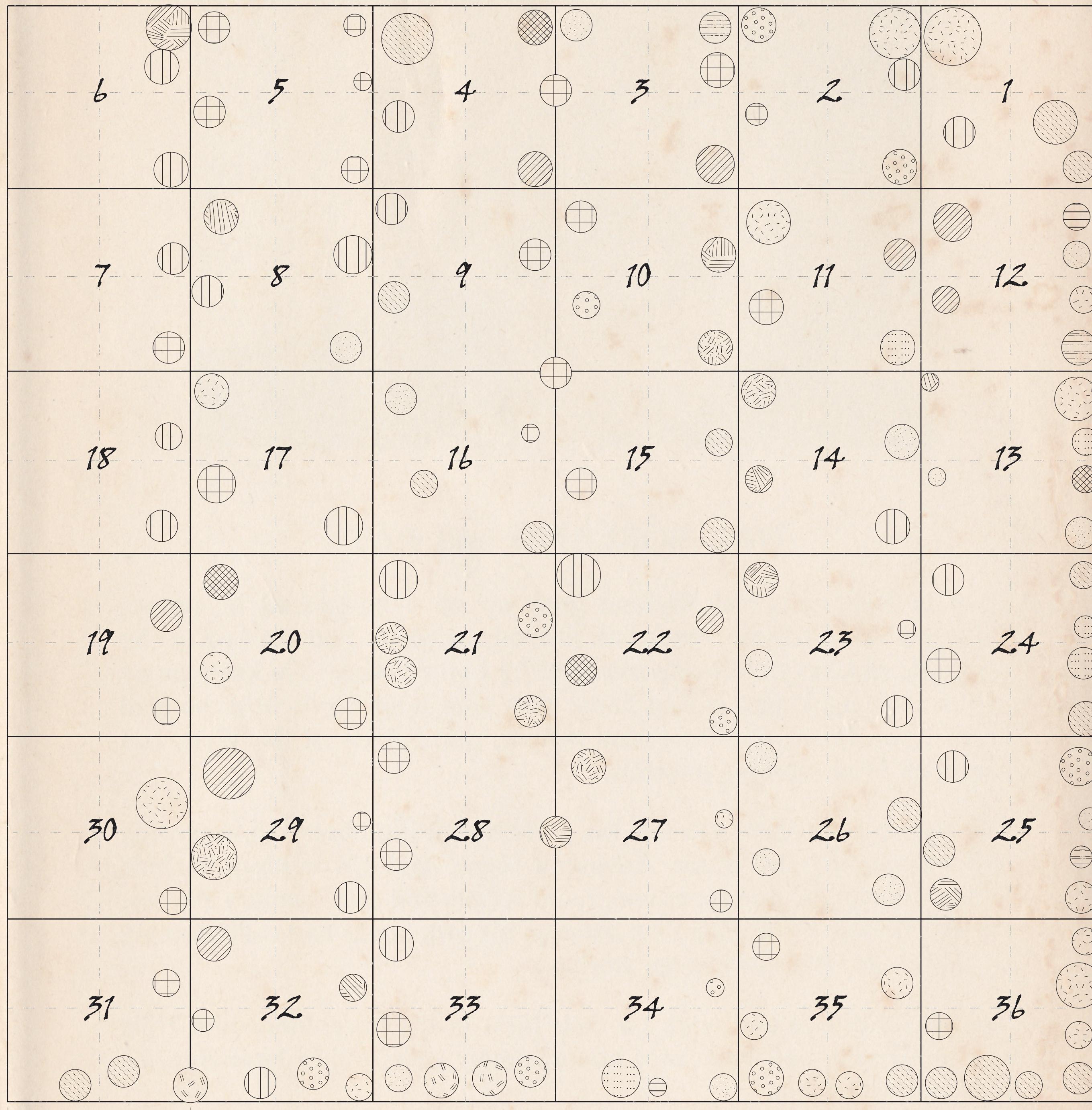


Trees of the Township of Maple Grove, 1843

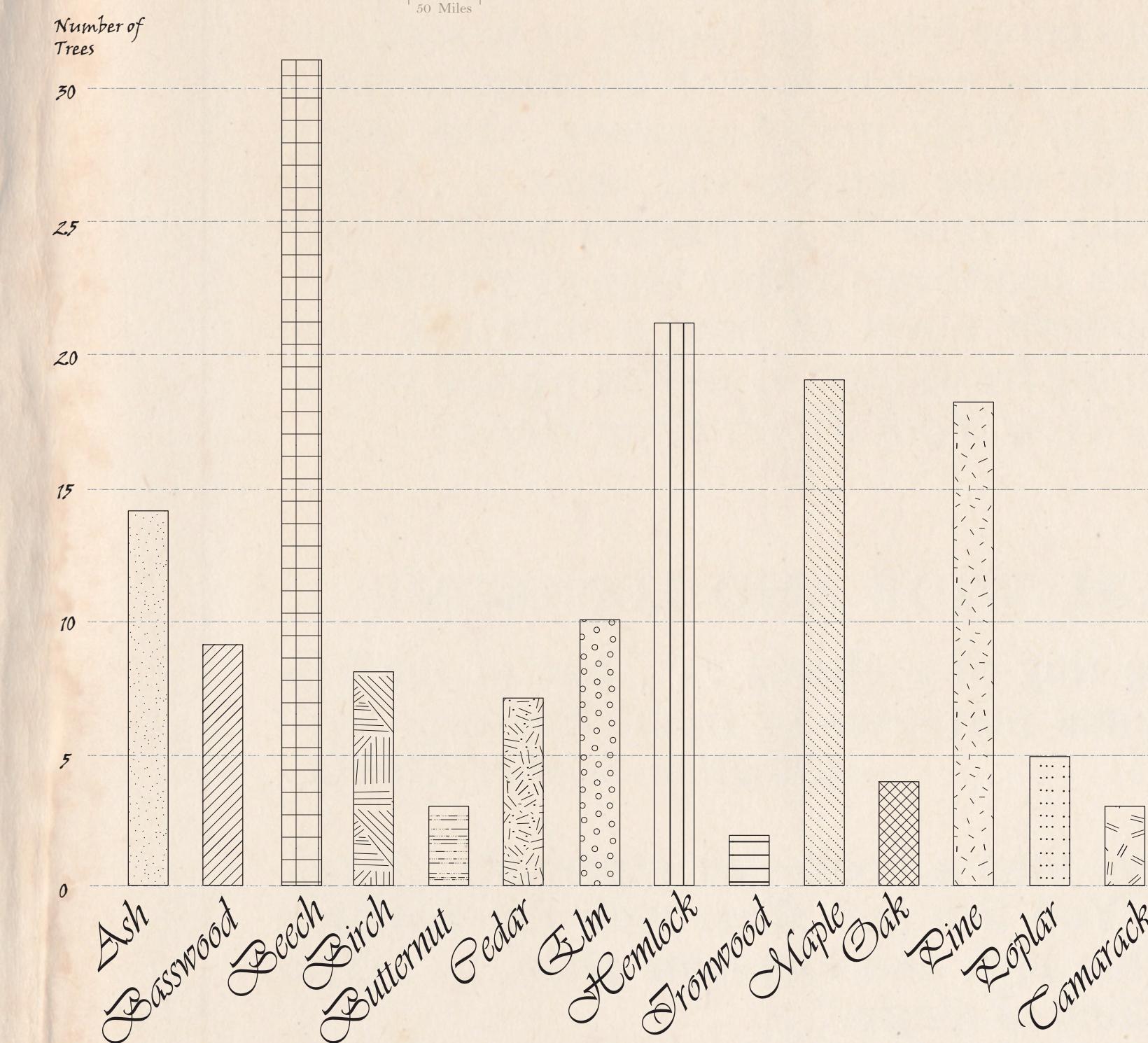
In 1843, a land survey of the Township of Maple Grove was completed by the General Land Office (GLO) using the Public Land Survey System (PLSS). Each township was divided into one mile square sections with a wooden post placed every half mile (40 "chains" in their measurements) on the quarter-section corners. The surveyors then recorded the species, diameter, and location of two nearby trees to each post. These trees are known as bearing trees and can help give an idea of the original vegetation in the area.



Townships of Shawano County

Aniwa	Hutchins
Birnamwood	Almon
Waterberg	Morris
Germany	Seneca
Parklands	Herman
Grant	Richmond
Pella	Westcott
Belle Plaine	Washington
Waupelchon	Green Valley
Hartland	Angelica
Nauvilio	Lessor
Maple Grove	

5 Miles



Common Name	Genus	Family	Habitat
Ash	<i>Fraxinus</i>	Oleaceae	Wet forest and swamps
Basswood	<i>Tilia</i>	Tiliaceae	Wide variety
Beech	<i>Fagus</i>	Fagaceae	Drained upland sites
Birch	<i>Betula</i>	Betulaceae	Wide variety
Butternut	<i>Juglans</i>	Juglandaceae	Not shade tolerant
Cedar	<i>Thuja</i>	Cupressaceae	Prominent in swamps
Elm	<i>Ulmus</i>	Ulmaceae	Wet soils, deciduous forests along floodplains
Hemlock	<i>Tsuga</i>	Pinaceae	Moist but well-drained
Ironwood	<i>Ostrya</i>	Betulaceae	Upland deciduous forests
Maple	<i>Acer</i>	Aceraceae	Upland forests with moderate moisture (mesic forests)
Oak	<i>Quercus</i>	Fagaceae	Moist or wet soils to upland deciduous forests
Pine	<i>Pinus</i>	Pinaceae	Dry, sandy, and sunny to mesic sites
Poplar	<i>Populus</i>	Salicaceae	Moist or wet soils
Tamarack	<i>Tsuga</i>	Pinaceae	Bogs and wet swamps

