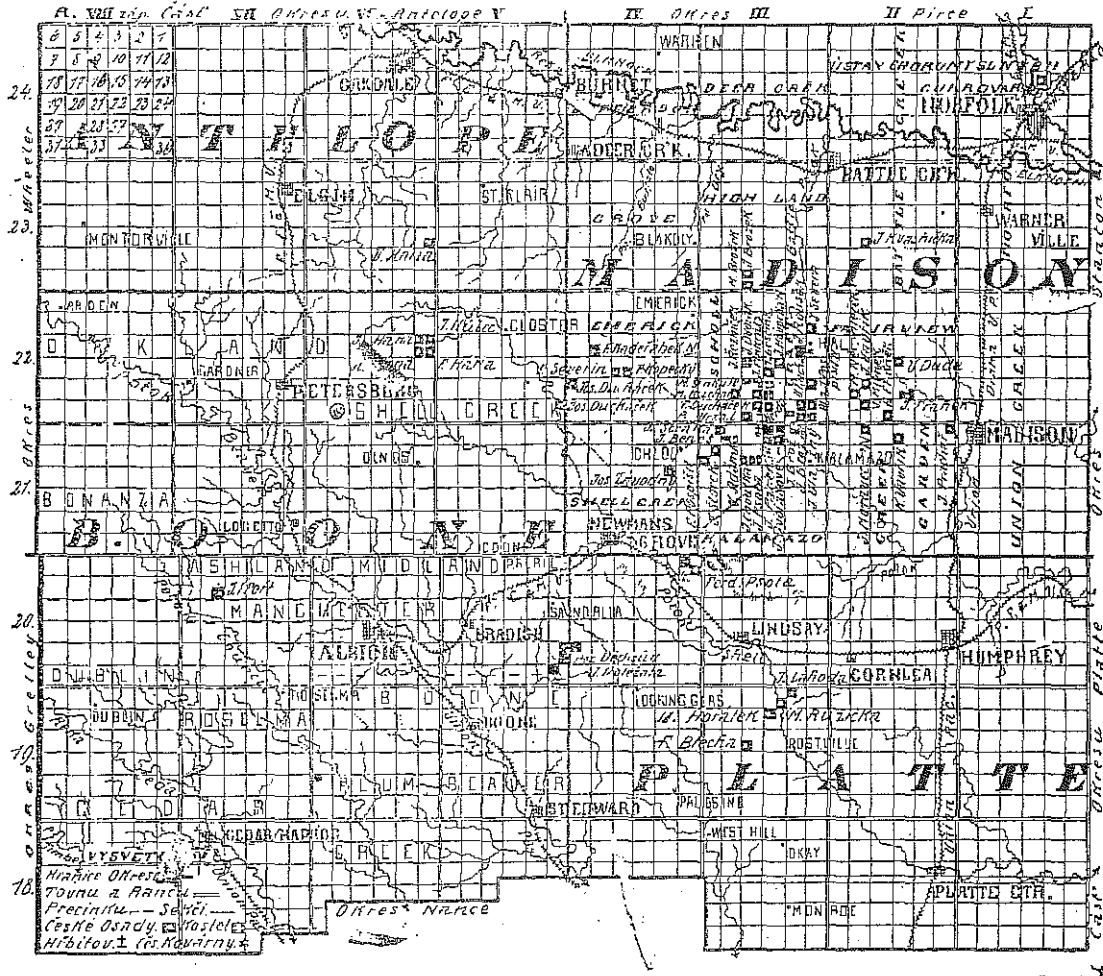


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RED WILLOW COUNTY, NEBRASKA

(Red Willow) lies towards the west part of the state near the Kansas border. It has 8,759 inhabitants. Indianola is the county seat and McCook is the seat of the landoffice. Here is where the roundhouse of the B & M railroad and station is located.

Topography is slightly rolling with here and there are deep, sharp grooves. Along the Republican River are wide valleys and there is much sand. On higher ground, land is more fertile. After several unfruitful shortages of rain, the people stayed in this place with a purpose and lived along the lengthwise of the river near the water. They stayed and undertook the tilling of the earth by industrious work and neighbors helped and they were indebted to them. Land prices here vary, they range from \$5 to \$15 per acre. Drinking water is good in parts of the county it is 150 feet deep.

The first Czech settlers here were Mr. Josef Dudek and Mr. Horky, they settled at Indianola where there are eight other Czech families. Mr. Dudek settled near the river south west of Indianola and on the south side of the Republican River.

On May 26, 1885, an unexpected flood occurred north west from here. Some Czech families were camping in the dry bed of the creek and were surprised by the unexpected water. The awful desolation and deaths from the rapidly rising water of the wife of Jos. Kavalec with three children as was the wife and two children of Jan Vosmera and also wife of Jan Macka. The most fortunate was Mr. Jakub Lang and his two daughters who were saved in time.

<u>Name and postoffice</u>	Settlers living in the county				<u>Village</u>	<u>Birthplace</u>	
	<u>A.</u>	<u>S.</u>	<u>T.</u>	<u>R.</u>		<u>Town</u>	<u>County</u>
McCook:							
Rozal. Mach	160	12	4	30	Biskupice	Krumlov	
Marie Krovinek	160	7	4	29	Borotin	Vranovice	Brno
Jos. Dudek	480	32,29	3	28	Dl. Ves.	Rychnov	
Indianola:							
Jan Horky	320	4	7	27	Strazek	Bystrice	Jihlava
Ferd Horky	160	8	7	27	Strazek	Bystrice	Jihlava
Fr. Braunova	160	5	7	27	Vezna	Bystrice	Jihlava
(Fr. Braun - lady)							
Fr. Cisar	40	10	7	27	Vezna	Bystrice	Jihlava
Jos. Kroupa	160	10,15	7	27	Bysovec	Bystrice	Jihlava
Jiri Malek	160	6	7	27	Uhersky	Slovan	
Jos. Kavalec	160	9	7	27	Popuvka	Znojmo	
Jos. Picha	Rent	15	7	27	Susice	Susice	Pisek
Jos. Cisar	160	34,35	8	27	Vezna	Bystrice	Jihlava

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