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ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND MINERAL RESOURCES AZMILS DATA

PRIMARY NAME: SIENA PLACER

ALTERNATE NAMES:

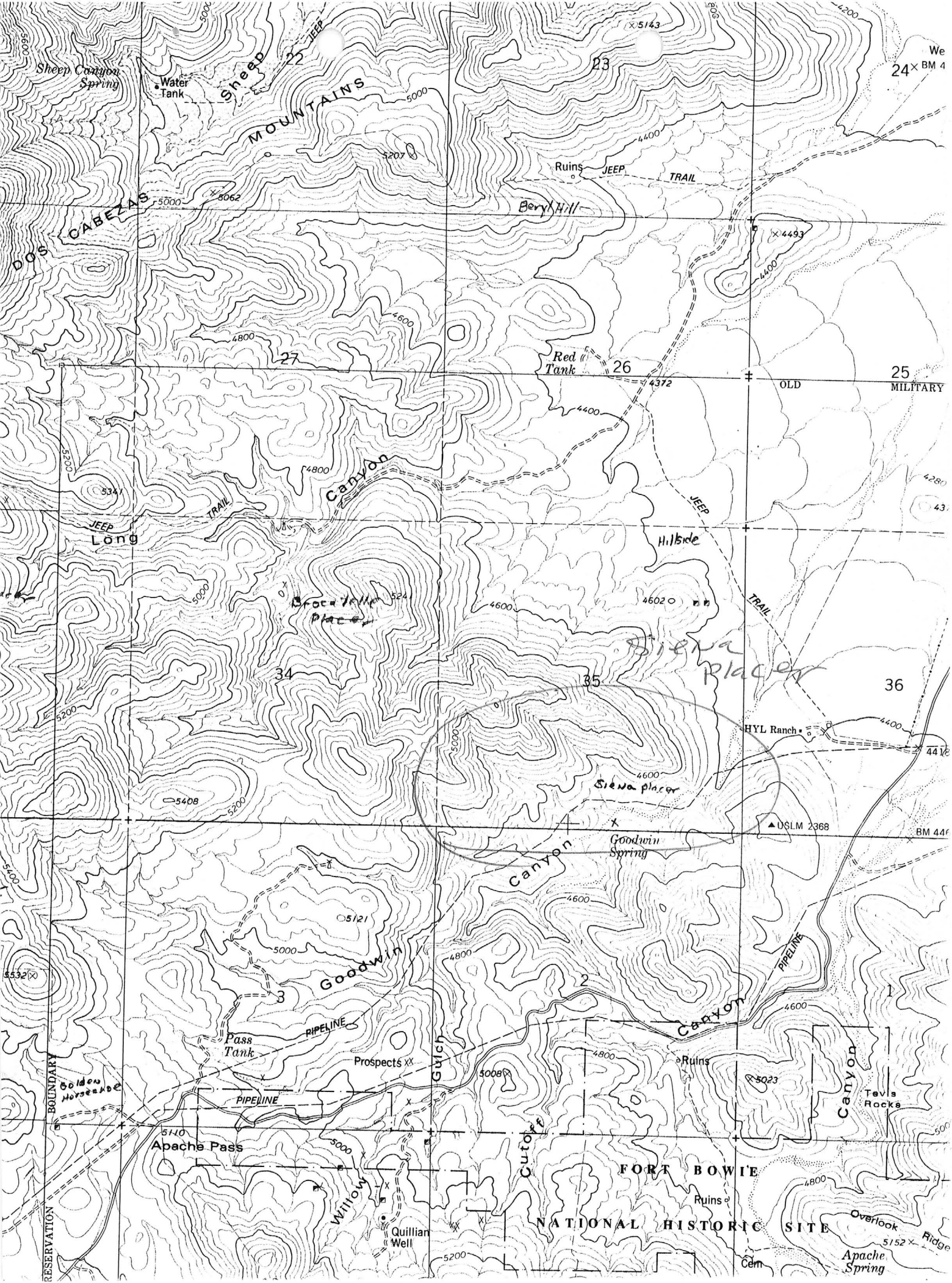
COCHISE COUNTY MILS NUMBER: 848

LOCATION: TOWNSHIP 14 S RANGE 28 E SECTION 35 QUARTER S2
LATITUDE: N 32DEG 10MIN 00SEC LONGITUDE: W 109DEG 27MIN 30SEC
TOPO MAP NAME: BOWIE MTN NORTH - 7.5 MIN

CURRENT STATUS: RAW PROSPECT

COMMODITY:
STONE MARBLE
CALCIUM MARBLE

BIBLIOGRAPHY:
ADMMR SIENA PLACER FILE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BOUNDARY
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Cutoff
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FORT BOWIE
NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE
Ruins
Cem
Overlook Ridge
Apache Spring
Devils Rocks
RESERVATION

Siena Placer file
COCHISE

MS 2991 **Lorraine Placer (Sec. 29 & 32, T14S, R28E)**
Marble quarries surveyed by John G. Kerr. Copy of plat obtained.

MS 2365 **Pavonzzo Placer (Secs. 17, 20 & 21, T15S, R29E)**
Pentellicus Placer
Marble quarries or cuts in marble at discovery sites. Most of value listed in notes was for road improvements. Copy of plat obtained.

MS 2741 A & B **Collard (Sec. 21, T15S, R29E)**
Collard Millsite
Notes and MS do not provide any data other than value of discovery shaft and cut. NO COPY NECESSARY.

MS 2988 **Lamartine Placer (Secs. 28 & 33 T14S R28E)**
Marble quarries surveyed for the Arizona Marble Co. Copy of plat and surveyor's notes pages 9, 10 & 16 obtained.

MS 3046 **Lorraine Placer (Secs. 29 & 32 [uns] T14S, R28E)**
Surveyed June 12, 1913. Marble quarries surveyed for Arizona Marble Co. Apparently some survey as MS 2991, but value of same improvements reduced to $562.50.

MS 2742 **Bowie Marble Placer (Sec. 28,29 & 30, T15S, R29E)**
Surveyed Dec. 1909. Owned by Thomas J. Riggs at time of survey. Notes mention quarries and presence of workable marble. Dimension stone placer containing marble and 2 small quarries. Copy of plat obtained.

MS 2368 **Siena Placer (Sec. 35, T14S, R28E**
Sec. 1 & 2, T15S, R 28E)
Surveyed Dec. 1906. Owned by John G. Kerr and William Schafer at time of survey. Dimension stone placer for marble. Copy of plat obtained.

MS 2989 **Hillside No. 1 (Sec. 35, 14S, R28E)**
Surveyed May 1912. Owned by J.D. Prewitt at time of survey.
Survey notes list only dimensions of tunnels shown on map. Shafts are very shallow, less than 10 ft deep except discovery shaft (No. 1 on map which was 38 ft deep) Tunnel is described as shown on the survey plat which was copied.

MS 506 **Somet (Sec. 29, T14S, R28E)**
Surveyed May 1883. Owned by S. J. Wright and H. W. Reese at time of survey. Shaft #1 and tunnel 4 X 6 X 101 feet deep, tunnel 4 X 6 X 30 feet deep intersects shaft. Shaft #2 4 X 6 X 30 feet deep, then 20 feet for incline. Copy of plat obtained.

MS 507 **Eller (Sec. 29, T14S, R28E)**
Surveyed May 1883. Owned by S.J. Wright and H.W. Reese at time of survey. Map shows a few hundred feet of workings. Notes describe physical dimensions of workings. Pertinent parts of both were copied.

MS 508 **Lucky (Sec. 29 & 32, T14S, R28E)**
Surveyed May 1883. Owned by S.J. Wright and H.W. Reese at time of survey. Map shows the location of the collar of a shaft and drift. Notes describe one shaft 4 X 6, 65' deep and one drift - north 4 x 6, 20'long.

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MS 2368 SIENA PLACER file
COCHISE

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TITLE PAGE TO REPORT UNDER CIRCULAR "N" OF SEPTEMBER 23, 1882.

REPORT

Under General Land Office Circular "N" of September 23, 1882, upon the Placer Mining Claim known as the Siena Placer

John S. Kerr, William Schafer et al, claimed by

situate in (unknown) Mining District, Cochise County, Arizona, embracing 140 acres.

in Sec. , Town. 14 S , Range 29 E G. & S. R. Meridian

Examination made Dec 15, 1906.

By E. C. Babbitt
U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor.

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Sur. No 2368

Sierra Placer.

a The soil embraced in this claim consists of decomposed lime and marble. The ground is mountainous and covered with a scant growth of grass and cactus. There is also a scant growth of jack pines on the ground.

b The only stream on the claim comes from the the spring which bears from Cor. No. 14 N70°W 420 ft. and known as Goodwin Spring. This flows about thirty ins of water. This stream flows in a north easterly direction and is about 2 ft wide.

A dwelling house 40 x 25 ft course of long side N75°E. the S.E. corner of which bears from Cor. No. 3 S64°20' W. 850 ft.

c The surface and underground workings on this claim consist of a Discovery tunnel 6 x 7 ft 20 ft long course from mouth S20°E; the mouth of which bears from Cor. No. 14 N70°W 410 ft.

An open cut or quarry 10 ft long 6 ft wide 10 ft face course from mouth S.20°E. the center of which bears from Cor. No. 14 N66°W 400 ft.

An open cut or quarry 30 ft long 10 ft wide 10 ft deep course of long side N.30°E. the center of which bears from Cor. No. 16 N.25°W. 150 ft.

An open cut 10 ft wide 15 ft long 10 ft face course from mouth north the center of which bears from Cor. No. 22 S58°W. 330 ft.

d The nearest post office is

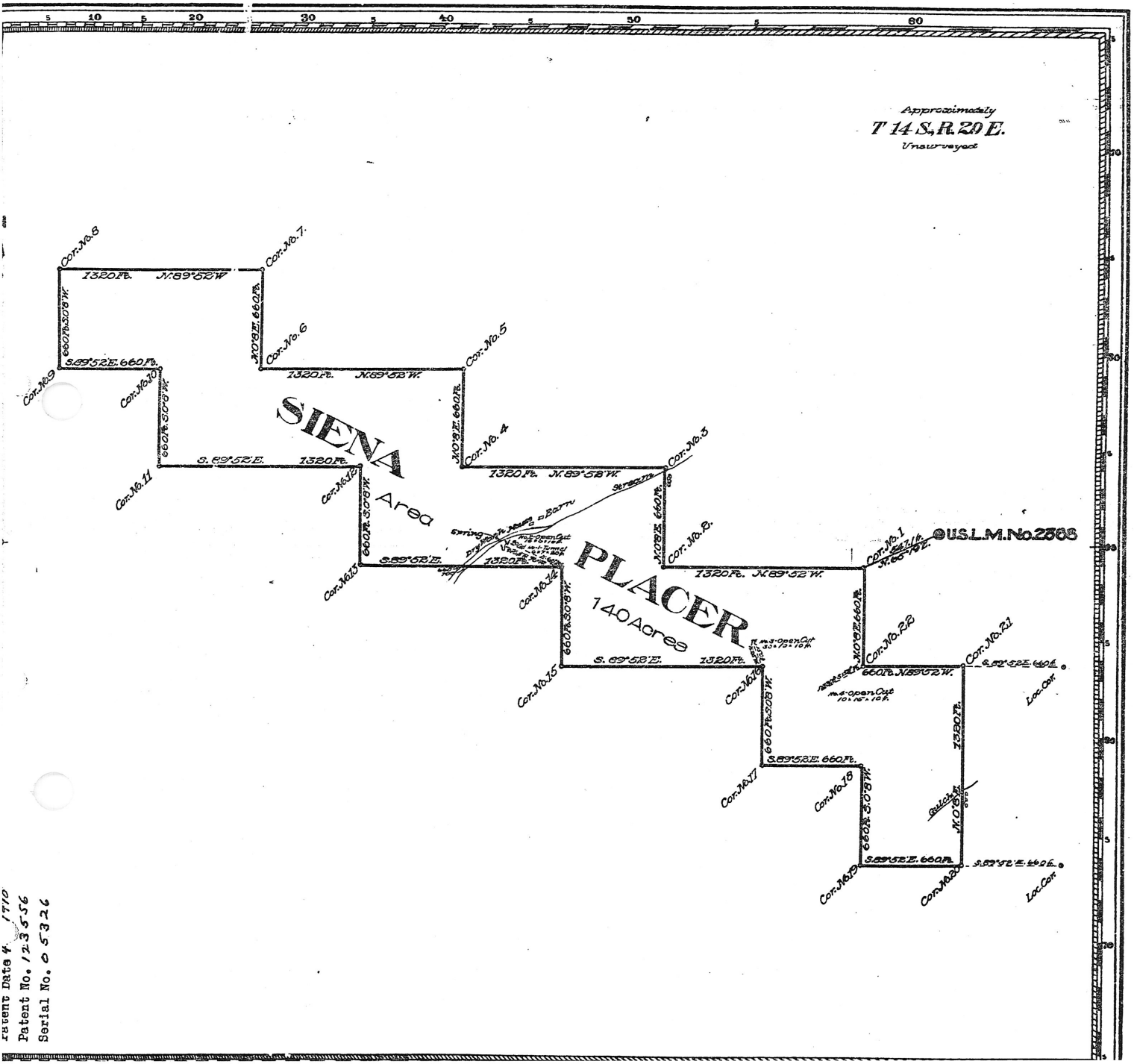
Tevistou a small railroad town on the Southern Pacific R.R. about 12 miles N.W. Tevistou is also the nearest railroad station

e The nearest system of locks is at Tombstone about 45 miles southwesterly. The nearest individual mine is the Hooker about 4 miles south westerly

f This claim is underlaid, throughout its almost entire extent with marble and lime stone. The marble is of first class quality and valuable for building purposes. The marble can be quarried in large blocks without unusual expense and can be readily transported by wagon to the railroad at Tevistou.

g The works and expenditures made by the claimants for the development of the claim consist of workings described under paragraph C. of this report.

h There are no mines, salt lects, salt springs or mill sites upon this claim.



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Claim Located Amended Nov. 14, 1906.

Mineral Survey No. 2368

LOT No.

Arizona Land District.

PLAT

OF THE CLAIM OF

John G. Kerr, William Schafer, et al

KNOWN AS THE

SIENA PLACER

IN Unknown MINING DISTRICT,
Cochise COUNTY, Arizona
Containing an Area of 140 Acres.
Scale of 600 Feet to the inch.
Variation 12°30' E.

SURVEYED December 6-20, 1906.

E. C. Babbitt
U.S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor,

The Original Field Notes of the Survey of the Mining Claim of John G. Kerr, William Schafer, et al. known as the

SIENA PLACER

from which this plat has been made under my direction, have been examined and approved, and are on file in this Office; and I hereby certify that they furnish such an accurate description of said Mining Claim as will, if incorporated into a patent, serve fully to identify the premises, and that such reference is made therein to natural objects or permanent monuments as will perpetuate and fix the locus thereof.

I further certify that Five Hundred Dollars worth of labor has been expended or improvements made upon said Mining Claim by claimants or their grantors, and that said improvements consist of

3 Cuts and 1 Tunnel, valued at $900.

that the location of said improvements is correctly shown upon this plat, and that no portion of said labor or improvements has been included in the estimate of expenditures upon any other claim.

And I further certify that this is a correct plat of said Mining Claim made in conformity with said original field notes of survey thereof, and the same is hereby approved.

U.S. Surveyor General's Office. Frank S. Ingalls

Phoenix, Arizona, April 9, 1907.

U.S. Surveyor General for ARIZONA.

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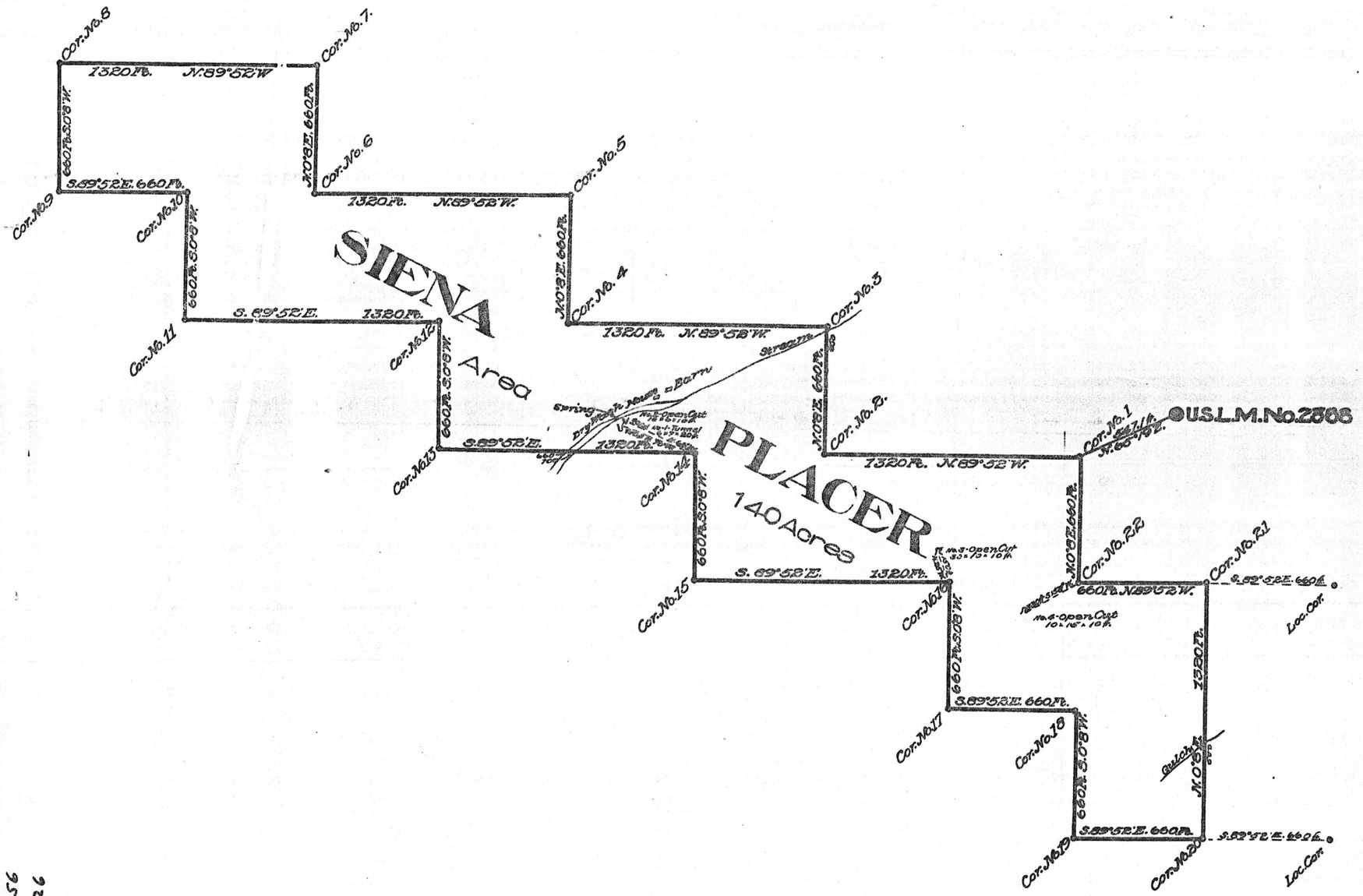

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