

## NARRATIVE

Survey is performed under contract for the Malheur National Forest, the purpose of which is the location & marking of the Dixie Meadows Mine Group.

In order to accomplish this the boundaries of each mine in the group is retraced, recovering all corners which have not been lost to logging and mining activity. Most of the original corners of the Westerly portion of the group are recovered, with very little evidence found around the TIGER, RUBY, ZOLA and LOIS Mines.

In retracing the Westerly portion of the Group, a pattern is developed whereby it is indicated that certain lines were occupied and measured and others are not. As near as can be determined the following measurements were actually made: Clara-B No.5 to May Blossom No.4 to May Blossom No.5, along the end lines of May Blossom and Gladys, from Gladys No. 1 to Gladys No.2 to Kyuse No.1 to Kyuse No.2, then stubbed Southeast along the end lines of Kyuse and Clara-B mines. Then the Northerly line of Annie-M and the Easterly End lines of Annie-M are measured. It appears that the Southerly lines of Clara-B and Laura-D were not occupied and measured.

Even though the original notes show an order of survey for each claim, no junior / senior lines are considered, as the original survey was conducted as a single (Mineral Survey No. 513), with no priority given to any lines or corners. Also as indicated above a line may have been occupied and run continiously along the lines of several claims.

In reestablishing the lost corners of May Blossom, Gladys, Kyuse, Clara-B, Annie-M and Laura-D, the procedure is a routine process of applying Broken or Grant Boundary adjustment as prescribed in Chapter Five of the Bureau of Land Management, Manual of Surveying Instructions of 1973, using the method which most nearly conform to record measurement, and conform to the conditions as found and described above. Corners reestablished along record straight lines are positioned by single proportionate measurement as prescribed in the said Chapter Five of the Manual of Surveying Instructions.

In reestablishing the lost corners of Tiger, Ruby, Zola and Lois all conceivable methods are considered, striving to adjust along lines which are felt to have been occupied in the original survey. The position of the Corner to Sections 13/14/23/24 is not used in the location of the claims as it is apparent that all ties given are computed in the original survey. Following is a step by step description of the procedure used to position the

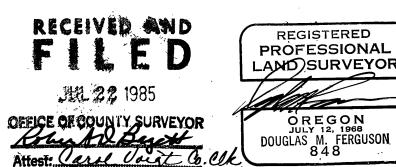
lost corners of those claims. (All methods are set forth in Chapter Five of the said 1973 addition of the Manual of Surveying Instructions, precidence is gained from the Bureau of Land Management, "Public Lands Surveying, Casebook" Chapter E. a.) Broken Boundary adjustment from Tiger No.2 to Tiger No.4, establishing Tiger No.1, and Tiger No.5. b.) Single Proportionate measurement from Tiger No.1 to Tiger No.5, establishing Ruby No.2 Tiger No.6/Ruby No.3 and Ruby No.4. c.) Broken Boundary adjustment from Ruby No.2 to Zola No.4, establishing Zola No.2,. d.) Single Proportionate measurement from Ruby No.2 to Zola No.2, establishing Ruby No.1/Zola No.1. e.) Single Proportionate measurement from Zola No.2 to Zola No.4, establishing Zola No.3. f.) Broken Boundary adjustment from Lois No.6 to Zola No.4, establishing Lois No.1, establishing Lois No.2 and Ruby No.5/Zola No.5. h.) Broken Boundary adjustment from Lois No.6, establishing Lois No.4 and Lois No.5. i.) Single Proportionate measurement from Lois No.2 to Lois No.6, establishing Lois No.4, establishing Lois No.5. i.) Single Proportionate measurement from Lois No.2 to Lois No.6, establishing Lois No.3.

As stated above Chapter Five of the Bureau of Land Management, "Manual of Surveying Instructions", of 1973 is followed in the restoration of the lost corners encountered. In addition Chapter Four is followed in the Monumentation, Principals of Chapter Six are adhered to in performing this dependent resurvey & the pertinant provisions of Chapter Ten are applied.

Positional control for this survey is provided by a closed traverse network. LIETZ SDM 3-E Total Station Electronic Distance Measuring Equipment & HP-86B Computer System, with Lewis & Lewis soft ware are used to obtain the measurements and perform the computations. Field Notes and Computations are on file in the office of Ferguson Surveying & Engineering, Mt. Vernon, Oregon.

I, Douglas M. Ferguson, Registered Professional Land Surveyor in the State of Oregon, Hereby certify that this plat, notes and records hereon or attached are a correct representation of the survey I performed during Nov., 1983 and Aug. 1984, for the U.S. Forest Service, in accordance with the statutes of the State of Oregon and the articles of my contract. No. 53-04HI-3 9379N.

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Map of Survey

RETRACEMENT OF CLAIMS- TIGER, RUBY, LOIS & ZOLA

OF THE DIXIE MEADOWS MINE GROUP- M.S. 513

GRANT COUNTY, OREGON

FOR: Malheur National Forest BY: Douglas M. Ferguson

DATE: Aug., 1984 | DRAWN BY: J. D. Brinton | SCALE: I"= 200'