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Mineral Survey No. 1537

Lot No.

Prescott

Land District.

FIELD NOTES

OF THE SURVEY OF THE MINING CLAIM OF

H P Anderson

Prescott Arizona

KNOWN AS THE

Little Johns

(un known)

Mining District,

Yavapai

County,

Arizona

Section

approx

Township

9 N

Range

2 N (unsurveyed)

Surveyed under instructions dated

February 8th, 1901

by William H Merritt

U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor

Claim located

Feb 22nd

, 1898

Survey commenced

March 27th

, 1901

Survey completed

March 29th

, 1901

Address of Claimant
H. P. Anderson
Prescott Arizona
care of Powers & Merritt

PRELIMINARY OATHS OF ASSISTANTS IN SURVEY OF MINING CLAIM.

WE, J. W. Taylor and G. S. Lapham, 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 H. P. Anderson

....., known as the Little Joker situate in unknown mining district, Yavapai County, Arizona in Section, Township No., Range No.

J. W. Taylor, Chairman.
G. S. Lapham, Chairman.

Subscribed and sworn to by the above-named persons before me this 29th day of March, 1901.

W. G. Merritt
Notary Public
Exp. Aug 16th 1901

I,, 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

known as the more fully described in the preceding affidavit.

....., Axeman.

Subscribed and sworn to by the said before me this day of, 18 ..

I,, 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

known as the more fully described in the preceding affidavit.

....., Flagman.

Subscribed and sworn to by the said before me this day of, 18 ..

Feet	Beginning at Cor. No 1 Identical with the S.E.Cor. of location. A porphyry stone 6X10X24 ins.set 12 ins in the ground Chiseled 1-L-J.1537,with mound of stones alongside.whence: U.S.L.M.No.1537 brs.N 23°52'W 741 feet. No other bearings available.
	Thence S 76°10'W Va. 14°00'E
300	To mon. Cr. S. end of claim.
350	Cr.wash 5 ft.wide flows N 40.° W
600	To Cor. No 2. Identical with the S.W.Cor. of the location. A porphyry stone 8X10X24 ins. set. 12 ins in the ground chiseled 2-L-J 1537,with mound of stones alongside. No bearings available.
	Thence N 13°50'W Va. 14°00'E
150 600	Cr. wash 10 ft.wide flows S85°30'W To Cor. No. 3 Identical with the cor. of the location. A porphyry stone 5X8X24 ins. set 12 ins. in the ground chiseled 3-L-J. 1537 with mound of stones alongside. No bearings available.
	Thence N 3°40'E Va. 14°00'E
900	To Cor. No. 4. Identical with Cor. of loc. A lime-stone 10X12X24 ins.set 12 ins.in the ground, chiseled 4-L-J.1537 with mound of stones alongside. No bearings available.
	Thence N 76°10'E Va. 14°00'E
300	mon. cr. N.end of claim.
425	Cr.of wash 5 ft. wide,flows S 6°.00'W
600	To Cor. No. 5 Identical with Cor. of location. A porphyry stone 6X12X24 ins.set 12 ins.in the ground chiseled 5-L-J.1537 with mound of stones alongside.

Feet

No bearings available.

Thence S 3°40'W

Va. 14°00'E

900

To Cor. No. 6.

Identical with Cor. of loc.

A porphyry stone 6X12X24 ins. set 12 ins. in the ground chiseled 6-L-J.1537,with mound of stones alongside.whence:

A X B.R.6.L.J. 1537 chiseled on bluff of rock brs.

S 68°15'E 25.7 feet. No other bearings available.

Thence S 13°50'E

Va. 14°00'E

600

To Cor. No. 1 the place of beginning.

This claim is located on unsurveyed land approximately in Twp.9 N.R.2 W.G.& S. R.B & M. ^{*in unknown Mining District -*} Yavapai Co. Arizona.

This lode is bounded on the North by Harrison lode owned by claimant hereof.

Total and net area of this lode is. .20,083.Acre.

Expenditure of five hundred dollars.

I certify that the value of the labor and improvements upon this claim,placed thereon by the claimant and his grantors,is not less than five hundred dollars,and that said improvements consists of:

No. 1 shaft 4X6X85 ft. deep the cr. of which brs. from cor.

No.6 S 75°15'W 285 feet.at 70 ft. in this shaft there is a drift 50 ft. N. & a drift 50 ft. S. value \$1400.00

No.2 shaft 4X6X10ft.deep the Cr. of which brs.from Cor.

No.6. S 59°30'W 238 ft.value \$60.00

No.3 Tunnel 5X7X130ft.long the mouth of which brs. from

Cor. No. 6 S 43°50'W 391 ft.course of tunnel \$70.00E

value\$780.00

No.4.Tunnel 4X7X38 ft. long course N 25°W the mouth of

which brs.from Cor.No.6 N 44°45'W ^{*329ft*}value \$228.00

Ledge.

From mon. Cr. S.end of lode, the ledge brs. N $13^{\circ}50'W$
600 ft. thence N $3^{\circ}40'E$ 900. ft.

Instrument.

This survey was made with a Gurley Light Mountain
Solar Transit. The courses were deflected from the true
meridian as determined by direct solar observations,
checked on Polaras. The distances were measured with
100 ft. steel tape.

William M. Merritt
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U.S. Dep. Mineral Surveyor.

Prescott, Arizona.

U.S. Loc.

As there are no corners of the public survey and no monuments within the prescribed limits, I proceeded to establish a ^{U.S.} mineral monument, by setting a porphyry stone 10 X 30 X 36 ins. 18 ins. in the ground, chiseled U.S.L.M. No. 1537 (X) with a mound of stones 6 ft. base 5 ft. high alongside. whence:

A (X) B.R.U.S.L.M.No.1537 chiseled on rock in place showing 2X2X3 feet above the ground brs. S 38°00'W 7.8 feet.

A (X) B.R.U.S.L.M.No.1537 chiseled on rock in place showing 3 X 3 X 4 ft. above the ground, brs. N 59°50'W 20.1 feet.

N.W.Cor. of shaft brs. S 36°40'W 209.3 ft.

Wade's butte brs. N 73°25'W

Location.

This monument is located on unsurveyed land approximately in Twp. 9 N. R.2 W.G.& S.R.B.& M. Yavapai County Arizona.

William H. Curritt.....

U.S. Dep. Mineral Surveyor

Prescott, Arizona.

FINAL OATHS FOR SURVEYS.

LIST OF NAMES.

A list of the names of the individuals employed by William H. Merritt
 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 Smith H. P. Anderson
 known as the "Little Joker"
 and showing the respective capacities in which they acted.

J. W. Taylor, Chairman.
G. S. Bapham, Chairman.
 _____, Axman.
 _____, Flagman.

FINAL OATHS OF ASSISTANTS.

We, J. W. Taylor
 and G. S. Bapham, do solemnly swear that we assisted William
H. Merritt, United States Deputy Mineral Surveyor, in marking the corners and
 surveying the boundaries of the mining claim of H. P. Anderson
Prescott Arizona,
 _____, known as the
"Little Joker", 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
 _____.

J. W. Taylor, Chairman.
G. S. Bapham, Chairman.
 _____, Axman .
 _____, Flagman.

Subscribed and sworn to by the above-named persons before me
 this 30th day of March, 1890.

W. H. Merritt

 Notary Public
 My Commission Expires Aug 16th 1901



FINAL OATH OF U. S. DEPUTY MINERAL SURVEYOR

I, William H. Merritt, U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor, do solemnly swear that, in pursuance of instructions received from the United States Surveyor General for Arizona, dated Feb 8th 1901, 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 H. P. Anderson Prescott Arizona, known as the "Little Joker", situate in "unknown" Mining District, Yavapai County, Arizona, in Section _____, Township No. _____, Range No. _____, and designated as Survey No. 1537, 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 his 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.

William H. Merritt
U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor.

Subscribed and sworn to by the said William H. Merritt
U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor, before me R. C. Powers
Notary Public this 1st
day of April 1901,

R. C. Powers
Notary Public.

My Commission Expires
Jan. 3rd 1904.
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Affidavit of Five Hundred Dollars Improvements.

We, J. W. Taylor, and G. S. Lapham

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

acquainted with the "Little John" mining claim, situate

in Mining District, Yavapai County,

Arizona Territory, for which H. P. Anderson

Prescott Arizona

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 improve-

ments made thereon by the applicant and his grantors exceed Five Hundred

Dollars in value, and further, that we are not personally interested in said mine.

J. W. Taylor
G. S. Lapham

TERRITORY OF ARIZONA,

County of Pinal

} ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 30th

day of March, 1901.

W. H. Merritt
Notary Public
My commission expires Aug 16th 1901

LITTLE JOKER.

NOTICE OF LOCATION.

Know all men by these presents; that we, the undersigned, have this day located 1500 feet of this vein or lode, bearing precious metals, with all dips, spurs, angles and variations, with surface ground 300 feet on each side of vein, with all Mineral deposits contained therein, and all Timber and Water thereon or appurtenant thereto under and according to the provisions of the United States Mining Laws.

This claim begins at this monument and notice placed upon the ledge and runs 750 ft. in a Northerly and 750 ft. in a Southerly direction along the ledge.

The exterior boundaries are as follows; Commencing at this monument and notice and running 300 feet in a Westerly direction to monument on west boundary line; thence in a Northerly direction parallel with the ledge 750 feet to monument at N.W. corner; thence at right angles across the ledge in an Easterly direction 600 feet to monument at N.E. corner; thence parallel with the lode in a Southerly direction 1500 feet to monument at S.E. corner; thence at right angles across the ledge in a Westerly direction 600 feet to monument at S.W. corner; thence 750 ft. in a Northerly direction parallel with the ledge to place of beginning.

This claim is in (name not known) Mining District, Yavapai County, Arizona, and may be more generally described as situated one and one half miles South West of Frank Fenton's ranch and near the head of Willow Creek and shall be known as the Little Joker Mining Claim.

Dated on the ground this 22nd day of February, 1890.

Frank Fenton,
H.P.Anderson,
E.L.Gobin,

Filed and recorded at request of E.L.Gobin, Mar.5", A.D.1890, at 12:58 o'clock P.M. in Book 29 of Mines, page 261, Records of Yavapai County, Arizona.

Charles H.Akers,
County Recorder.

(L.S.)

By J.M.Aitken, Deputy.

Territory of Arizona, §
 § ss:
County of Yavapai, §

I, P.J.FARLEY, County Recorder in and for the County of Yavapai, territory of Arizona 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 "Little Joker" Mining Claim as the same appears of record in my office in Book 29 of Mines, page 261, Records of Yavapai County, Arizona.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this the 2nd day of February, A.D.1901.

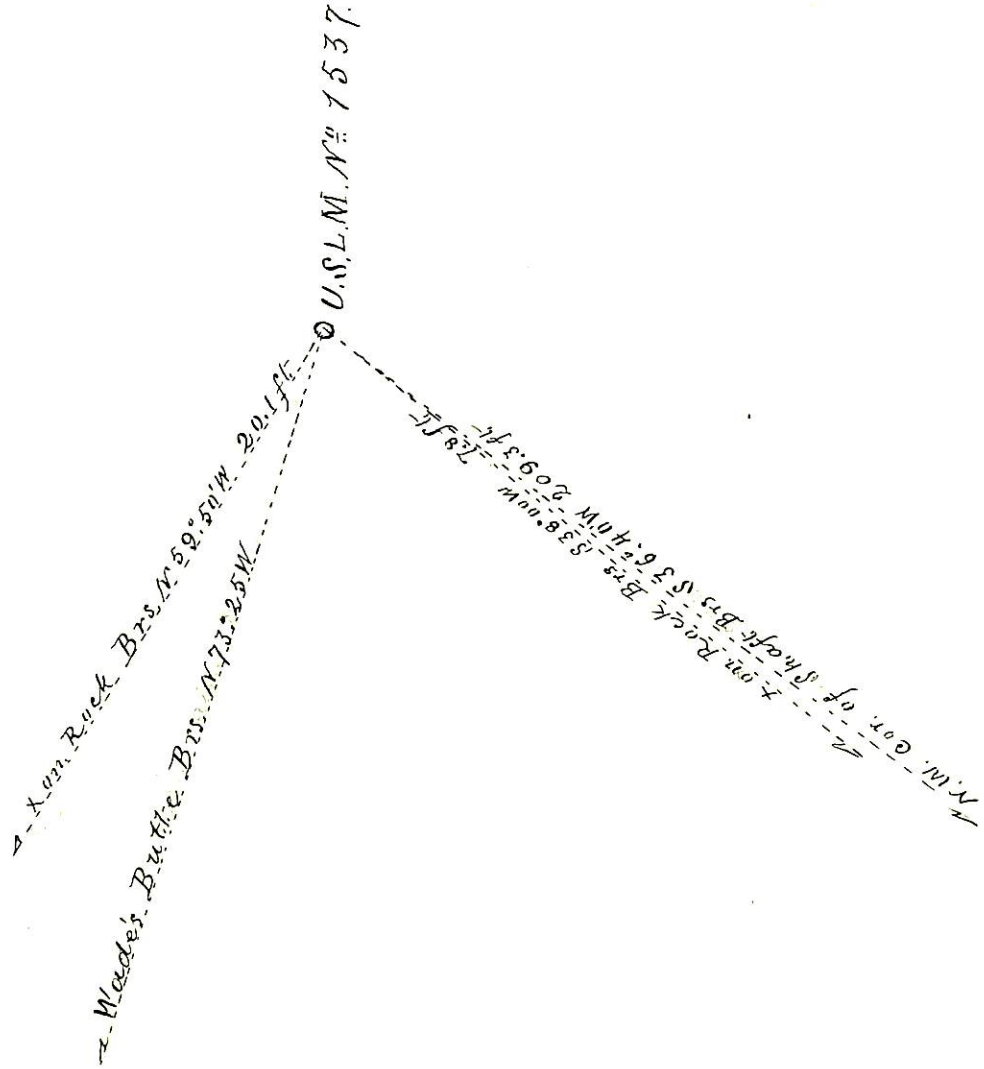
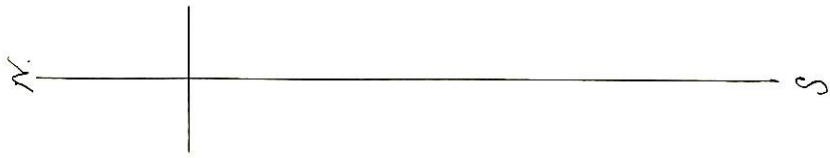


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County Recorder.

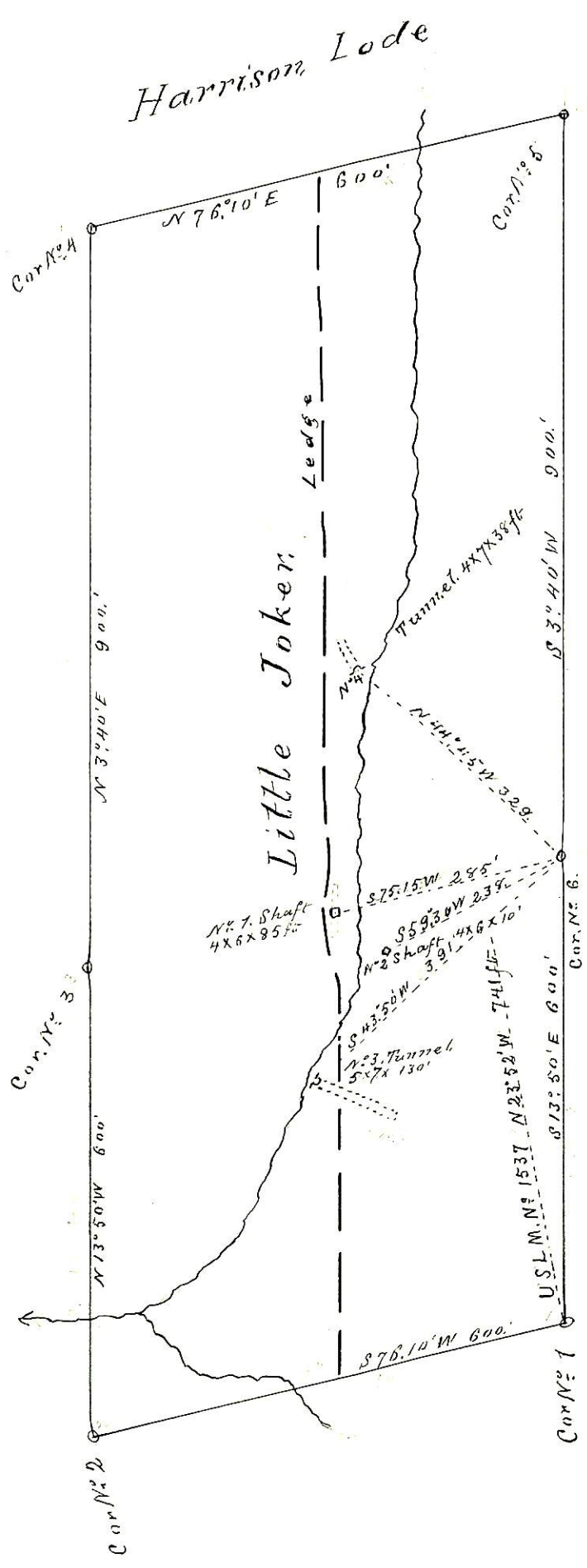
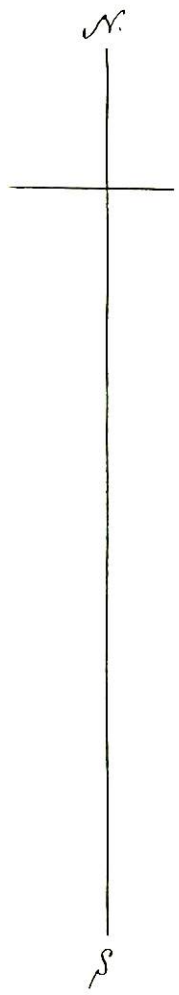
By *E. C. Aitken*
Deputy

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Scale. 200. ft = One Inch.



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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.

April 25 1901, 18

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 H. P. Anderson

....., known as the

Little Joker Lode.

situate in (Unknown) mining district,

Yavapai County, Arizona,

in Section approx, Township No. 9 N., Range No. 2 W. (unsurveyed)

....., designated as Survey No. 1537.

executed by H. P. Anderson, U. S. Deputy Mineral

Surveyor, March 29 1901, 18, under my instructions dated

Feb 8th, 1901, 18, 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.