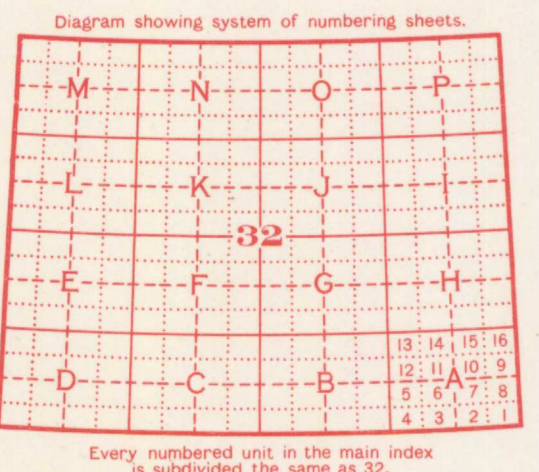
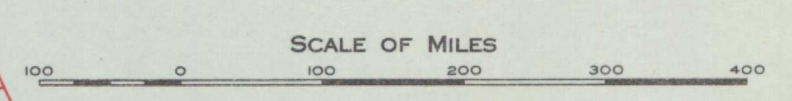


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SYSTEM OF NUMBERING SHEETS

The unit consists of sheets 4 degrees in latitude by 8 degrees in longitude on the scale of 1 inch to 16 miles whose numbers are shown on the index thus **32**

EIGHT-MILE SHEETS: Each sixteen-mile sheet is quartered into sheets, scale 1 inch to 8 miles, named respectively N.W., N.E., S.W., S.E.; the number taking the form thus **32NW**

FOUR-MILE SHEETS: Each sixteen-mile sheet is divided into sixteen sheets, scale 1 inch to 4 miles, lettered regularly from A to P as shown on the diagram, the number taking the form thus **32G**

TWO-MILE SHEETS: Each four-mile sheet is quartered into sheets, scale 1 inch to 2 miles, named respectively, N.W., N.E., S.W., S.E.; the number taking the form thus **32NE**

ONE-MILE SHEETS: Each four-mile sheet is divided into sixteen sheets, scale 1 inch to 1 mile, numbered from 1 to 16 as shown on the diagram, the number taking the form thus **327**

A one-mile sheet may be published as half-sheets, the number taking the form thus **327 East**

Every sheet will also be given a name indicating its location by reference to the largest city or town in it, or by reference to some well known geographical feature.

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