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LOT NO. 40. A. 40 B.

Field Notes

of the survey of the

American

Mining and Mill-Site claims

Situate in Hearshaw mining district,

County of Pima and in Sec. _____, Tp. _____,

Range _____, of the Gila and Salt River Meridian,

ARIZONA.

Claimed by The Silver Cloud
Mining Company.

Survey executed by J. H. Striedinger D. S.,

Under instructions dated July 10, 1879,

Survey commenced July 20, 1879

Survey completed ii 22, 1879,

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

WE Thomas Lewis and Milton Cook
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 measur-
ing, to the best of our skill and ability.

Thomas Lewis
Milton Cook

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 20th day

of July, 1879
Witness:
J. S. Friedwiger

W. P. Puffer

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

Albert Beck

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 20th day

of July, 1879
Witness:
J. S. Friedwiger

W. P. Puffer

American Mill Site.

Tree	Distance
Bearing	in feet & decimals

The American Mill Site being only marked by 4 corners and its notice of location being posted on a tree at the entrance to the Blue Nose gulch near the West side line of the claim without reference to the corner monuments, it was thought desirable to select the starting point of the survey — marked on the plat "Initial Monument" — more inside the Mill Site with a view to providing a more conspicuous place for posting a copy of the plat together with the notices — etc. etc., and for the purpose of more readily locating the improvements on the Mill Site. The corners of the American Mill Site as officially monumented fall inside the original outlines of the claim where they do not exactly agree with the old corner monuments. The area of the American Mill Site does not exceed five acres.

At present the notice of location is posted on a tree at the entrance to the Blue Nose gulch near the West side line of the claim.

Variation of needle as per observations of North star $12^{\circ} 20'$ East.

Commencing at a rubble stone mound — marked on the plat "Initial Monument" — near the confluence of the creeks, thence $S 76^{\circ} 51' W 132.0$ ft. to a boulder monument at the entrance to Blue Nose gulch; thence $N 73^{\circ} 09' W 387.36$ ft. to the North West corner stake of the Mill side, the stake — in a mound of stones — being marked "NW 'AM'"; thence, coinciding with the original direction

$S 76^{\circ} 51' W 132.0$ ft.
 $N 73^{\circ} 09' W 387.36$ ft.

American Mill Site.

of the North end line of the Mill Site,
 $N76^{\circ}51'E$ 231.0ft. to the North East corner stake of the
 Mill Site, the stake - in a mound of
 stones - being marked "NE" "AM"; thence
 following the original E side line of
 the Mill Site,

$S13^{\circ}09'E$ 942.86ft. to the South East corner stake of the
 Mill Site, the stake - in a mound of
 stones under a blazed tree - being
 marked "SE" "AM"; thence coinciding
 with the original S end line of the
 Mill Site,

$S76^{\circ}51'W$ 231.0ft. to the South West corner stake of the
 Mill Site, the stake - in a mound
 of stones - being marked "SW" "AM";
 thence

$N13^{\circ}09'W$ 555.0ft. to the boulder monument at the entrance
 to Blue Nose gulch.

$N19^{\circ}57'E$ 1139.0ft. Direct line from North East corner
 American Mill Site to North West
 corner American Mining Claim Lot 40A,
 - the latter being marked "A" "NW" -

$N29^{\circ}21'E$ 540.1.0ft. North East corner American Mill
 Site - South West corner Alta
 Mining Claim Lot 36A - the latter
 being marked "AM C/SW/N" "N" -

$N51^{\circ}25'W$ 71.3ft. Initial monument American Mill
 Site - junction of creeks in cañon.

$N82^{\circ}20'W$
 ~~$N82^{\circ}20'W$~~
 from S. E. corner of Mill Site to
 S. E. corner of Blue ^{Nose} Mining Claim
 Lot 41: 39 - the latter being marked
 "SE" "BN" -

$S81^{\circ}37'W$ 56.7ft. Direct line from Initial station
 to centre of well

Well is hexagonally timbered, and is
 2.5ft. in the clear and
 20ft. in depth.

Area of Mill Site = 5 Acres.

American Mill Site.

The American Mill Site is situated in the Patagonia Mountains, Harshaw Mining District, Pima County, Arizona Territory. It lays in the cañon between the Blue Nose and American Mining Claims. The cañon creek passes along near its West side, the trail from the Trench to the Mawry Mines near its East side.

The N. E., S. E., and S. W. corners of the American Mill Site are visible from said trail. The S. W. corner of the Alta Mining Claim is

N29°31'E 5401.0ft. and the N. W. corner of the American Mining Claim is

N19°37'E 1139ft. from the N. E. corner of the American Mill Site. No Mining Claims are adjacent to said Mill Site.

July 20th 1879.

J. S. Friedwiger
U. S. Deputy-Surveyor.

American Mining Claim and American Mill Site.

The improvements made on the above Mining Claim consist of two shafts. The smaller - one - (the Assessment-shaft) - is

5 feet x 7 ft. and
10.8 ft. deep.

It was sunk by the original locators Charles Hawks and J. B. Hart - the persons from whom the Silver Cloud Mining Company derives title - It is valued . . . \$ 100.00

The larger shaft or main shaft is
5 ft x 8 ft. and
20 ft. deep.

It starts at the sole of a wedge shaped open cut which excavation is
22 ft. long,
14.5 ft wide and attains a maximum depth of
12 ft. near the mouth of the main shaft.

Estimated value of work done on the open cut and main shaft by the Silver Cloud Mining Company. . \$ 511.00

The well on the American Mill-site was sunk by the parties doing the contract work for the claimants on the American Mining claim;

The well - passing through a bed of sand, gravel and boulders - is hexagonally timbered,
2.5 ft. wide in the clear, and
20 ft. deep. It is valued . . . \$ 150.00

July 22nd 1879. J. H. Steidinger,
U. S. Deputy Surveyor.

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 a Mill Site in connection with American mine located in Harshaw Mining District, Pima County, Arizona, showing the respective capacities in which they acted.

Thomas Lewis Chainman.
Wilton Cook Chainman.
Albert Beck Axeman.
Flagman.

WE hereby certify that we assisted J. A. Stridinger U. S. Deputy Surveyor, in surveying a Mill Site in connection with American mine claimed by the Silver Cloud Mining Company, located in Harshaw Mining District, Pima 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.

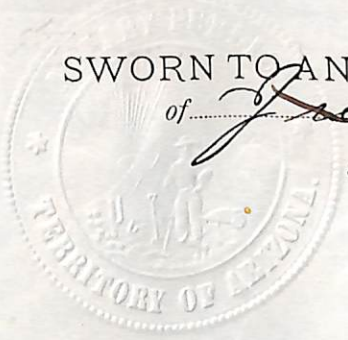
Thomas Lewis Chainman.
Wilton Cook Chainman.
Albert Beck Axeman.
Flagman.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me this 26 day of July 1879
Witness: J. A. Stridinger
M. P. Gifford

I, J. A. Stridinger U. S. Deputy Surveyor do solemnly swear that, in pursuance of instructions from John Wasson, U. S. Surveyor-General for Arizona, bearing date the 10 day of July 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 a Mill Site in connection with the Silver Cloud Mining Company, located in Harshaw Mining District, Pima 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.

Julius A. Stridinger Deputy Surveyor.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me this 26 day of July 1879
W. A. Harwood
Notary Public
Tombstone



NON-MINERAL AFFIDAVIT.

TERRITORY OF ARIZONA,)
County of Pima) ss.

Henry B. Clay and Albert Beck of said County and Territory, being first duly sworn, each for himself and not one for the other, deposes and says that he is well acquainted with the land of the (Corbin) American mill-site claim situated in Hanshaw Mining District Gila and Salt River Meridian, in the County of Pima and Territory of Arizona, claimed by Silver Cloud Mining Company applicant for United States patent therefor; that he is well acquainted with the character of said described land included within the boundary lines as officially surveyed by J. H. Strickinger United States Deputy Surveyor, having frequently passed over the same; that his knowledge of such land is such as to enable him to testify understandingly with regard thereto; that there is not to his knowledge within the limits thereof any vein or lode of quartz or other rock in place bearing gold, silver, cinnabar, lead, tin or copper or any deposit of coal; that there is not within the limits of said land, within his knowledge, any placer, cement, gravel or other valuable mineral deposits; that no portion of said land is claimed under the local customs or rules of miners or otherwise; that no portion of said land is worked for minerals during any part of the year by any person or persons; that said land is essentially non-mineral land, and that there is within the boundaries of said claim improvements, to-wit:

One Well 20 feet deep

and that he has no interest whatever in said described mill-site claim.

Henry B. Clay
Albert Beck

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 26th day of

July A. D. 1879; and I hereby certify that the foregoing affidavit was read to the said Henry B. Clay and Albert Beck previous to their names being subscribed thereto, and that deponents are reputable persons to whose affidavits full faith and credit should be given.

Witness:

J. H. Strickinger

W. P. Ruffum

Territory of Arizona }
 County of Pima } S. S.

Me. P. Puffum being first duly sworn deposes and says that he was present during and at the completion of the Survey of the American Mining Claim and Mill Site, that there was at the time no Officer duly authorized to administer oaths within a number of miles of said claims; that it would have been a great hardship to secure the services of such an Officer; that the various assistants whose names are annexed to the oaths herewith sworn and subscribed to said Oaths before him in the presence of Julius H. Steindinger; that the same was done in good faith and further that he has no interest in said claim or in any of the adjoining claims or in the survey thereof.

Me. P. Puffum
 Sworn and subscribed to before me
 this 16th day of August A. D. 1879. 17
 W. H. Harwood Public Notary

Mill Site

I the undersigned do hereby claim according to the mining laws of the United States passed May 10th 1842. Five (5) acres of land and all the water rights thereon, for the purpose of a Mill Site, described as follows, Extending ten (10) chains up and down and five chains across the gulch wherein this notice is posted, situated in the Harshaw Mining District Pima Co AZ between the two mines known as the Blue Nose and American Mines and four (4) corners of said claim being marked by monuments of stone.

Dated Jan'y 4th 1849.

C. A. Corbin

Filed and recorded at request of Mrs. S. Edwards
Feb'y 10th 1849 at 11.45 a.m.

J. St. Carpenter County Recorder

By M. A. McDermott Deputy County Recorder

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Secretary of Arizona
County of Pima S.S.

J. S. St. Carpenter
County Recorder in and for said Pima
County do hereby certify that the above
and foregoing is a full true and correct
transcript of the record of the Notice

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of Location of Mill Site as appears of
record now in my office.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and affixed my official
seal this Third day of July AD
one thousand eight hundred and
Twenty nine.

J M Carpenter County Recorder
By M M Dumont Deputy

U. S. Surveyor General's Office,
Tucson, Arizona, Sept. 20, 1879.

The foregoing field notes of the
survey of the American mining
and mill-site claims, situated
in Heaushaw Mining district,
Pima County, Arizona, claimed
by the Silver Cloud Mining Com-
pany; survey executed by J. H.
Strickinger, U. S., under instructions
from this office, having been crit-
ically examined and the nec-
essary corrections & alterations
made, the said field-notes and
the survey they describe are
hereby approved.

John W. Mason,
Surveyor General.