

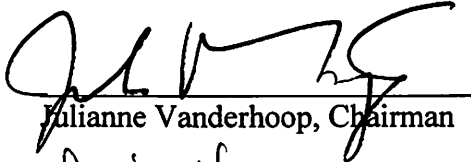
**PETITION PURSUANT TO M.G.L. c. 82, §2
TO DISCONTINUE A COUNTY HIGHWAY**

We, Juli Vanderhoop, Jim Newman, and Gary Haley, duly qualified and acting Selectmen of the Town of Aquinnah (the “Town”), hereby petition the County Commissioners to discontinue various County Highways in the Town. In support of this Petition, we state as follows:

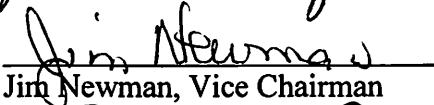
1. The roads located in the Town, currently referred to as Lighthouse Road, Moshup Trail (formerly known as Moshope Trail), Old South Road, Lobsterville Road, and Westward Spur, as shown on Layout Plans filed in the Dukes County Registry of Deeds in Gay Head Case File Nos. 1, 2, and 4, and in Plan Book 3, Page 9, and Plan Book 5, Page 2, attested copies of the which are attached as Exhibit A, are owned by Dukes County and are classified as County Highways (collectively the “County Highways”).
1. The Town currently maintains and repairs the County Highways, and has for many years;
2. Dukes County lacks the funds to assist the Town in paying for expenses associated with maintaining and repairing the County Highways;
3. State grants are available under the Chapter 90 Fund to reimburse a town for maintaining, repairing and improving town accepted roads;
4. Because the County Highways are not owned by the Town, the Town is not eligible to receive state funds to reimburse it for the expense of repairing and maintaining the County Highways;
5. If the Town gains ownership of the County Highways, the Town will become eligible to receive state funds for the repair and maintenance of these Highways;
6. Pursuant to M.G.L. c. 82, §5, upon discontinuance of a county owned road, “the way or section of way so discontinued shall be a town way”; and
7. Common convenience and necessity require the discontinuance of the existing County Highways to allow the Town to obtain ownership of the County Highways;

WHEREFORE, the Town hereby petitions the County Commissioners to:

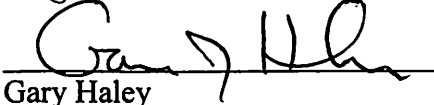
- a. discontinue the County Highways; and
- b. declare the same ways as Town Ways that will remain subject to public use.



Julianne Vanderhoop, Chairman



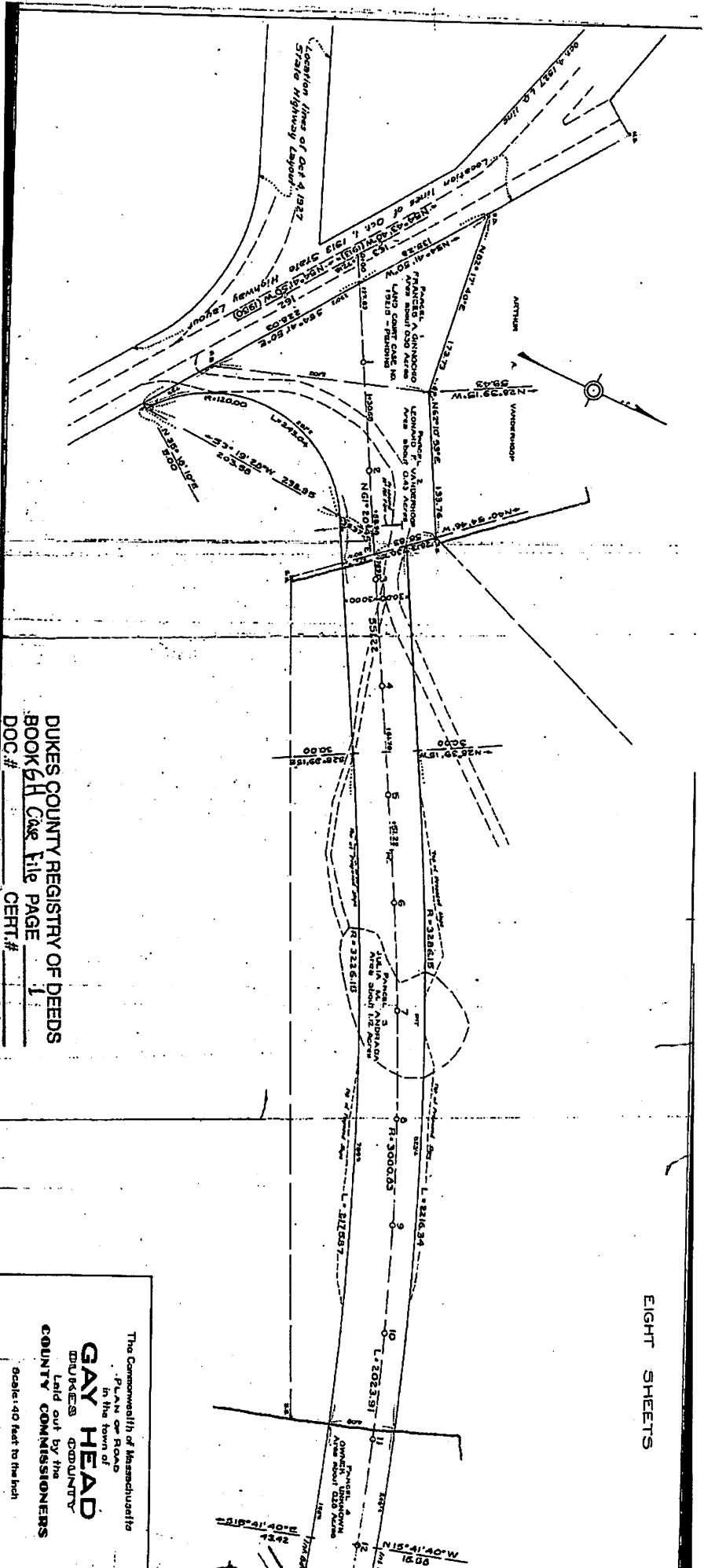
Jim Newman, Vice Chairman



Gary Haley

Dated: May 16, 2017

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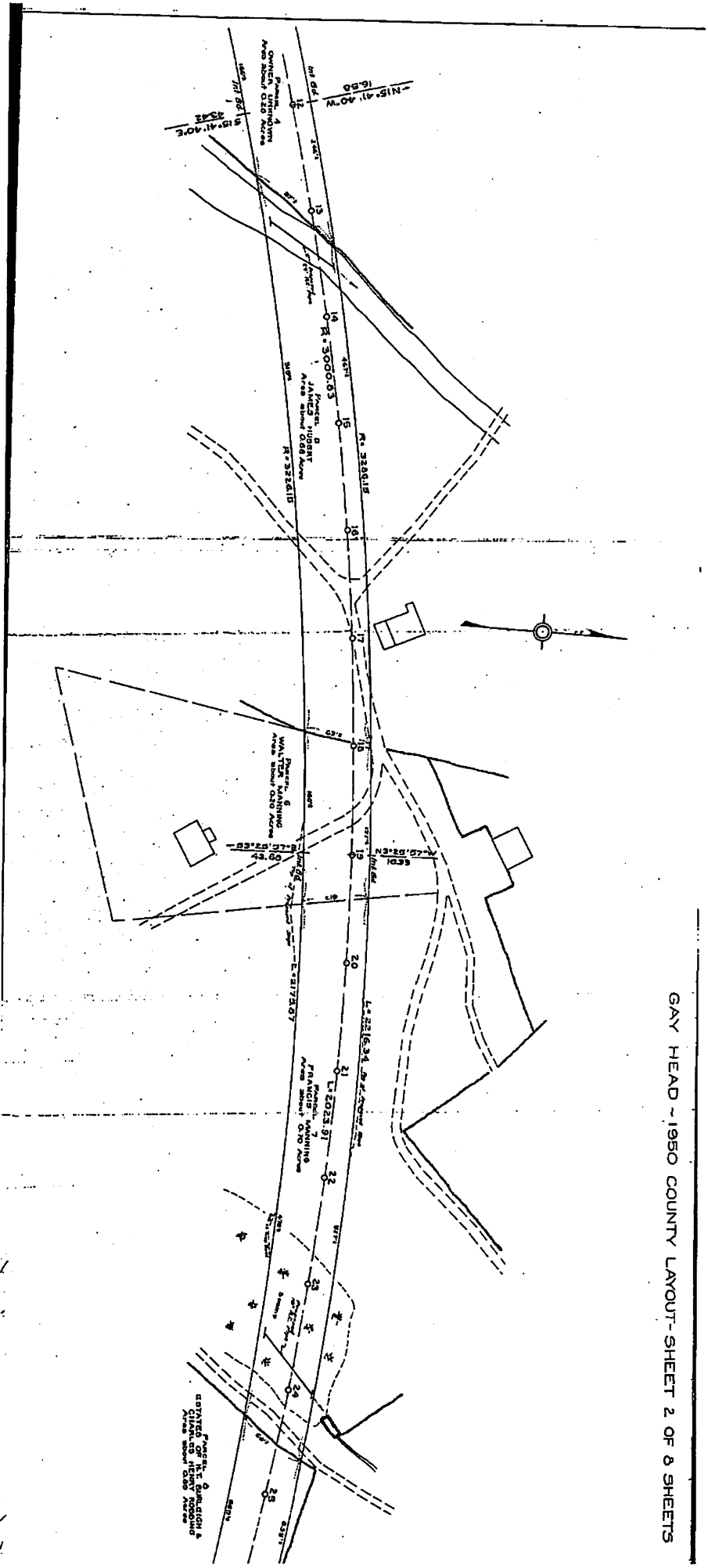


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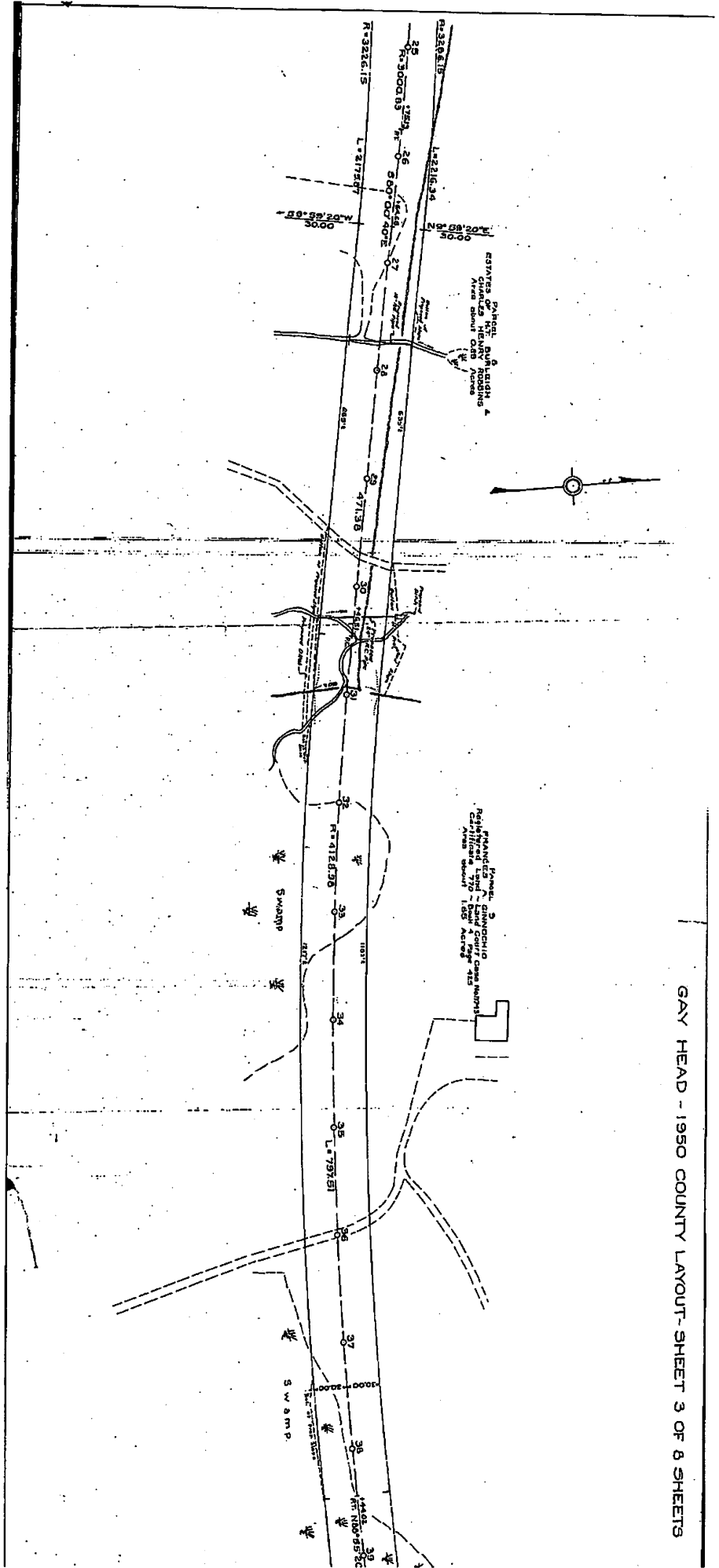
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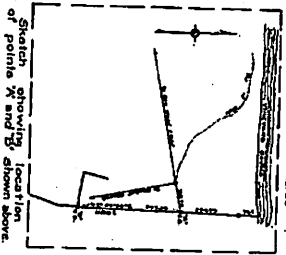
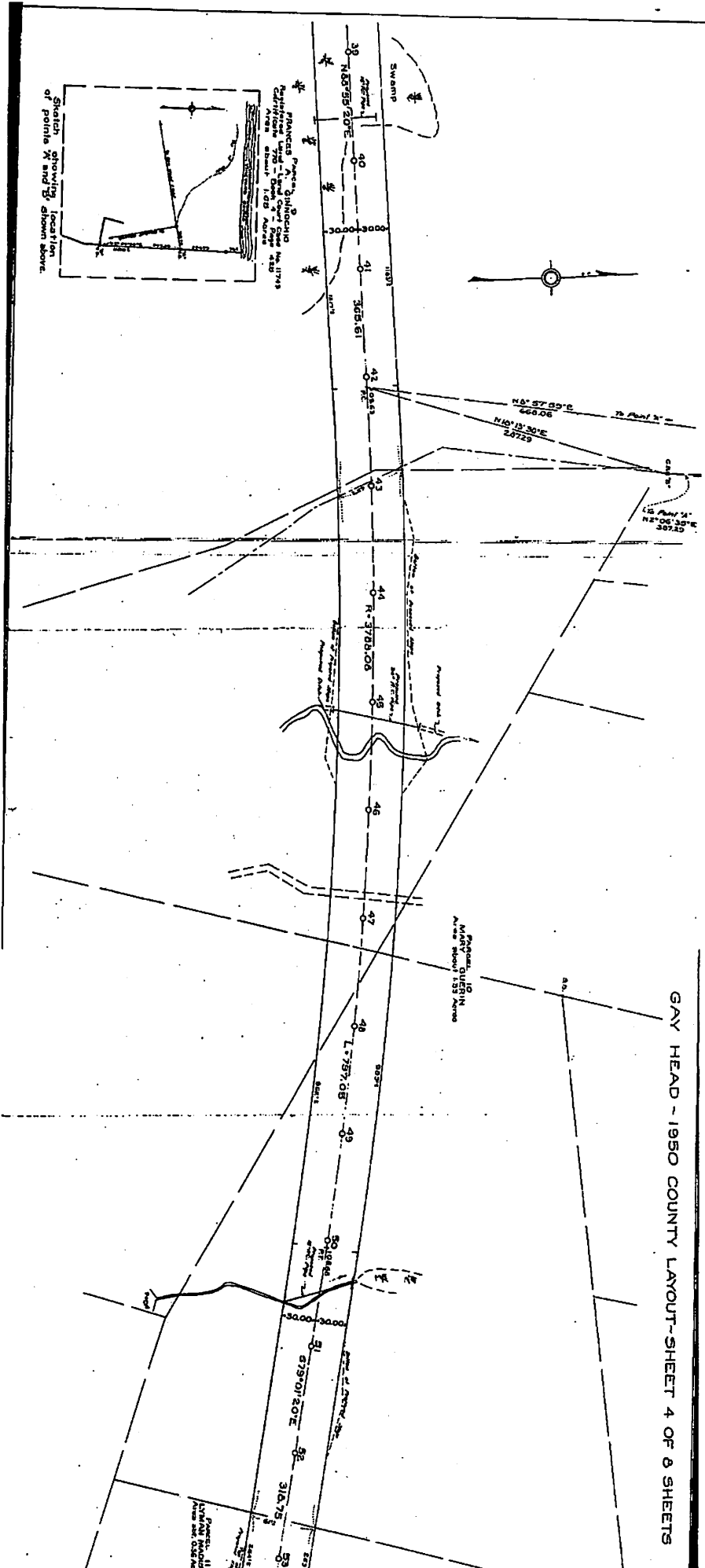
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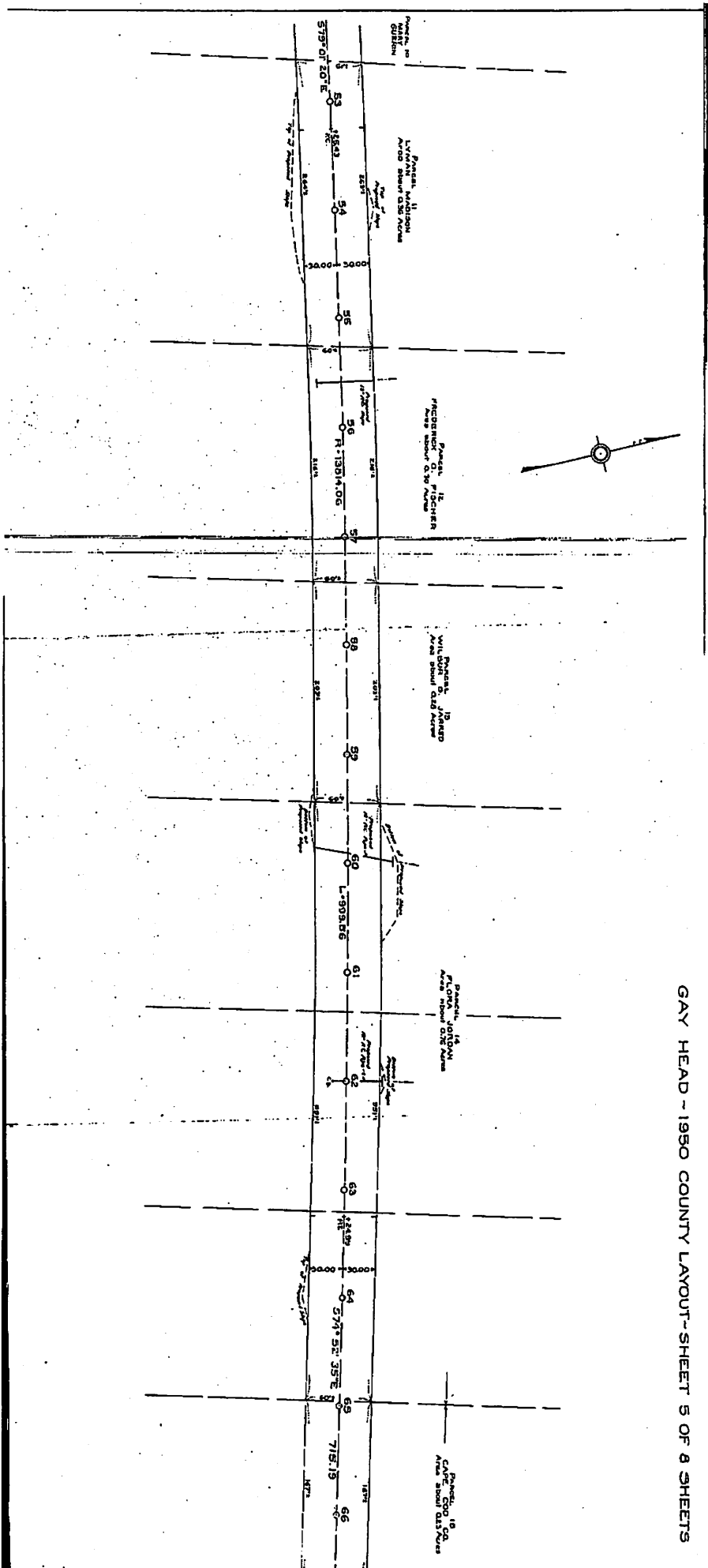
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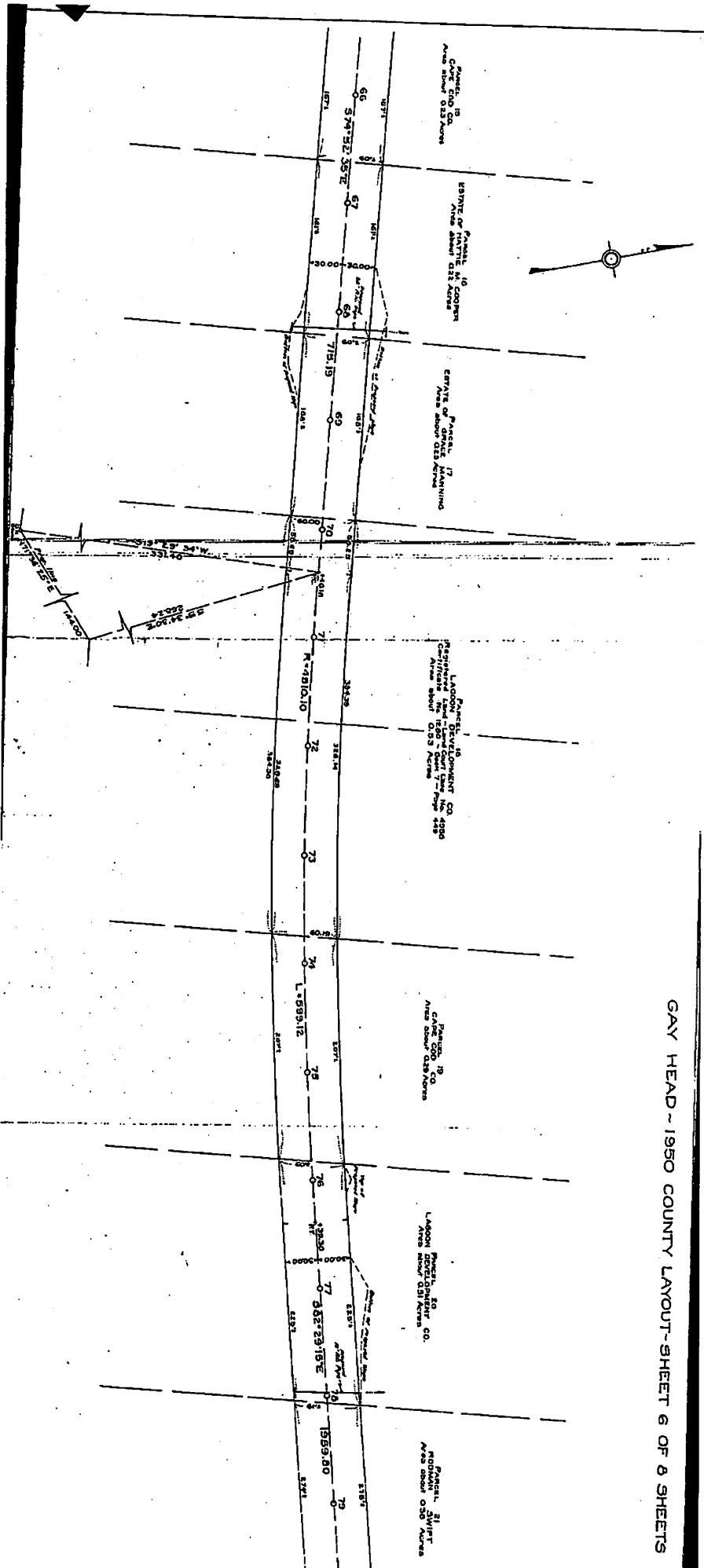


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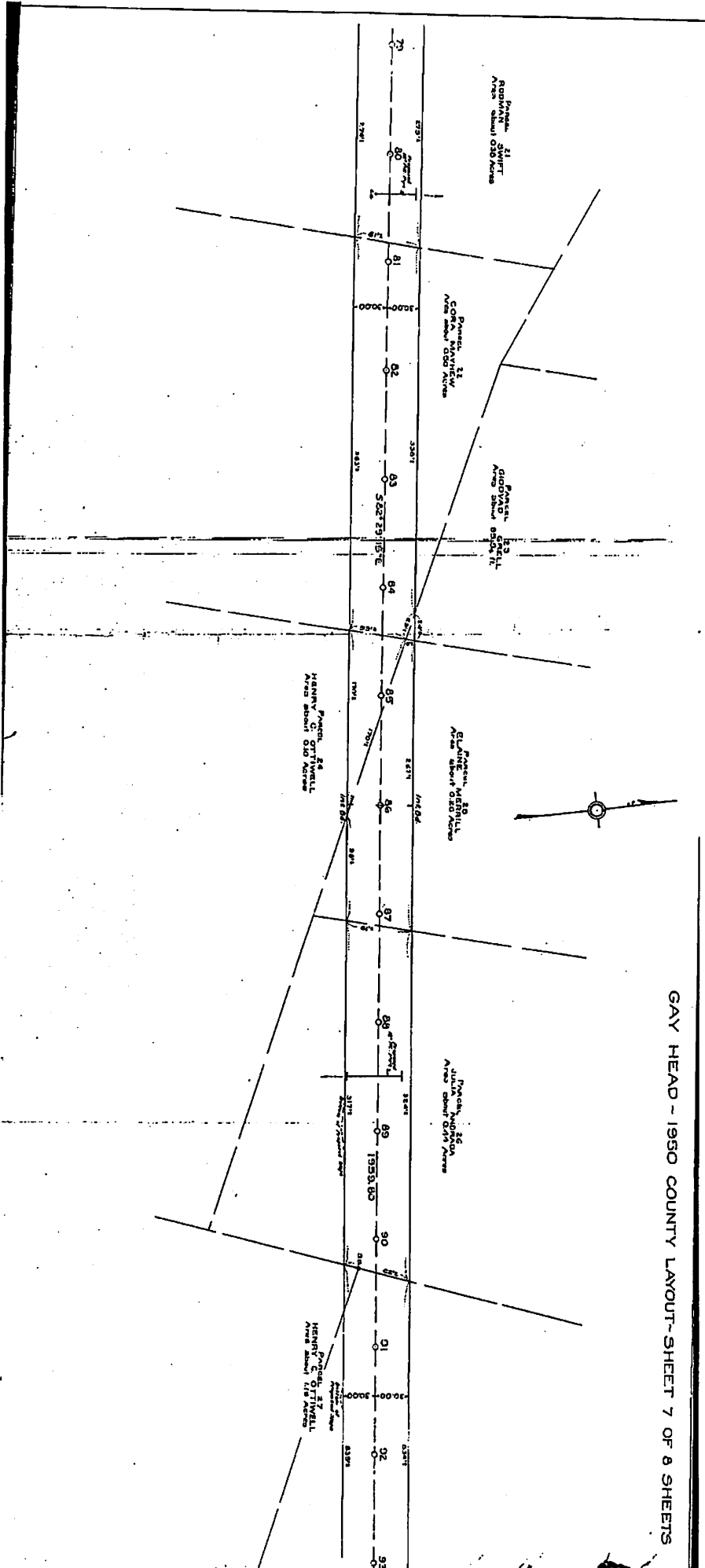
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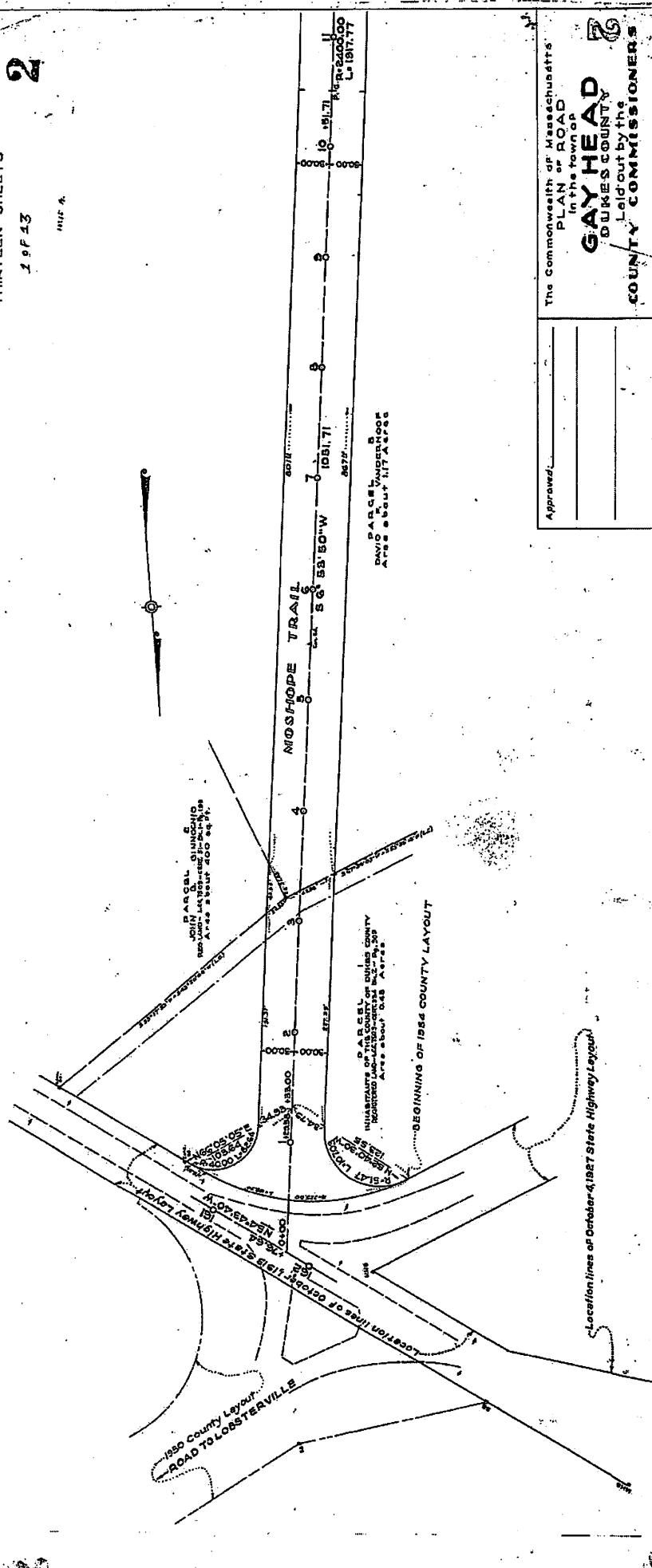
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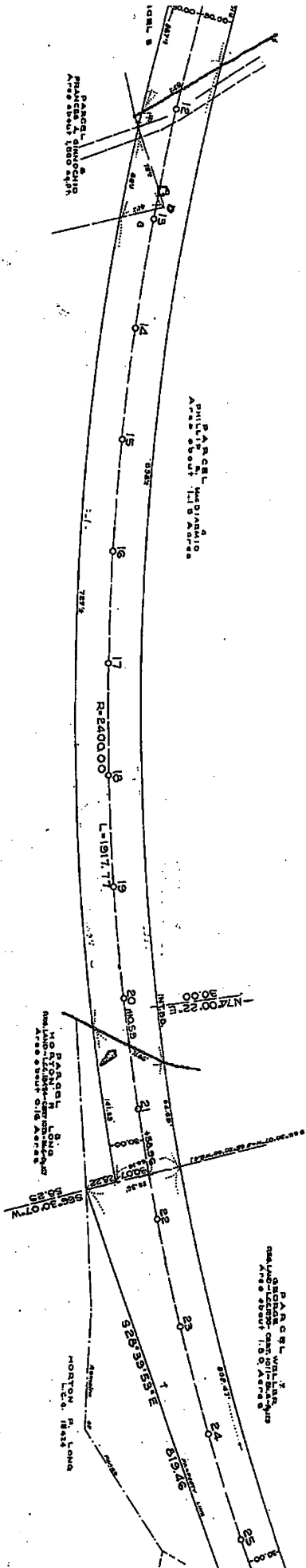
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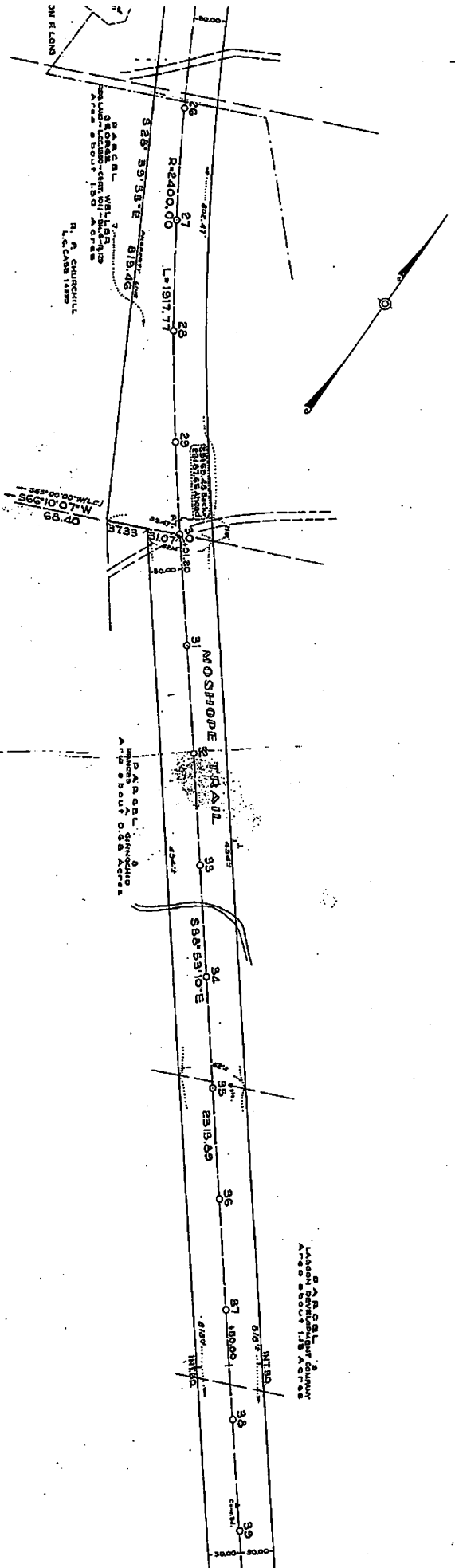
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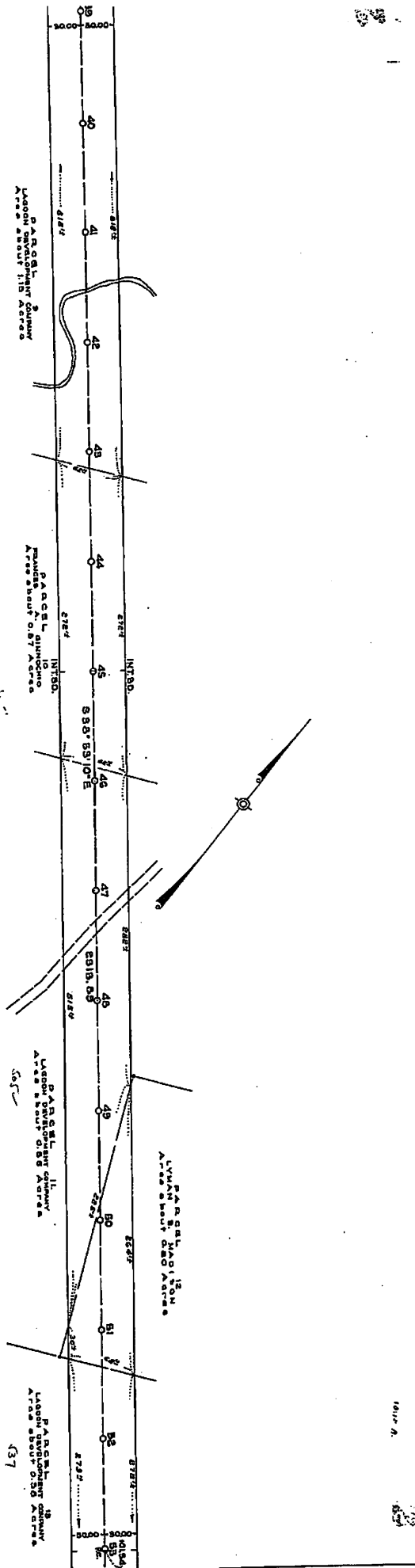
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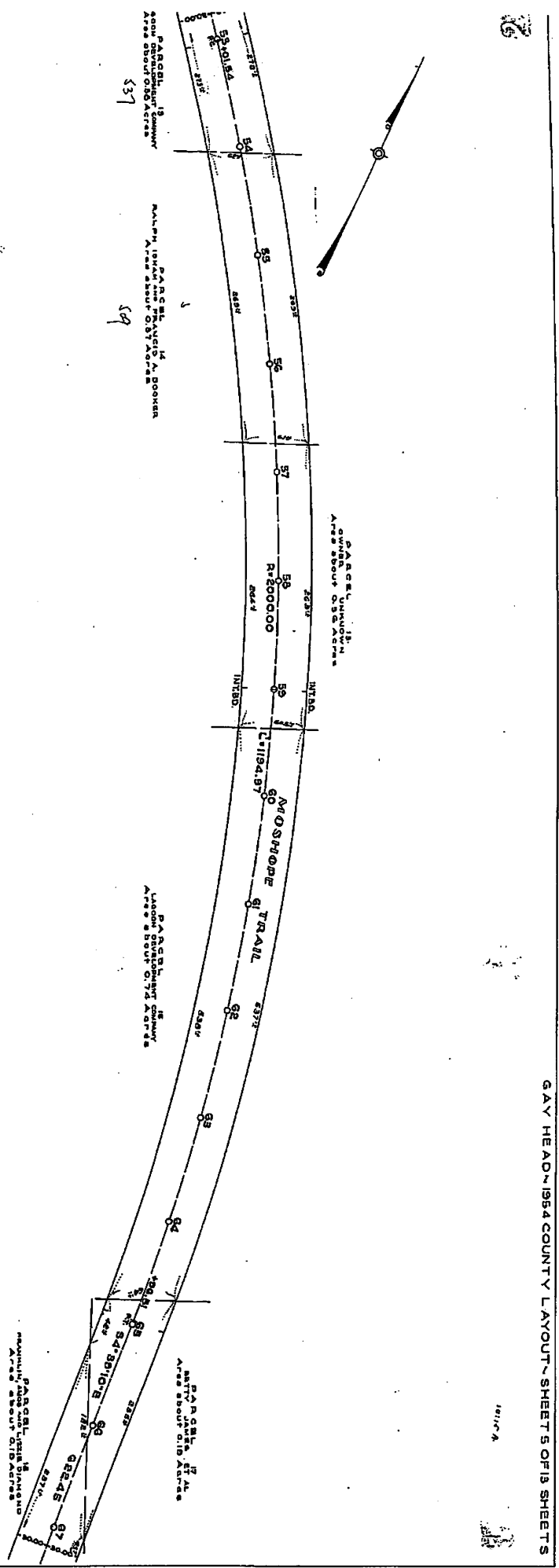
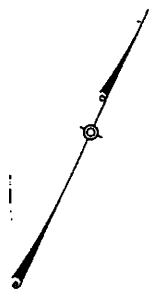
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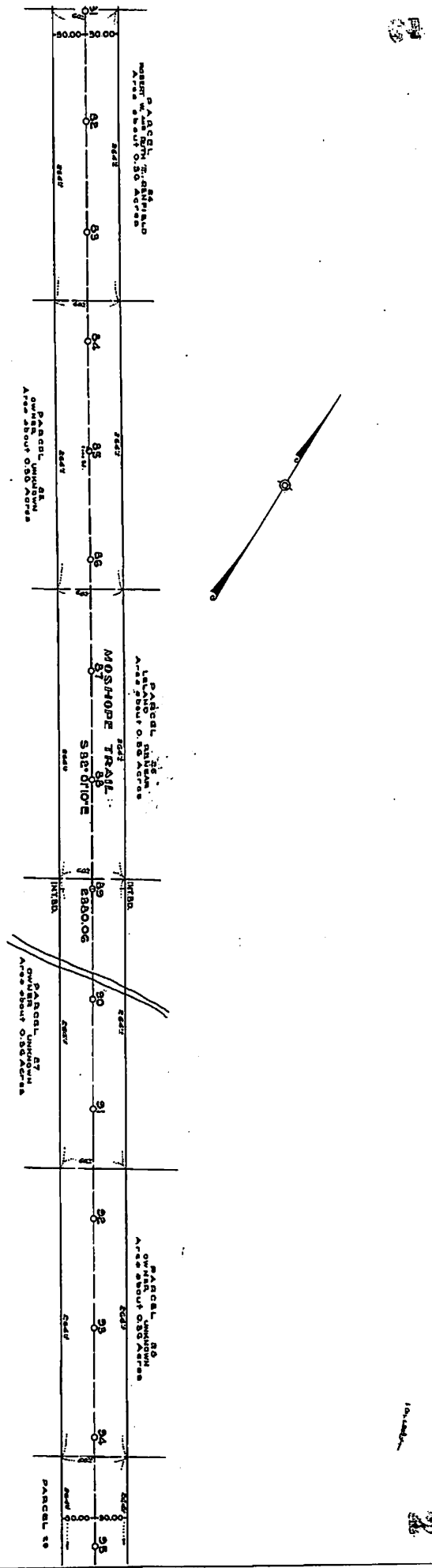
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OWNER
Area about 0.50 Acres

PARCEL 83
OWNER
Area about 0.50 Acres

PARCEL 84
OWNER
Area about 0.50 Acres

PARCEL 85
OWNER
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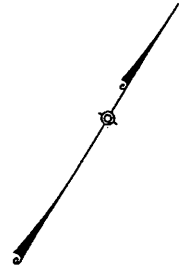
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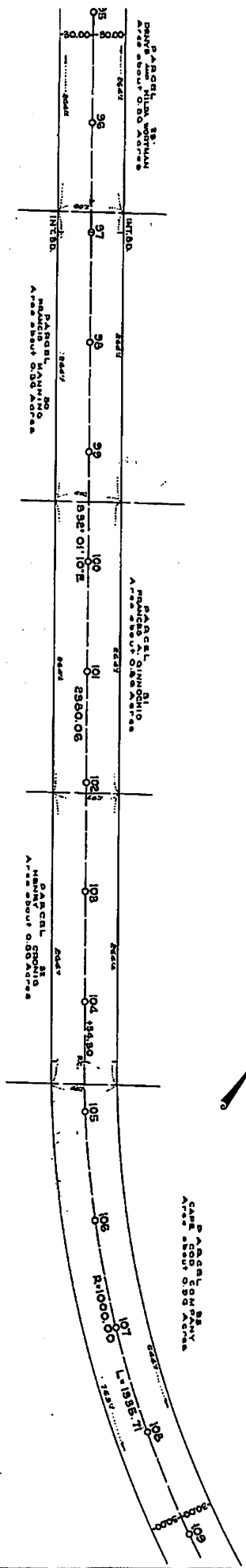
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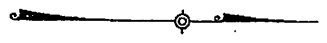
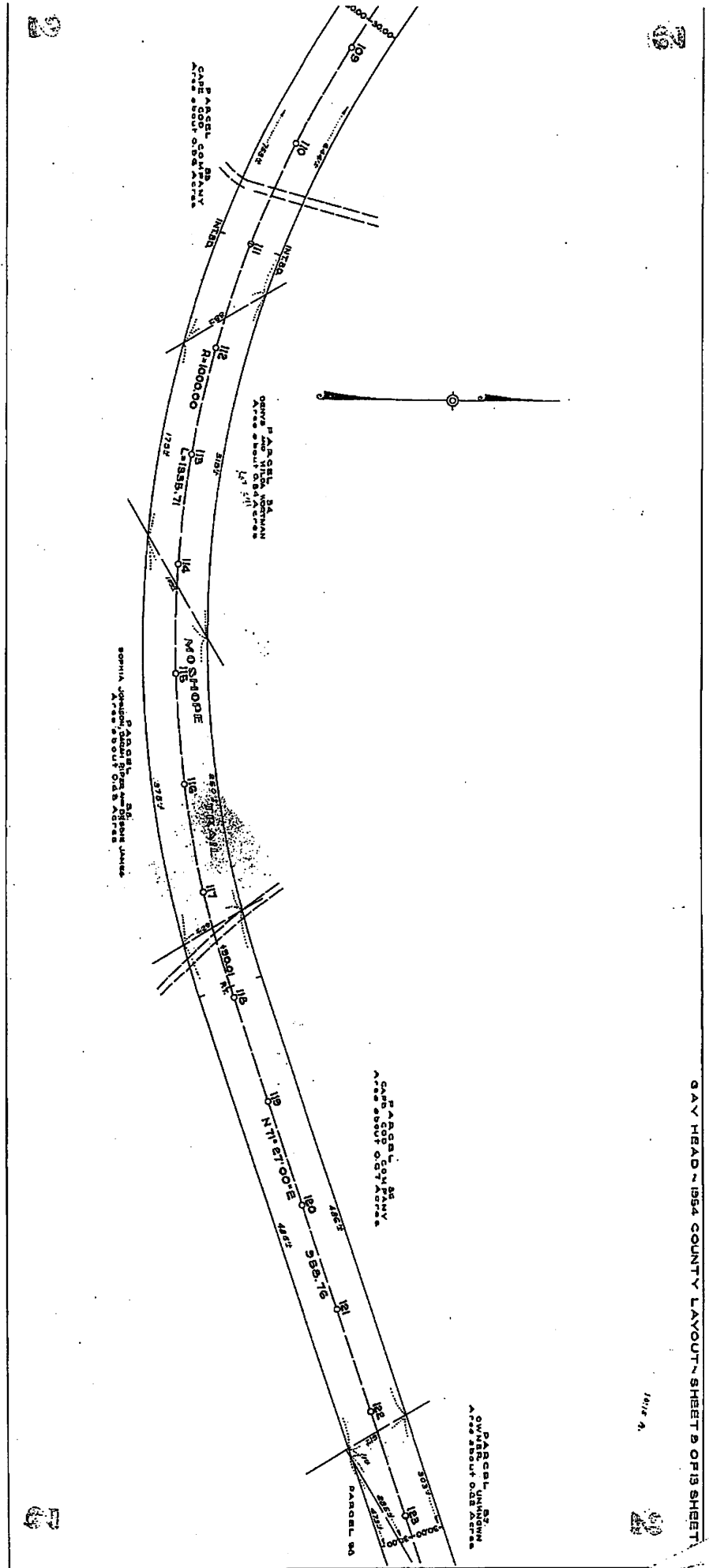
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 OLIVE P AND VICTOR KORTMAN
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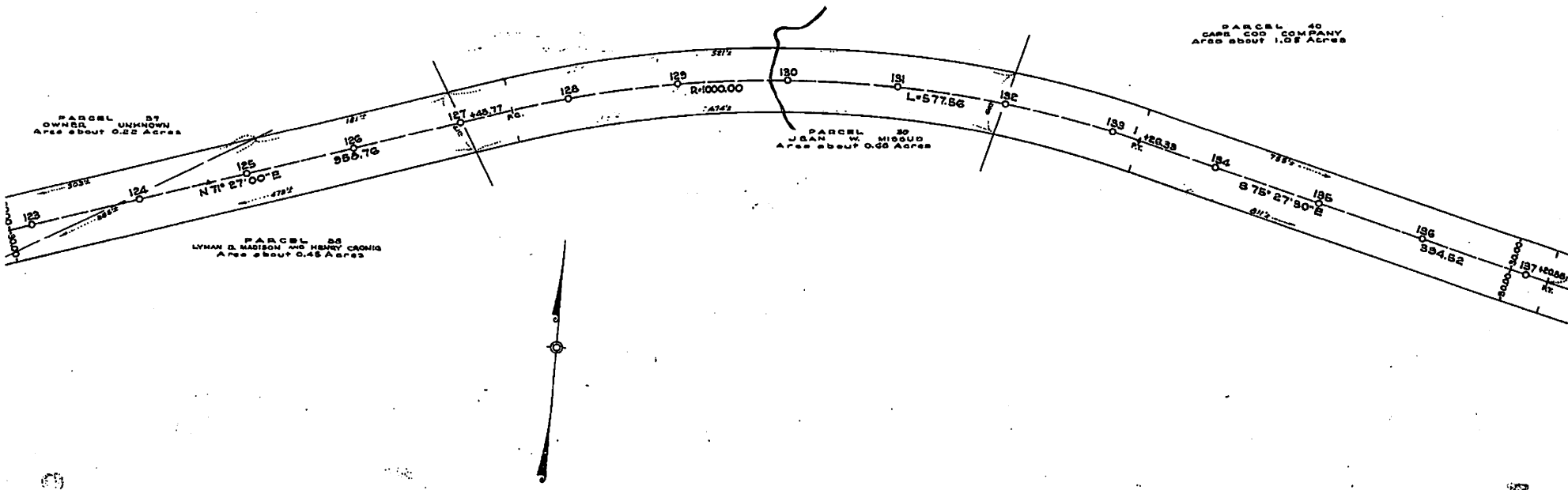
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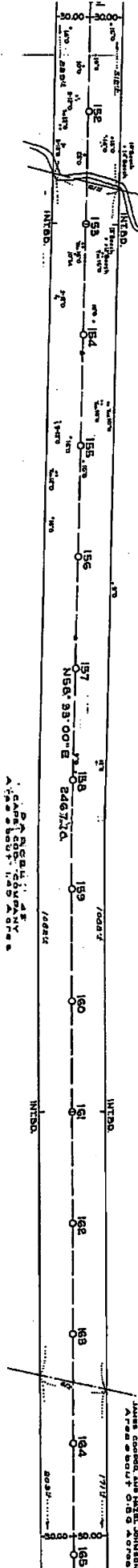
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 JEAN W. NIGGOLD
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PARCEL 30
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 OWNER UNKNOWN
 AREA ABOUT 0.22 ACRES

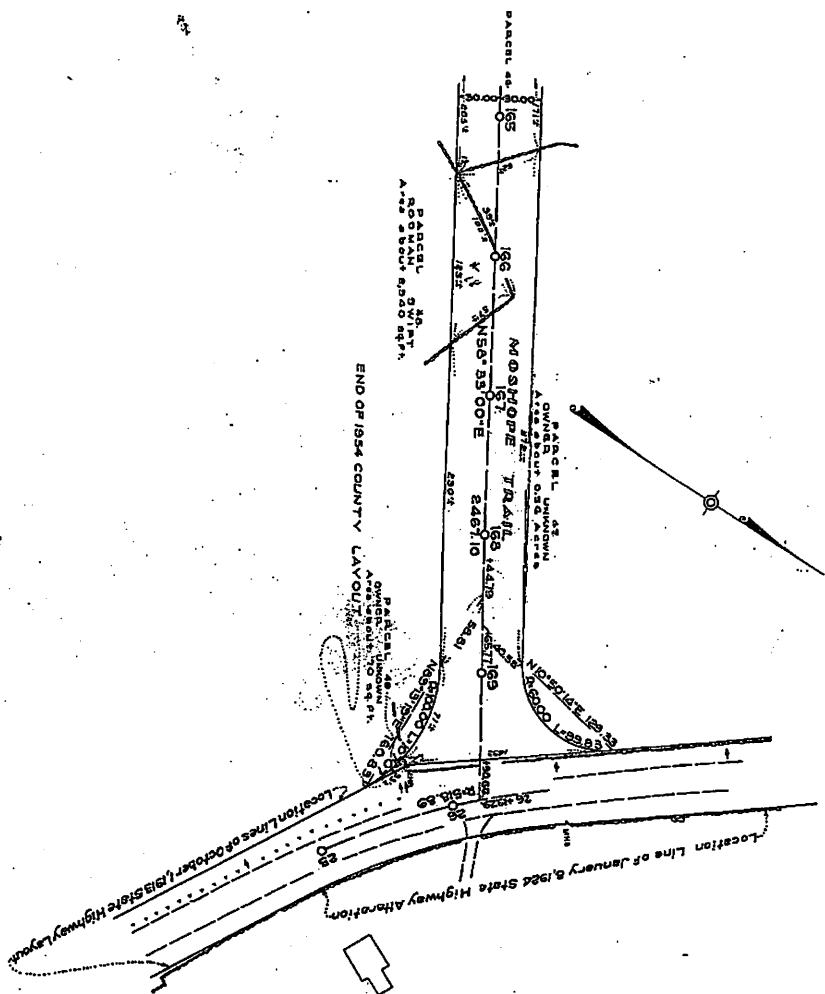
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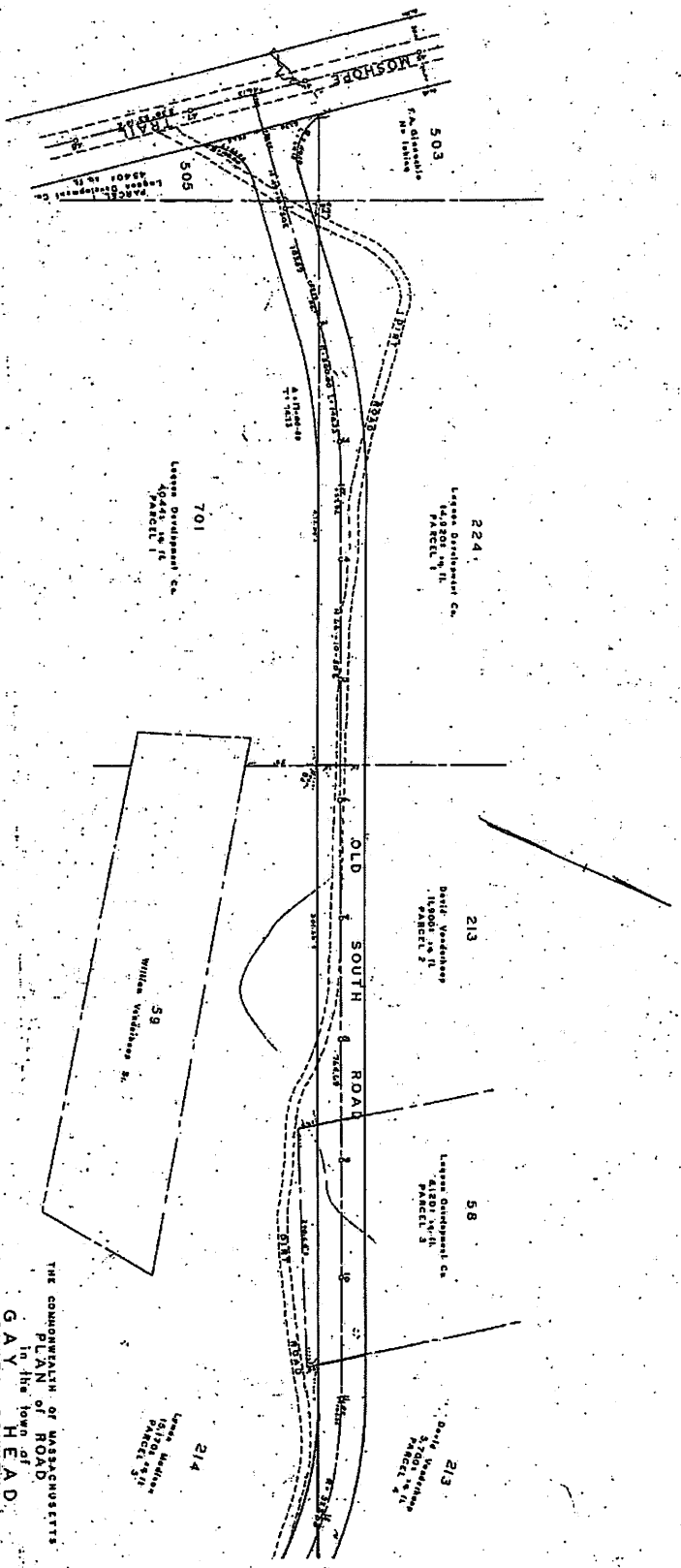


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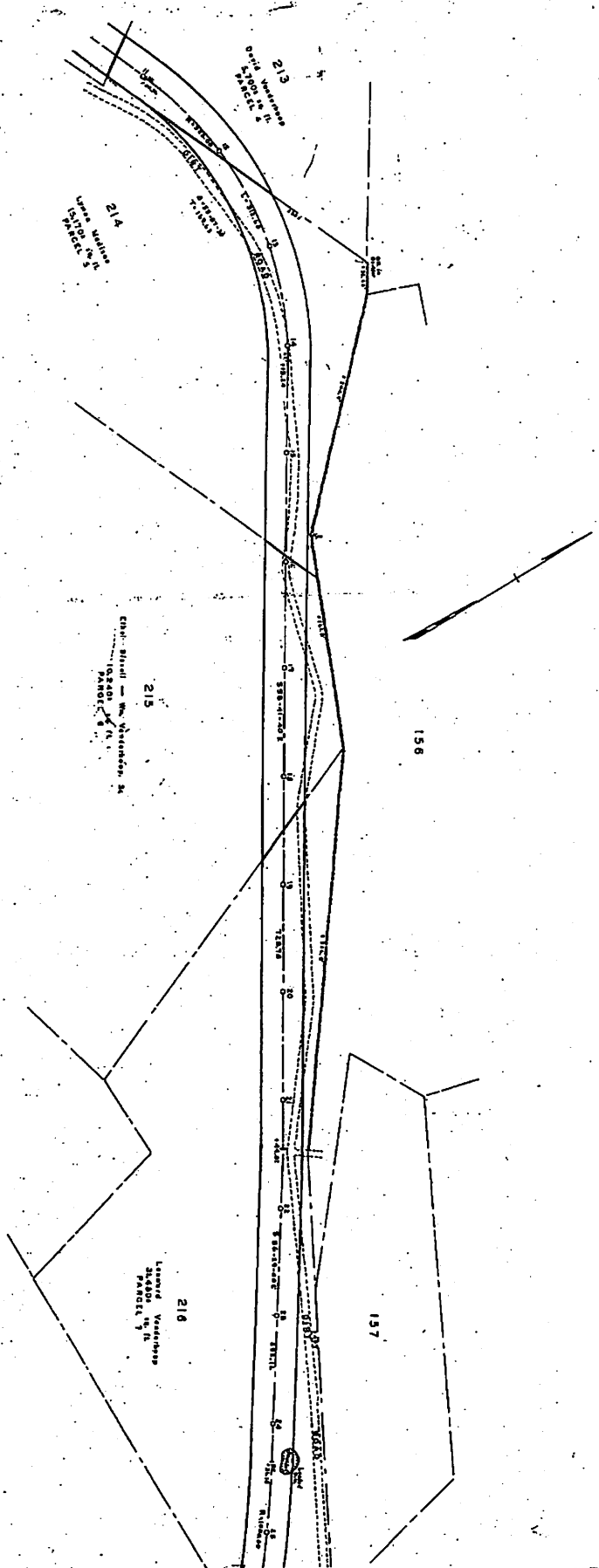
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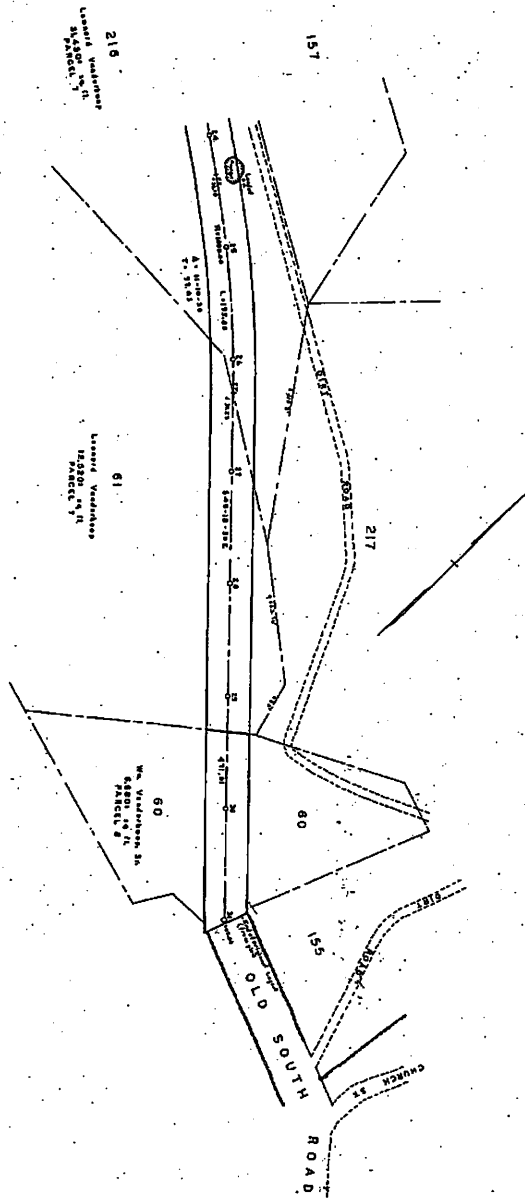
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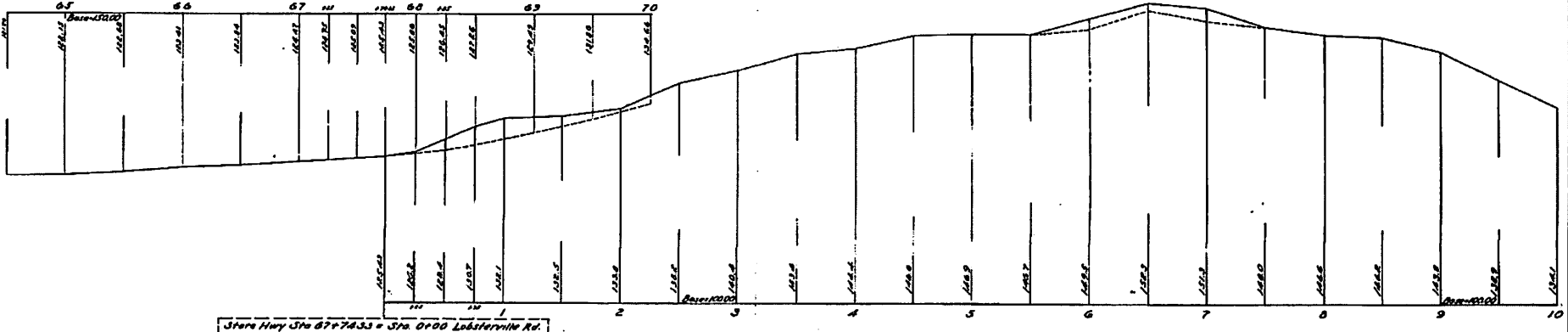
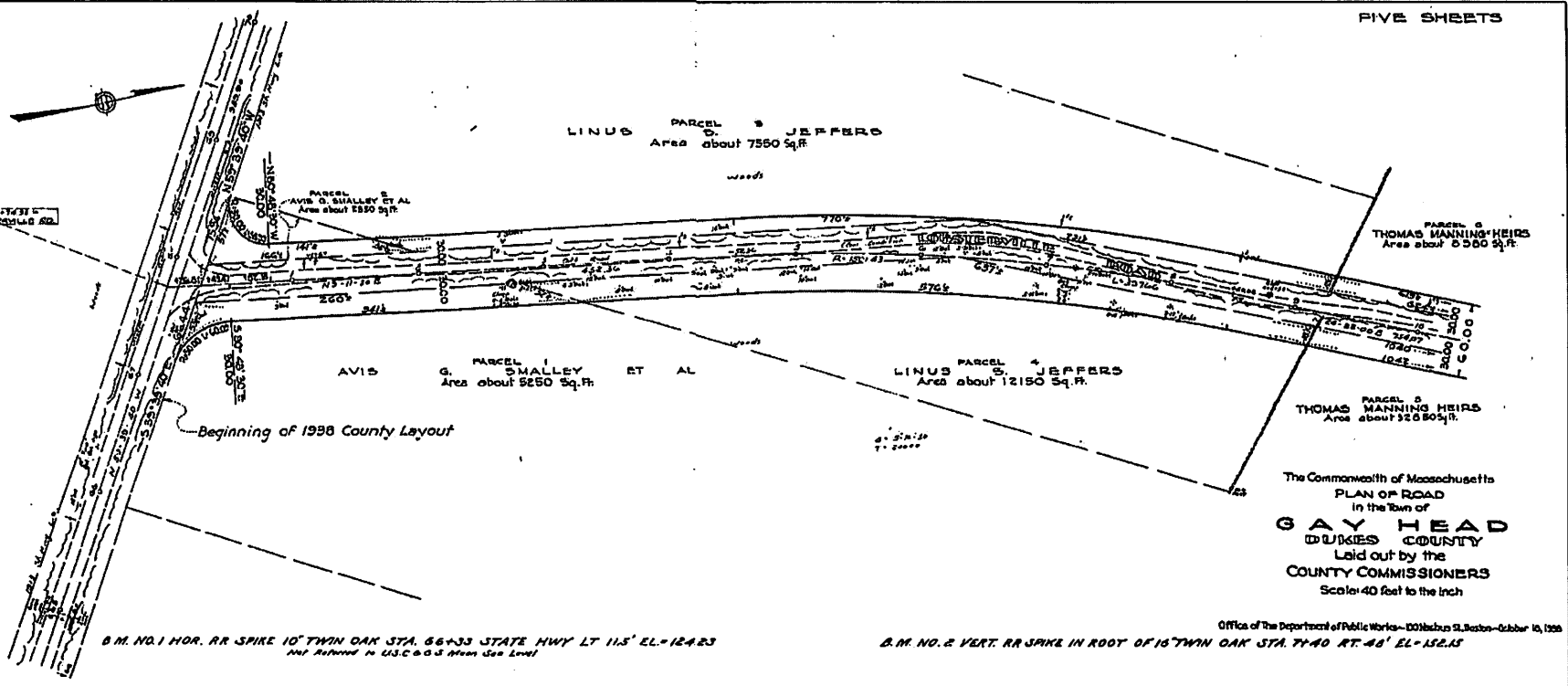
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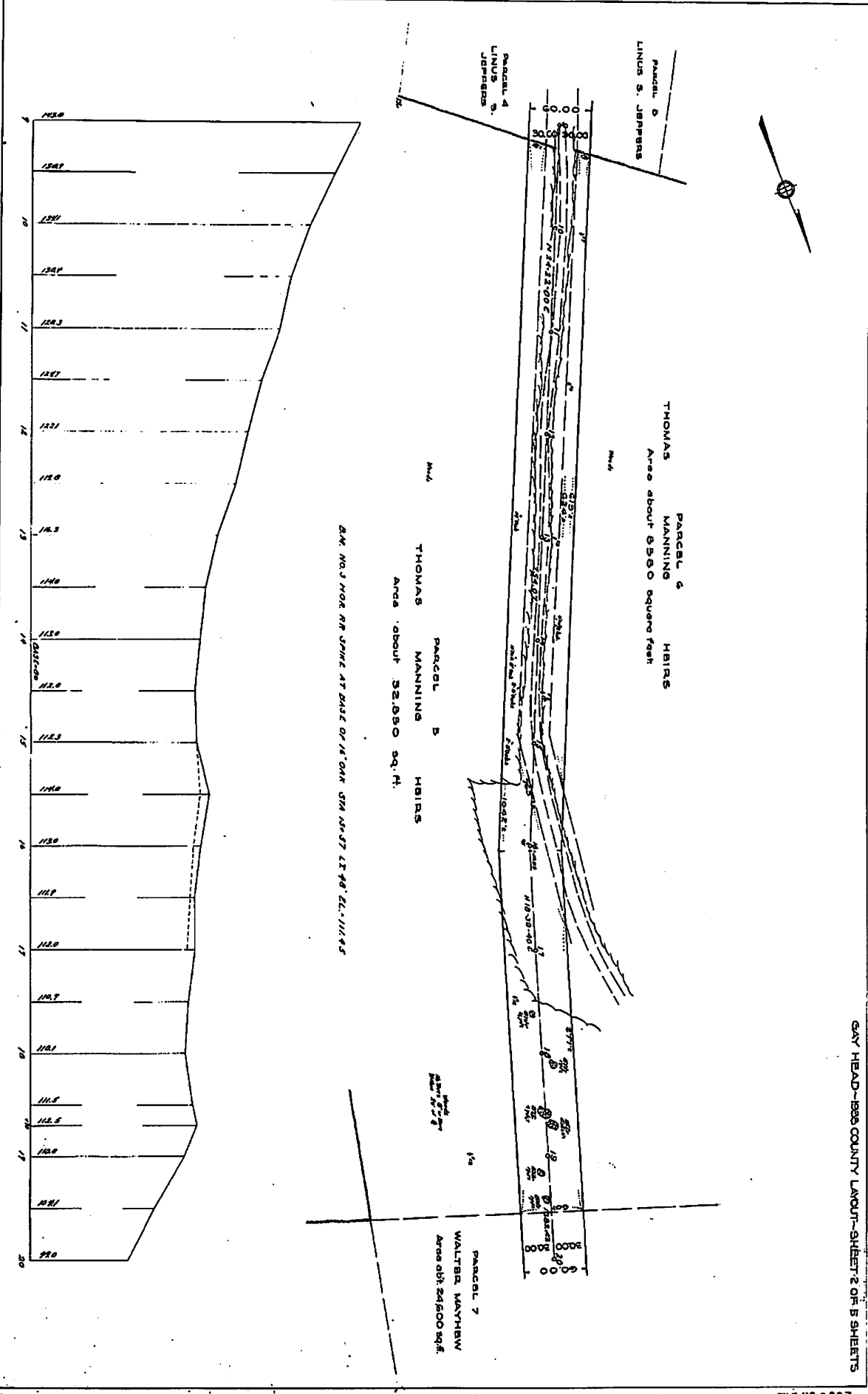
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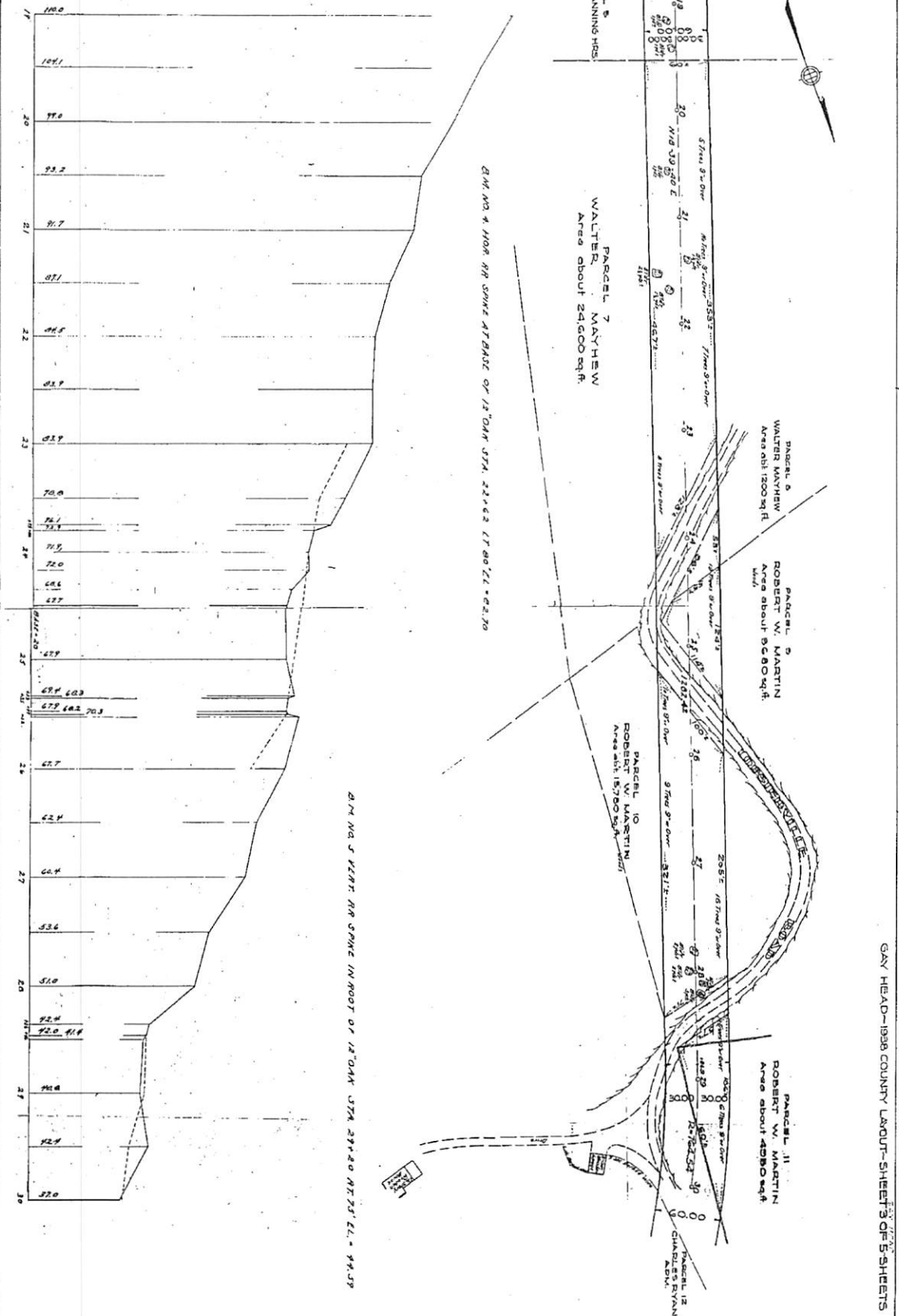
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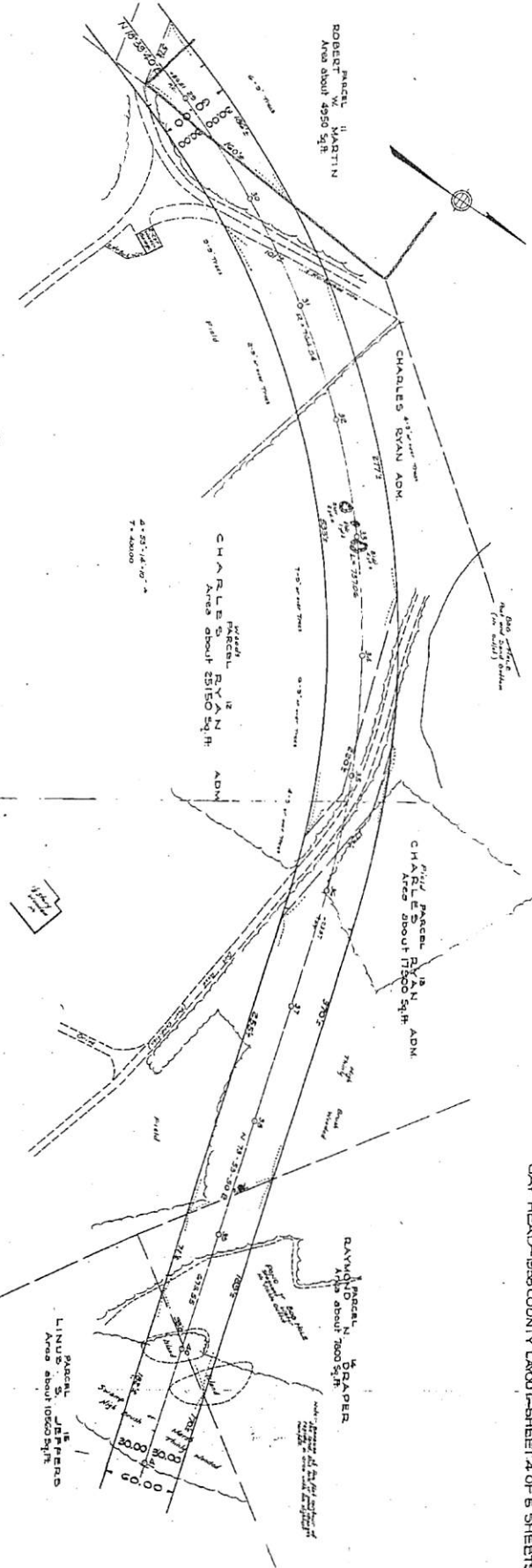
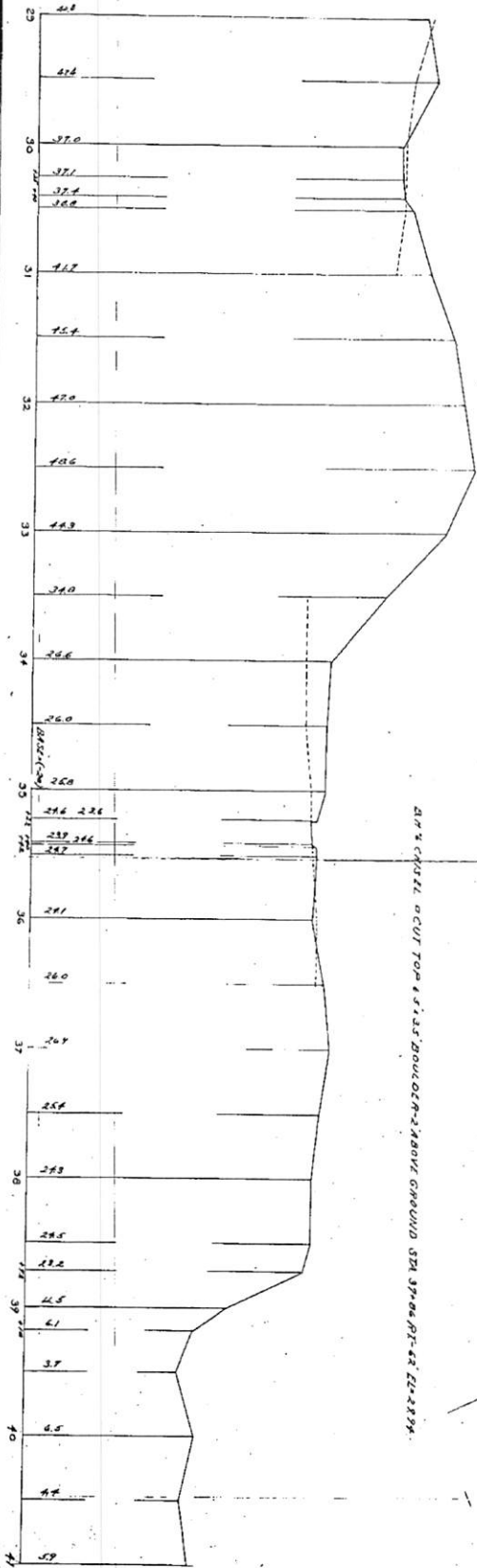
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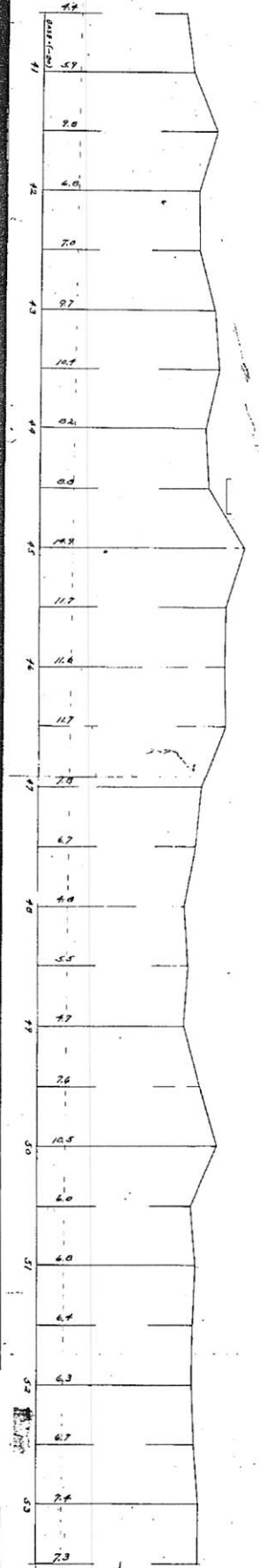


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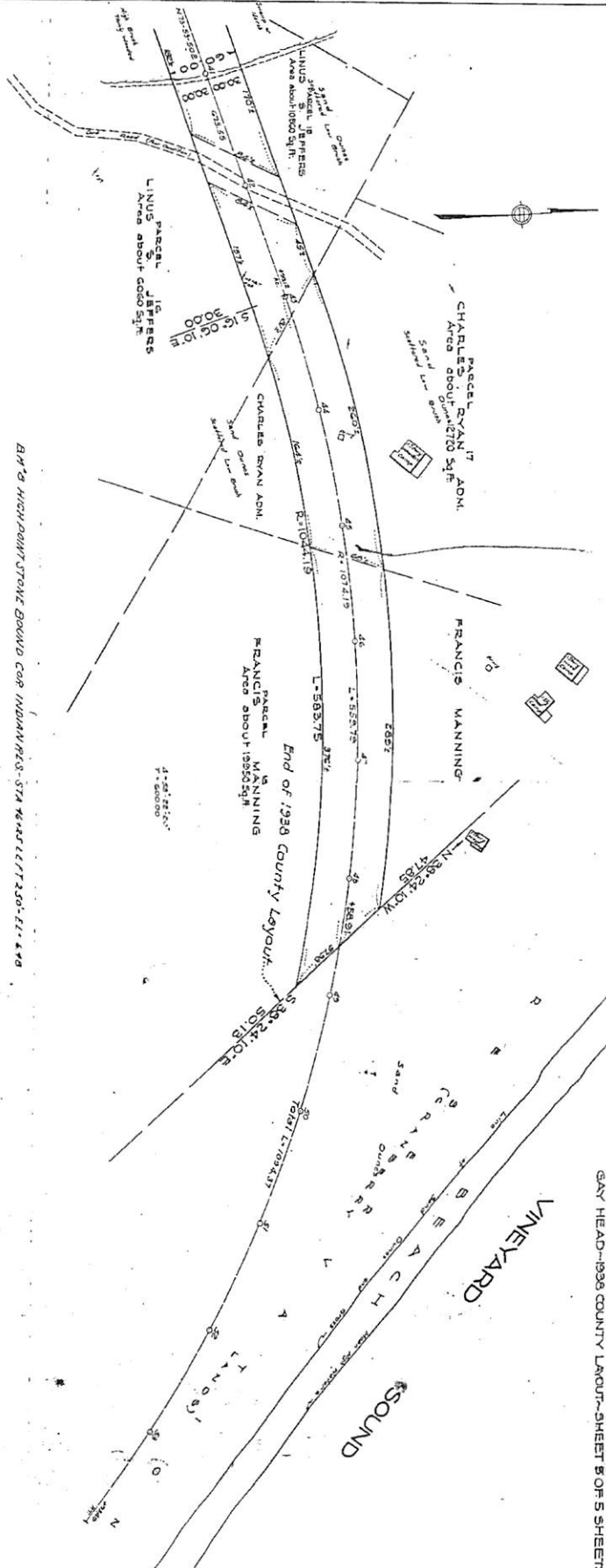
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A-17 TOP 1/8" ANGLE IRON 4" ABOVE GROUND - STA. 42+39.12 RIGHT 70'-E-11-43

A-18 HIGH POINT STONE GROUND COR. INDIAN RES. - STA. 46+45 LEFT 250'-E-1-440

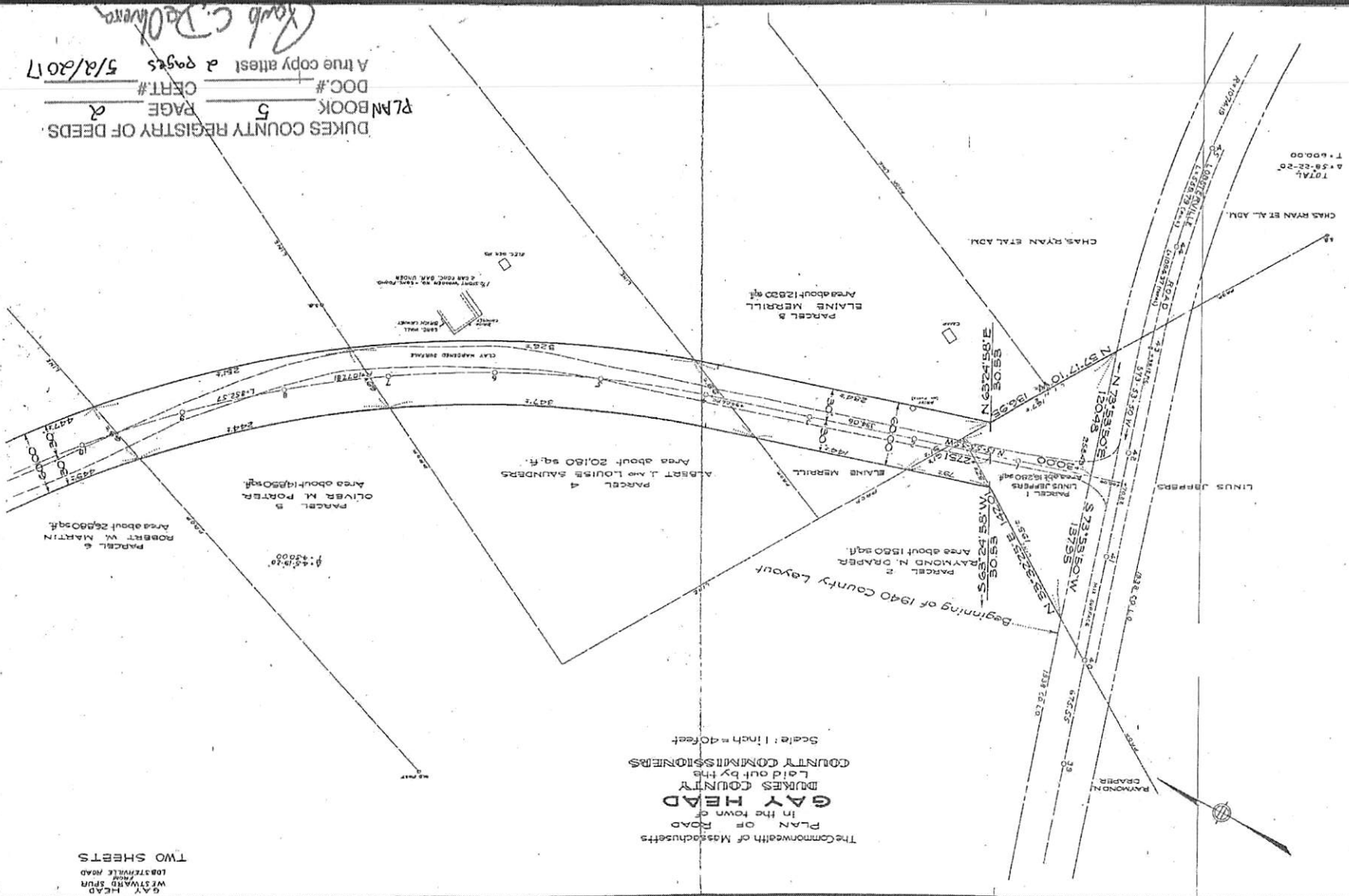
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GAY HEAD-1936 COUNTY LAYOUT-SHEET 5 OF 5 SHEETS

GAY HEAD
 W STWARD SPUR
 FROM
 100 STEPHENLE ROAD
 TWO SHEETS

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
 In the town of
GAY HEAD
 DUKES COUNTY
 Laid out by the
 COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
 Scale: 1 inch = 40 feet



TOTAL
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Parcel 5
OLIVER W. PORTER
Area about 14350 sq. ft.

Parcel 5
ROBERT W. MARTIN
Area about 26400 sq. ft.

HENRY C. OTTIVELL

End of 1940 County Layout

221 W. Main St.
Lafayette, La.
1940 COUNTY LAYOUT -
SHEET 2 OF 2 SHEETS

