Remonumentation of Certain Original Corner Points,
T. 4 S., R. 7 W., Willamette Meridian, Oregon

Accessories, Followed by Remonumentation of Corner Points,
With New Accessories When Needed."

The \( \frac{5}{4} \) sec. cor. of secs. 7 and 18, perpetuated and re-
corded by Mervin Whitmore, Deputy County Surveyor, in
1953, with an iron pipe, \( \frac{5}{4} \) in. diam., procuring 24 ins.
above ground, firmly set alongside the original basalt stone, 14 x 8 x 7 ins., firmly set 7 ins. in the ground,
mkd. \( \frac{5}{4} \) on N. face, from which bearing trees mkd. by
Whitmore:

A fir, 27 ins. diam., bears N. 57\( \frac{2}{4} \)° W., 29 lks.
dist., mkd. with a healed blaze.

A fir, 19 ins. diam., bears S. 13° W., 14 lks.
dist., mkd. with a healed blaze.

At the corner point

Set an iron post, 28 ins. long, \( \frac{3}{4} \) ins. diam., 24 ins.
in the ground, with brass cap mkd.

\[ T 4 S R 7 W \]
\[ \frac{5}{4} S 7 \]
\[ \frac{3}{4} S 18 \]
1965.

Deposit the original stone and the iron pipe along-
side the iron post.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The portion of the township covered by the survey
lies on the western slope of the Coast Range on the
Nestucca River drainage about 10 miles northwest of
Willams, Oregon. The elevation ranges from approximately
550 feet to 2,000 feet above sea level. The soil is a
rocky clay with rock outcroppings. A heavy stand of
timber, principally fir and alder, with a scattering of
cascara, wild cherry, willow, maple, hemlock, spruce, and
cedar covers the unlogged portion of the area. Under-
growth consists chiefly of vine maple, fern, salal,
salmonberry, huckleberry, hazel, wild blackberry, devil's
club, Oregon grape and nettle.

The northwest portion of the township is drained by
Bible Creek, Testament Creek, and their tributaries.
Both streams flow into the Nestucca River which flows
southwesterly through sections 6 and 7. The main access
to the northwest portion of the township is by improved
gravelled road which runs along the Nestucca River.
Several dirt roads lead from this main road along the
main ridges through the township. Occupied dwellings
were noted in sections 5 and 6, with abandoned dwellings
being noted in sections 8, 20 and 21. Grazing and logg-
ing appear to be the chief occupations carried on in the
area. Rocky Bend Forest Camp, maintained by the United
States Forest Service, is located on the north bank of the
Nestucca River near the west boundary of section 7.

No indication of mineral deposits were noted during
the course of the survey. The average of a considerable
number of readings along the lines surveyed gives a value
of 20° 38' east for a mean magnetic declination. There
is a range of 2° 00' in local attraction.