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U. S. Surveyor General,  
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Sir:

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As to my error in course, I turned my variation in the opposite direction and as a result made an error of twice the correct variation.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed). Frank Nicholson.



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Respectfully submitted,

(Signed). J. C. Dobbins,

U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor.

*Received of J. C. Dobbins  
the sum of \$100.00  
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See resurvey No 1376 - Portmanteau.

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Mineral Survey No. 1131

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

Gila Land District.

### FIELD NOTES

OF THE SURVEY OF THE MINING CLAIM OF

James C. Moore,  
Phoenix, Arizona.

KNOWN AS THE

Portmanteau  
Cave Creek Mining District,  
Maricopa County, Arizona.

Section \_\_\_\_\_, Township \_\_\_\_\_, Range unsurveyed.

Surveyed under instructions dated Feb 2, 1894,  
by Frank Nicholson.  
U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor.

Claim located Jan 1, 1883 & Amended Jan 30, 1894.

Survey commenced February 9th, 1894.

Survey completed February 12th, 1894.

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claimants address,

James C. Moore,

Phoenix, Arizona.



# PRELIMINARY OATHS OF ASSISTANTS IN SURVEY OF MINING CLAIM.

WE, *Frank Obermüller* and *Edmond Dugas*, 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 *James C. Moore, Phoenix, Arizona*, known as the *Portmanteau* situate in *Cave Creek* mining district, *Maricopa* County, *Arizona*, in Section \_\_\_\_\_, Township No. \_\_\_\_\_, Range No. \_\_\_\_\_.

*Frank Obermüller*, Chainman.

*Edmond Dugas*, Chainman.

Subscribed and sworn to by the above-named persons before me this *9th* day of *February*, 18*94*

*J. Bennett*  
Notary Public

I, *D. J. Edwards*, 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 *James C. Moore, Phoenix, Arizona* known as the *Portmanteau*, more fully described in the preceding affidavit.

*D. J. Edwards*, Axeman.

Subscribed and sworn to by the said *D. J. Edwards* before me this *9th* day of *February*, 18*94*

*J. Bennett*  
Notary Public

I, *Louis Dugas*, 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 *James C. Moore, Phoenix, Arizona* known as the *Portmanteau*, more fully described in the preceding affidavit.

*Louis Dugas*, Flagman.

Subscribed and sworn to by the said *Louis Dugas* before me this *9th* day of *February*, 18*94*

*J. Bennett*  
Notary Public



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Phoenix, Ariz., Dec. 12, 1898.

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Tucson, Arizona.

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(Signed). Frank Nicholson,



Feet

Survey No. 1131.

Portmanteau Lode.

Beginning at initial monument, mentioned in location notice, where I set a redwood post, 4 inches square and 4 1/2 feet long, 1 1/2 feet in ground and surrounded same with a mound of stones 2 1/2 feet high and 5 feet in diameter at the base, marked post 1131.

Thence S. 25° 51' W.

Variation 12° 39' E.

35 To gulch, course N. and S.  
300 To location monument where I set a redwood post, 4 inches square and 4 1/2 feet long 1 1/2 feet in ground and surrounded same with a mound of stones 2 1/2 feet high and 5 feet in diameter at the base. marked post 1131.

Thence N. 64° 9' W.

Variation 12° 39' E.

1054 To gulch, course N.E. and S.W.  
1500 To location monument where I set a redwood post, 4 inches square and 4 1/2 feet long, 1 1/2 feet in ground and surrounded same with a mound of stones 2 1/2 feet high and 5 feet in diameter at the base.

marked post 1131.

mouth of tunnel bears N. 88° 51' E. 588 feet.

Thence N. 25° 51' E.

Variation 12° 39' E.

50 To gulch, course, N.W. and S.E.  
300 To location monument marking the N.W. end center of



claim, where I set a redwood post, 4 inches square and  $4\frac{1}{2}$  feet long,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  feet in ground and surrounded same with a mound of stones  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet high and 5 feet in diameter at the base.

Marked post  $\frac{4}{1131}$ .

Miller's Cabin bears S.  $46^{\circ} 9' E$ . 344 feet.

Thence N.  $25^{\circ} 51' E$ .

Variation  $12^{\circ} 39' E$ .

258 To gulch, course N. W. and S. E.

300 To location monument where I set a redwood post, 4 inches square and  $4\frac{1}{2}$  feet long,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  feet in ground and surrounded same with a mound of stones  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet high and 5 feet in diameter at the base.

Marked post  $\frac{5}{1131}$ .

Thence S.  $64^{\circ} 9' E$ .

Variation  $12^{\circ} 39' E$ .

35 To gulch, course N. W. and S. E.

352 To gulch, course N. E. and S. W.

1500 To location monument, where I set a redwood post, 4 inches square and  $4\frac{1}{2}$  feet long  $1\frac{1}{2}$  feet in ground and surrounded same with a mound of stones,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet high and 5 feet in diameter at the base.

Marked post  $\frac{6}{1131}$ .

U.S. Location monument, established by me in connection with this survey, bears S.  $71^{\circ} 39' E$ . 97 feet.

Thence S.  $25^{\circ} 51' W$ .

Variation  $12^{\circ} 39' E$ .

300 To place of beginning.



Area.

Total area of Portmanteau Lode 20.66 acres  
 area in conflict none  
 net area of Portmanteau Lode 20.66 acres

Location.

This claim is located on  
 unsurveyed land, in cane creek  
 mining Dist, Maricopa Co., Arizona

Expenditure of five hundred dollars.

I certify that the value of  
 the labor and improvements up-  
 on this claim, placed thereon by  
 the claimant and his grantor  
 is not less than five hundred  
 dollars, and the said improve-  
 ments consist of

Tunnel in solid granite 322  
 feet long and  $4\frac{1}{2}$  feet  $\times$   $6\frac{1}{2}$  feet  
 in section, the mouth of which  
 bears from monument No. 3,  
 $N. 88^{\circ} 51' E. 588$  ft.

Value \$3,220.00

A miner's cabin, bears from  
 monument No. 4,  $S. 46^{\circ} 9' E. 344$   
 feet.

Value \$30.00

A shaft 5 feet deep in gravel  
 and rock, which bears from  
 initial monument  $N. 75^{\circ} 39' W. 94$  feet.

Value \$25.00

A shaft 50 feet deep in rock.  
 Size of shaft  $4\frac{1}{2}$  feet  $\times$  7 feet  
 which bears from initial mon-  
 ument,  $N. 57^{\circ} 39' W. 206$  feet.

Value \$250.00

A shaft 5 feet  $\times$  7 feet and  
 10 feet deep in rock, which  
 bears from initial monument  
 $N. 57^{\circ} 39' W. 244$  feet.

Value \$50.00

A shaft 5 feet  $\times$  7 feet and



12 feet deep in rock, which bears from Initial monument  $\text{ct. } 57^{\circ} 39' \text{ W. } 268 \text{ feet.}$

Value \$ 60.00

An open cut 12 feet x 6 feet and 4 feet deep which bears from Initial monument  $\text{ct. } 57^{\circ} 39' \text{ W. } 456 \text{ feet.}$

Value \$ 15.00

### Instrument.

The survey was made with a Blatner and Adam improved mountain transit. The variation was determined by observation of the North star.

The distances were measured with a 50-foot steel tape.

### U. S. Location Monument.

The Portmanteau claim being located upon unsurveyed land and there being no corners of the public survey and no monuments within the limit of two miles, I selected a point of solid granite on Gold Hill for a U. S. Location monument, where I set a red wood post 8 feet long and six inches square, 3 feet in hole blasted out of solid rock and surround same with a mound of stones 4 feet high to protect same.

Marked post U. S. L. M., 1131.

Continental Peak bears  $\text{S. } 47^{\circ} 21' \text{ W. } 2 \text{ miles.}$

Camp Creek Pass bears  $\text{N. } 89^{\circ} 51' \text{ E. } \frac{3}{4} \text{ mile.}$

Common Girl Peak bears  $\text{S. } 17^{\circ} 51' \text{ W. } 8 \text{ miles.}$

Sugar Loaf Peak bears  $\text{ct. } 78^{\circ} 21' \text{ W. } 6 \text{ miles.}$

Frank Nicholson,  
Phoenix, Ariz., Feb 19, 1894. U. S. Deputy Clin. Surveyor.



# FINAL OATHS FOR SURVEYS.

## LIST OF NAMES.

A list of the names of the individuals employed by Frank Nicholson  
 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 James C. Moore, Phoenix, Arizona  
 known as the Portmanteau  
 and showing the respective capacities in which they acted.

Frank Obermüller, Chainman.  
Edmarcel Dugas, Chainman.  
D. J. Edwards, Axman.  
Louis Dugas, Flagman.

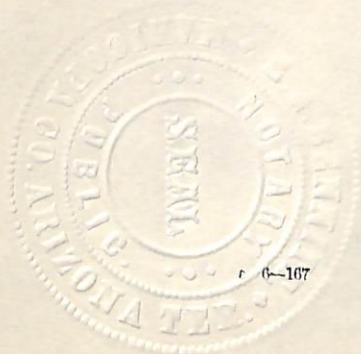
## FINAL OATHS OF ASSISTANTS.

We, Frank Obermüller, Edmarcel Dugas, D. J. Edwards  
 and Louis Dugas, do solemnly swear that we assisted Frank  
Nicholson, United States Deputy Mineral Surveyor, in marking the corners and  
 surveying the boundaries of the mining claim of James C. Moore  
Phoenix, Arizona  
 known as the Portmanteau  
 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.

Frank Obermüller, Chainman.  
Edmarcel Dugas, Chainman.  
D. J. Edwards, Axman.  
Louis Dugas, Flagman.

Subscribed and sworn to by the above-named persons before me  
 this 17 day of February, 1894.

J. Bennett  
 Notary Public





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## FINAL OATH OF U. S. DEPUTY MINERAL SURVEYOR.

I, Frank Nicholson, U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor, do solemnly swear that, in pursuance of instructions received from the United States Surveyor General for Arizona, dated February, 2nd, 1894, 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 James C. Moore, Phoenix, Arizona, known as the Portmanteau, situate in Cave Creek Mining District, Maricopa County, Arizona, in Section \_\_\_\_\_, Township No. \_\_\_\_\_, Range No. \_\_\_\_\_, and designated as Survey No. 1131, 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.

Frank Nicholson  
U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor.

Subscribed and sworn to by the said Frank Nicholson  
U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor, before me E. J. Bennett  
this 12th  
day of February, 1894.

E. J. Bennett  
Notary Public



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# Affidavit of Five Hundred Dollars Improvements.

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We J. Marcel Dugas and D. J. Edwards  
of lawful age, being first duly sworn according to law, depose and say: that we are acquainted  
with the Portmanteau mining claim, situated in  
Cave Creek Mining district, Maricopa County,  
Arizona Territory, for which James C. Moore  
Phoenix, Arizona  
has S. 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 grantor exceed Five Hundred Dollars in value, and further  
that we are not personally interested in said mine.

J. Marcel Dugas  
D. J. Edwards

TERRITORY OF ARIZONA,  
County of Maricopa } ss.

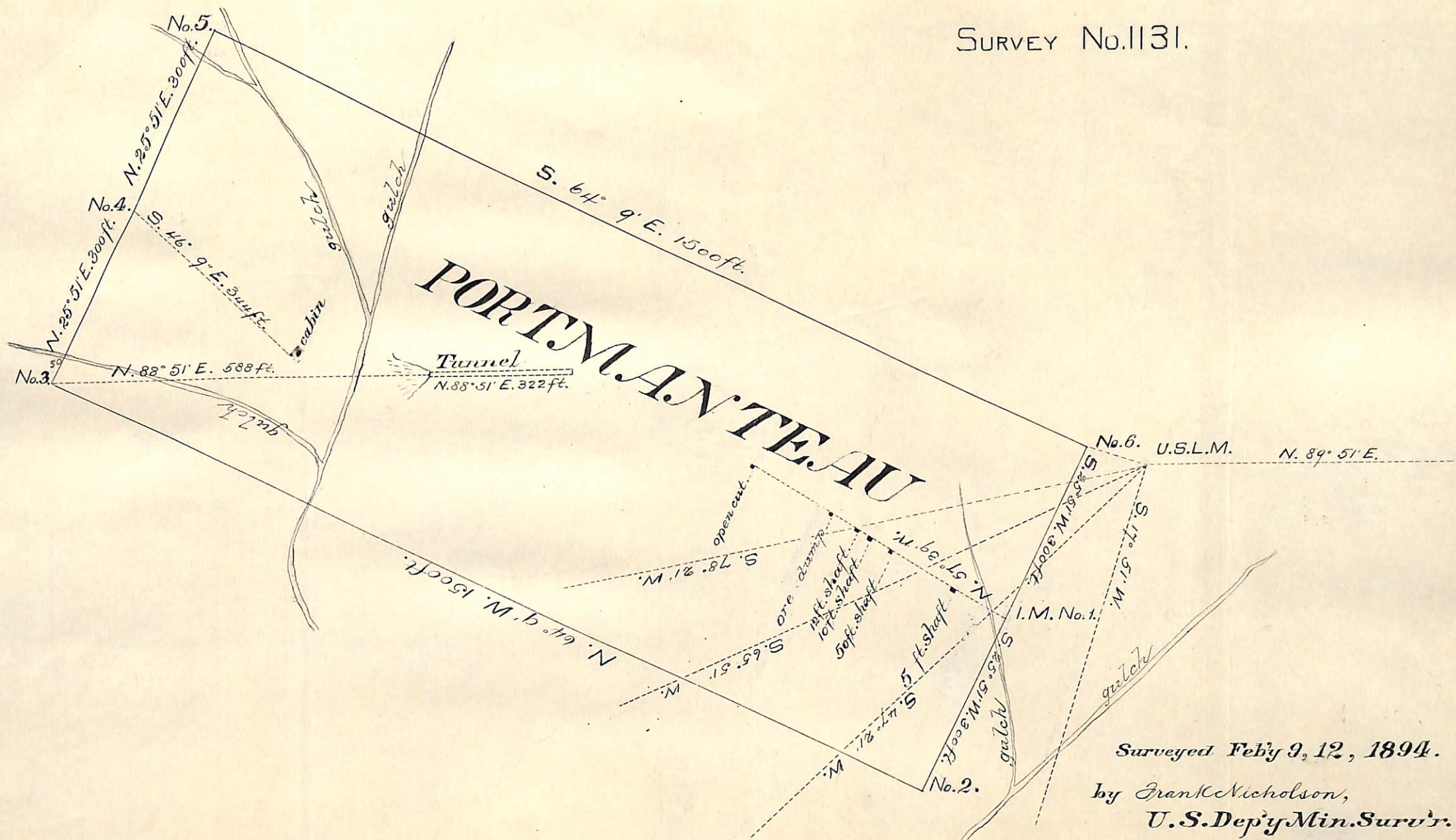
SWORN to and subscribed before me, this

12th day of February 1894

J. Bennett  
Notary Public







Surveyed Feb'y 9, 12, 1894.  
 by Frank Nicholson,  
 U.S. Dep'y Min. Surv'r.



Portwanteau

### Notice of Location.

The undersigned do hereby relocate and claim 1500 feet on this mineral bearing lode containing gold and silver known and registered heretofore as the California Mine, commencing at this monument of stone and running 1500 feet, in a North Westerly direction with the uniform width of 100 feet. This claim is situated on the West side of Gold Hill in Cave Creek ~~Mining~~ District, Maricopa County, Arizona Territory and shall be known hereafter as the Portwanteau Mine.

Dated on the ground the first day of January 1883.

Witnesses: J. M. Rowe  
 J. Marcel Dugas, S. J. Edwards,  
 J. B. Garrison Locators.

Filed for Record at request of J. A. Shaw, Jan 2 - A. D. 1883, at 9:20 o'clock A. M.  
 R. F. Kirkland Co. Recorder.  
 By E. B. Kirkland, Deputy.

TERRITORY OF ARIZONA, } ss  
 County of Maricopa

I, Neri Osborn, County Recorder in and for the County and Territory aforesaid, hereby cert. that I have compared the foregoing copy with the original Location Notice as filed and recorded in my office on the 2nd day of Jan'y 1883, in Book No. 3 of Mining Claims at Page 94 and that the same is a full true and correct copy of such original and of the whole thereof.

Witness my hand and seal of office this 31st day of Jan'y 1894.  
 Neri Osborn

By Wm E. Thomas, Deputy, County Recorder.

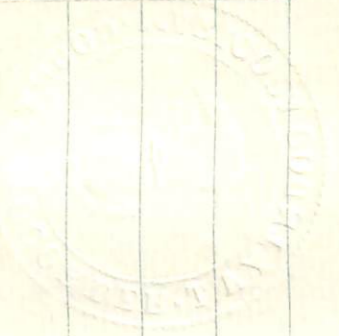


Certified Copy.  
of  
Location Notice of

Portneuveau Mine.

Jan'y 2. 1883.

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## Location Notice.

The undersigned, under the provisions of the several acts of Congress, relating to the development of the Mineral Resources of the United States, hereby locates and claims 1500 feet in length on this lode, vein or deposit of Mineral bearing quartz or other rock in place, with 300 feet in width on each side of the middle of said lode, vein or deposit, for Mining purposes.

This claim is situated in Cave Creek Mining District, in the County of Maricopa and Territory of Arizona, and shall be known as the Portuanteau Mine, the location and boundaries of which are more particularly described as follows, to wit: Beginning at this Monument of stones, erected at the center of the South East end of claim, and upon which this notice is posted, and running 300 feet in a South West direction to a Monument of stones, thence 1500 feet in a North West direction to a Monument of stones, thence 300 feet in a North East direction to a monument of stones, being the center of the North West end of claim, thence 300 feet in a North East direction to a Monument of stones, thence 1500 feet in a South East direction to a Monument of stones, thence 300 feet in a South West direction to the place of beginning. This claim lies on the Western slope of Gold Hill, a well known peak about 40 miles North of Phoenix and 6 miles East of the Phoenix Mine from the Mexican Mine it bears East  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles. This amended



1 location is made and filed for the purpose  
 2 of correcting and making more specific  
 3 the boundaries and description of said lode  
 4 as originally located. For the original record  
 5 of this claim see Book 3, of Mining Claims  
 6 p 94. Dated on the ground This 30<sup>th</sup>  
 7 day of January 1894.  
 8 Witness *James C. Moore.*

9 Filed and recorded at request of Frank  
 10 Nicholson Jan 31, 1894, at 10 am.  
 11 *Neil Osborn*  
 12 County Recorder.

14 TERRITORY OF ARIZONA, } ss  
 15 County of Maricopa

16 I, *Neil Osborn*, County Recorder in and for the County and  
 17 Territory aforesaid, hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing  
 18 copy with the original Location Notice as  
 19 filed and recorded in my office on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of Janu.  
 20 1894 in Book No. 6 of Mining Claims,  
 21 at Page 351-352, and that the same is a full true and correct  
 22 copy of such original and of the whole thereof.

23 Witness my hand and seal of office  
 24 this 31<sup>st</sup> day of Janu. 1894.  
 25 *Neil Osborn*  
 26 County Recorder.  
 27 By *Wm E. Thomas*, Deputy.



Certified Copy.

Amended Location

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of.  
Porter's Mine  
January 30, 1894.

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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*  
*May 8<sup>th</sup>*, 1894

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 *James C. Moore*,  
*Phoenix, Arizona*

\_\_\_\_\_ known as the  
*"Portmanteau"*

situate in *Cave Creek* mining district,  
*Maricopa* County, *Arizona*

in Section \_\_\_\_\_, Township No. \_\_\_\_\_, Range No. *unsurveyed*  
\_\_\_\_\_, designated as Survey No. *1131*

executed by *Frank Nicholson*, U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor,  
*February 9-12*, 1894, under my instructions dated  
*February 2*, 1894, 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.

*Levi H. Manning*  
U. S. Surveyor General for *Arizona*

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