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12/ Mormon Bridge Road; Winter Quarters on the table

land overlooking the Missouri River where the Omaha

waterworks are today; Summer Quarters perhaps two

miles northwest of present Ft Calhoun; and Elkhorn

Camp west of Cutler's Park along the Elkhorn River

where the occupants spent some time putting in

piers to bridge the Elkhorn River the next spring.

Likely the dramatic increase in the size of the

river in spring run-off caused the Mormons to

resort to a ferry crossing for the Elkhorn the

next year.