

Oregon & Washington Boundary Line.

		<p>ravine, bearing N.E. The mile ends at E. side of ravine near its head and 1 ch. above its bed. Bearing to 3rd largest bolder on elevated plateau, N. $7^{\circ}54'$ E., dist. 3 miles. Conical mound, N. $1^{\circ}36'$ W. Mouth of ravine leading to canyon with trail to Wild Horse, N. $36^{\circ}09'$ E.</p> <p>Made excavation, 2 ft. deep. Deposited 2 charred stakes (white thorn). Planted heavy willow post, $4\frac{1}{2}$ ft. long & 8 ins. sq.; top beveled & trimmed. Marked in deeply cut characters on N. face "W", on S. "O", on E. $746^{\circ}L$ 1864" and on the W. "S.M." The charred stakes were 2 ft. long & 1 in. diam. Threw up mound of earth, 8 ft. sq. at base & $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft. high, tapering to post in center. Sedded & earth packed. Dug deep trench around mound, 12 ins. from exterior base, 2 spades wide & 18 ins. deep.</p>
<p>8 M.</p>		<p>May 27th Dug 4 pits in usual position.</p>
<p>S.15-16</p>		<p>Ascending, cross flat top of ridge, bearing N.N.E. & descend steep decline, 9 chs. to bottom of ravine. At 9.90 chs. intersect N. & S. line bet. Sess. 15-16. Set post properly marked. Dug trench & pits; erected mound E. side of ravine. Could get no bearings.</p> <p>Ascend, cross level top of ridge & descend to steep ravine with several small tributaries, heading in main ridge & descending in a northerly direction. This ravine is a principal branch of the main Canyon, 40 chs. give out on W. side of ridge, $\frac{3}{4}$ distance up. There is a large rock, abutting from hillside, just N. of the Bay. & about 3 chs. W. of this mound. Bearing to ledge of rock abutting from ridge, N. $42^{\circ}34'$ E., distance $\frac{3}{4}$ mile.</p>
<p>1/2 M.</p>		<p>Made excavation, 3 ft. deep; deposited charred stake; planted 6 ft. willow post, 4 ins. diam.; top beveled & marked on W. side $\frac{1}{2}$ M. Erected mound, 6 ft. sq. & 3 ft. high. Dug the usual trench, pits, etc. Thence passing up to top of ridge; descend steep mountain side, cross small ravine; ascend steep spur ridge & descend 78 chs. to canyon. 79.66 to trail on road to Wild Horse Creek & Umattilla Reserve, course SSE. 80 chs., marked parallel.</p>