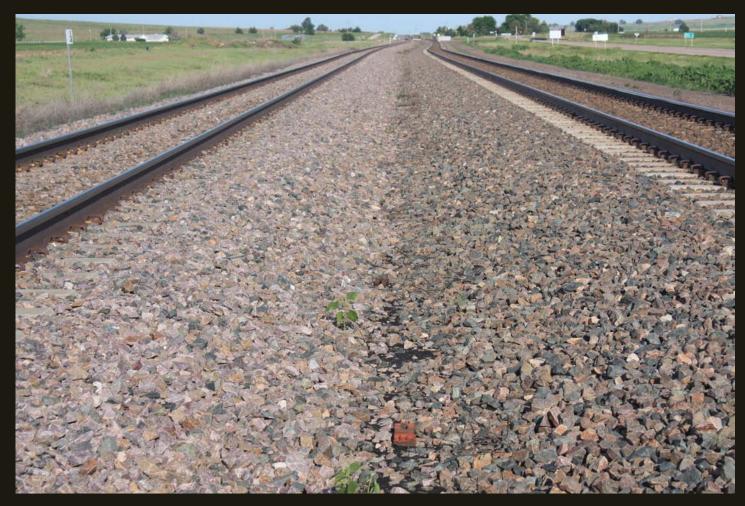


Gering, Nebraska, was founded in 1887 based on a survey by the Union Pacific Railroad. However, tracks were not laid along the south side of the North Platte River from North Platte, Nebraska (east of map area), to Gering until 1910. In 1921, the UP extended the track from Gering to sugar production around South Torrington, Wyoming.

Northwest view of the UP line at Gering, on the south side of North Platte River, where UP construction from North Platte, Nebraska, ceased in 1910, then resumed in 1921. The hill in the distance is Scotts Bluff, a National Monument.



Southeast view of the UP line at Gering.