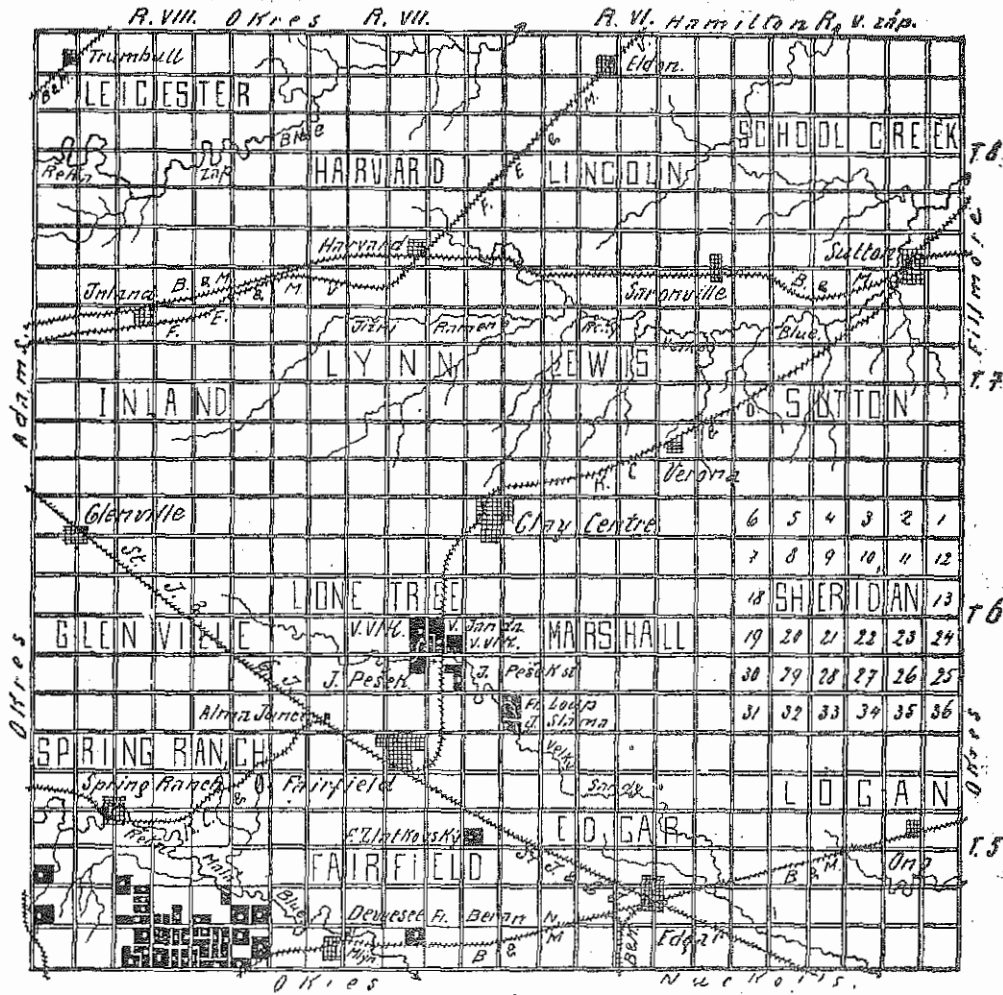


# CLAY COUNTY NEBRASKA

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CLAY COUNTY, NEBRASKA

The county lies in the southeastern part of the state and is the second county north of the Kansas border. The population is 16,306. Clay Center is the county seat. Topography is gently rolling prairie and in places the land is level, but parts of the northeast and southwest are more rolling. Portions are different and exactly opposite.. The soil in some places where it isn't sandy, is quite good and water for drinking is possible from 10 to 50 feet deep. Price of the land is \$10.00 to \$25.00 an acre. In the northern part is a Russian Colony of settlers of German extraction and the Czech settlers are in the southwestern part. The first Czechs to settle were Mr. Vacl. Vlk, and V. Janda in Fairfield and Fort in Dewesee.

Names of Czech Settlers in County.  
Town of Dewesee

| <u>Name</u>  | <u>Occupation</u>               | <u>Village</u> | <u>Birthplace</u><br><u>Town</u> | <u>County</u> |
|--------------|---------------------------------|----------------|----------------------------------|---------------|
| Frant. Fort  | General store (80 Acres)        | Lukavice       | Prest.                           | Plzen         |
| Jos. Fort    | General store (Nuckolls<br>Co.) | Lukavice       | Prest.                           | Plzen         |
| Apolena Fort | In retirement                   | Lukavice       | Prest.                           | Plzen         |
| Cyril Muzik  | With railroad                   | Dol. Loucka    | Tisnov                           | Brno          |
| Fr. Pochop   | With railroad                   | Kaly           | Tisnov                           | Brno          |
| Frant. Pysny | With railroad                   | Domanin        | Bystrice                         | Jihlava       |
| Fr. Svoboda  | With railroad                   | Zdar           | Zdar                             | Jihlava       |
| Anna Vaverly | Washwoman                       | Ostrov         | Zdav                             | Jihlava       |

Lone Tree Precinct

| <u>Name and postoffice</u> | <u>Section</u> | <u>Acres</u> | <u>Village</u> | <u>Birthplace</u><br><u>Town</u> | <u>County</u> |
|----------------------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|----------------------------------|---------------|
| Fairfield:                 |                |              |                |                                  |               |
| Vaclav Vlk                 | 21,22,23       | 560          | Tvrzice        | Volyn                            | Pisek         |
| Flor. Cermak, laborer      | 23             |              | Konopiste      | Prachat                          | Pisek         |
| Vojt. Janda                | 23             | 240          | Doubrava       | Vl. Brezi                        | Pisek         |
| Jan Peseck, Sr.            | 26             | 160          | Tvrzice        | Volyn                            | Pisek         |
| Jan Peseck, Jr             | 27             | 160          | Tvrzice        | Volyn                            | Pisek         |

Fairfield Precinct

|                |    |       |         |          |         |
|----------------|----|-------|---------|----------|---------|
| Fairfield:     |    |       |         |          |         |
| Fr. Zlatkovsky | 13 | 160   | Strazek | Bystrice | Jihlava |
| Jos. Loup      | 13 | Exch. | Strazek | Bystrice | Jihlava |
| Dewesee:       |    |       |         |          |         |
| Frant. Beran   | 34 | Rent  | Loucka  | Tisnov   | Brno    |

Marshall Precinct

|             |    |     |            |          |         |
|-------------|----|-----|------------|----------|---------|
| Fairfield:  |    |     |            |          |         |
| Frant. Loup | 31 | 240 | Strazek    | Bystrice | Jihlava |
| Jan Slama   | 31 | 80  | Tri Studne | N. M.    | Jihlava |

Czech Settlers - Clay County, Nebraska - cont'd  
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| <u>Name and Postoffice</u>     | <u>Spring Ranch Precinct</u> |              | <u>Birthplace</u>                               |             | <u>County</u> |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------|---|-------------|---------------|
|                                | <u>Section</u>               | <u>Acres</u> | <u>Village</u>                                  | <u>Town</u> |               |
| Spring Ranch:                  |                              |              |   |             |               |
| Gen. Hubacek                   | 19                           | 160          | Janovice  | Bystrice    | Jihlava       |
| Ignac Mazour                   | 21,28,34                     | 320          | Kaly  | Tisnov      | Brno          |
| Dewesee:                       |                              |              |   |             |               |
| Jan Sykora                     | 25                           | 160          | Bobrovka  | N. M.       | Jihlava       |
| Josef Chvala                   | 25                           | Rent         | Cvrcoves  | Klatovy     | Plzen         |
| Frant. Muzik                   | 26                           | 80           | Dol. Loucka                                     | Tisnov      | Brno          |
| Frant. Dobes                   | 35,26                        | 120          | Hor. Loucka                                     | Tisnov      | Brno          |
| Metodej Mazour                 | 27                           | Rent         | Kaly  | Tisnov      | Brno          |
| Rud. Melichar                  | 27                           | 80           | Zdarec  | Tisnov      | Brno          |
| Bedr. Vap                      | 27                           | 40           | Vykonin   | Tisnov      | Brno          |
| Spring Ranch:                  |                              |              |   |             |               |
| Severin Pavelka                | 28                           | 80           | Stepanovice                                     | Tisnov      | Brno          |
| Josef Koukal                   | 28                           | 80           | Divisov   | Bystrice    | Jihlava       |
| Matej Carda                    | 28                           | 160          | Hrdlorazy                                       | Trebon      | Budejovice    |
| Ignac Fricsek                  | 28                           | Exch         | Plasy   | Kralovice   | Plzen         |
| Josef Stritecky                | 30                           | 140          | Dol. Ujezd                                      | Litomysle   | Chrudim       |
| Dewesee:                       |                              |              |   |             |               |
| Ignac Vap                      | 33                           | 160          | Vykonin   | Tisnov      | Brno          |
| Tomas Kadlec                   | 33                           | Exch         | Vykonin   | Tisnov      | Brno          |
| Spring Ranch:                  |                              |              |   |             |               |
| Fr. Nejezchleb                 | 33                           | 120          |   | Babice      | Brno          |
| Marie Hlavaty                  | 33                           | 120          | Chvalovice                                      | Podebrady   | Caslav        |
| Enos Svoboda                   | 34                           | 160          | Albrechtice                                     | Bystrice    | Jihlava       |
| Dewesee:                       |                              |              |   |             |               |
| Fr. Mazour                     | 34                           | 80           | Kaly  | Tisnov      | Brno          |
| Josef Barta                    | 34                           | 80           | Lestina   | Caslav      | Caslav        |
| Jan Barta                      | 34                           | 80           | Lestina   | Caslav      | Caslav        |
| Frant. Barta                   | 34                           | 80           | Lestina   | Caslav      | Caslav        |
| Jos. H. Barta                  | 35                           | 80           | Lestina   | Caslav      | Caslav        |
| Frant. Bradac                  | 35                           | 40           | Albrechtice                                     | Bystrice    | Jihlava       |
| Frant. Bednar                  | 35                           | 80           | Hor. Loucka                                     | Tisnov      | Brno          |
| Frant. Mazour, Jr              | 35                           | 120          | Kaly  | Tisnov      | Brno          |
| Frant. Skalka                  | 36                           | 160          | Domanin   | Bystrice    | Jihlava       |
| Jakub Petr                     | 36                           | 80           | Nebestych                                       | Vel. Bytes  | Jihlava       |
| Josef Borek                    | 36                           | 160          | Hor. Loucka                                     | Tisnov      | Brno          |
| Oklahoma City:                 |                              |              |   |             |               |
| Jos. Hlavaty                   | 35                           | 120          | (Live elsewhere but have land<br>in the county) |             |               |
| Atwood, Rawlins County, Kansas |                              |              |   |             |               |
| Flor. Skalka                   | 35                           | 160          |   |             |               |
| Spring Ranch:                  |                              |              |   |             |               |
| Frant. Koukal                  | 27,28                        | 120          | Divisov   | Bystrice    | Jihlava       |

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