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Mineral Survey No. 975.

Lot No. 72.

Prescott Land District.

FIELD NOTES

OF THE SURVEY OF THE MINING CLAIM OF

Commercial Mining Company

KNOWN AS THE  
"West Point"

Gassayampa Mining District,  
Yavapai County, Arizona.

Section \_\_\_\_\_, Township 12 N, Range 2 W

Surveyed under instructions dated June 11<sup>th</sup>, 1891,  
by C. B. Foster,

U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor.

Claim located November 15, 1882

Survey commenced June 18<sup>th</sup>, 1891

Survey completed June 18<sup>th</sup>, 1891

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# PRELIMINARY OATHS OF ASSISTANTS IN SURVEY OF MINING CLAIM.

We, R. M. Hanson and Thos. E. Dawson  
do solemnly swear that we will well and faithfully execute the duties of chain carriers;  
that we will level the chain upon even and uneven ground and plumb the tally-pins,  
either by sticking or dropping the same; that we will report the true distance to all  
notable objects, and the true length of all lines that we assist in measuring, to the best  
of our skill and ability, and in accordance with instructions given us, in the survey of  
the Mining Claim of the  
Commercial Mining Company, known as the  
West Point  
situate in Stassayampa mining district,  
Yavapai County, Arizona,  
in Section \_\_\_\_\_, Township No. \_\_\_\_\_, Range No. \_\_\_\_\_.

*C.B. Foster*

R. M. Hanson, Chainman.  
Thos. E. Dawson, Chainman.

Subscribed and sworn to by the above-named persons before  
me this 18<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1891.

C.B. Foster  
Notary Public

I, Thos. E. Dawson, do solemnly swear that I will well and  
truly perform the duties of axeman, in the establishment of corners and other duties,  
according to instructions given me and to the best of my skill and ability, in the survey  
of the Mining Claim of the  
Commercial Mining Company  
known as the West Point,  
more fully described in the preceding affidavit.

*C.B. Foster*

Thos. E. Dawson, Axeman.

Subscribed and sworn to by the said Thos. E. Dawson  
Dawson before me this 18 day of  
June, 1891.

C.B. Foster  
Notary Public

I, R. M. Hanson, do solemnly swear that I will  
well and truly perform the duties of flagman, in the establishment of corners and other  
duties, according to instructions given me and to the best of my skill and ability, in the  
survey of the Mining Claim of the  
Commercial Mining Company  
known as the West Point,  
more fully described in the preceding affidavit.

*C.B. Foster*

R. M. Hanson, Flagman.

Subscribed and sworn to by the said R. M. Hanson  
Hanson before me this 18<sup>th</sup> day of  
June, 1891.

C.B. Foster  
Notary Public



Field Notes  
of the Survey of the  
West Point Mining Claim

Situate in  
Assayampa Mining District  
Yavapai County, Arizona.

Claimed by the  
Commercial Mining Company

Surveyed by C. P. Foster U.S.  
Deputy Mineral Surveyor under  
instructions from the U.S. Surveyor  
General of date June 15<sup>th</sup> 1891

Survey Commenced June 18 1891  
" Completed June 18 1891

Just Description of Survey  
Beginning at the Initial Mon.  
Mentioned in location notice  
and marking the N. easterly  
end center of claim, where I  
set a granite stone 18x14x12 ins 1  
ft. in ground and surrounded same  
with mound of stones.  
Stone is marked J. M. W. P. No. 1.  
A Pine 28 ins. dia. blazed and marked  
J. M. W. P. No. 1. B.T. brs N 36° W 35 ft.  
U. S. Min. Mon. No. 1. brs N 50° 25' E 45 45 ft.

Thence S 35° E

To 14° 2' East

115 to trail brs. N E and S W

120 to Maple Gulch Creek flows N. E.

150 to point where I set a granite  
stone 26x18x14 ins 1 ft in ground  
and surrounded same with mound



Foot

of Stones

Stone is marked W.P. No. 2  
An Oak 8 ins dia brs  $N 50^{\circ} E$  21 ft.

" " 10 " " "  $S 70^{\circ} E$  25 ft.

both trees blazed and marked W.P. No. 2. B.T.  
original loc. mon. brs  $N 50^{\circ} E$  12 ft

Thence  $S 51^{\circ} 40' W$

Via  $14^{\circ} 2'$  East

54 Intersect N.E. end line of Snoozer  
M. C.  $S. 56^{\circ} E$  54 ft from  
Stone S. No. 3. Marking N.W. Cor  
of said claim

398 to Maple Gulch Creek flows N.E.

445 to Trail brs N.E. and S.W.

1492.5 to point where I set a slate stone  
 $18 \times 12 \times 10$  ins 1 ft in ground and  
surrounded same with mound  
of stones.

Stone is marked W.P. No. 3.

An Oak 8 ins dia brs  $N 78^{\circ} W$  18 ft.

" " 5 " " " East 46 ft.

both trees blazed and marked W.P. No. 3. B.T.  
original loc. mon. not found

Thence  $N 35^{\circ} W$

Via  $14^{\circ} 2'$  East

51.5 Intersect N.W. side boundary line  
of Snoozer M. C.  $S 51^{\circ} 40' W$

1416.2 ft from Stone S. No 3 marking

N.W. Cor. of said Snoozer M.C.

200 to loc. mon. at S.W. end center of  
claim where I set a slate stone  $16 \times$   
 $12 \times 10$  ins. 1 ft. in ground and sur-  
rounded same with mound of stones.

Stone is marked W.P. No. 4.

A Pine 24 ins. dia. brs  $S 50^{\circ} W$  16 ft.

An Oak 10 " " "  $N 68^{\circ} E$  24 ft.

both trees blazed and marked

W.P. No. 4. B.T.

Thence  $N 35^{\circ} W$  (same course)

Via  $14^{\circ} 2'$  East



Facts

136.8 to point where I set a slate stone  
 24 x 20 x 14 ins. 1 ft in ground and  
 surrounded same with mound of stones  
 Stone is marked W.P. No. 5.  
 A Pine 26 ins. dia. brs N 48° E 15 ft.  
 An Oak 12 " " " S 80° W 45 ft.  
 Both trees blazed and marked  
 W.P. No. 5. B.T.  
 original loc. mon. brs. S. 50° W 18 ft.

Thence N 55° E  
 Va 140 2' East

196 to Stone C. No. 5. Marking S.E. cor. of  
 Cherry M.C.  
 456 to Road brs NE and S.W.  
 1490 to loc. mon. where is set a granite  
 stone 16 x 10 x 10 ins. 1 ft. in ground  
 and surrounded same with  
 mound of stones  
 Stone is marked W.P. No. 6.  
 An Oak 10 ins dia blazed and marked  
 W.P. No. 6. B.T. brs N 15° E 39 ft  
 Same stone and tree is marked  
 C. No. 6 for cor on E side  
 boundary line of Cherry M.C.

Thence S 35° E  
 Va 140 2' East

100 to Mon and Stone J.M.W.P. No. 1.  
 place of beginning

Area

Total Area of claim	10.03 Acres
Less Conflict with Inozer M.C. Not claimed	1.68
Net area of claim	8.35 Acres

Location

This claim is located near the  
 head and west of Maple Gulch  
 in Harney and pa Mining District



And is on unsurveyed lands.

It is adjacent to the Cherry M.C. on the N.W. and contiguous to the Treadwell M.C. on the N.E. and also adjacent to the Snooger M.C. on the S.E.

### Improvements

Made upon his claim by claimant or grantors consist of a shaft 8x8x8ft deep brs S. 20° W. 5ft.

An open cut 12ft long by 8ft deep by 6ft wide brs S. 49° W.

410 ft. A shaft 6x4x40ft deep brs S 43° W 288ft. All bearings and distances from Mon. M. W. P. No. 1.

Also a graded road to claimant's quartz mill. And I hereby certify that the value of said improvements exceeds the sum of five hundred dollars.

There have been no improvements made by other parties on this claim.

Instruments used a Gurly Transit and 50ft. Steel chain

Var. and Courses determined by observation of Polaris.

June 18 1891.

C. P. Foster  
US Deputy Mineral Surveyor.



**Affidavit of Five Hundred Dollars Improvements.**

We, R. M. Hanson and Thos. E. Lawson

of lawful age, being first duly sworn according to law, depose and say: that we are acquainted with the

West Point mining claim, situated in

Assayampa Mining District, Yavapai County,

Arizona Territory, for which the

Commercial Mining Company

has made application for survey prior to application for patent under the provisions of the Act of

Congress, approved May 10, 1872; and that the labor done and improvements made thereon by the

applicant and its grantors exceed Five Hundred Dollars in value, and further that we are not

personally interested in said mine.

R. M. Hanson.

Thos. E. Lawson

TERRITORY OF ARIZONA  
County of Yavapai } ss.

SWORN to and subscribed before me, this 19<sup>th</sup> day

of June 1891

A. Foster

A. D. Foster  
Notary Public



# FINAL OATHS FOR SURVEYS.

## LIST OF NAMES.

A list of the names of the individuals employed by C. B. Foster,  
 United States Deputy Mineral Surveyor, to assist in running, measuring, and marking the lines  
 corners and boundaries described in the foregoing field notes of the survey of the mining claim  
 of the Commercial Mining Company  
 known as the West Point  
 and showing the respective capacities in which they acted.

R. M. Hanson ..... , Chairman.  
Thos. E. Dawson ..... , Chairman.  
Thos. E. Dawson ..... , Axman.  
R. M. Hanson ..... , Flagman.

## FINAL OATHS OF ASSISTANTS.

We R. M. Hanson  
 and Thos. E. Dawson do solemnly swear that we assisted C. B. Foster  
 United States Deputy Mineral Surveyor, in marking the corners and  
 surveying the boundaries of the mining claim of the Commercial Mining Company  
 known as the West Point, represented  
 in the foregoing field notes as having been surveyed by said deputy mineral surveyor and under  
 his direction; and that said survey has been in all respects, to the best of our knowledge and  
 belief, faithfully and correctly executed, and the corner and boundary monuments established  
 according to law and the instructions furnished by the United States Surveyor-General for  
Arizona.

*C. B. Foster*

R. M. Hanson ..... , Chairman.  
Thos. E. Dawson ..... , Chairman.  
Thos. E. Dawson ..... , Axman.  
R. M. Hanson ..... , Flagman.

Subscribed and sworn to by the above-named persons before me  
 this 19 day of June, 1891.

C. B. Foster  
 Notary Public



FINAL OATH OF U. S. DEPUTY MINERAL SURVEYOR.

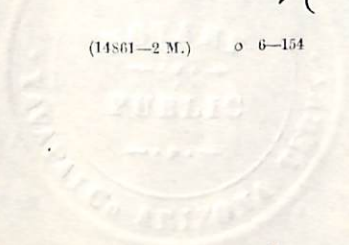
I, C. B. Foster, U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor, do solemnly swear that, in pursuance of instructions received from the United States Surveyor General for Arizona, dated June 11, 1891, I have, in strict conformity to the laws of the United States, the official regulations and instructions thereunder, and the instructions of said Surveyor General, faithfully and correctly executed the survey of the Mining Claim of the Commercial Mining Company known as the West Point situate in Harshawampa Mining District, Yavapai County, Arizona, in Section         , Township No.         , Range No.          and designated as Survey No. 975. Lot No 72, as represented in the foregoing field notes, which accurately show the boundaries of said mining claim as distinctly marked by monuments on the ground, and described in the attached copy of the location certificate, which was received by me from the Surveyor General with said instructions, and that all the corners of said survey have been established and perpetuated in strict accordance with the law, official regulations and instructions thereunder; and I do further solemnly swear that the foregoing are the true and original field notes of said survey and my report therein, and that the labor expended and improvements made upon said mining claim by claimant or its grantors are as therein fully stated, and that the character, extent, location and itemized value thereof are specified therein with particularity and full detail, and that no portion of said labor or improvements so credited to this claim has been included in the estimate of expenditures upon any other claim.

C. B. Foster  
U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor.

Subscribed and sworn to by the said C. B. Foster  
U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor, before me W. C. Foster  
a Notary Public this 22<sup>d</sup>  
day of July, 1891.

W. C. Foster

W. C. Foster  
Notary Public





TERRITORY OF ARIZONA, }  
County of Yavapai. } ss.

I, CHARLES H. AKERS, County Recorder in and for said County and Territory, and Custodian of the Records thereof, do hereby certify that I have compared the above and foregoing with, and the same is a full, true and correct copy of West Point Mining Claim Located by Bradley C. Bain in Hassayampa Mining District November 15th, 1882.

Records of Yavapai County, Arizona.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this 26th. Day of May A. D. 1891

Charles H. Akers

County Recorder.

3-5-500 By J. W. Akers Deputy



WEST POINT

NOTICE of LOCATION.

I the undersigned claim for mining purposes 1500 feet along this ledge or vein, bearing gold and silver commencing at this monument, thence running three hundred feet in an easterly direction to a stone monument, thence fifteen hundred feet in a southerly direction to a stone monument, thence six hundred feet in a westerly direction to a stone monument, thence fifteen hundred feet in a northerly direction to a stone monument, thence three hundred feet in an easterly direction to place of beginning,

This claim is near the head of Maple Gulch also takes in the spring, also claiming all timber and water and other privileges granted by ~~Yaz~~ the mining laws of the U.S. This claim is known by the name of the WEST POINT.

Dated on the ground November 15 1882.

Lying in the Hassayampa District.

Bradley C. Bain

Filed and recorded at request of B.C.Bain November 20<sup>th</sup> A.D. 1882, at 12,05o'clock P.M. in Book 15 of Mines, pages 139-140. Records of Yavapai County, Arizona.

By D.S. Bechtel



Deputy

William Wilkerson

County Recorder.







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# Surveyor General's Certificate of Approval of Field Notes and Survey of Mining Claim.

Department of the Interior,

Office of U.S. Surveyor General,

Meson, Arizona

November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 1891.

I, U. S. Surveyor General for

Arizona Territory,

do hereby certify that the foregoing and hereto attached Field Notes and Return of the Survey of the Mining Claim of

Commercial Mining Company

"West Point", known as the

situate in Hassayampa mining district,

Yavapai County, Arizona,

in Section \_\_\_\_\_, Township No. \_\_\_\_\_, Range No. \_\_\_\_\_

and \_\_\_\_\_, designated as Survey No. 975. Lot to 72

executed by O. B. Foster, U. S. Deputy Mineral

Surveyor, June 18<sup>th</sup>, 1891, under my instructions dated

June 11<sup>th</sup>, 1891, have been critically examined and the

necessary corrections and explanations made, and the said Field Notes and Return, and

the Survey they describe, are hereby approved. A true copy of the copy of the location

certificate filed by the applicant for survey is included in the field notes.

Russell Johnson  
U. S. Surveyor General for Arizona