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# FIELD NOTES

# OF THE SURVEY OF THE

AN ISLAND IN
KEOWOQUASOCOAGAN LAKE
IN
SECTION 14,
TOWNSHIP 39 NORTH, RANGE 6 EAST,
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Of the FOURTH PRINCIPAL Meridian,
In the State ofVISCONSIN.
EXECUTED BY
JOSEPH C. THOMA, U. S. CADASTRAL ENGINEER.
In the capacity of U.S. Surveyor, under Special Instructions dated MAY 4,
ASSOCTATE SUPPRINTSON OF SIDIUM
19.23, issued by the District Cadastral Engineer to govern surveys included in Group
No24 , which were approved by the Commissioner of the General Land
Office, MAY 19. , 1928, and Assignment Instructions dated JUNE 1, 1928,
Survey commenced JUNE 12 , 1928.  Survey completed JUNE 14 , 1928.
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## FIELD ASSISTANTS.

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Survey commenced June 12, 1928, and executed with Buff solar transit No. 16730, fully equipped and conforming to the standard instrumental specifications adopted by the General Land Office. I examine the adjustments of the transit and find them correct.

June 13, 1928: At a point for the meander cor. on the south side of Plumb Island said point being South 2.70 chs. from the meander cor. on the north shore of Plumb Island, on line between Secs. 11 and 12, T. 39 N., R. 6 E., 4th P. M., Wisconsin, in approximate latitude 45° 52' N., longitude 69° 52' W., I make a series of two altitude observations upon the sun for azimuth, each with the telescope in direct and reversed positions, observing opposite limbs of the sun and reading the horizontal deflection angle from a flag at Angle Point No. 6, on the meanders of the island to be surveyed northwest to the sun.

Mean watch time of observation 3h 40m p. m.

Mean horizontal angles (1) 75° 30° 30°, (2) 76° 23°.

Mean observed vertical angles (1) 40° 14° (2) 39° 29°.

By 1st obsn. flag bears S. 7° 03' 30" W.

By 2nd obsn. flag bears S. 7º 02' 00" W.

Mean S. 7º 02' 45" W., or S. 7º 03' W.

All bearings in this survey were carried by transit angles from the bearing determined by the above altitude observation of the sun for azimuth.

All measurements were made with a Lallie steel tape, 5 ohs. in length, compared with a Luftin standard steel tape and found correct.

I proceed to the meander cor. on the north side of Plumb Island on line bet. Secs. 11 and 12, said cor. being reestablished by reference to the two original bearing trees. At the true cor. point Survey of an Island in Keowoquasocoagan Lake, in Sec. 14, T. 39 N., R. 6 E., 4th P. M., Wisoonsin.

#### Chains

Set a concrete monument  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. long, 7 ins. diam., level with the surface, with brass tablet mkd.

From which the original bearing trees:

A birch, 10 ins. diam., bears S. 464 E., 31 lks. dist. mkd. T 39 N R 6 E S 12 M C B T.

A biroh, 12 ins. diam., bears S. 840 W., 80 lks. dist. mkd. T 39 N R 6 E S 11 M 0 B T.

Thence

South

Over island.

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Point for meander cor. on south side Plumb Island, near the edge of a high caving sandy bank. Find no evidence of the meander cor. but identify the remains of an old decayed stump, S. 40° E., 5 lks. dist., and a house bears N. 51% W., 77 lks. dist. This point is too close to caving bank to establish a permanent monument.

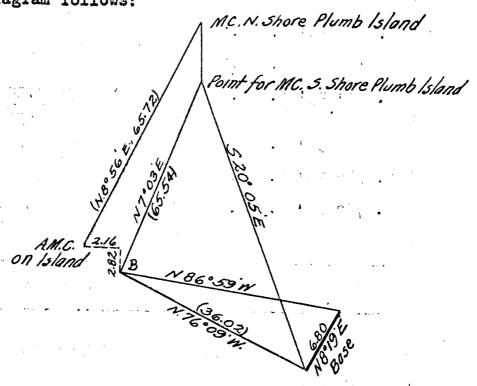
From this point, a point which I designate "B", on the island bears S. 7° 03' W., (65.54 chs.) dist. The southerly end of a base line previously measured on the mainland bears S. 20° 05' E. The A. M. C. on the island is not visible from the point on the south shore of Plumb Island.

From the south end of measured base on the mainland Point "B" on the island bears N. 76° 09' W., (36.02 chs.). The measured base bears N. 8° 19' E., 6.80 chs. dist. From the northerly end of the base, point "B" on the island bears N. 86° 59' W.

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The A. M. C. on the north end of the island is 2.52 chs. north and 2.16 chs. west of point "B". Therefore from the meander cor. of Secs. 10 and 11, on the north shore of Plumb Island, the A. M. C. on the north point of the island to be surveyed bears S. 50 56 W., 65.72 chs. dist.

The diagram follows:



At mean high water elevation on the north end of the island.

Set a concrete monument  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. long, 7 ins. diam, top flush with surface, for auxiliary meander cor., Sec. 14, with brass tablet mkd.

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#### From which

- A Norway pine, 8 ins. diam. bears S. 6440 E., 40 lks. dist. mkd. T 39 N R 6 E A M C 514 B T.
- A white birch, 8 ins. diam. bears S. 13to E., 99 lks. dist., mkd. T 39 N R6 E A M O S 14 B T.

From the A. M. O., above described.

Thence with meanders of island,

Along well defined bushy shore. The medical

s. 69 30'.W., 3.50 chs.

S. 60:15' E., 4.90 "

At 2.60 ohs., boat house west of line.

At 3.70 ohs., cottage about 30 lks. E.

8. 28° 15' E., 2.00

N. 31° E., 1.70

N. 9° 45' E., 3.50

At 2.55 ohs.,ice house 15 lks. W.

N. 10º 30' W., 2.40

N. 24° 15' W., 2.70

N. 70° 12' W., 1.06 '

To A. M. C. and place of beginning.

## General Description.

This unnamed island is located less than a mile by water from Minocqua, Wisconsin. Its accessibility and location in beautiful Keowoquasocoagan Lake in the heart of northern Wisconsin's summer resort country, make it valuable. The island is about 20 feet above the lake level and is covered with a dense growth of spruce, hemlock, white birch, and popple. There are also some white and yellow pine stumps, 4 feet in diameter. The trees were cut over 40 years ago.

There is not the slightest doubt that the island was in existence at the date of survey or prior to any date that might affect the title adversely.

The island is of a gravelly formation and in all respects and appearances is the same as the mainland.

Mr. Prosper Jossart, the applicant for the survey, and one of the oldest settlers in the country, has claimed and cocupied and has had undisputed possession of the

island for a number of years. He has built thereon a well arranged five room cottage, ice house, boat house and wharf, together with other necessary out buildings at an estimated cost of about \$1,000.

The water in the lake is now about two feet higher than it was originally, due to the construction of a dam across the outlet. The water is more than five feet deep at its shallowest point between the island and mainland, and the nearest mainland is about seven chains to the northwest.

The island shows no indication of mineral or oil deposits and is not used as a nesting place for birds.

(Signed) Jos. C. Thoma,

U. S. Cadastral Engineer.

# CERTIFICATE OF UNITED STATES SURVEYOR.

	. Cadastral Engineer,
of special instructions received from the	Associate Supervisor of Surveys, exchange the Associate Supervisor of Surveys
bearing date of thefourth de	ay ofNay, 19 28, I have well, faithfully, and truly
in my own proper person, and in strice	t conformity with said instructions, the Manual of Surveying Instruc-
tions, and the laws of the United States	s, surveyed all those parts or portions ofan Island In
Keowoquasocoagan	Lake in Sec. 14, T. 39 N., R. 6 E.
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the foregoing field notes as having been	n executed by me, and under my direction; and that all the corners of
said survey have been established and ]	perpetuated in strict accordance with the Manual of Surveying Instruc-
tions, and the special written instructi	ons of the kunnyurxian supervisor of Surveys,
and in the specific manner described in	n the field notes, and that the foregoing are the original field notes of
such survey.	
Certified to at Washingto this sixth day of December	
	APPROVAL.
	Office of U. S. Supervisor of Surveys, Office of the United States Surveyor General,
	Denver, Colorado, March 14 , 19 29.
The foregoing field notes of the su	rvey of an Island in Keowoquasocoagan Lake in
	E. of the Fourth Principal Meridian, in the
State of Wisconsin,	
	T C Codestrol Brutner
	J. S. Cadastral Engineer.
~	corrections and explanations made, the said field notes, and the surveys
they describe, are hereby approved.	
$_{n}\mathcal{C}$	U. S. Supervisor of Surveyor General.
I certify that the foregoing transcr	ript of the field notes of the above-described surveys in Group 24.
	s been correctly copied from the original notes on file in this office.
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