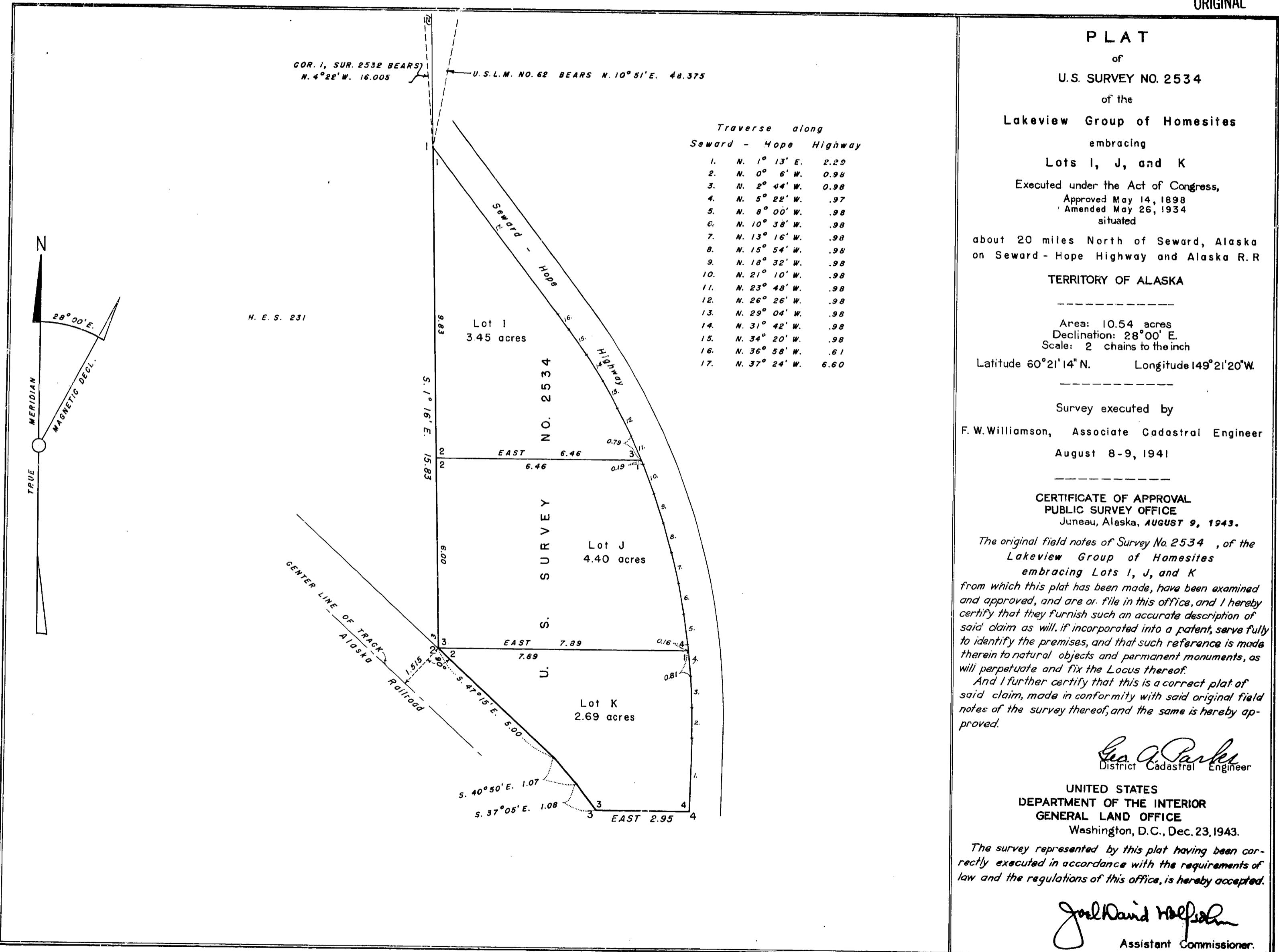


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# FIELD NOTES

U. S. SURVEY NO. 2534

Lakeview Group of Homesites

Embracing

Lots I, J and K

Situated

About 20 Miles North of Seward, Alaska

On the Seward-Hope Highway and The Alaska Railroad

In

Latitude 60°21'14" North

Longitude 149°21'20" West

Of the \_\_\_\_\_ Meridian,

In the State of \_\_\_\_\_ Territory of Alaska

## EXECUTED BY

F. W. Williamson, Associate Cadastral Engineer, G.L.O.

Under special instructions dated March 7, 1940, which provided  
for the surveys included under Survey No. 2534, bearing the approval of the  
Commissioner of the General Land Office under date of April 27, 1940  
and assignment instructions dated February 28, 1941.

Survey commenced August 8, 1941

Survey completed August 9, 1941

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## Field Notes of U. S. Survey No. 2534

Survey commenced August 8, 1941 and executed with a W. and L. E. Curley transit No. 38105. The horizontal plates read by double opposite verniers to single minutes of arc, which is also the least count on the vernier of the vertical circle. The instrument was new in March 1938 and after having been tested and found free from appreciable error was approved by the district cadastral engineer for Alaska. Prior to beginning the survey I examine all the adjustments of the transit and find them correct.

All measurements were made with a 5 chain steel tape graduated the entire length to single links; first and last link to tenths of a link. The tape was tested on a base laid out with a 66 foot standard steel tape and found correct. All measurements were made on the slope to nearest tenth of a link and the vertical angle of each interval was ascertained with the transit circle. The horizontal equivalents to nearest link are entered in the field note record.

The true meridian was determined August 2, 1941 at a point near Cor. No. 1 Sur. 2531, about 32 chs. north of this survey in latitude  $60^{\circ}21'35''$ N., longitude  $149^{\circ}21'20''$ W., by direct observation on the sun's limbs.

Observation	Inst.	Vertical Angle	Horizontal Angle	Time l.m.t.
$\frac{a}{b}$	D	$23^{\circ}35'00''$	$84^{\circ}33'00''$	
$\frac{b}{c}$	R	$24^{\circ}19'00''$	$84^{\circ}22'00''$	
Mean		$23^{\circ}57'00''$	$84^{\circ}27'30''$	
$\frac{a}{b}$	R	$23^{\circ}57'30''$	$85^{\circ}14'00''$	
$\frac{b}{c}$	D	$24^{\circ}39'00''$	$84^{\circ}58'00''$	
Mean		$24^{\circ}18'15''$	$85^{\circ}06'00''$	
$\frac{a}{b}$	D	$24^{\circ}39'00''$	$86^{\circ}30'00''$	
$\frac{b}{c}$	R	$25^{\circ}24'00''$	$86^{\circ}23'00''$	
Mean		$25^{\circ}01'30''$	$86^{\circ}26'30''$	
$\frac{a}{b}$	R	$25^{\circ}04'00''$	$87^{\circ}17'00''$	
$\frac{b}{c}$	D	$25^{\circ}45'00''$	$86^{\circ}59'00''$	
Mean		$25^{\circ}24'30''$	$87^{\circ}08'00''$	
				7:27 a.m.
				7:20 a.m.

Turn right from mark to sun.

Course to mark 1st observation N. $11^{\circ}34'50''$ E.  
 Course to mark 2nd observation N. $11^{\circ}35'00''$ E.  
 Course to mark 3rd observation N. $11^{\circ}33'54''$ E.  
 Course to mark 4th observation N. $11^{\circ}34'50''$ E.  
 Mean course N. $11^{\circ}34'38''$ E.

All lines were deflected from the true meridian and carried by fore and back sights. The magnetic bearing of the true meridian is N. $28^{\circ}$ W. The angle thus determined gives the mag. decl.  $.28^{\circ}$ E..

Prior to beginning the survey I retrace line 2-3 H.E.S. 231 and find it to be S. $1^{\circ}16'E.$ , 31.79 chs., given in official record as S. $1^{\circ}10'E.$ , 31.78 chs.

I begin at Cor. No. 1, identical with Cor. No. 1 lot 1, on line 2-3 H.E.S. 231, on SW. side Seward-Hope Highway ROW.

Set an iron post, 3 ft. long, 1 in. in diam., 28 ins. in the ground, with brass cap mkd.

## Field Notes of U. S. Survey No. 2534

Chains

HES  
231      S 2534  
LOT I  
C 1

1941

from which

A spruce, 10 ins. diam., bears S.87°W., 94 lks. dist., mkd.  
S 2534 LOT I C 1 BT

A hemlock, 10 ins. diam., bears S.8°E., 61<sub>1</sub><sup>2</sup> lks. dist., mkd.  
S 2534 LOT I C 1 BT

U.S.I.M. 62 bears N.10°51'E., 48.375 chs. dist., traverse and  
description hereinafter given.

Cor. No. 1 Sur. 2532 bears N.4°22'W., 16.005 chs. dist., which is  
an iron post, 1 in. in diam., mkd. and witnessed as described in  
Sur. No. 2532, surveyed at this same time.

Thence

S.1°16'E. on line 2-3 H.E.S. 231.

Descend over rolling land, through spruce and hemlock timber and dense  
undergrowth.

15.83

Intersect NE. side Alaska Railroad ROW, 100 ft. at right angle from  
center of track. Cor. No. 2, identical with Cor. No. 3 lot J, Cor.  
No. 2 lot K and Cor. No. 3 H.E.S. 231, which is an iron post, 3 ft.  
long, 1 in. in diam., firmly set, mkd. and witnessed as described in  
the official record. I mark this post

S 2534 C 2 LOT J C 3 on NE. side of cap  
LOT K C 2 on SE. side

Additional bearing tree, a hemlock, 12 ins. diam., bears N. 81 lks.  
dist., mkd. S 2534 C 2 LOT J C 3 BT

Thence on NE. side Railroad ROW.

Over rolling, grassy land.

S.1°15'E.; 5.00 chs.

S.40°50'E.; 1.07 chs.

S.37°05'E., 1.08 chs.

To Cor. No. 3, identical with Cor. No. 3 lot K.

Set an iron post, 3 ft. long, 1 in. in diam., 28 ins. in the ground,  
with brass cap mkd.

S 2534  
LOT K C 3.

1941

from which

A hemlock, 10 ins. diam., bears N.16°45'W., 134 lks. dist. mkd.  
S 2534 LOT K C 3 BT

A spruce, 6 ins. diam., bears S.85°E., 18 lks. dist., mkd.  
S 2534 LOT K C 3 BT

Thence  
East

3.

## Field Notes of U. S. Survey No. 2534

Chains Ascend rolling West slope, grassy land. . . . .  
 2.00 Enter spruce and hemlock timber and dense undergrowth. . .  
 2.95 Intersect W. side Seward-Hope Highway ROW. . . . .  
 Set an iron post, 3 ft. long, 1 in. in diam., .28 ins. in the ground,  
 for Cor. No. 4, identical with Cor. No. 4 lot K, with brass cap mkd.

S 2534  
LOT K C 4

1941

from which

A spruce, 12 ins. diam., bears S.63°30'W., 41 $\frac{1}{2}$  lks. dist., mkd.  
S 2534 LOT K C 4 BT

A hemlock, 6 ins. diam., bears N.71°30'W., .28 lks. dist., mkd.  
S 2534 LOT K C 4 BT

Thence on West side Seward-Hope Highway ROW.

Over rolling land, through spruce and hemlock timber and dense under-growth.

N. 1°13'W., .29 chs.

N. 0°06'W., .98 chs.

N. 2°44'W., .98 chs.

N. 5°22'W., .97 chs.

N. 8°00'W., .98 chs.

N. 10°36'W., .98 chs.

N. 13°16'W., .98 chs.

N. 15°54'W., .98 chs.

N. 18°32'W., .98 chs.

N. 21°10'W., .98 chs.

N. 23°48'W., .98 chs.

N. 26°26'W., .98 chs.

N. 29°04'W., .98 chs.

N. 31°42'W., .98 chs.

N. 34°20'W., .98 chs.

N. 36°58'W., .61 chs.

N. 37°24'W., 6.60 chs. To Cor. No. 1 and place of beginning, containing 10.54 acres.

To determine tie Cor. No. 1 to Cor. No. 1 Sur. 2532, begin at Cor. No. 1 Sur. 2534 . . . . .

Thence

S. 1°16'E., 15.83 chs.

S. 29°01'W., 1.77 chs.

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## Field Notes of U. S. Survey No. 2534

Chains	N. $46^{\circ}33'W.$ , 12.88 chs. N. $34^{\circ}41'W.$ , 7.16 chs. N. $17^{\circ}00'W.$ , 10.975 chs. N. $3^{\circ}49'W.$ , 8.11 chs. East 16.46 chs. Resultant course and distance, N. $4^{\circ}22'E.$ , 16.005 chs.
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To determine tie to U.S.L.M. 62, begin at Cor. No. 1.

Thence

N.  $4^{\circ}22'E.$ , 16.005 chs.N. $10^{\circ}08'E.$ , 33.20 chs.Resultant course and distance, N. $10^{\circ}51'E.$ , 48.375 chs.

U.S.L.M. 62 is a granite boulder 5x6x5 ft., exposed, mkd. and witnessed as described in the official record.

## GENERAL DESCRIPTION

This survey is situated on the west side of the Seward-Hope Highway, about 20 miles north of Seward, Alaska. The land is rolling, covered with spruce and hemlock timber and dense undergrowth of alders, devil's club and berry bushes. The soil is vegetable mould, 2nd rate. It embraces lots I, J and K of the Lakeview Group of Homesites.

## LOT I

Begin at Cor. No. 1, identical with Cor. No. 1 Sur. 2534, on SW. side highway ROW., on line 2-3 H.E.S. 231.

Thence

S. $1^{\circ}16'E.$ , on line 1-2 Sur. 2534 and 2-3 H.E.S. 231.

Descend over rolling land, through spruce and hemlock timber and dense undergrowth.

9.83 Set an iron post, 3 ft. long, 1 in. in diam., 28 ins. in the ground, for Cor. No. 2, identical with Cor. No. 2 lot J, with brass cap mkd.

S 2534
LOT I
C 2
LOT J
C 2

1941 . . . from which

A hemlock 8 ins. diam., bears N. $83^{\circ}30'E.$ , 23 lks. dist., mkd.  
S 2534 LOT I C 2 BT

A spruce, 6 ins. diam., bears S. $23^{\circ}45'E.$ , 38½ lks. dist., mkd.  
S 2534 LOT J C 2 BT

Thence

East

Ascend broken land through spruce and hemlock timber and dense undergrowth.

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## Field Notes of U. S. Survey No. 2534

Chains  
6.16

Intersect W. side Seward-Hope Highway ROW.

Set an iron post, 3 ft. long, 1 in. in diam., 28 ins. in the ground, for Cor. No. 3, identical with Cor. No. 1 lot J, with brass cap mkd.

S 2534  
LOT I  
C 3

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LOT J  
C 1

1941

from which

A hemlock, 10 ins. diam., bears S.67°30'W., 75 lks. dist., mkd.  
S 2534 LOT J C 1 BT

A spruce, 20 ins. diam., bears N.54°45'W., 132 $\frac{1}{2}$  lks. dist., mkd.  
S 2534 LOT I C 3 BT

Thence on West side highway ROW.

Over rolling land, through spruce and hemlock timber and dense undergrowth.

N.23°48'W., .79 chs.

N.26°26'W., .98 chs.

N.29°04'W., .98 chs.

N.31°42'W., .98 chs.

N.34°20'W., .98 chs.

N.36°58'W., .61 chs.

N.37°24'W., 6.60 chs. To Cor. No. 1 and place of beginning, containing 3.45 acres.

Land, rolling and broken.

Soil, vegetable mould, 2nd rate.

Timber, spruce and hemlock; undergrowth, alders, devil's club and berry bushes.

## LOT J

Begin at Cor. No. 1 on West side highway ROW, identical with Cor. No. 3 lot I.

Thence

West on line 3-2 lot I.

Descend over broken land through spruce and hemlock timber and dense undergrowth.

6.16

To Cor. No. 2 on line 2-3 H.E.S. 231, identical with Cor. No. 2 lot I.

Thence

S.1°16'E. on line 1-2 Sur. 2534 and 2-3 H.E.S. 231.

Descend over rolling land, through spruce and hemlock timber and dense undergrowth.

6.00

To Cor. No. 3, identical with Cor. No. 2 lot K, Cor. No. 2 Sur. 2534 and Cor. No. 3 H.E.S. 231, on NE. side Alaska Railroad ROW.

## Field Notes of U. S. Survey No. 2534

Chains	Thence
	East
	Over steep W. slope, grassy land.
1.25	Enter spruce and hemlock timber and dense undergrowth.
7.89	Intersect W. side highway ROW.
	Set an iron post, 3 ft. long, 1 in. in diam., 20 ins. in the ground, for Cor. No. 4, identical with Cor. No. 1 lot K, with brass cap mkd.

S 2534  
LOT J  
C 4

LOT K  
C 1

1941

from which

A spruce, 10 ins. diam., bears S.52°45'W., 94 $\frac{1}{2}$  lks. dist., mkd.  
S 2534 LOT K C 1 BT

A hemlock, 10 ins. diam., bears N.59°W., 106 $\frac{1}{2}$  lks. dist., mkd.  
S 2534 LOT J C 4 BT

Thence on W. side highway ROW.

Over rolling land, through spruce and hemlock timber.

N. 5°22'W., .16 chs.

N. 8°00'W., .98 chs.

N.10°38'W., .98 chs.

N.13°16'W., .98 chs.

N.15°54'W., .98 chs.

N.18°32'W., .98 chs.

N.21°10'W., .98 chs.

N.23°48'W., .19 chs. To Cor. No. 1 and place of beginning, containing 4.40 acres.

Land, rolling.

Scil, vegetable mould, 2nd rate.

Timber, spruce and hemlock; undergrowth, alders, devil's club and berry bushes.

## LOT K

Begin at Cor. No. 1, identical with Cor. No. 4 lot J, on W. side highway ROW.

Thence

West on line 4-3 lot J.

Descend steep W. slope through spruce and hemlock timber and dense undergrowth.

6.64 Leave timber and undergrowth, bears N. and S., thence over grassy land.

7.89 Cor. No. 2, identical with Cor. No. 3 lot J, Cor. No. 2 Sur. 2534 and Cor. No. 3 H.E.S. 231.

## Field Notes of U. S. Survey No. 2534

	Chains	Thence on E.E. side railroad ROW.  Over rolling, grassy land.  S.47°15'E., 5.00 chs.  S.40°50'E., 1.07 chs.  S.37°05'E., 1.06 chs. To Cor. No. 3, identical with Cor. No. 3 Sur. 2534.
		Thence  East on line 3-4 Sur. 2534  Ascend rolling W. slope, grassy land.
2.00		Enter spruce and hemlock timber and dense undergrowth.
2.95		To Cor. No. 4, identical with Cor. No. 4 Sur. 2534 on W. side highway ROW.
		Thence on W. side highway ROW.  Over rolling land, through spruce and hemlock timber and dense undergrowth.  N.1°13'E., 2.2 chs.  N.0°06'W., .98 chs.  E.2°44'W., .98 chs.  E.5°22'W., .81 chs. To Cor. No. 1 and place of beginning, containing 2.69 acres.
		Land, rolling and broken. Soil, vegetable mould, 2nd rate. Timber, spruce and hemlock; undergrowth, devil's club and berry bushes.

## NOTE.

All corners of lots in this group are identical with location stakes as established by the U. S. Forest Service.

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## TABLING AND CALCULATIONS OF

U. S. Survey No. 2524

No.	COURSE	DISTANCE	LATITUDES			DEPARTURES			DOUBLE MERIDIAN DISTANCE			NORTH AREAS			SOUTH AREAS			TOTALS			
																		LATITUDE	DEPARTURE		
			NORTH	SOUTH	EAST	WEST															
S. $1^{\circ}16' E.$		15 83		15 83	35							35						5 54			
S. $47^{\circ}15' E.$		5 00		3 39	3 67							4 37						14 81			
S. $40^{\circ}50' E.$		1 07		61	70							6 7L						7 08			
S. $37^{\circ}05' E.$		1 08		66	65							10 09						6 53			
East		2 95		2 95	2 95							13 69						13 69			
M. $1^{\circ}13' E.$		2 29		2 29	05							16 69						16 69			
M. $0^{\circ}06' W.$		98		98	00							16 74						16 74			
M. $2^{\circ}44' W.$		98		98	05							16 69						16 69			
M. $5^{\circ}22' W.$		97		97	03							16 55						16 55			
M. $8^{\circ}00' W.$		96		96	11							16 32						16 32			
M. $10^{\circ}33' W.$		98		96	16							16 00						15 36			
M. $13^{\circ}16' W.$		98		95	22							15 60						15 60			
M. $15^{\circ}54' W.$		98		94	27							15 11						14 20			
M. $18^{\circ}32' W.$		98		93	31							14 53						13 51			
M. $21^{\circ}10' W.$		98		91	35							13 87						12 82			
M. $23^{\circ}48' W.$		98		90	40							13 12						11 81			
M. $26^{\circ}26' W.$		98		88	44							12 28						10 81			
M. $29^{\circ}04' W.$		98		86	48							11 36						9 77			
M. $31^{\circ}42' W.$		98		83	51							10 37						8 61			
M. $34^{\circ}20' W.$		98		81	55							9 31						7 54			
M. $36^{\circ}58' W.$		61		49	37							8 39						4 11			
M. $37^{\circ}24' W.$		6 00		5 24	4 01							4 01						21 01			
		20 89		20 39	8 37							8 37						247 03			
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Acres

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## TABLING AND CALCULATIONS OF

Cor. No. 1 Survey 2534 to Cor. No. 1 Survey 2532

No.	Course	Distance	Latitudes			Departures			Totals			
			North		South	East		West	North Areas		South Areas	
			Latitude	Meridian Distance		Latitude	Meridian Distance		Latitude	Meridian Distance		
S. $1^{\circ}16' E.$		15 83		15 63	35							
S. $29^{\circ}01' N.$		1 77		1 55	86							
N. $46^{\circ}33' W.$		12 88	8 86						9 35			
N. $34^{\circ}41' W.$		7 16	5 89						4 07			
N. $17^{\circ}00' W.$		10 975	10 50						3 21			
N. $3^{\circ}49' W.$		8 11	6 09						5 4			
East		16 46				16 46						
S. $4^{\circ}22' E.$			33 34	17 38		15 31	18 03					
S. $4^{\circ}22' E.$		16 005		15 26		1 22						
			33 34	33 34		13 03	18 03					
<u>Calculated</u>												
N. $4^{\circ}22' W.$		16 005	15 36						1 22	Cor. No. 1 Sur. 2534 to Cor. No. 1 Sur. 2532		
N. $18^{\circ}08' E.$		33 20	31 55						10 33	Cor. No. 1 Sur. 2532 to U.S.L.M. 62		
S. $10^{\circ}51' W.$		48 375		47 51					10 33	1 22		
										9 11	Calculated	
									10 33	10 33		

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Cor. No. 1 Survey 2534 to U.S.L.M. 62

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## CERTIFICATE OF SURVEYOR

I, F. W. Williamson, Assoc. Cad. Engr., G.L.O., hereby certify upon honor that, in pursuance of special instructions bearing date of the 7th day of March 1940, received from the district cadastral engineer for Alaska, with assignment, instructions dated Feb. 28, 1941, I have surveyed the Lakeview Group of Homesites, Embracing Lots I, J and K, U. S. Survey No. 2534, situated about 20 miles North of Seward, Alaska.

of the --- Meridian, in the ~~Seward~~ Territory of Alaska, which are represented in the foregoing field notes as having been executed by me and under my direction; and that said survey has been made in strict conformity with said instructions, the Manual of Instructions for the Survey of the Public Lands of the United States, and in the specific manner described in the foregoing field notes.

Juneau, Alaska,  
March 11, 1942

*F. W. Williamson*  
F. W. Williamson  
Associate Cadastral Engineer, G.L.O.

## CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL

~~for the State of Alaska~~,  
Public Survey Office,  
Juneau, Alaska, August 9, 1943

The foregoing field notes of the survey of the Lakeview Group of Homesites, U. S. Survey No. 2534,

executed by F. W. Williamson, Associate Cadastral Engineer, G.L.O., under special instructions dated March 7, 1940, and assignment instructions dated February 28, 1941, having been critically examined, and the necessary corrections made prior to their certification by the engineer, the said field notes, and the survey therein described, are hereby approved.

*Geo. A. Parks*  
Geo. A. Parks, ~~Supervisor of Surveys~~  
District Cadastral Engineer

## CERTIFICATE OF TRANSCRIPT

I CERTIFY that the foregoing transcript of the field notes of the above-described surveys in \_\_\_\_\_, is a true copy of the original field notes on file in the public survey office.

*Supervisor of Surveys*