

AN EXAMPLE OF THE USE OF TRACTING

Excerpt from James Underhill's book,
"*Mineral Land Surveying*," 1906 (page 117)

"During the period that conflicts were figured in the descriptive positions by their section ties as stated before, tracts were frequently employed to exclude the conflicting claim or claims in their true positions. Thus, when figuring the position from the section ties showed no conflict, but the corners on the ground clearly showed a conflict, this was excluded as a tract. Tracts are frequently employed to exclude any desired area other than that embraced in an officially surveyed claim."

This example of the Binger Hermann policy is for the Ninety One Lode, Sur. No. 17084, that was approved on April 27, 1904 one day before the Act of April 28, 1904 ended the policy. This survey shows that the policy was uniformly followed for the entire time the Binger Hermann policy was in force.