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Mineral Survey No. 1269

Lot No. \_\_\_\_\_

Prescott

Land District.

### FIELD NOTES

OF THE SURVEY OF THE MINING CLAIM OF

J. W. Smith and Laura Hamilton

KNOWN AS THE

Comodora

Weaver

Mining District,

Yavapai County, Arizona

*Approximately in*

Section \_\_\_\_\_, Township 10 N, Range 4 W, G. & S. Mer. R. 13+

Surveyed under instructions dated Aug 6-, 1897,

by J. J. Fisher  
U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor.

Claim located Aug. 15<sup>th</sup>, 1891.

Survey commenced Aug. 15, 1897.

Survey completed Aug 15, 1897.

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Address,

Hindon and Norris  
Atty. for Claimants  
Prescott  
Arizona



# PRELIMINARY OATHS OF ASSISTANTS IN SURVEY OF MINING CLAIM. 2

WE, E.H. Draper and George Milnes,  
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 J. W. Smith - and Lorne Hamilton  
....., known as the  
Comodor  
situate in Heaver mining district,  
Jumpai County, Arizona,  
in Section ....., Township No. ...., Range No. ....

E.H. Draper ..... Chainman.  
George Milnes ..... Chainman.



Subscribed and sworn to by the above-named persons before  
My Commission me this 14 day of Aug., 18 97  
Expres May 10<sup>th</sup> 1900

J.J. Fisher  
Notary Public

I, E.H. Draper, 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 J. W. Smith - and Lorne  
Hamilton  
..... known as the Comodor  
more fully described in the preceding affidavit.

E.H. Draper ..... Axeman.

Subscribed and sworn to by the said E.H. Draper  
before me this 14 day of  
My Commission August, 18 97.  
Expres May 10<sup>th</sup> 1900

J.J. Fisher  
Notary Public

I, George Milnes, 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 J. W. Smith - and  
Lorne Hamilton  
..... known as the Comodor  
more fully described in the preceding affidavit.

George Milnes ..... Flagman.

Subscribed and sworn to by the said George  
Milnes before me this 14 day of  
My Commission August, 18 97.  
Expres May 10<sup>th</sup> 1900

J.J. Fisher  
Notary Public





## Survey No 1269

Feet

## Comodoro Lode

Beginning at N.E. cor. of claim  
Identical with north-east corner of  
the location.

A granite stone  $10 \times 10 \times 30$  ins. set 1 foot  
in ground and surrounded by mon.  
of stones. Stone marked C, No 1-1269

A + on granite-rick in place, marked  
B. B. C. No 1-1269 bearing  $S 10^{\circ} 15' W$  51 feet.

Johnson's Deck bearing  $S 79^{\circ} 5' E$

U.S. L.M. No 1124 H. D. bearing  $N 11^{\circ} 2' W$   
6162 feet.

Thence  $S 79^{\circ} 45' W$   
Var.  $14^{\circ} E$

- 340 To gulch, course south, width 20 feet.  
915 To gulch, course south east, width 30 ft.  
1500 To Cor. No 2, Identical with cor.  
of the location. Corner point on face  
of granite ledge, cut + for corner  
spirit and marked C, No 2-1269  
Along side built a mon. of stones  
No bearing available.

Thence  $S 34^{\circ} 30' E$   
Var  $14^{\circ} E$

- 300 To west center end, Initial mon.  
Identical with Initial mon. of  
the location.  
Initial mon. a granite boulder  
 $3 \times 6$  feet 2.5 feet high, cut + for  
center point and I.M. C. No 1269  
and built a mon. of stones alongside  
600 Same course to Cor. No 3,  
Identical with loc. mon.  
A granite stone  $8 \times 10 \times 30$  ins. set  
1 foot in ground and surround  
ed by mon. of stones, stone  
marked C No 3-1269.



# Survey No 1269 Comodore Lode

Feet

A + on granite boulder 5 x 6 feet  
 4.5 feet high above ground, marked  
 B.R.C. No 3-1269 bes. N 10° 33' W 32.5'  
 A + on granite boulder 3 x 3.5 feet  
 4 feet high above ground, marked  
 B.R.C. No 3-1269 bes. S 50° 40' W 9.2 feet  
 Cor. No 4 Kentucky Lode Survey  
 No 1267 bes. S 44° 18' W 780 feet.

Hence N 79° 45' E  
 Dur. 14° E

445 To cor. No 1, Homestake Lode, Survey  
 No 1268.

750 To weaver gulch, Course South width 35'

1045 To cor. No 4, Survey No 1268 Home-  
 Make <sup>local</sup> and cor. No 17 Calaveras <sup>place</sup>, Survey  
 No 1268.

1465 To East Fork weaver gulch, Course  
 South-west, width 30 feet.

1500 To cor. No 4, Identical with loc.  
 mon.

A granite stone 6 x 20 x 24 ins. set 1 foot  
 in ground and surrounded by iron  
 of lines. Stone marked C. No 4-1269

A + on granite rock in place,  
 marked B.R.C. No 4-1269-bes.  
 N 87° 8' E 15.8 feet.

A + on granite rock in place,  
 marked B.R.C. No 4-1269 bes. S 39°  
 27' W 13.4 feet.

Highest point on Rich Hill bes.  
 S 38° 57' W.



# Survey No 1269

Feet

## Comodoro Lode

Thence N 34° 30' W  
140' E

- 20 To gulch. Course S.W. width 30 feet
- 128 To intersect line 1-2, Cataract Place, Survey No 1268, at N 63° 30' E 418.9 feet, from Cor. No. 1.
- 300 To East center end, identical with last center end of the location. A granite-stone 5 x 12 x 24 ins. set 1 foot in ground and surrounded by mm. of stones, stone marked E.C.E.M.C No 1269. A + on granite-rock in place, marked B.P.E.C.E.M.C. No 1269 bearing N 15° 40' E 165'. A + on a granite-stone in place, marked B.P.E.C.E.M.C. No 1269 bearing S 56° 20' E 26.7 feet.
- 600 Same course to Cor. No. 1. To place of beginning Survey of ex lode boundaries.

Containing 18,835 acres.

(area of conflict with cataract Surv. # 1268 = 1,610 acres. (4 claimed).

## Location

This claim is located on un-surveyed land in Weaver mining District, Yavapai Co. Arizona and is approximately in Sec. 7- T 10 N. R. 4 W. East Salt River base meridian. The adjoining claims are on the south the Homestake lode claim, Cataract Place claim, <sup>Survey # 68</sup> on the west end by the Esperanza lode claim, un-surveyed.



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Survey No 1269

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## Comodoro Lode

Expenditure of Five Hundred Dollars

I certify that the value of the labor and improvements upon this claim, placed thereon by the claimants and their grantors is not less than five hundred dollars, and that said improvements consist.

of A discovery Tunnel on vein  
4x6 feet 335 feet long, course west  
the mouth of which bears from  
Cen. No. 1. S 58° 2' W 802 feet.

Value \$3350.00

## Instrument

The Survey was made with a  
Gurley Solar Transit, The courses  
were deflected from the true meridian  
as determined by Solar and Polaris  
observations. The distances were  
measured by a 100 foot steel chain

Pineville  
Sept. 1<sup>st</sup> 1897.

J. J. Leitch  
U.S. Dep. Min. Surveyor.



# FINAL OATHS FOR SURVEYS.

## LIST OF NAMES.

A list of the names of the individuals employed by J. J. Fisher  
 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 J. H. Smith and Laura Hamilton  
 known as the Comodon  
 and showing the respective capacities in which they acted.

- E. H. Draper, Chainman.
- George Millner, Chainman.
- E. H. Draper, Axman.
- George Millner, Flagman.

## FINAL OATHS OF ASSISTANTS.

We, E. H. Draper  
 and George Millner, do solemnly swear that we assisted J. J. Fisher  
Fisher, United States Deputy Mineral Surveyor, in marking the corners and  
 surveying the boundaries of the mining claim of J. H. Smith and  
Laura Hamilton  
 known as the Comodon

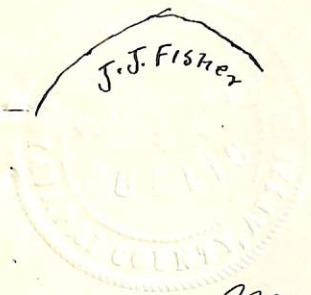
represented in the foregoing field notes as having been surveyed by said deputy mineral surveyor and under his direction; and that said survey has been in all respects, to the best of our knowledge and belief, faithfully and correctly executed, and the corner and boundary monuments established according to law and the instructions furnished by the United States Surveyor-General for Arizona

- E. H. Draper, Chainman.
- George Millner, Chainman.
- E. H. Draper, Axman.
- George Millner, Flagman.

Subscribed and sworn to by the above-named persons before me  
 this 17 day of August, 18 77

My Commission  
 at Phoenix May 10<sup>th</sup> 1900

J. J. Fisher  
Notary Public





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FINAL OATH OF U. S. DEPUTY MINERAL SURVEYOR.

I, J. J. Fisher, U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor, do solemnly swear that, in pursuance of instructions received from the United States Surveyor General for Arizona, dated Aug 6-, 1897, 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 J. W. Smith and Laura Hamilton, known as the Comodora, situate in J. Weaver Mining District, Javapai County, Arizona <sup>approximately in</sup> in Section 7, Township No. 10 N., Range No. H. W. 1st S. M., and designated as Survey No. 1269, 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 their 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.

J. J. Fisher  
U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor.

Subscribed and sworn to by the said J. J. Fisher  
U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor, before me Register U. S. Land  
Office Prescott, Arizona this 2  
day of September, 1897.

Fredrick A. Tittle  
Register



# Affidavit of Five Hundred Dollars Improvements.

We E. H. Drake and George Miller

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

with the Leomodora mining claim, situated in

Heaven Mining district, Yavapai County,

Arizona Territory, for which J. N. Smith and Laura

Hamilton

have 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 this grantor exceed Five Hundred Dollars in value, and further that we are not personally interested in said mine.

E. H. Drake  
George Miller

TERRITORY OF ARIZONA,  
County of Yavapai } ss.

SWORN to and subscribed before me, this

17 day of July 1897

J. J. Fisher  
Notary Public



My Commission  
Expires May 10<sup>th</sup> 1900



COMODORE.

NOTICE OF LOCATION.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned having complied with the requirements of Chapter six of title thirty two of the Revised Statutes of the United States, and the local customs, laws and regulations, has located 1500 linear feet on the Johnson or Rich Hill lode situated in Weaver Mining District, Yavapai County, Territory of Arizona and described as follows: Commencing at this monument of stones, running S.E. 300 linear feet to a monument of stones; thence N.E. 1500 linear feet to a monument of stone thence N.W. 600 linear feet to monument of stones; thence S.W. 1500 linear feet to a monument of stones; thence S.E. 300 linear feet to the initial monument in which the notice is placed this mine is situated at the head of Weaver Gulch about 300 yards north of a large white quartz cropings on the west side of Weaver Gulch this Mine was formerly owned by Wm. Johnson, deceased, and was known as the Lorenzo Mine and was located Jan. 22d., 1880 and is recorded at page 576 Book 8-H. Yavapai County Records and this mine shall be known as the Comodore Gold Mine, we claim all water springs appertinant to the mine and within boundary lines and et.

Witness:

Locators,

J.G. Marx.

Scott Greening.

J.H. Hamilton.

A.P. Smith.

(Discovered) Located-Jan 22d., 1880

Relocated August 10th., 1891.

Recorded at request of A.P. Smith Sept. 21<sup>st</sup> A.D. 1891 at 9.40 o'clock A.M. in Book 32 of Mines, Pages 489-90 Records of Yavapai County, Arizona.

By F.A. Tritle Jr.

(L.S)

Charles H. Akers.

Deputy.

County Recorder.

TERRITORY OF ARIZONA,

COUNTY OF YAVAPAI.

MISS.

I, W.I. Johnson, Recorder on 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 the notice of location of the *Comodore* Mining Claim as the same appears on the records in Book 32 of Mines, pages 489-90 Records of Yavapai County, Arizona. In Witness Whereof, I Have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this, the 4th, day of August 1897.

*W.I. Johnson*  
 .....  
 County Recorder.



LORENO.

NOTICE.

In accordance with the mining laws of the United States, I the undersigned do this day day locate and claim 1500 feet on each side thereof and all water and water privileges thereon or appurtenant thereto, as follows. Commencing on the lode at the south west end of the claim at a monument on which a copy of this notice is posted; thence south east 300 feet to a monument of stone; thence 1500 northeast to a monument of stone; thence 600 feet northwest to a monument of stone; thence 1500 feet south west to a monument of stone; thence 300 feet to place of beginning.

This Mine is better described as being about one thousand feet to the northwest from the White cropings on the west branch of Weaver Creek in Weaver Mining District, Yavapai County, A.T.

Located this day January the 22 1880. This shall be known as the Loreno Mine.

Wm. Johnson.

Filed for record at the request of Wm. Johnson March 1st., 1880 at 9 oclock A.M. and duly recorded in Book H.8 of Mines, Records of Yavapai County, Arizona, at Pages 576-577.

William Wilkerson.

County Recorder.

TERRITORY OF ARIZONA, I  
COUNTY OF YAVAPAI. I  
ISS.

I, W. I. Johnson, Recorder in and for said

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 the notice of location of the

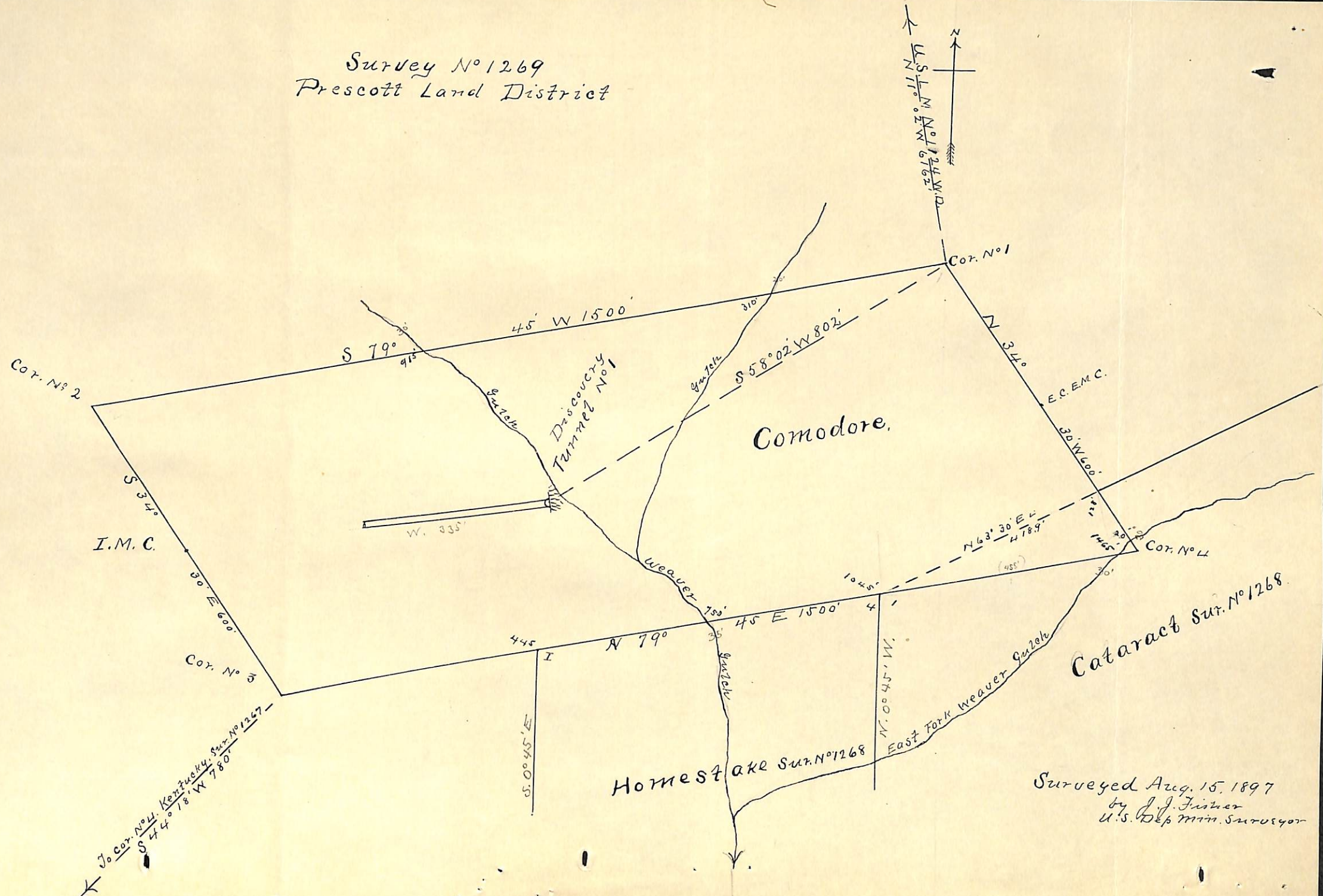
*Loreno* Mining Claim as the same appears on the records in Book *H. 8.* of Mines, pages 576-577 Records of Yavapai County, Arizona.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this, the 4th., day of August 1897.

.....*W. I. Johnson*.....  
County Recorder.



Survey No 1269  
Prescott Land District



Surveyed Aug. 15, 1897  
by J. J. Fisher  
U.S. Dep Min. Surveyor



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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,

*Tucson, Arizona*  
*October 6th*, 1897.

I, U. S. Surveyor General for *District of Arizona*,

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

Survey of the Mining Claim of *J. W. Smith and*  
*Laura Hamilton*,

\_\_\_\_\_ , known as the

*Comodore*

situate in *Beaver* mining district,

*Yavapai* County, *Arizona*,

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

\_\_\_\_\_, designated as Survey No. *1269*

executed by *J. J. Fisher*, U. S. Deputy Mineral

Surveyor, *August 15*, 1897, under my instructions dated

*August 6th*, 1897, 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.

*George Christ*

U. S. Surveyor General for *Arizona*