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LOT NO. 44.

Field Notes

of the survey of the

Belcher

Mining claim.

Situate in Big Bug mining district,

County of Yavapai and in Sec. 2, Tp. 12N,

Range 1W, of the Gila and Salt River Meridian,

ARIZONA.

Claimed by John A. Rush.

Survey executed by L. Burton Foster, D. S.,

Under instructions dated February 5, 1879

Survey commenced March 6, 1879.

Survey completed March 6, 1879.

Field Notes of Survey of Fletcher Mining Claim

First Begin at Location Monument at Center
of NE end of Claim on which Notice of
Location is posted; Containing also W.A.
Rorrie's Notice Claiming the Josephine Lode
running in a N Easterly direction from
this Monument. I run

N 60° W

along NE End of Claim

To 14° $12'$ East

as per Gurley's patent Solar Transit
300 To NW Cor of Claim, at this Cor
the surface being a solid granite
boulder, projecting 1 ft above the
ground 6 ft long by 4 ft wide, I
mark \pm 3×3 ins at point of Cor
and under same mark B.L. N^o I and
build mound of stone $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft high.

from this Cor, Monument No III
marked F.L. N^o III and establishing SW
Cor to Eugene Mine a patented Claim
Patent for same issued to Michael
Wormser from the General Land Office
at Washington March 9th 1878 - bears N
 47° $10'$ E, $30 \frac{44}{100}$ Chains distant
and also from this Cor the Cor
to Secs 35 and 36, Township 13 N
Range 14 W Gila and Salt River
Meridian bears N 7° $28'$ E.
 $52 \frac{46}{100}$ Chains dist.

Thence

S 30° W

along NW side boundary of Claim

To 14° $12'$ East

1500 To SW Cor of Claim where I
set \pm in the ground a slate rock
 $24 \times 12 \times 8$ ins marked B.L. N^o II
and build mound of stone $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft
high.

Thence

S 60° E

Field Notes of Curvey of Belcher Mining Claim

Foot

20.30 1340 Shaft 20ft deep x 6x4ft bears
Westerly at right angles to line
295 ft dist

20.82 1374 Shaft 40ft deep x 6x4ft bears
Westerly at right angles to line
285 ft dist

22.03 1434 Shaft 30ft deep x 6x4ft bears
Westerly at right angles to line
260 ft dist

22.12 1500 To NE cor of claim where dist
3/4 in the ground a granite rock
20x14x6 ins marked B L N° IV
and build mound of stone 2 1/2 ft high
thence

N 60° W
along NE End of claim
70 14° 12' East

0.41 3 Road bears NE and S 22
4.545 300 To location Monument and
place of beginning.

Containing 20 ⁶⁶/₁₀₀ acres
March 6th 1879

General Description
This claim is situated along the
summit of Eugenie Mountain
between Big Bug and Eugenie creeks
in Big Bug Mining District.
The vein is of gold and silver bearing
over gold predominating.
The work performed upon the claim
by the claimant and his grantors
consists of shafts and cuts as represented by
the foregoing field notes and plat
accompanying same amounting
in the aggregate to a cost exceeding
five hundred dollars.

W. D. Denton
U.S. Geol. Surveyor
of Mineral Lands

PRELIMINARY OATHS FOR SURVEYS OF MINING CLAIMS AND MILL-SITES.

WE, John Lloyd and Richard Shrope
do solemnly swear that we will faithfully execute the duties of Chain Carriers; that we will level the chain upon uneven ground, and plumb the tally pins, whether 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.

Richard Shrope
Richard Shrope

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED before me this sixth
day of March 1879

W. Foster

W. Foster
Notary Public

I, Michael Duggan

do solemnly swear that I will well and truly perform the duties of Assessor
according to instructions given me, and to the best of my skill and ability.

Witness
W. Foster

Michael Duggan
his mark

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED before me this sixth
day of March 1879

W. Foster

W. Foster
Notary Public



AFFIDAVIT OF FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS IMPROVEMENTS.

WE, John Lloyd and Richard Shrope
of lawful age, being first duly sworn according to law, depose and say that we are acquainted with
the Belcher
mining claim, situate in Big Bug
Mining District, Yavapai County, Arizona
Territory, for which John A. Rush
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 his grantors exceed Five Hundred Dollars in value, and further that we are not
personally interested in said mine.

Richard Shrope
Richard Shrope

TERRITORY OF ARIZONA,
County of Yavapai } ss.

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED before me this Eight
day of March 1879.

M. C. Foster

M. C. Foster
Notary Public

FINAL OATHS FOR SURVEYS OF MINING CLAIMS AND MILL-SITES.

A list of the names of individuals employed to assist in running, measuring, or marking the lines and corners described in the foregoing field-notes of the survey of the Belcher Mining Claim

located in Big Bug mining district
Yavapai County, Arizona, showing the respective capacities in which they acted.

John Lloyd Chainman.
Richard Shrap Chainman.
Michael Duggan Axeman.
Flagman.

We hereby certify that we assisted Al Burton Foster
U. S. Deputy surveyor, in surveying the Belcher Mining Claim

claimed by John A. Rush
located in Big Bug mining district,
Yavapai County, and in Township No. _____ Range No. _____

~~of the Gila and Salt River base and meridian, Arizona, and that said Survey has been in all respects, to the best of our knowledge and belief, well and faithfully executed, and the boundary monuments planted according to the instructions furnished by the Surveyor-General.~~

John Lloyd Chainman.
Richard Shrap Chainman.
Michael Duggan Axeman.
mark Flagman.

Witness Al Burton Foster
SWORN to and subscribed before me this 8th day
of March 1879

W. C. Foster
Notary Public

I, Al Burton Foster U. S. Deputy Surveyor do solemnly swear that, in pursuance of instructions from John Wasson, U. S. Surveyor-General for Arizona, bearing date the 5th day of February 1879 I have well, faithfully and truly, in my own proper person, and in strict conformity with the instructions furnished by the Surveyor-General and the laws of the United States, surveyed all those portions of the Belcher

Mining Claim
claimed by John A. Rush
located in Big Bug mining district,
Yavapai County, and in Township No. _____ Range No. _____

~~of the Gila and Salt River base and meridian, Arizona, as are represented in the foregoing field-notes as having been surveyed under my directions; and I do further solemnly swear that all the corners of said surveys have been established and perpetuated in strict accordance with the instructions furnished me, and that the foregoing are the true and original field-notes of such surveys.~~

Al Burton Foster
Deputy Surveyor.

SWORN to and subscribed before me this 8th day
of March 1879

W. C. Foster
Notary Public

Belcher Lode.

Notice of Location of the Belcher Ledge or Claim, containing Gold and Silver and located as a Gold and Silver Mine. The undersigned claims for Mining purposes fifteen hundred (1500) feet of this Quartz ledge in length along the ledge or vein and three hundred (300) feet on each of the middle of the vein together with all the dips spurs and angles and all valuable mineral deposits contained therein and all timber growing within the limits of said claim and all water and water privileges thereon or appertenant thereto under and according to the provisions of an act of Congress approved May 10th 1872 entitled "An Act to promote the development of the Mining Resources of the United States".

This claim commences at this Notice which is posted in a conspicuous place, on a stone monument, the same being the South West monument of the Josephine Ledge located by W. A. Row this day, and running North Westerly 300 feet to a stone monument, thence South Westerly 1500 feet to a stone monument, thence South Easterly ^{600 feet} to a stone monument, thence North Easterly 1500 feet to a stone monument, thence North Westerly 300 feet to the place of beginning.

This claim may be more generally described as situated in the Big Dry Mining District in the County of Garapai County Territory of Arizona. The boundaries are marked

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and defined by stone stone monument, at the
center of each end of the claim and at the
four corners thereof,

The three North Eastern monuments being
the same as are used by the South Western bound-
aries of the Josephine Ledge located by
said Rome, and shall be known as the
"Belcher" Ledge or Claim.

Dated on the ground this First day of Jan-
uary 1876.

(21) John A. Rush

Filed for record January 4th 1876 at 10 1/2
o'clock A.M. at request of Ed W. Halls and
duly recorded in Book C. 3. of Mines Records
of Yavapai County Arizona at folios 515 & 516.

William Wilkerson

County Recorder

Territory of Arizona

County of Yavapai } S.S.

I, William Wilkerson

Recorder of Yavapai County, Territory of
Arizona duly elected and qualified do hereby
certify the above and foregoing to be a
full true and correct copy of the notice of
Location of the "Belcher" Ledge or claim, as
appears of record on pages 515 & 516, Book C. 3.
of Mines - Records of the aforesaid County, now
in my office.

In witness whereof I have here-
unto set my hand and affixed

my official Seal this twenty fifth
(25th) day of January A.D. 1879
William Wilkerson
County Recorder
By W. Foster
Deputy

Certified Copy
of the
Notice of Location
of the

Belcher Lode

Located by

John A. Rusk.



U. S. Surveyor General's Office,
Tucson, Arizona, March 18, '79

The fore-going field-notes of the survey of the Belcher Mining Claim, situated in the Big Bug Mining District, Yavapai County, Arizona; claimed by John A. Rush; survey executed by G. Benton Foster, D.S., under instructions from this office having been critically examined and the necessary alterations and corrections made, the said field-notes and the survey they describe are hereby approved.

John W. Mason
Surveyor General.