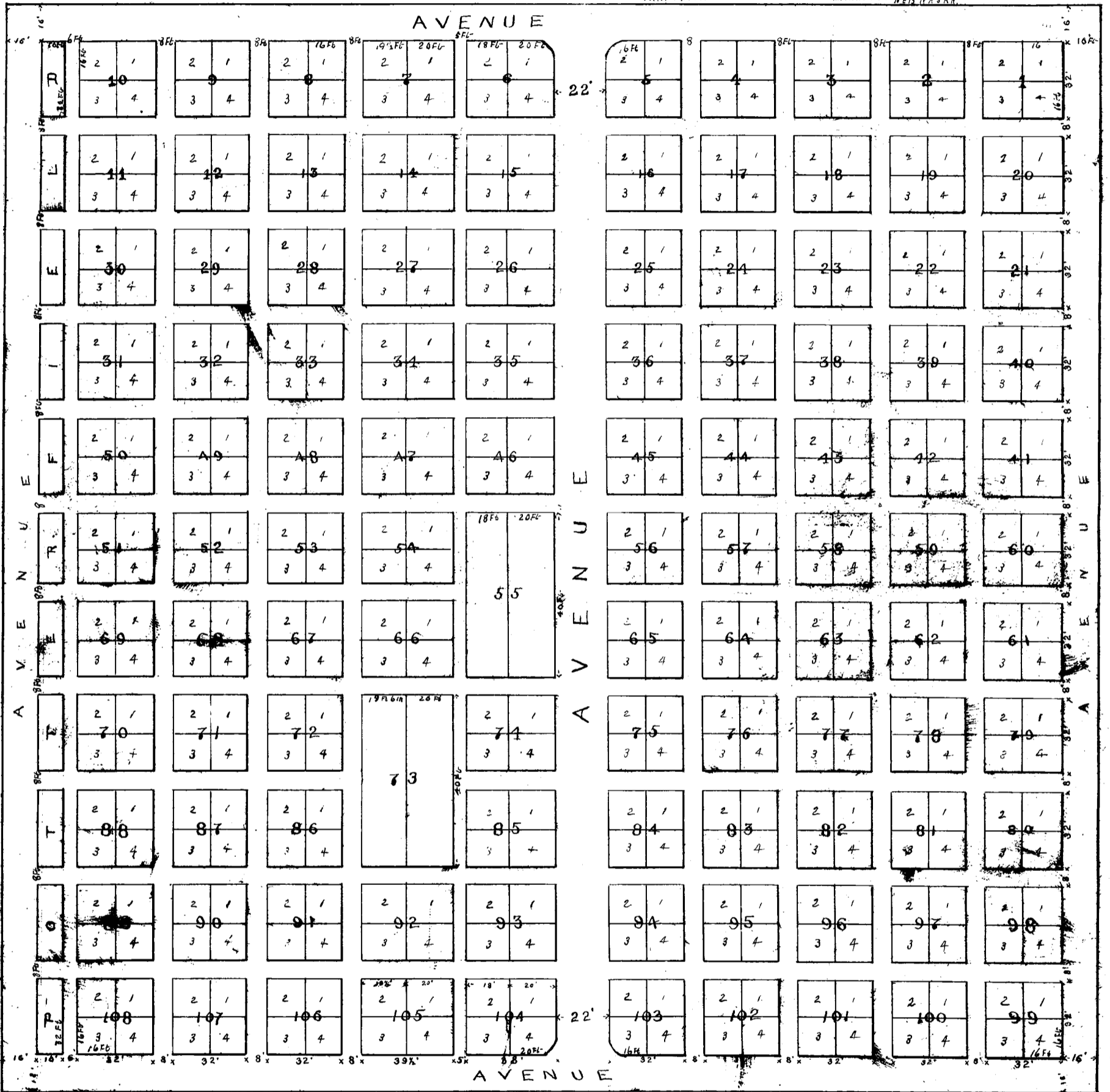


WESTLAWN CEMETARY

PLATED JULY 25 1890

A.M. FAIRFELD SURVEYOR MINNAPOTA NEBRASKA



State of Nebraska, } Entered on Numerical Index and filed for Record in
 Scotts Bluff County } the Clerk's Office of said County the 21 day of Aug
 1890, at 11 o'clock A.M. and recorded in Book 1 Miscellaneous Record on Page 183
 B.T. Gentry, County Clerk.
 Gering, Nebr. Dec 31* 1890.

A meeting was called this the 31st day of December A.D. 1889 in the
 Store of E. C. Markland, for the purpose of forming an Cemetery Association.
 On motion E. C. Markland was chosen temporary chairman and O.W.
 Gardner Sec. The following named citizens of Gering Nebr. were
 present and signified their intention of forming a Cemetery Association
 To wit: - E. C. Markland James Westcott C.W. Johnson A. B. Wood O.W. Gardner

State of Nebraska, Scotts Bluff County, at 11 o'clock, A.M. and recorded in Book 1 Miscellaneous Record on Page 183. Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me this 21 day of August 1890. Edgar S. Wood, Notary Public, Scotts Bluff County, Nebraska.

A. E. Stoner, W. H. Johnson, Martin Gering, M. L. Bishop, J. W. Craig and M. J. Buffman. Motion - That a notice be published in the Gering Courier for the period of twenty days in accordance with the law. Upon Motion, that this meeting adjourn until the 28th day of January A.D. 1890, at the hour of 2 o'clock P.M.

E. C. Markland Chairman
O. W. Gardner Sec

State of Nebraska }
Scotts Bluff County }
I, Edgar S. Wood, do solemnly swear that I am publisher of the Gering Weekly Courier, a weekly newspaper of general circulation, published once each week at Gering, Scotts Bluff County, Nebraska; that the notice attached hereto, and which is a part of this affidavit was published in said newspaper for three (3) consecutive weeks, the first publication having been made upon the 3 day of January 1890; that said notice was published in the regular and entire issue of every number of the paper during the period and times of publication, and that the notice was published in the newspaper proper and not in a supplement. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 21 day of August 1890.

Edgar S. Wood.

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me this 21 day of August 1890
A. B. Wood Notary Public.

notice - The Gering cemetery association will hold a meeting Jan 28th 1890, at 2 p.m. for the election of officers and to transact such business as may come before it.
O. W. Gardner, Sec'y.

Gering, Nebr. Jan'y 28th 1890 - In pursuance of said call by the citizens of Gering, Scotts Bluff County, Nebraska: - A meeting was held on the 28th day of January A.D. 1890. The object of the said meeting was to organize a Cemetery Association - which shall be known as The Gering Cemetery Association. The objects of the said Association shall be to acquire and hold the title to real estate so erect buildings thereon, to protect and improve the same, and to perform all acts and transact such business contemplated in sections 45 to 53 inclusive of Chapter 16, entitled Cemetery Associations, of the Compiled Statutes of the Laws of Nebraska. The principal place of business of the Association shall be at Gering County & State aforesaid - Upon motion James Westwell Esq was elected Chairman. The minutes of a former meeting were then read and approved. Upon motion the meeting then proceeded to elect five trustees; the following named gentlemen were duly nominated and elected trustees: - E. C. Markland, M. Gering, Jas Westwell, J. W. Craig and A. E. Stoner, Upon motion O. W. Gardner was elected clerk of said Board of Directors; It was then carried by vote that Articles of Incorporation be adopted. Further that Article 3 - be added which gives the control of Association to Five Trustees, Committee on Constitution and By-Laws had no report. Committee on Sites reported and were discharged. It was then carried by motion to accept a certain five acres of ground donated to this Association by M. L. Bishop. Meeting adjourned - sine die.