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Mineral Survey No. 869

Lot No. 45

Prescott

Land District.

### FIELD NOTES

OF THE SURVEY OF THE MINING CLAIM OF

United Verde Copper Company,

KNOWN AS THE

Venture No 1 North Mining Claim

Verde

Mining District,

Yavapai

County,

Arizona

Section \_\_\_\_\_, Township 16N, Range 2E

Surveyed under instructions dated Sept. 26<sup>th</sup>, 1888,

by

C. B. Foster

U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor.

Claim located February 17<sup>th</sup>, 1876

Survey commenced October 16<sup>th</sup>, 1888.

Survey completed October 16<sup>th</sup>, 1888

# PRELIMINARY OATHS,

FOR SURVEYS OF MINING CLAIMS AND MILL-SITES.

We, E. H. Peters and Tom Hill

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 lengths of all lines that we assist in measuring, to the best of our skill and ability.

*CF*

E. H. Peters  
Tom Hill

SWORN to and subscribed before me, this 13<sup>th</sup> day  
of October 1888

C. B. Foster  
Notary Public

I, John H. Boyd

do solemnly swear that I will well and truly perform the duties of

Assessor according to instructions given me,

to the best of my skill and ability.

John H. Boyd

*CF*

SWORN to and subscribed before me, this 13<sup>th</sup> day

of October 1888

C. B. Foster  
Notary Public

## Field Notes

of the Survey of the  
Venture No. North Mining Claim  
in Verde Mining District

Yavapai County Arizona

Claimed by the United Verde  
Copper Company

Surveyed by C. B. Foster, U.S. Dep  
Mineral Surveyor under instructions  
from the Surveyor General of  
date September 26, 1888.

Survey Commenced Oct 16, 1888  
" Completed " 16, 1888

Feet

Description of Survey  
Beginning at the Initial Mon.  
Mentioned in location notice and  
marking the S. end center of claim  
where I mark I.M.V.N. No. 1. on  
N. face of quartzite Crapping 2  
8 ft. high by 6 ft. wide and extending  
S.E. 50 ft long, and build mound  
of stone on flat surface of  
Crappings just above mark.  
An oak 6 ins dia hrs N. 75° W. 27 ft.  
blazed and marked I.M.V.N. No. 1. B.S.

U.S. Min. Mon. No. 1. hrs N. 37° W. 5460 ft

Thence S. 38° W.

to Va 140 15 East

To loc. mon. where I mark V.N. No. 2.  
on quartzite rock projecting above  
surface 6 ins high by 2 ft square  
and on east side build mound  
of stones.

Feet A Black Jack Oak 8 in. dia. bro. Souet 18 feet.  
Tree blazed and marked V.N.N<sup>o</sup>2. B.T.  
Thence N 52° W

Va 14° 15' East

480 to Old trail bears E & W  
1327 to Juniper tree 6 in. dia. which  
I blaze and mark V.N.N<sup>o</sup>3. and  
surrounded same with mound  
of stones.

A Pinon 8 in. dia. bro. S. 15° E. 43 ft  
Tree blazed and marked V.N.N<sup>o</sup>3 B.T.  
Original loc. mon. bro S 60° W 5 ft.

Thence N 38° E

Va 14° 15' East

75 Trail to Smelter bro. E. and W.  
300 to loc. mon. for N. end Center of  
Clarin. where I mark V.N.N<sup>o</sup>4. on  
A face of a granite rock in place  
projecting above surface 3 ft  
high by 3 x 2 ft square and  
surrounded same with mound of stones.

A Juniper 10 in. dia. bro. S 68° W. 58 ft.

" " " " " S 40° E 73 "

both trees blazed and marked V.N.N<sup>o</sup>4. B.T.

Thence N 38° E (Same course)

Va 14° 15' East

300 to point where I mark on E face  
of granite rock in place V.N.N<sup>o</sup>5.  
Said rock projects above surface  
4 ft high by 3 x 3 ft square.

A Juniper 10 in. dia. bro S 80° W 15 ft  
Tree blazed and marked V.N.N<sup>o</sup>5. B.T.

No loc. mon. found.

Thence S 52° E

Va 14° 15' E

1327 to loc. mon. where I mark V.N.N<sup>o</sup>6.  
on a slate rock in place projecting  
above surface 2 ft high by 2 x 1 ft square  
and surrounded same with mound of stones.

Thence S 38° W

Va 14° 15' E

75 Old trail bro E N E and W S W  
115 Trail bro N W and S W.

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Cut  
300 to Mon and rock marked I.M.V.N. No. 1.  
Place of beginning.

Area  
Total and Net Area of claim 18<sup>28</sup> Acres

Location  
This claim is located on the  
eastern slope of the Black Hills  
between Mesal Creek and  
Deception Creek in Verde  
Mining District Yavapai  
County Arizona and is  
on unsurveyed lands

Improvements  
Made upon this claim by  
Claimant or grantors consist  
of a Cut 8'x8' by 6 ft deep, bns N 44°  
W, 100 ft. from Mon & M.V.N. No. 1.  
A Shaft 85 ft deep by 6'x4' with drifts  
and slopes bns N 53° W 320 ft from  
Mon I.M.V.N. No. 1.

A Shaft 18 ft deep by 8'x6' bns N 53° W  
370 ft from Mon I.M.V.N. No. 1.

A Cross cut 20 ft long by 5 ft deep  
by 3 ft wide bns N 53° W 420 ft  
from Mon I.M.V.N. No. 1.

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 Leisby Transit  
and 50 ft steel chain

Var and Courses determined  
by observation of Polaris  
October 16 1888.

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

FINAL OATHS FOR SURVEYS OF MINING CLAIMS AND MILL SITES.

A LIST of 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 Venture No 1 North Mining Claim located in Verde Mining District Yavapai County, Arizona, showing the respective capacities in which they acted.

C. H. Peters Chainman
Tom Hill Chainman
John H. Boyd Axeman
Flagman.

WE hereby certify that we assisted C. B. Foster U. S. Deputy Surveyor, in surveying the Venture No 1 North Mining Claim claimed by United Verde Copper Company located in Verde Mining District Yavapai County, 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.

C. H. Peters Chainman
Tom Hill Chainman
John H. Boyd Axeman
Flagman.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me this 17th day of October 1888

C. B. Foster
Notary Public

I, C. B. Foster U. S. Deputy Surveyor, do solemnly swear that, in pursuance of instructions from the U. S. Surveyor-General for Arizona, bearing date the 26 day of September 1888, 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 Venture No 1 North Mining Claim claimed by United Verde Copper Company located in Verde Mining District, Yavapai County, 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,

C. B. Foster Deputy Surveyor.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me this 31st day of December 1888

John H. Hawkins
Notary Public



AFFIDAVIT OF FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS IMPROVEMENTS.

WE, John H Boyd and Wm Cumpston  
of lawful age, being first duly sworn according to law, depose and say that we are acquainted with  
the Venture No 1 North  
mining claim, situated in  
Verde Mining District, Yavapai County, Arizona  
Territory, for which United Verde and Copper 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 grantor exceed Five Hundred Dollars in value, and further that  
we are not personally interested in said mine.

John H Boyd  
Wm Cumpston

TERRITORY OF ARIZONA. }  
County of Yavapai } ss.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 18<sup>th</sup> day  
of October, 1888.

C. P. Foster  
(8426-100.)

C. P. Foster  
Notary Public



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Notice of Location of the  
"Venture No 1, North", Ledge or claim con-  
taining fifteen hundred feet and loca-  
-ted as a mine containing precious Metals.

The undersigned claim for mining pur-  
-poses fifteen hundred feet of this quartz  
ledge in length along this ledge or vein  
and three hundred feet on each side  
of the center of the vein at the surface  
together with all dips spurs angles and  
variations, and all valuable mineral de-  
-posits contained therein, and all timber  
growing within the limits of said  
claim, and all water and water privi-  
-leges thereon or appertaining thereto  
under and according to the provisions of  
of an Act of Congress approved May 10 1872  
entitled "An Act to promote the development  
of the Mining Resources of the United  
States."

This claim commences at a mound  
or monument constructed on the ledge near  
an old Oak Stump about twenty yards  
south of Prescott trail and about four  
miles west of the Verde River at a  
point opposite "Peck's Lake" running fif-  
-teen <sup>hundred</sup> feet northerly along the vein to a  
stake marked "No 3" built on a mound

Territory of Arizona. }  
County of Yavapai. } ss.

I, *E. J. F. Horne*..... County Recorder, in and

for the County of Yavapai, in the 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 Location Notice of  
The "Venture No. 1 North" Mining Claim  
as appears of record in Book "D. 4" of  
Mining Records on pages 258-9 - now in  
my office*

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Given under my hand and seal of office this *21<sup>st</sup>*.....  
day of *September*..... A. D. 188*8*..

*E. J. F. Horne*.....  
County Recorder.

of rock. Our Lateral boundaries of said claim are as follows, Commencing at Notice running westerly 300 feet to a monument, thence Northerly 750 feet to a monument, (300 feet from center of Ledge) thence Northerly 750 feet to a monument (300 feet from center of ledge) thence Easterly to a stake marked "No 3" thence Easterly to a monument three hundred feet, thence Southerly 750 feet to a monument (300 feet from center of ledge) thence Southerly 750 feet to a monument, thence westerly 300 feet to the place of beginning.

Situated in Verde District Yavapai County Arizona, and shall be known as the "Ventura No 17 Ledge".

Dated on the ground this seventeenth day of Feby 1876.

John O'Dougherty  
John P. Kelly  
Isiah Riley

Filed for record at the request of John O'Dougherty May 5<sup>th</sup> A.D. 1876 at 12 1/3 O'clock P.M. and duly recorded in Book "D. H." of Minors, Records of Yavapai County Arizona at folios 258 and 259.

William Wilkerson  
County Recorder



Plat  
 of the survey of the  
 Venture No. 1 North Mining Claim  
 in Verde Mining District  
 Yavapai Co. Arizona  
 United Verde Copper Co Claimant  
 Surveyed by C.B. Foster U.S.D.S.  
 Oct 16 1888  
 Contains 18.28 Acres  
 Var 14° 15' E    Scale 200 ft to 1 in

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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 A.T.*

*January 30<sup>th</sup>*, 1889.

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

do hereby certify that the foregoing and hereto attached Field Notes and Return of the Survey of the Mining Claim of *United Verde Copper Company* -

known as the

*Venture No. 1, north Mining claim*,  
situate in *Verde* mining district,

*Yavapai* County, *Arizona*,

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

designated as Survey No. *869*,

executed by *C. B. Foster*, U. S. Deputy Mineral

Surveyor, *October 16<sup>th</sup>*, 1888, under my instructions dated

*September 26<sup>th</sup>*, 1888, 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.

*John Wise*

U. S. Surveyor General for *Arizona*

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