



Madison County Genealogical Society



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LAND MEASUREMENTS

1 Link = 7.92 Inches

1 Rod = 16 ½ Feet

5 ½ Yards = 25 Links

1 Chain = 66 Feet = 4 Rods = 100 Links

1 Furlong = 660 Feet = 40 Rods

1 Mile = 8 Furlongs = 320 Rods = 80 Chains = 5280 Feet

1 Square Rod = 272 ¼ Sq. Feet = 30 ¼ Sq. Yards

1 Acre = 43,560 Square Feet

1 Acre = 160 Square Rods

1 Acre is approximately 208 ¾ Feet Square

1 Acre is 8 Rods x 20 Rods

(Or any two numbers of Rods whose product is 160)