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## Mineral Survey No. 1180

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

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Land District.

## FIELD NOTES

OF THE SURVEY OF THE MINING CLAIM OF

*The Minifred Gold Mining Company*

KNOWN AS THE

*Contention  
Minifred  
Maricopa County, Arizona*Section \_\_\_\_\_, Township *4N*, Range *3E*Surveyed under instructions dated *May 25*, 1895by *Frank Nicholson*  
U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor.Claim located *Jan'y 1, 1885, Relocated March 17, 1886 and March 30-1895*Survey commenced *May 29*, 1895.Survey completed *May 29*, 1895.

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Claimants address,

*The Minifred Gold mining co,**Jno. A. Britton, Secy,**Phoenix, Arizona*

PRELIMINARY OATHS OF ASSISTANTS IN  
SURVEY OF MINING CLAIM.

We, A. J. Hoskin and Allen Hoskin, 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 The Winifred Gold mining Company, known as the Contention, situate in Winifred mining district, Mariacopa County, Arizona, in Section \_\_\_\_\_, Township No. \_\_\_\_\_, Range No. \_\_\_\_\_.

A. J. Hoskin, Chainman.

Allen Hoskin, Chainman.

Subscribed and sworn to by the above-named persons before me this 29 day of May, 1895.

H. C. Hughton  
Notary Public.

I, A. J. Hoskin, 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 The Winifred Gold mining Company, known as the Contention, more fully described in the preceding affidavit.

A. J. Hoskin, Axeman.

Subscribed and sworn to by the said A. J. Hoskin before me this 29 day of May, 1895.

H. C. Hughton  
Notary Public.

I, Allen Hoskin, 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 The Winifred Gold mining Company, known as the Contention, more fully described in the preceding affidavit.

Allen Hoskin, Flagman.

Subscribed and sworn to by the said Allen Hoskin before me this 29 day of May, 1895.

H. C. Hughton  
Notary Public.



Feet

Survey No. 1180Contention Lodes.

Beginning at cor. no. 1, S. cl., identical with initial monument of amended certificate of location.

A redwood post  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ft. long, 4 inches square, set  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. in the ground, surrounded with a mound of stones and marked  $\frac{1}{180}$ .

Thence S.  $81^{\circ} 2'$  E.

Var.  $12^{\circ} 43'$  E.

270 To road known as the Cave Creek road. Course N. and S.

300 To cor. no. 2, identical with cor. no. 2 of the re-location.

A redwood post,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ft. long, 4 inches square, set  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. in the ground, surrounded with a mound of stones and marked  $\frac{2}{180}$ .

Thence N.  $8^{\circ} 58' \cancel{E}$

Var.  $12^{\circ} 43'$  E.

910 To road known as the Cave Creek road. Course N.E. and S.W.

1500 To cor. no. 3, identical with cor. no. 3 of the relocation.

A redwood post  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ft. long, 4 inches square, set  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. in the ground, surrounded with a mound of stones and marked  $\frac{3}{180}$ .

Thence N.  $81^{\circ} 2'$  W.

Var.  $12^{\circ} 43'$  E.

300 To cor. no. 4 being the North Center End of Claim and identical with cor. no. 4 of the re-location.

A redwood post,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ft.

Feet long, 4 inches square, set  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. in the ground, surrounded with a mound of stones and marked  $\frac{4}{1180}$ .

U. S. Location monument No. 1161 bears N.  $29^{\circ} 17'$  W. 4450 ft.

Thence N.  $81^{\circ} 2'$  W.

Var.  $12^{\circ} 43'$  E.

300 To cor. no. 5, identical with cor. no. 5 of the re-location.

A redwood post,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ft. long, 4 inches square, set  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. in the ground, surrounded by a mound of stones and marked  $\frac{5}{1180}$ .

Thence S.  $8^{\circ} 58'$  W.

Var.  $12^{\circ} 43'$  E.

1500 To cor. no. 6, identical with cor. no. 6 of the re-location.

A redwood post,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ft. long, 4 inches square, set  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. in the ground, surrounded with a mound of stones and marked  $\frac{6}{1180}$ .

Thence S.  $81^{\circ} 2'$  E.

Var.  $12^{\circ} 43'$  E.

300 To cor. no. 1, I. d. m., place of beginning.

### Area.

Total area of Contention Lode 20.66 acres.

No conflict

Net area of Contention Lode 20.66 acres

### Location

This claim is located in the Winifred mining district, Maricopa County, Arizona, about fifteen miles North of Phoenix and about  $2\frac{1}{2}$  miles East of the Union Mine (survey no. 1139).

Expenditure of Five Hundred Dollars.

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

The discovery shaft 5 x 8 ft. and 160 ft. deep in rock, which bears N.  $8^{\circ} 58'$  E. 550 ft. from cor. no. 1, S. cl.

Value	\$3.200.00
Stone cabin 15 x 30 ft. which bears from cor. no. 1, S. cl., N. $12^{\circ} 28'$ E. 380 ft.	
Value	\$200.00

Instrument.

The survey was made with a Blattner and Adam Improved Mountain Transit. The variation was determined by observation of the Polar Star when on meridian. The distances were measured with a 50-ft. steel tape.

Frank Nicholson,  
U.S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor.  
Phoenix, Ariz.,  
May 31st, 1895.

Establishment of U. S. Location Monument No. 1180.

The contract for the survey of the public land upon which is located the Contention Mine, not having been approved and there being no official monuments within a distance of two miles, I proceeded to establish all.

S. Location Monument on a rocky prominence, where I set a redwood post, 8 ft. long, 6 inches square, 3 ft. in the ground, surrounded with a mound of stones and marked U. S. L. M.  
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Also chiseled U. S. L. M.  
1180 on a large, flat stone in monument.

Mari copa Peak bears S.  $27^{\circ} 53'$  W. 29 miles  
 Mormon Girl Peak bears N.  $26^{\circ} 13'$  E. 12 miles  
 Vulture Peak bears N.  $71^{\circ} 17'$  W. 52 miles  
 Cor. no. 4, Surv. 1180 bears S.  $29^{\circ} 17'$  E. 44.50 ft.  
 Orange Peak bears S.  $6^{\circ} 58'$  E. 4 miles  
 Miners' Needle bears S.  $69^{\circ} 2'$  E. 40 miles.

Frank Nicholson,  
 U. S. Dep. Civ. Surveyor.

Phoenix, Arizona,  
 May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 1895.

# 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 The Winifred Gold Mining Company  
 known as the Contention  
 and showing the respective capacities in which they acted.

A. J. Hoskin, Chainman and Axman  
Allen Hoskin, Chainman and Flagman  
 \_\_\_\_\_, Axman.  
 \_\_\_\_\_, Flagman.

## FINAL OATHS OF ASSISTANTS.

We, A. J. Hoskin  
 and Allen Hoskin, 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 The Winifred  
Gold Mining Company  
 \_\_\_\_\_, known as the  
Contention, 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.

A. J. Hoskin, Chainman and Axman  
Allen Hoskin, Chainman and Flagman  
 \_\_\_\_\_, Axman.  
 \_\_\_\_\_, Flagman.

Subscribed and sworn to by the above-named persons before me

this 231 day of May, 1895.

H. E. Hechtman

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 November 2d 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 Minifred Gold mining Company, known as the Contention, situate in Minifred Mining District, Mariopa County, Arizona, in Section \_\_\_\_\_, Township No. \_\_\_\_\_, Range No. \_\_\_\_\_, and designated as Survey No. 1180, 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 its 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

U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor, before me

Notary Public

day of May

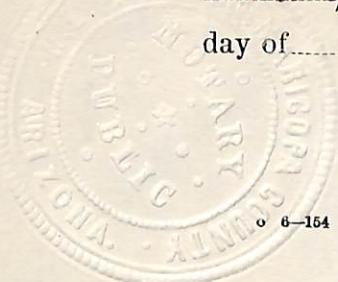
Frank Nicholson

H.C. Wrighton, a

this 31st

H.C. Wrighton

Notary Public



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# Affidavit of Five Hundred Dollars Improvements.

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We Joseph L. Obermueller and Frank Obermueller  
 of lawful age, being first duly sworn according to law, depose and say: that we are acquainted  
 with the Contention mining claim, situated in  
Winifred Mining district, Mari copa County,  
 Arizona Territory, for which The Winifred Gold Mining  
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 theron  
 by the applicant and its grantor exceed Five Hundred Dollars in value, and further  
 that we are not personally interested in said mine.

Joseph L Obermueller  
Frank Obermueller

TERRITORY OF ARIZONA,  
 County of Mari copa } ss.

SWORN to and subscribed before me, this

31 day of May 1895

H C Knutson  
 Notary Public.



Notice of Location of the Conciliation Mining  
Claim on the Conciliation Quarry Ledge containing  
gold, and located as a gold and silver quarry mine.  
The undersigned claim for mining purposes fifteen  
hundred (1500) feet of this quarry ledge, in length along  
the ledge or vein, and three hundred (300) feet on each  
side of the middle of the vein at the surface, together  
with all dips, spurs and angles, and all valuable min-  
eral deposits contained therein, and all timber growing  
within the limits of said claim, and all water <sup>and</sup> water  
privileges thereon or appurtenant thereto, under and  
according to the provisions of An Act of Congress ap-  
proved May 10 1872, entitled, "An Act to promote the  
development of the mining resources of the United States"  
and all acts amendatory thereto, and the laws of the Territory  
of Arizona. This claim commences at this notice which is  
posted in a monument of stone in a conspicuous place  
on the ledge at the South East end center boundary of  
the claim, and running thence three hundred (300) feet  
in a westerly direction to a monument of stone and a  
stake marked South West corner, thence fifteen hundred  
(1500) feet in a North Westerly direction to a monument  
of stone and a stake marked north west corner: thence  
three hundred (300) feet in a Easterly direction to a mon-  
ument of stone and a stake marked North end center  
monument North west boundary: thence three hundred  
(300) feet in a Easterly direction to a monument of stone  
and a stake marked North East corner: thence fifteen  
hundred (1500) feet in a South Easterly direction to a  
monument of stone and a stake marked South East  
corner: thence three hundred (300) feet in a westerly  
direction to the place of beginning. This claim may

be more generally described as situated in Maynard  
 Mining Dist. and west side ofLeave Creek Wagon  
 road, the road crossing the South East corner of claim  
 at about 14 miles North of Phoenix and about 2 miles  
 South East of Union Mine, and shall be known as the  
 Concession Mining Claim and the same dated on the ground  
 this 1<sup>st</sup> day of January AD 1885

Joseph Doyle }                                  Signed Geo Hamlin  
 John Quinlan }  
 Witnesses

Filed for record at the request of Geo. Hamlin Jan'y  
 2<sup>nd</sup> AD 1885 at the hour of 10 o'clock am

W. A. Morris County Recorder

TERRITORY OF ARIZONA,  
 County of Maricopa }  
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I, N. E. Osborn, County Recorder in and for the County and  
 Territory aforesaid, hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing  
 copy with the original Notice of Location  
 filed and recorded in my office on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of January  
 1885 in Book No. 3 of Mining Claims  
 at Pages 141-15 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 26<sup>th</sup> day of Oct 1894 Neri Osborn

County Recorder.

By H. C. Meador Deputy

1 Notice of Re-Location of the Contention Mining  
 2 Claim, on the Contention quartz ledge, containing  
 3 Gold and Silver, and locate the same a gold & silver quartz  
 4 mine. The undersigned claims for mining purposes  
 5 fifteen hundred ~~4000~~ feet of this quartz ledge in length  
 6 along the ledge or vein, and three hundred ~~300~~ feet  
 7 on each side of the middle of the vein at the surface,  
 8 together with all the dips, spurs and angles and  
 9 all valuable mineral deposits contained therein,  
 10 and all timber growing within the limits of said claim,  
 11 and all water and water privileges theron or appurtenant  
 12 thereto, under and according to the provisions of an act  
 13 of Congress, Approved May 10, 1872 entitled, "An Act  
 14 to promote the development of the Mining resources of  
 15 the United States," and all acts amendatory thereto,  
 16 and the laws of the Territory of Arizona.

This claim commences at this notice, which is posted  
 in a monument of stone in a conspicuous place on  
 the ledge at the initial monument on the South  
 end of the claim, running fifty seven ~~500~~ feet in  
 an Easterly direction to a stake marked E. Corner  
 Contention Mining Claim; thence running fifteen  
 hundred ~~1000~~ feet in a Northerly direction to a  
 stake marked N.E. Corner; thence three hundred ~~300~~  
 feet in a N.Westerly direction to a stake marked North  
 center and monument of the Contention mining Claim;  
 thence three hundred ~~300~~ feet in a North Wasterly direction  
 to a stake marked N.W. corner of Contention mining Claim;  
 thence fifteen hundred ~~1000~~ feet in a Southerly direction  
 to a stake marked S.W. corner Contention mining Claim;  
 thence three hundred ~~300~~ feet in a Southerly direction  
 to a stake marked South Center and Contention Mining

Certified copy of  
Containion Mine

1 Claim, three two hundred and forty three (343) feet  
 2 to place of beginning, Situated in Maricopa Mining  
 3 District, Maricopa County, Arizona Territory, and shall  
 4 be known as the Contentions Mining claim and recorded  
 5 as such. Dated on the ground this 17 day of March  
 6 A.D. 1886.

7 Witness:

8 W.L. Hastings

9 A. Goodfellow

10 J.P. Harvey, Witness

3 Signed G. Hamlin

3 K.S. Thomas

11 The above re-location is made after finding or  
 12 discovering a ledge or vein of good bearing quartz  
 13 in place in the 300 or fifty feet shaft, and finding the  
 14 course of ledge running in a different direction, and  
 15 the original certificate was rendered defective and  
 16 erroneous by finding the course of the vein as developed  
 17 made different to that described in the original location  
 18 notice which is recorded in Book 3 of Mining Claims  
 19 pages 514, 515 Records of Maricopa County, Arizona  
 20 Territory, dated June 1<sup>st</sup> 1885. This notice is placed  
 21 in the initial or original monument of the original  
 22 location of the Contentions Gold and Silver Mining  
 23 Claim, on the South End of said claim. This claim  
 24 is situated about 2½ miles southerly from the Union  
 25 Mine in Maricopa Mining District, Maricopa County,  
 26 Arizona Territory, and about 16 miles northerly from  
 27 the town of Phoenix, and shall be known as the  
 28 Contentions Gold and Silver Mining Claim and  
 29 recorded as such. Relocated March 17<sup>th</sup> 1886

30 Witness: W.L. Hastings 3

G. Hamlin

31 J.P. Harvey, A. Goodfellow 3

K.S. Thomas

32 Filed for record at the request of Geo Hamlin March 22 A.D. 1886  
 at the hour of 11:20 o'clock A.M.

W.R. Morris

County Recorder

1 TERRITORY OF ARIZONA. }  
2 County of Maricopa }  
3 I, M. E. Osborn, County Recorder in and for the County and  
4 Territory aforesaid, hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing  
5 copy with the original Location Notice  
6 filed and recorded in my office on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of March  
7 1886 in Book No. H of Mining Claims  
8 at Page 47 and find the same is a full true and correct  
9 copy of such original and of the whole thereof.  
10 Witness my hand and seal of 0.50  
11 this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Oct 1894 Meri Osborn  
12 By H. O. Meadow <sup>County Recorder</sup>  
13 Deputy

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## Relocation Notice.

The undersigned, under the provisions of the several acts of Congress, relating to the development of the mineral resources of the United States, has this day amended, located and claimed, and hereby locates, amends and claims fifteen hundred feet in length on this lode, vein or deposit, of mineral bearing quartz, or other rock in place, with three hundred feet in width on each side of the middle of said lode, vein or deposit, for mining purposes. This claim is situated in the Sunnied Mining District, in the County of Maricopa and Territory of Arizona, and shall be known as the Contentor 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 end of claim, and upon which this notice is posted, and running 300 feet in an Easterly direction to a monument of stones, thence 1500 feet in a Northwesterly direction to a monument of stones, thence 300 feet in a Westerly direction to a monument of stones, being the center of the North end of claim, thence 300 feet in a Westerly direction to a monument of stones, thence 1500 feet in a Southerly direction to a monument of stones, thence 300 feet in an Easterly direction to the place of beginning. This claim lies about 15 miles North of Phoenix, and 2½ miles East of the Union Mine. This further and amended certificate of location is made without waiver of any previously acquired rights, but for the purpose of correcting any errors in the original location, description or record.

Dated on the ground, this 30 day of March, 1895.

Witness:

The Sunnied Gold Mining Company,  
By Jno. A. Britton, Secy.

Filed (for record) by Frank Nicholson, May 17, 1895; at 9<sup>55</sup> A.M.

Shorthop Sears,

County Recorder.

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TERRITORY OF ARIZONA, }  
County of Maricopa } ss

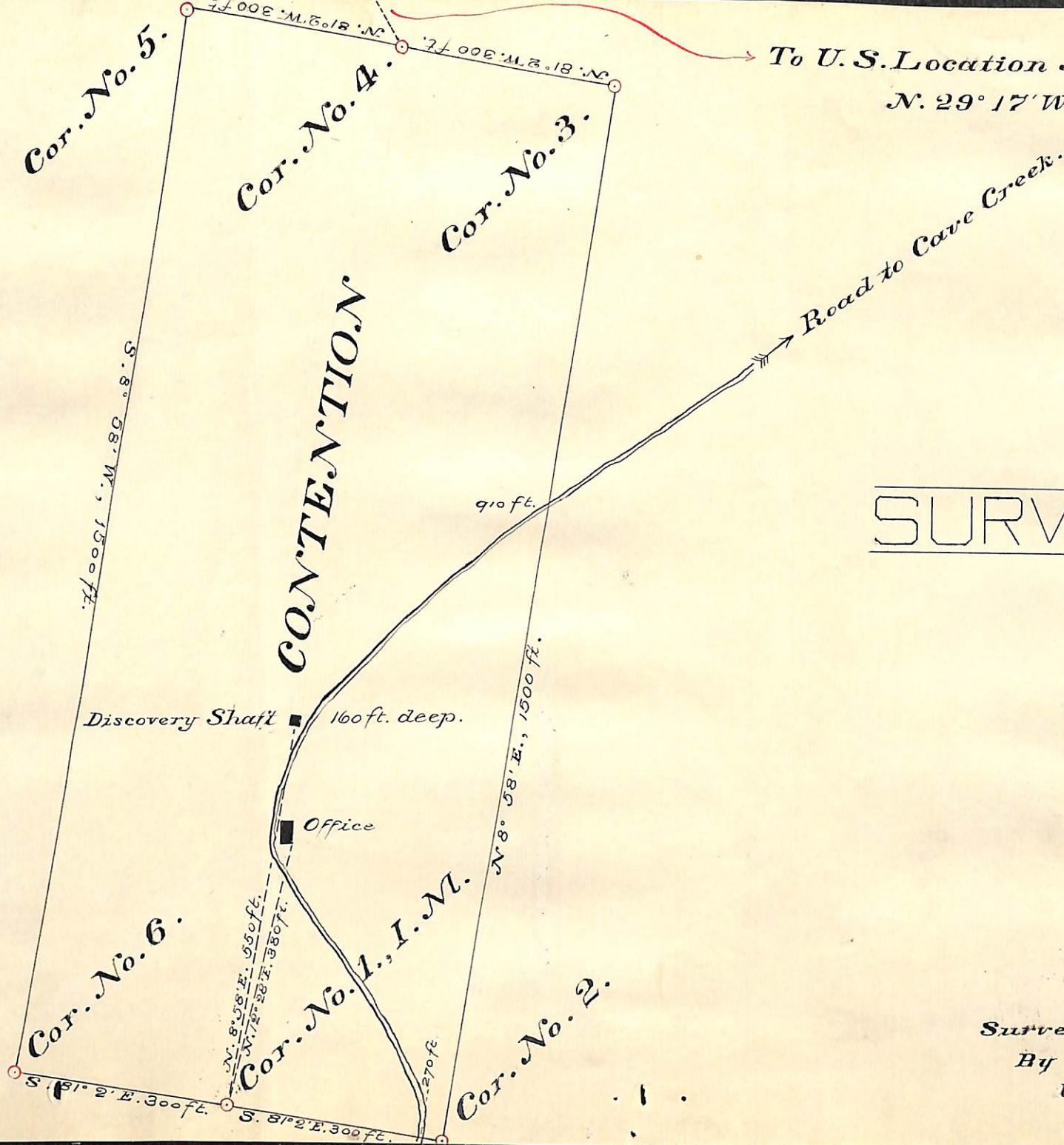
I, Wm. H. Senn, County Recorder in and for the County and  
Territory aforesaid, hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing  
copy with the original Relocation Notice  
filed and recorded in my office on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of May  
1895 in Book No. 7 of Mining Claims  
at Pages 183-4 and 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 27<sup>th</sup> day of May 1895

Wm. H. Senn  
County Recorder.



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SURVEY N° 1180

Surveyed May 29 - 1895,  
By Frank Nicholson,  
U.S. Dep'y Min. Surveyor.

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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

August 1st, 1895.

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 The Winnipeg Gold Mining  
Company

, known as the  
Contention ,  
situate in Winnipesaukee mining district,  
Manicougan County, Arizona ,  
in Section , Township No. , Range No.  
, designated as Survey No. 1180.

executed by Frank Nicholson , U. S. Deputy Mineral  
Surveyor, May 29, 1895 , under my instructions dated  
May 25 , 1895 , 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.

U. S. Surveyor General for

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Lovitt Manning  
Arizona .