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ALTERNATE NAMES:

COCONINO COUNTY MILS NUMBER: 510

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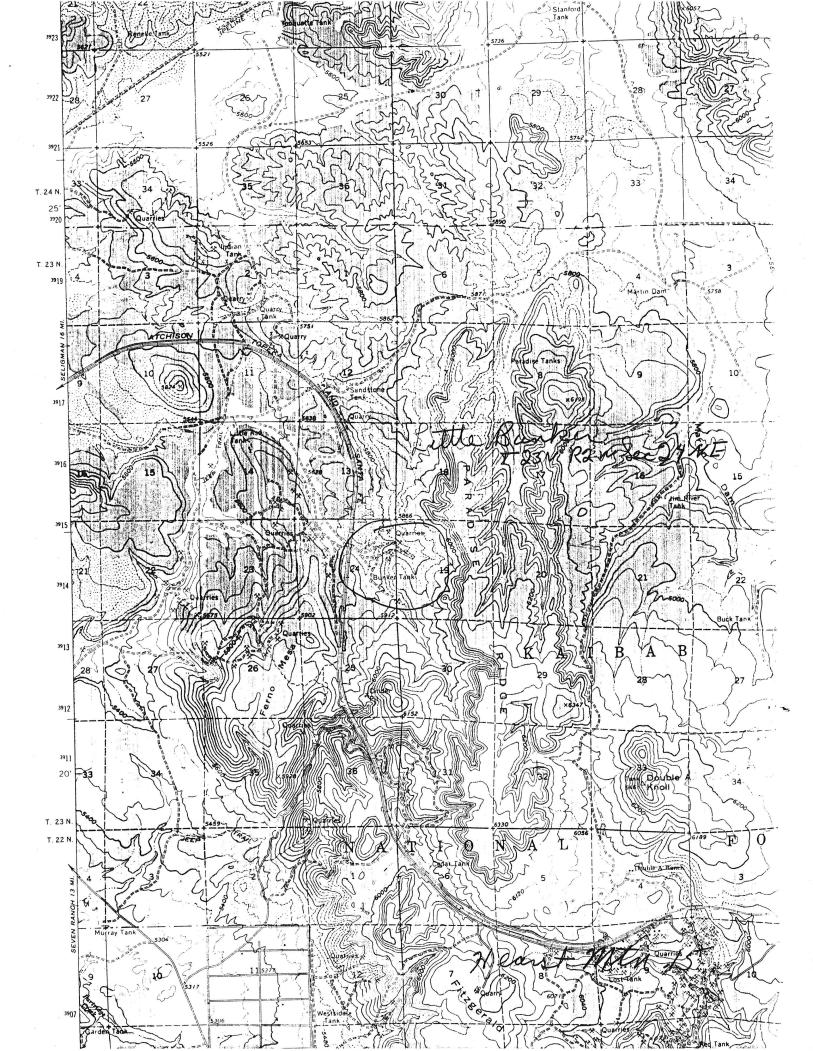
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# VERBAL INFORMATION SUMMARY

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1.	Information from: C.E. "Whitey" Webster, President, Western States Stone			
	Address: 2830 Grand Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85017 phone (602) 253-2018			
	Mine: Little Bunker 3. ADMMR Mine File same			
	County: Coconino 5. District			
	Township 23 N Range 2 W Sec(s) 24 NE			
	Location:			
	No. of Claims - Patented Unpatented			
	Owner (if different from above) same as above			
	Address:			
	Operating Company: Western States Stone			
	Pertinent People and/or Firm:C.E. "Whitey" Webster			
	Commodities: stone dimension, stone sandstone, flagstone			
	Operational Status: <u>active producer</u>			
	Summary of information received, comments, etc.:			
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MILS #510 (new)

Western States Stone produces flagstone from these unpatented claims using small crews of between 2-4 men. The quarry men are typically mexicans working in the United States with green cards. They are paid based upon their production, but they must produce enough to earn minimum wage.

The quarry operation proceeds as follows: the soil and aluvium is removed. Holes are drilled and shot down natural joints in the sandstone. Enough explosive is used to "bump" a block free to work on. Then using double jacks and wedges the sandstone is split parallel to bedding planes into the desired thickness and loaded onto skids to be hauled to the Ashford Stoneyar W.S.S. (f) to be processed. Averaging value of a skid of flagstone at the quarry is \$50.00.

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