

The whole township was surveyed by Mr. Shubal Parke in 1820.

On the 6th day of July, 1820, the east half of the following lots (the first in the township) were granted to Mr. Thaddeus Davis; and on the 7th of the same month, the west half of the same lots, viz: -

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| Con. 8 - Lots 21, 28 | Con. 9 - Lots 28, 26 |
| Con. 10 - Lot 14 | Con. 11 - Lots 7, 17 |
| Con. 12 - Lots 11, 19, 21 and 34 | |
| Con. 13 - Lot 26 | |
| Con. 14 - Lot 8 | |

By the Act 14 and 15 Victoria, 1851, it was enacted, "That East Missouri shall include and consist of that part of the present township of Missouri which lies eastward of the line dividing the 7th concession thereof from the 8th."

The first lot sold in the township of East Missouri by the government was the 2nd lot in the 11th concession. It was sold to John Campbell, on July 17, 1834, at 16 s. 10 d. per acre.

According to the returns made by the Crown Land Office there are 46,400 acres in the township.