,000,000
Greece	Athens	113,000	5,000,000	500,000,000	500,000,000
India	New Delhi	1,900,000	300,000,000	2,000,000,000	2,000,000,000
Italy	Rome	301,000	40,000,000	3,000,000,000	3,000,000,000
Japan	Tokyo	377,000	70,000,000	5,000,000,000	5,000,000,000
United States	Washington	3,530,000	120,000,000	8,000,000,000	8,000,000,000
U.S.S.R.	Moscow	17,070,000	150,000,000	10,000,000,000	10,000,000,000
U.K.	London	244,000	45,000,000	3,000,000,000	3,000,000,000

COUNTRY	CAPITAL	AREA	POPULATION	COMMERCE	NATIONAL DEBTS	REVENUE	EXPENDITURE
Italy	Rome	301,000	40,000,000	3,000,000,000	3,000,000,000	1,000,000,000	1,000,000,000
Japan	Tokyo	377,000	70,000,000	5,000,000,000	5,000,000,000	1,500,000,000	1,500,000,000
United States	Washington	3,530,000	120,000,000	8,000,000,000	8,000,000,000	2,000,000,000	2,000,000,000
U.S.S.R.	Moscow	17,070,000	150,000,000	10,000,000,000	10,000,000,000	3,000,000,000	3,000,000,000
U.K.	London	244,000	45,000,000	3,000,000,000	3,000,000,000	1,000,000,000	1,000,000,000



RAILROAD MILEAGE OF THE WORLD

CONTINENT	Country	Mileage	
AFRICA	Algeria	1,000	
	Angola	1,000	
	Cameroon	1,000	
	Kenya	1,000	
	South Africa	1,000	
	Tanzania	1,000	
	Uganda	1,000	
	Zambia	1,000	
	Zimbabwe	1,000	
	World Total	10,000	
ASIA	China	10,000	
	India	10,000	
	Japan	10,000	
	Philippines	10,000	
	Sri Lanka	10,000	
	Thailand	10,000	
	Vietnam	10,000	
	World Total	100,000	
	EUROPE	France	10,000
		Germany	10,000
U.K.		10,000	
Italy		10,000	
Spain		10,000	
U.S.S.R.		10,000	
World Total		1,000,000	
NORTH AMERICA		Canada	10,000
		USA	10,000
		World Total	100,000
	SOUTH AMERICA	Brazil	10,000
		Argentina	10,000
		Chile	10,000
		Colombia	10,000
		Peru	10,000
		Venezuela	10,000
		World Total	100,000

Important World Statistics

DIVISIONS OF THE EARTH

Division	Area	Population
Asia	44,000,000	2,000,000,000
Europe	10,000,000	500,000,000
Africa	30,000,000	1,000,000,000
Americas	40,000,000	200,000,000
Oceania	10,000,000	50,000,000

AREAS OF THE EARTH

Area	Area	Population
Asia	44,000,000	2,000,000,000
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Oceania	10,000,000	50,000,000

OCEANS

Ocean	Area	Population
Atlantic	10,000,000	0
Pacific	10,000,000	0
Indian	10,000,000	0
Arctic	10,000,000	0
Antarctic	10,000,000	0

SEAS

Sea	Area	Population
Mediterranean	1,000,000	0
Black	1,000,000	0
Baltic	1,000,000	0
North Atlantic	1,000,000	0
South Atlantic	1,000,000	0

PRINCIPAL BALT LAGES

Port	Area	Population
London	1,000,000	10,000,000
New York	1,000,000	10,000,000
Paris	1,000,000	10,000,000
Berlin	1,000,000	10,000,000
Moscow	1,000,000	10,000,000

PRINCIPAL FRESHWATER LAGES

Lake	Area	Population
Superior	1,000,000	10,000,000
Michigan	1,000,000	10,000,000
St. Clair	1,000,000	10,000,000
Ontario	1,000,000	10,000,000
Erie	1,000,000	10,000,000

LONGEST RIVERS

River	Length	Population
Nile	4,100 miles	100,000,000
Yangtze	4,000 miles	100,000,000
Amazon	3,900 miles	100,000,000
Mississippi	3,700 miles	100,000,000
Volga	3,600 miles	100,000,000

TEMPERATURE AND RAINFALL OF FOREIGN CITIES

City	Month	Temp	Rainfall
London	Jan	40	1.5
	Feb	42	1.2
	Mar	48	1.0
	Apr	55	0.8
	May	62	0.6
	Jun	68	0.4
	Jul	72	0.3
	Aug	75	0.2
	Sep	72	0.3
	Oct	65	0.5
	Nov	55	1.0
	Dec	45	1.5
Paris	Jan	40	1.5
	Feb	42	1.2
	Mar	48	1.0
	Apr	55	0.8
	May	62	0.6
	Jun	68	0.4
	Jul	72	0.3
	Aug	75	0.2
	Sep	72	0.3
	Oct	65	0.5
	Nov	55	1.0
	Dec	45	1.5

GREAT SHIP CANALS OF THE WORLD

Canal	Length	Population
Suez	193 miles	100,000,000
Panama	51 miles	100,000,000
St. Lawrence	1,000 miles	100,000,000
Welland	24 miles	100,000,000
Corinth	6 miles	100,000,000

THE WORLD
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PATRONS' REFERENCE DIRECTORY

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OF

Webster County, Nebraska

EXPLANATION.—The date following a name indicates the length of time the party has been a resident in the county. The abbreviations are as follows: S. for Section, P. for Precinct, R. for Range, P. O. for Post-office address. Where no Section Number or Township is given, it will be understood that the party resides within the limits of the village or city named, and, in such cases, the post-office address is the same as the place of residence, unless otherwise stated.

Albers, Adam, Farmer and Breeder of Hereford Cattle, Poland China Hogs and Rhode Island Red Chickens, S. 10, T. Stillwater, P. O. Guide Rock Island, 1901.
Amack, Geo., Hill Crest Stock Farm, Breeder of Inland China Hogs, S. 7, P. Garfield, P. O. Red Cloud, 1883.
Anderson, G. H., Pleasant Heights Farm, S. 2, P. Cowles, P. O. Cowles, 1902.
Arnold, O. A., Farmer and Breeder of Shorthorn Cattle, Buff Orpington Chickens, Pure Spotted Poland China Hogs and Muscovy Ducks, S. 8, P. Elm Creek, P. O. Blue Hill, 1876.
Arterburn, Andrew, Retired Farmer, S. 35, P. Potsdam, P. O. Blue Hill, 1890.
Bank of Guide Rock, General Banking, Guide Rock.
Bank of Inavale, General Banking, Inavale.
Barlow, F. M., Cedar Creek Galaway Farm, Breeder of Galloway Cattle, S. 21, P. Line, P. O. Red Cloud, 1900.
Barrows, H. M., Farmer, S. 19, P. Red Cloud, P. O. Red Cloud, 1913.
Bartels, Chas., Farmer, S. 35, P. Catherton, P. O. Inavale, 1893.
Benker, Fred J., Farmer and Breeder of Red Polled Cattle, Duroc Jersey Hogs, White Leghorn and White Rock Chickens, S. 26, P. Elm Creek, P. O. Cowles. Mr. Benker was born in the County in 1859.
Benker, Geo. J., Farmer and Breeder of Shorthorn and Red Polled Cattle, Duroc Jersey Hogs and Rhode Island Red Chickens, S. 9, P. Stillwater, P. O. Blue Hill. Mr. Benker was born in the County in 1876.
Benker, Labret J., Farmer and Breeder of Shorthorn Cattle and Duroc Jersey Hogs, S. 4, P. Stillwater, P. O. Blue Hill. Mr. Benker was born in the County in 1886.
Blankenbaker, B. F., The Home Grove Farm, S. 8, P. Walnut Creek, P. O. Inavale, 1882.
Blankenbaker, Ivan D., Farmer and Breeder of Hampshire Hogs, S. 8, P. Walnut Creek, P. O. Inavale, 1895.
Blomquist, Chas., Farmer and Breeder of Red Polled Cattle, Duroc Jersey Hogs and Rhode Island Red Chickens, S. 17, P. Stillwater, P. O. Cowles, 1900.
Blumenthal, E. A., Farmer and Breeder of Registered Shorthorn Cattle, Registered Duroc Jersey Hogs, White Wyandotte Chickens and White Emden Geese, S. 8, P. Potsdam, P. O. Blue Hill, 1915.
Borcharding, Louis, Farmer and Breeder of Pure Holstein Cattle and Pure Duroc Jersey Hogs, S. 8, P. Potsdam, P. O. Blue Hill, 1894.
Boren, A. A., Valley Grove Farm, S. 21, P. Line, P. O. Red Cloud, 1893.
Brazz, A. J., Clover Leaf Farm, Retired, Guide Rock, 1893.
Britton, Frank, Farmer and Breeder of Galloway Cattle, Poland China Hogs and Rhode Island Chickens, S. 10, P. Stillwater, P. O. Guide Rock, 1903.
Britton, Peter, Farmer and Breeder of Shorthorn Cattle and Duroc Jersey Hogs, S. 11, P. Elm Creek, P. O. Blue Hill, 1906.
Britton Brothers, Evergreen View Farm, R. 6, P. Blain, P. O. Bladen.
Buckley, J. H., Farmer, S. 13, P. Blain, P. O. Bladen, 1889.
Buecher, Otto, Farmer and Breeder of Hereford Cattle and Poland China Hogs, S. 9, Millerton, P. O. Guide Rock, 1922.
Burg, Jim, Farmer and Breeder of Cattle, Duroc Jersey Hogs and White Leghorn Chickens, S. 30, P. Harmony, P. O. Campbell, 1873.
Burg, John B., Farmer and Breeder of Galloway Cattle, Poland China Hogs and Barred Plymouth Rock Chickens, S. 30, P. Harmony, P. O. Campbell. Mr. Burg was born in the County in 1862.
Burr, F. F., Farmer, Breeder and Breeder of Aberdeen Angus Cattle, Guide Rock, 1903.
Buschbacher, Tony, Farmer and Stockraiser, Breeder of Chester White Hogs, S. 13, P. Oak Creek, P. O. Lawrence, 1910.
Bushman, Frank, Farmer and Breeder of Hampshire Hogs, Pure Bird White Leghorn Chickens, S. 12, P. Blainwood, P. O. Bladen, 1902.
Bushing, Wm. H., Farmer and Breeder of Hereford Cattle and Duroc Jersey Hogs, S. 22, P. Oak Creek, P. O. Homestead, 1900.
Caldwell & Son, Painters and Decorators, Red Cloud.
Carpenter, Donald G., Farmer and Stockraiser, S. 17, P. Inavale, P. O. Inavale, 1910.
Cathber, Frank W., Farmer and Breeder of Hereford Cattle, S. 2, P. Catherton, P. O. Bladen, 1906.
Chelby, Grant, Contractor and Carpenter, Red Cloud.
Clayton, Henry, Farmer and Breeder of Shorthorn and Red Polled

Cattle and Duroc Jersey Hogs, S. 23, P. Stillwater, P. O. Guide Rock, 1918.
Cockrill, O. M., Farmer and Breeder of Duroc Jersey Hogs, S. 28, P. Pleasant Hill, P. O. Red Cloud, 1901.
Colburn, John, Farmer, S. 9, P. Beaver Creek, P. O. Guide Rock, 1917.
Commercial Advertiser, Walter E. Smith, Publisher, Red Cloud.
Coon, Everett C., Grand Valley Farm, S. 8, P. Garfield, P. O. Red Cloud, 1894.
Conn, Geo. E., Farmer, S. 24, P. Red Cloud, P. O. Red Cloud, 1872.
Cooper, A. A., Valley View Farm, S. 23, P. Catherton, P. O. Inavale, 1886.
Coplen, Albert, Farmer, S. 10, P. Beaver Creek, P. O. Guide Rock, 1905.
Cordle, Geo. C., Farmer, S. 29, P. Inavale, P. O. Inavale, 1917.
Cornelius, Carl, Farmer and Breeder of Hereford Cattle, Duroc Jersey Hogs and Rhode Island Red Chickens, S. 8, P. Oak Creek, P. O. Blue Hill, 1902.
Corner, Geo., Ford Garage, Blue Hill.
County Treasurer's Office, Red Cloud.
Cowles Bank, General Banking, Cowles.
Crabill, A. B., Stock Dealer, Red Cloud.
Cramer, Howard, Cramer Homestead, S. 8, P. Blain, P. O. Bladen, 1889.
Crazy, Edwin R., Pleasant Ridge Stock Farm, Feeder, S. 23, P. Beaver Creek, P. O. Guide Rock, 1888.
Crawley, L. W., General Merchant, Guide Rock.
Crauch, Wm. M., Carpenter and General Contractor, Blue Hill.
Crowell, H. H., County Commissioner, Farmer and Breeder of Hereford Cattle, S. 4, P. Red Cloud, P. O. Red Cloud, 1897.
Dawson, Geo., Farmer, S. 21, P. Guide Rock, P. O. Guide Rock, 1901.
Deakin, T. H., Plumbing, Heating, Pumps and Windmills, Cowles.
Derra, Wm., Farmer and Breeder of Mixed Cattle and Poland China Hogs, S. 33, P. Oak Creek, P. O. Lawrence. Mr. Derra was born in the County in 1848.
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Drake, G. W., Farmer, S. 29, P. Garfield, P. O. Red Cloud, 1920.
Dunst, Chas., Farmer and Breeder of Hereford and Shorthorn Cattle, Percheron Horses, and Poland China Hogs, S. 24, P. Glenwood, P. O. Bladen, 1885.
Dusek, Ed., Farmer and Stockraiser, S. 28, P. Glenwood, P. O. Bladen. Mr. Dusek was born in the County in 1888.
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Elmer, H. and Sons, Flour Mills, Red Cloud.
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Faubus, Henry B., County Agent, Fashion Pluck Farm, Breeder of Shorthorn Cattle, Poland China Hogs, Percheron Horses, Shropshire Sheep, and Single Comb Rhode Island Red Chickens, S. 2, P. Guide Rock, P. O. Guide Rock, 1899.
Ferguson, Albert, Twin Waters Farm, Breeder of Inow Hogs, S. 24, P. Beaver Creek, P. O. Guide Rock, 1904.
Fichel, R. R., Farmer and Stockraiser, S. 2, P. Cowles, P. O. Cowles, 1911.
Fink, H. C., Midway Farm, Stockraiser, S. 15, P. Red Cloud, P. O. Red Cloud, 1901.
Frey, Ernest L., Farmer, S. 1, P. Beaver Creek, P. O. Guide Rock, 1907.
Frey, John G., Farmer, S. 24, P. Pleasant Hill, P. O. Red Cloud, 1923.
Funker, Ed. H., General Merchandise, Blue Hill.
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Geestring, Otto, Farmer and Breeder of Duroc Jersey Hogs, Shorthorn Cattle and White Rock Chickens, S. 18, P. Stillwater, P. O. Cowles, 1902.
Gilham, Henry, Attorney and Farmer, S. 25, P. Red Cloud, P. O. Red Cloud, 1897.
Gilham, J. S., Lawyer, Red Cloud.
Gilmer, J. H., Farmer and Breeder of Galloway Cattle, Duroc Jersey Hogs and Rhode Island Red Chickens, S. 15, P. Stillwater, P. O. Guide Rock, 1918.

Goll, C. O., Farmer and Breeder of Shorthorn Cattle, Duroc Jersey Hogs and Buff Orpington Chickens, S. 23, P. Potsdam, P. O. Guide Rock, 1904.
Goller, Geo., Farmer, S. 28, P. Catherton, P. O. Campbell, 1874.
Guide Rock Signal, The Newspaper, Guide Rock.
Guide Rock State Bank, General Banking, Guide Rock.
Gurley, Chas. W., Retired Farmer, Crossed Creek Stock Farm, Red Cloud, 1878.
Gurney, Joseph, Hill Cross Farm, Breeder of Holstein Cattle, Hampshire Hogs and Rhode Island Chickens, S. 8, P. Walnut Creek, P. O. Inavale, 1886.
Gurney, Valentine, Sonny-Ridge Farm, S. 8, P. Cowles, P. O. Red Cloud, 1878.
Guy, E. L., Farmer, S. 1, P. Cowles, P. O. Cowles, 1904.
Haas, A. E., Farmer and Breeder of Shorthorn Cattle and Poland China Hogs, S. 20, P. Oak Creek, P. O. Homestead, 1876.
Hall, H. E., Dodge and Baker Hales and Services, Red Cloud.
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Hanson, H. C., Hill Cross Farm, S. 30, P. Blain, P. O. Red Cloud, 1881.
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Hardwick, John, Valley Grove Stock Farm, Feeder, S. 13, P. Walnut Creek, P. O. Inavale, 1884.
Harvey, Dean, Spring Branch Farm, S. 28, P. Inavale, P. O. Inavale, 1892.
Harvey, Mrs. O. F., Farmer and Breeder of Duroc Jersey Hogs, S. 14, P. Inavale, P. O. Inavale, 1882.
Havel, Jim, Account and Farmer, S. 25, P. Blain, P. O. Red Cloud, 1874.
Hawkins, Thom, Pleasant Hill Farm, S. 10, P. Walnut Creek, P. O. Inavale, 1905.
Hawkins, T. H., Sunnyside Farm, S. 8, P. Cowles, P. O. Red Cloud, 1889.
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Hodder, Chas. K., Pleasant Ridge Farm, S. 23, P. Inavale, P. O. Inavale, 1917.
Hovet, Jas., Real Estate, Loans and Insurance, Red Cloud.
Hrs. David, Farmer and Breeder of Shorthorn Cattle, S. 11, P. Harmony, P. O. Bladen, 1892.
Hathous, Louis, Farmer and Breeder of Red Polled Cattle and Stocked and Poland China Hogs, S. 27, P. Stillwater, P. O. Guide Rock, 1913.
Holt, Henry, Farmer, S. 8, P. Guide Rock, P. O. Guide Rock, 1899.
Hornbaker, P. B., Farmer and Breeder of Pure Red Shorthorn Cattle, Pure Red Inland China Hogs and Pure Red White Rock Chickens, S. 21, P. Glenwood, P. O. Bladen. Mr. Hornbaker was born in the County in 1856.
Howard, A. W., Grove View Stock Farm, Breeder of Poland China Hogs, S. 16, P. Guide Rock, P. O. Guide Rock, 1904.
Howe, Ed., Farmer and Breeder of Shorthorn Cattle, Duroc Jersey Hogs and Pure Red Single Comb White Leghorn Chickens, S. 3, P. Elm Creek, P. O. Blue Hill. Mr. Howe was born in the County in 1877.
Hoyer, Frank, Red Cloud Real Estate Co., Red Cloud.
Hulst, Frank, H. H., Farmer and Breeder of Shorthorn Cattle, Duroc Jersey Hogs, and White Leghorn Chickens, S. 1, P. Pleasant Hill, P. O. Red Cloud, 1900.
Hunt, W. A., Honey Bush Home Farm, Breeder of Big Type Standard Poland China Hogs, S. 7, P. Garfield, P. O. Red Cloud, 1899.
Huppert, Fred, Farmer and Breeder of Shorthorn Cattle and Duroc Jersey Hogs, S. 2, P. Elm Creek, P. O. Blue Hill, 1877.
Hutchins, Mrs. John, Cedar Heights Farm, Grains and Stock Raiser, S. 8, P. Cowles, P. O. Cowles, 1901.
Hutcheon, Geo. W., Abolitionist, Red Cloud.
Jensen, Ory, Gascon, Bladen.
Johnson, R. E., Farmer and Breeder of Shorthorn Cattle and Duroc Jersey Hogs, S. 18, P. Potsdam, P. O. Blue Hill, 1894.
Johnson, C. W., Farmer, Feeder and Breeder of Shorthorn Cattle and Duroc Jersey Hogs, S. 17, P. Guide Rock, P. O. Guide Rock, 1908.
Jones, Hogs, S. 17, P. Guide Rock, P. O. Guide Rock, 1908.
Juno, W. E., Pleasant Grove Farm, S. 8, P. Walnut Creek, P. O. Inavale, 1887.
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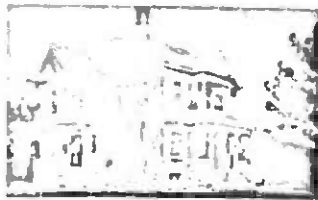
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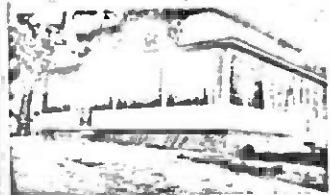
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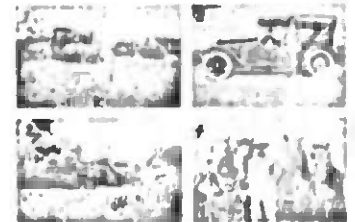
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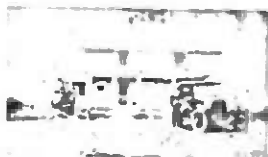
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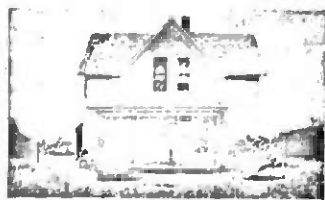
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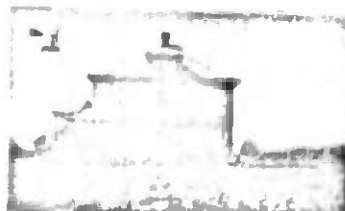
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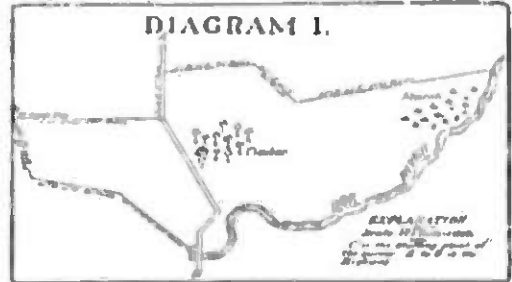
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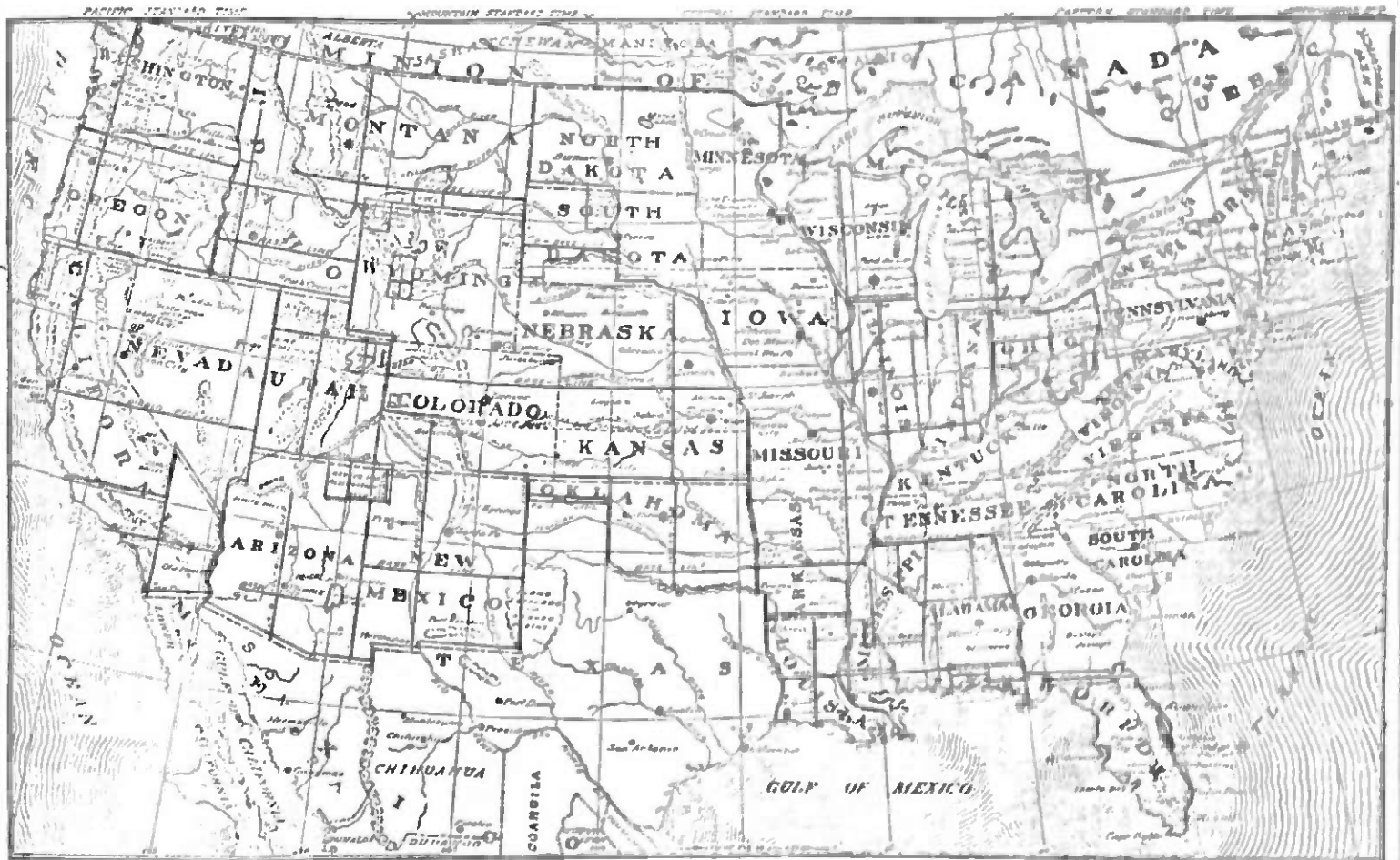
Up to the time of the Revolutionary War, or until about the beginning of the present century, land, when parcelled out, and sold or granted, was described by "Metes and Bounds," and that system is still in existence in the following States, or in those portions of them which had been sold or granted when the present plan of surveys was adopted, viz., New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, North and South Carolina, Georgia, Tennessee, Kentucky, Texas, and the six New England States. To describe land by "Metes and Bounds," is to have a known land-mark for a place of beginning, and then follow a line according to the compass-needle (or magnetic bearing), or the course of a stream, or track of an ancient highway. This plan has resulted in endless confusion and litigation, as land-marks decay and change, and it is a well-known fact that the compass-needle varies and does not always point due North.

As an example of this plan of dividing lands, the following description of a farm laid out by "Metes and Bounds," is given: "Beginning at a stone on the bank of the river, at a point where the highway from A. to B. crosses said river (see point marked U' on Diagram 1); thence 40° North of West 100 rods to a large stump; thence 10° North of West 90 rods; thence 15° West of North 80 rods to an oak tree (see Witness Tree on Diagram 1); thence due East 130 rods to the highway; thence following the course of the highway 80 rods due North; thence 30° North of East 90 rods; thence 45° East of South 60 rods; thence 10° North of East 200 rods to the Doe River; thence following the course of the river Southwesterly to the place of beginning." This, which is a very ample and moderate description by "Metes and Bounds," would leave the boundaries of the farm as shown in Diagram 1.



MERIDIANS AND BASE LINES

DIAGRAM 2



The present system of Governmental Land Surveys was adopted by Congress on the 16th of May, 1792. It has been in use ever since and is the legal method of describing and dividing lands. It is called the "Rectangular System," that is, all its distances and bearings are measured from two lines which are at right angles to each other, viz.:— These two lines, from which the measurements are made, are the Principal Meridians, which run North and South, and the Base Lines which run East and West. These Principal Meridians are established, with great accuracy. Each Principal Meridian has its Base Line, and these two lines form the basis or foundation for the surveys or measurement of all the lands within the territory which they control. Diagram 2 shows all of the Principal Meridians and Base Lines in the United States and shows the territory governed by each Meridian and Base Line may be readily

distinguished. Each Meridian and Base Line is marked with its proper number or name. Diagram 3 illustrates what is meant when this method is termed the "Rectangular System," and how the measurements are based on lines which run at right angles to each other. The heavy line running North and South (marked A. A.) on Diagram 3, represents the Principal Meridian, in this case only the 5th Principal Meridian. The heavy line running East and West (marked B. B.) is the Base Line. These lines are used as the starting points or basis of all measurements or surveys made in territory controlled by the 5th Principal Meridian. The same fact applies to all other Principal Meridians and their Base Lines. Commencing at the Principal Meridian, at intervals of six miles, lines are run North and South, parallel to the Meridian. This plan is followed both East and West of the Meridian throughout the territory controlled by the Meridian.

These lines are termed "Range Lines." They divide the land into strips or divisions six miles wide, extending North and South, parallel with the Meridian. Each division is called a Range. Ranges are numbered from east to west, and their numbers are indicated by Roman characters. For instance, the first division (or strip) six miles west of the Meridian is Range I, West; the next is Range II, West; then comes Range III, West, &c. All, and so on, until the territory governed by another Principal Meridian is reached. In the same manner the Range East of the Meridian are numbered, the north or West being always used to indicate the direction from the Principal Meridian. See Diagram 2.

Commencing at the Base Line, at intervals of six miles, lines are run East and West parallel with the Base Line. These are designated as Township Lines. They divide the land into strips or divisions six miles wide, extending East and West, parallel with the Base Line. This plan is followed both North and South of the Base Line until the territory governed by another Principal Meridian and Base Line is reached. These divisions or Townships are numbered from one upward, both North and South of the Base Line, and their numbers are indicated by figures. For instance, the first six-mile division north of the Base Line is Township 1 North; the next is Township 2 North; then comes Township 3, 4, 5, and 6, North, and so on. The same plan is followed South of the Base Line; the Townships being designated as Township 1 South, Township 2 South, and so on. The "North" or "South" (the initial N. or S. being generally used) indicates the direction from the Base Line. See Diagram 3.

These Township and Range Lines, crossing each other, as shown in Diagram 3, form squares, which are called "Townships" or "Government Townships," which are six miles square, or as nearly that as it is possible to make them. These Townships are a very important feature in locating or describing a piece of land. The location of a Government Township, however, is very readily found when the number of the Township and Range is given, by merely counting the number indicated from the Base Line and Principal Meridian. As an example of this, Township 4 North, Range 4, West of the 5th Principal Meridian, is at once located on the square marked ★ on Diagram 3, by counting eight (two north of the Base Line and six west of the Meridian).

TOWNSHIPS OF LAND

TOWNSHIPS are the largest subdivisions of land run out by the United States Surveyors. In the Governmental Survey Township Lines are the first to be run, and a Township Corner is established every six miles and marked. This is called "Townshiping." After the Township Corners have been carefully located, the Section and Quarter Section Corners are established. Each Township is six miles square and contains 36,000 acres, or 36 square miles, or as near as it is possible to make them. This, however, is frequently made impossible by: (1st) the presence of lakes and large streams; (2nd) by State boundaries not falling exactly on Township Lines; (3rd) by the convergence of Meridian or curvature of the earth's surface; and (4th) by inaccurate surveys.

Each Township, unless it is one of the exceptional cases referred to, is divided into 36 squares, which are called Sections. These Sections are intended to be one mile, or 320 rods, square and contain 640 acres of land. Sections are numbered consecutively from 1 to 36, as shown in Diagram 4. Beginning with Section 1 in the Northeast Corner, they run West to 6, then East to 12, then West to 18, and so on, back and forth, until they end with Section 36 in the Southeast Corner.

Diagram 4 shows a plat of a Township as it is divided and platted by the government surveyors. These Townships are called Government Townships or Congressional Townships, to distinguish them from Civil Townships or organized Townships, as frequently the lines of organized Townships do not conform to the Government Township lines.

SECTIONS OF LAND.

DIAGRAM 5 illustrates how a section may be subdivided, although the Diagram only gives a few of the many subdivisions into which a section may be divided. All Sections (except Fractional Sections) are supposed to be 320 rods, or one mile, square and therefore contain 640 acres—a number easily divisible. Sections are subdivided into fractional parts to suit the convenience of the owners of the land. A half-section contains 320 acres; a quarter-section contains 160 acres; half of a quarter contains 80 acres, and quarter of a quarter contains 40 acres, and so on. Each piece of land is described according to the portion of the section which it embraces—as the Northeast quarter of Section 10; or the Southeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of Section 10. Diagram 5 shows how many of these subdivisions are platted, and also shows the plan of designating and describing them by initial letters as each parcel of land on the Diagram is marked with its description.

As has already been stated, all Sections (except Fractional Sections) which are explained elsewhere are supposed to contain 640 acres, and even though mistakes have been made in surveying, as is frequently the case, making sections larger or smaller than 640 acres, the Government recognizes no variation, but sells or grants each regular section as containing 640 acres "more or less."

The Government Surveyors are not required to sub-divide sections by running lines within the section lines on each side of a section at the corners, but they usually establish Quarter Posts on the corners marked A, B, C, and D, in Diagram 5.

DIAGRAM 5.

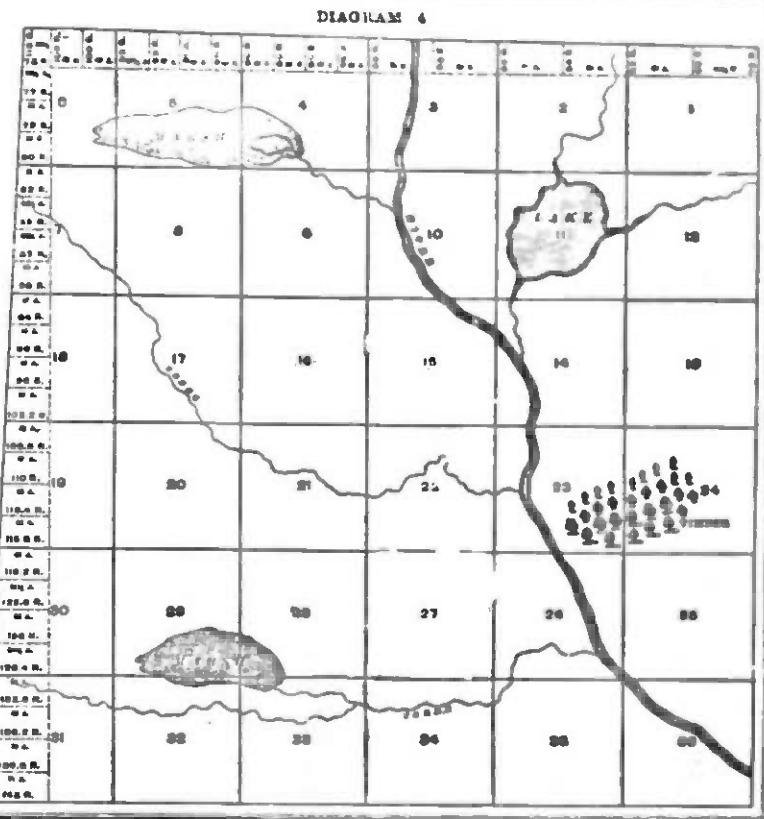
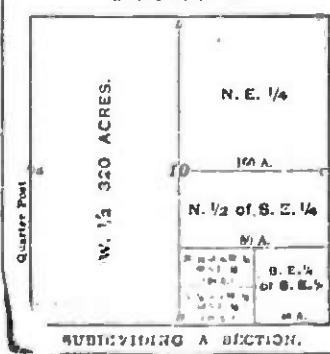


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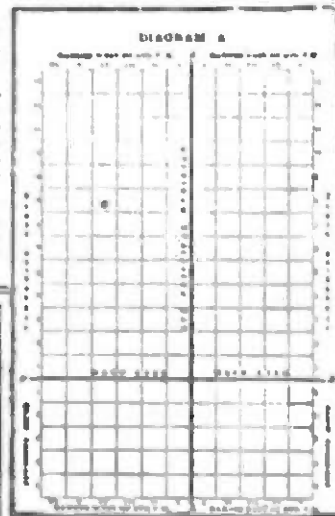


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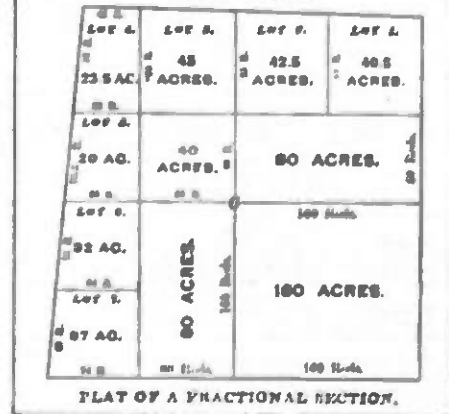
FRACTIONAL PIECES OF LAND.

CONGRESSIONAL Townships vary considerably as to size and boundaries. Mistakes made in surveying and the fact that Meridian converge as they run North cause every Township to vary more or less from the 36,000 acres which a perfect Township would contain. See Diagram 4. In arranging a Township into Sections all the surplus or deficiency of land is given to, or taken from, the North and West tiers of Sections. In other words, all Sections in the Township are made full—640 acres—except those on the North and West, which are given all the land that is left after forming the other 26 Sections.

Diagram 4 illustrates how the surplus or deficiency is distributed and the Sections affected. It will be seen that Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 18, 19, 20 and 21, are the "Fractional Sections," or the Sections which are affected if the Township overruns or falls short. Inside of these Fractional Sections, all of the surplus or deficiency of land (over or under 640 acres) is carried to the "forties" or "eighties" that touch the Township Lines. These pieces of land are called "Fractional Forties" or "Fractional Eighties," as the case may be. Diagrams 4 and 6 show the manner of marking the acreage and outlining the boundaries of these "Fractions."

Diagram 6 illustrates how the surplus or deficiency of land inside of these Sections is distributed and which "forties" or "eighties" it affects. From this arrangement it will be seen that in any section that touches the North or West Township Lines, the Southeast Quarter may be full—160 acres—while another quarter of the same Section may be much larger or smaller. Frequently these fractional "forties" or "eighties" are lotted as shown in Diagram 6. They are always described as fractional tracts of land, as the "fractional N.W. 1/4 of Section 6," etc. Of course, those portions of these Sections which are not affected by these variations are described in the usual manner—as Southeast 1/4 of Section 8. As a rule Townships are narrower at the North than at the South side. The Meridians (which run North and South) converge as they run North and South from the Equator. They begin at the Equator with a definite width between them and gradually converge until they all meet at the poles. Now, as the Range Lines run North and South, it will at once be seen that the convergency of Meridians will cause every Congressional Township (North of the Equator) to be narrower at its North than at its South side, as stated. See Diagram 4. In addition to this fact, mistakes of measurement are constantly and almost unavoidably made

DIAGRAM 6.



PLAT OF A FRACTIONAL SECTION.

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in running both Township and Range lines, and if no new starting points were established the lines would become confused and unreliable, and the size and shape of the Townships materially affected by the time the surveys had progressed a hundred miles from the Base Line and Principal Meridian. In order to correct the errors and variations caused by the difference of latitude and straighten the lines, "Correction Lines" for these Meridians and Standard parallels are established at frequent intervals, usually as follows: North of the Base Line a Correction Line is run East and West parallel with the Base Line, usually every twenty-four miles. South of the Base Line a Correction Line is usually established every thirty miles, both East and West of the Principal Meridian. "Correction Lines" are usually established every 24 miles. All Correction Lines are located by careful measurement, and the measuring surveys are based upon them.

After establishing Township corners, Section Lines are the next to be run, and section corners are established. When these are carefully located the Quarter Posts are located at points as nearly equidistant between Section Corners as possible. These corners when established by Government Surveyors cannot be changed, even though it is conclusively shown that mistakes have been made which cause some sections or quarter sections to be either larger or smaller than others. The laws, however, of all the States provide certain rules for local surveys to follow in dividing Sections into smaller parcels of land than has been outlined in the Governmental surveys. For instance, in dividing a quarter section into two parcels, the distance between the Government Corners is carefully measured and the new post is located at a point equidistant between them. This plan is followed in running out "eighths," "forties," "twentys," etc. In this way, if the Government division overruns or falls short, each portion gains or loses by proportion. This is not the case, however, with Fractional Sections along the North or West sides of a Township, or adjoining a lake or large stream.

Another common form of... the instrument is to enable the party to... the instrument is to enable the party to...

In fact the guarantor has the duty to... the guarantor has the duty to... the guarantor has the duty to...

The term Power is applied to the official act by an authorized person... the term Power is applied to the official act by an authorized person...

GUARANTY.

A "GUARANTY" is one who is bound to another for the fulfillment of a promise... A "GUARANTY" is one who is bound to another for the fulfillment of a promise...

A guaranty is not binding unless the guarantor has notice of its acceptance... A guaranty is not binding unless the guarantor has notice of its acceptance...

It is in many cases difficult to say... It is in many cases difficult to say... It is in many cases difficult to say...

ACCOMMODATION OF PAPER.

An accommodation bill or note is one for which the acceptor or maker has received no consideration... An accommodation bill or note is one for which the acceptor or maker has received no consideration...

IDENTIFICATION.

The main act of identifying a party or making him known to a third party... The main act of identifying a party or making him known to a third party...

Receipts and releases... Receipts and releases... Receipts and releases...

RECEIPTS AND RELEASES.

A receipt is a written acknowledgment... A receipt is a written acknowledgment... A receipt is a written acknowledgment...

INFANTS AND MINORS.

The incapacity of a person to make a valid contract... The incapacity of a person to make a valid contract... The incapacity of a person to make a valid contract...

AGENCY.

There are a few well-defined and important rules of law governing the matter of agency... There are a few well-defined and important rules of law governing the matter of agency...

On the other hand a special agent is authorized to do only a specified part of a few specified things... On the other hand a special agent is authorized to do only a specified part of a few specified things...

A principal is bound by the acts of an agent even after the agency has terminated... A principal is bound by the acts of an agent even after the agency has terminated...

ORIGIN AND HISTORY OF BANKING.

In general banks may be said to be credit institutions or depositories of money... In general banks may be said to be credit institutions or depositories of money...

It is a very common statement that the term of banking originated with the Venetian money changers... It is a very common statement that the term of banking originated with the Venetian money changers...

The term of banking, established in 1814... The term of banking, established in 1814... The term of banking, established in 1814...

Receipts and releases... Receipts and releases... Receipts and releases...

The National Bank... The National Bank... The National Bank...

CLEARING HOUSE.

The clearing-house is the place where the exchanges of the banks are made... The clearing-house is the place where the exchanges of the banks are made...

It is of vital importance to the banks... It is of vital importance to the banks... It is of vital importance to the banks...

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This is the first of the clearing-house... This is the first of the clearing-house... This is the first of the clearing-house...

1. The first Roman Empire... 2. The second Roman Empire... 3. The fall of the Roman Empire... 4. The Middle Ages... 5. The Renaissance... 6. The Reformation... 7. The Scientific Revolution... 8. The Industrial Revolution... 9. The French Revolution... 10. The Napoleonic Wars... 11. The 19th Century... 12. The 20th Century... 13. World War I... 14. World War II... 15. The Cold War... 16. The Space Age... 17. The Information Age... 18. The 21st Century... 19. The future of humanity... 20. The end of the world...

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1800 Battle of Tippecanoe, Nov. 7. The British and their Indian allies defeated the Americans in a battle on the banks of the Wabash River. This was a significant event in the War of 1812, as it demonstrated the military strength of the British and their Indian allies.

1801 The Louisiana Purchase, April 30. The United States acquired the Louisiana Territory from France, doubling the size of the nation. This was a major territorial acquisition that opened up the central United States for settlement and trade.

1802 The Adams-Onís Treaty, February 22. The United States and Spain signed a treaty that defined the border between the United States and Spanish territories. The treaty was named after the American Secretary of State, James Madison, and the Spanish minister, Manuel de Guaymas.

1803 The Embargo Act, December 18. President Thomas Jefferson signed the Embargo Act, which prohibited American ships from trading with foreign nations. This was a response to British and French restrictions on American trade.

1804 The War of 1812, June 18. The United States declared war on Great Britain, marking the beginning of the War of 1812. The war was fought over issues of trade, territorial expansion, and national sovereignty.

