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SENATE COMMITTEE REPORT

FIRST COMMITTEE OF REFERRAL

Date of 5-DAY NOTICE \_\_\_\_\_  
IN ACCORDANCE WITH UNIFORM RULE 23

\*\*FISCAL NOTE(S) MUST BE ATTACHED  
IN ACCORDANCE WITH AS 24.08.035

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1/9/89

Mr. President:

C&RA

Committee considered SB 42

state marine parks

and recommended:

replace with CS \_\_\_\_\_  same title

attached amendment(s) and  new title

\_\_\_\_\_ letter of intent adopted

do pass

do not pass

no recommendation

individual recommendations

further referral to \_\_\_\_\_

FISCAL NOTE(S) attached  zero

appropriation no FN attached

fiscal impact

Gov. FN introduced w/ bill

MEMBERS SIGNING DO PASS

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

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Chairman signature and recommendation

Committee backup attached

## FISCAL NOTE

**REQUEST:**

Revision Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: State Marine Parks  
Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_  
Requestor: Szymanski & Kerttula

Agency Affected: Dept. of Fish and Game  
BRU: Habitat  
Components: \_\_\_\_\_

**EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars)**

OPERATING	FY 89	FY 90	FY 91	FY 92	FY 93	FY 94
PERSONAL SERVICES		0				
TRAVEL		0				
CONTRACTUAL		0				
SUPPLIES		0				
EQUIPMENT		0				
LAND & STRUCTURES		0				
GRANTS, CLAIMS		0				
MISCELLANEOUS		0				
<b>TOTAL OPERATING</b>		0				

CAPITAL		0				
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REVENUE		0				
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**FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)**

GENERAL FUND		0				
FEDERAL FUNDS		0				
OTHER		0				
<b>TOTAL</b>		0				

**POSITIONS:**

FULL-TIME						
PART-TIME						
TEMPORARY						

**ANALYSIS :** (Attach a separate page if necessary)

Prepared by: Alaska Dept. of Fish and Game  
Division: Habitat  
Approved by Commissioner: *Orville Ellensworth*  
Agency: Dept. of Fish and Game

Phone: 465-4105  
Date: 1/23/89  
Date: 1.23.89

Distribution (by preparer):  
Legislative Finance  
Legislative Sponsor  
Requestor  
Office of Management and Budget  
Impacted Agency(ies)



STATE OF ALASKA  
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

BILL ANALYSIS

DEPARTMENT Fish and Game	Habitat	BILL NUMBER SB42	SPONSOR Szymanski and Kerttula
SHORT TITLE OF BILL An Act relating to state marine parks			
DEPARTMENT POSITION Support			
PREPARED BY Frank Rie	<i>Frank H. Rie</i>	DATE 1/23/89	<i>Robert Szymanski</i> DATE 1-23-89

SUMMARY

OTHER AGENCIES AFFECTED BY BILL Department of Natural Resources Division of Parks	CONSTITUENT GROUPS AFFECTED BY BILL Recreational users, fishermen, hunters
ORGANIZATIONAL SUPPORT FOR BILL None known	ORGANIZATIONAL OPPOSITION TO BILL None known
FISCAL IMPACT: <input type="checkbox"/> NONE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FISCAL NOTE ATTACHED	

BACKGROUND/LEGISLATIVE INTENT  
 o add new marine parks to the state park system.

ANALYSIS OF BILL/PROGRAM EFFECTS  
 The bill would add to the marine parks system eleven new areas: Beaches; Cane Passage; Decision Point; Driftwood Bay; Entry Cove; Granite Point; Jack Bay; Safety Cove; Sandpit Point; Sunny Cove; and Thumb Cove. This bill is in compliance with the recommendations agreed to in the Prince William Sound Area Plan.  
 As written, the bill will specifically avoid overlap with the existing Cooper River Delta Critical Habitat Area. The critical habitat area is already managed for protection of fish and wildlife and their habitats and public use and enjoyment.

AMENDMENTS PROPOSED

PLEASE ATTACH A SEPARATE SHEET FOR ADDITIONAL COMMENTS OR ANALYSIS

**COMMUNITY AND REGIONAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE  
JANUARY 24, 1989**

**SENATE BILL 42: AN ACT RELATING TO STATE MARINE PARKS  
SPONSOR: SZYMANSKI  
FISCAL:**

**THE NEXT BILL BEFORE THE COMMITTEE IS SENATE BILL 42, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE MARINE PARKS. THIS BILL WOULD ADD TWELVE NEW UNITS TO THE PRESENT MARINE PARK SYSTEM. THE ADDED UNITS ARE PRIMARILY IN PRINCE WILLIAM SOUND BUT SEVERAL ARE IN THE SEWARD AND RESURRECTION BAY VICINITY.**

**THE BILL IS ACCOMPANIED BY TWO FISCAL NOTES. ONE FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES IS FOR \$36,500 IN FY 90. THE OTHER FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME IS ZERO.**

**SENATOR SZYMANSKI, THE BILL'S SPONSOR IS HERE TO TESTIFY. WE ALSO HAVE PEOPLE ON TELECONFERENCE FROM ANCHORAGE TO TESTIFY.**

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**T-CONF: PETE NOGLE- FROM CHUGIAK AK CORP  
RITA HENDRICKS-PRINCE WILLIAM SOUND  
CLIFF AMES-AK CENTER FOR ENVIRONMENT**

**AL MINERS DNR WILL BE HERE TO ANSWER QUESTIONS  
BOB LAUFFLER-DNR  
BILL GOUDE-**

STATE OF ALASKA  
1989 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL VERSION: SB 42

PUBLISH DATE:

FISCAL NOTE

REQUEST:

Revision Date: 23-Jan-89  
 Title: An Act relating to state marine parks  
 Sponsor: Szymanski & Kertulla  
 Requestor: Community & Regional Affairs

Agency Affected: Natural Resources  
 BRU: Parks Management  
 Components: Parks Management

EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING	FY 89	FY 90	FY 91	FY 92	FY 93	FY 94
PERSONAL SERVICES		12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0
TRAVEL		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
CONTRACTUAL		2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
SUPPLIES		3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
EQUIPMENT		19.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
LAND&STRUCTURES						
GRANTS,CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
TOTAL OPERATING	0.0	36.5	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0
CAPITAL						
REVENUE						

FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)

GENERAL FUND		36.5	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0
FEDERAL FUNDS						
OTHER						
TOTAL	0.0	36.5	17.0	17.0	17.0	17.0

POSITIONS:

FULL-TIME						
PART-TIME						
TEMPORARY						

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

See Attached

Prepared by: Neil Johannsen  
 Division: Parks Management

Phone: 762-2600  
 Date: 23-Jan-89

Approved by Commissioner: Lennie Gorsuch  
 Agency: Department of Natural Resources

Date: 23-Jan-89

Distribution (by preparer) :  
 Legislative Finance  
 Legislative Sponsor  
 Requestor  
 Office of Management and Budget  
 Impacted Agency(ies)

## Marine Parks

Personal Services: The following person months would be added to existing positions:

PCN 5223 Park Ranger I (Seward), 2 months @ \$3400/month - \$ 6,800  
PCN 5144 Park Ranger II (Glenallen-Valdez), 1.5 months  
@ \$3437/month -- \$ 5,200

Contractual: Boat storage, film processing, aircraft and vessel charters -- \$ 2,000

Supplies: Purchase of two lifejackets, a marine radio, fire extinguishers, emergency signaling equipment, survival suit, and miscellaneous camping equipment -- \$ 3,000

Equipment: Purchase of one 15 foot inflatable boat with a 25 hp motor and a trailer for use in the Valdez area, and purchase of one 18 foot Boston whaler for use in the Seward/Whittier area. \$19,500

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Total \$36,500

These funds will provide a basic level of management for the new marine parks, as well as seven other previously established marine parks in this area. Rangers will work with the Prince William Sound Recreation Association in routinely supervising and managing the area's marine parks, and in developing management plans required under AS 41.21.302(c). The Division of Parks and Outdoor Recreation has signed a cooperative management agreement with this non-profit group.



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Prepared by

Alaska Division of Parks

December 1988

*Grant Anderson: No funds - get copy of manuscript re: Prince William Sound Region Project Map*

PROPOSED ADDITIONS  
TO THE  
ALASKA MARINE PARK SYSTEM

The bill will add twelve marine parks to the Alaska State Park System. Five of the areas are located in the Seward/Resurrection Bay area and seven are located in Prince William Sound. These areas will be managed under the same laws and regulations as existing units of the Alaska Marine Park System (AS 41.21.302).

The areas proposed as marine parks possess a wide variety of public values. They are areas frequented by Alaskans and visitors to the state for saltwater recreation activities. They contain outstanding scenic and natural values. Fish and wildlife values in these areas are high. These areas are generally located close to the communities of Seward, Whittier, Valdez and Cordova. They range in size from several hundred acres to several thousand. Under the provisions of the existing marine park law (AS 41.21.302) these areas will be managed to:

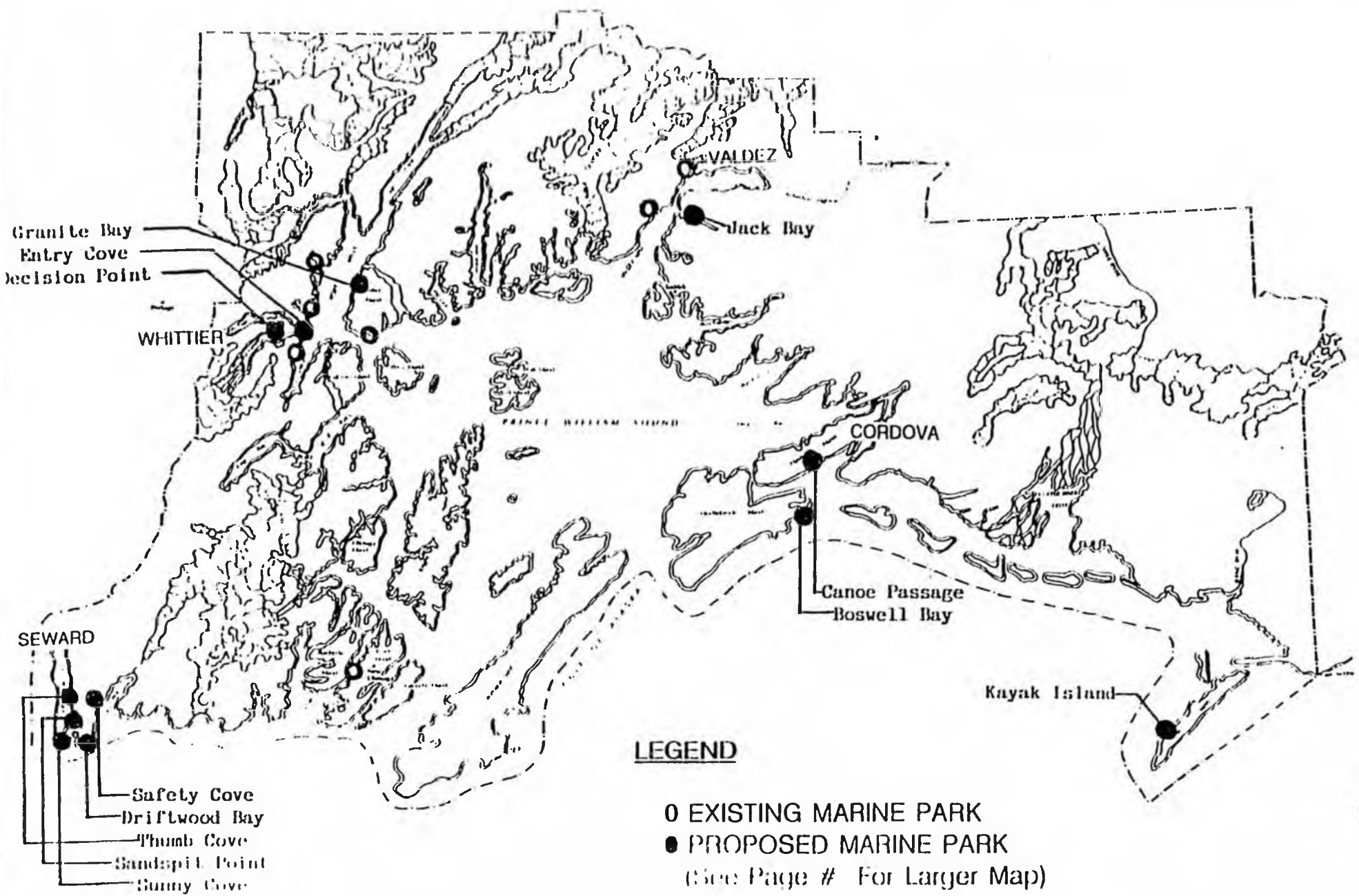
- (1) maintain natural, cultural, and scenic values;
- (2) maintain fish and wildlife resources and lawful existing uses of these resources;
- (3) promote and support recreation and tourism in the state.

DNR is assigned the land and resource management responsibilities in the areas. ADF&G manages the fish and wildlife resources including harvest activities.

Development of aquaculture facilities is permitted, though it may be regulated to protect park values. Access to adjoining mining claims is provided for as is cooperative management of native historical sites. Management plans are to be prepared for each area. The preparation of these plans requires consultation with agencies, local governments and interest groups.

The proposed marine parks are supported by the Cities of Seward and Whittier, Chugach Alaska, Inc. and outdoor recreation and conservation groups. The designation by the legislature of these areas as marine parks is recommended by DNR's recently completed Prince William Sound Area Plan. Public support for the establishment of these marine parks is strong, as evidenced by testimony at numerous public meetings on the Prince William Sound Area Plan.

# PRINCE WILLIAM SOUND/RESURRECTION BAY STATE MARINE PARKS

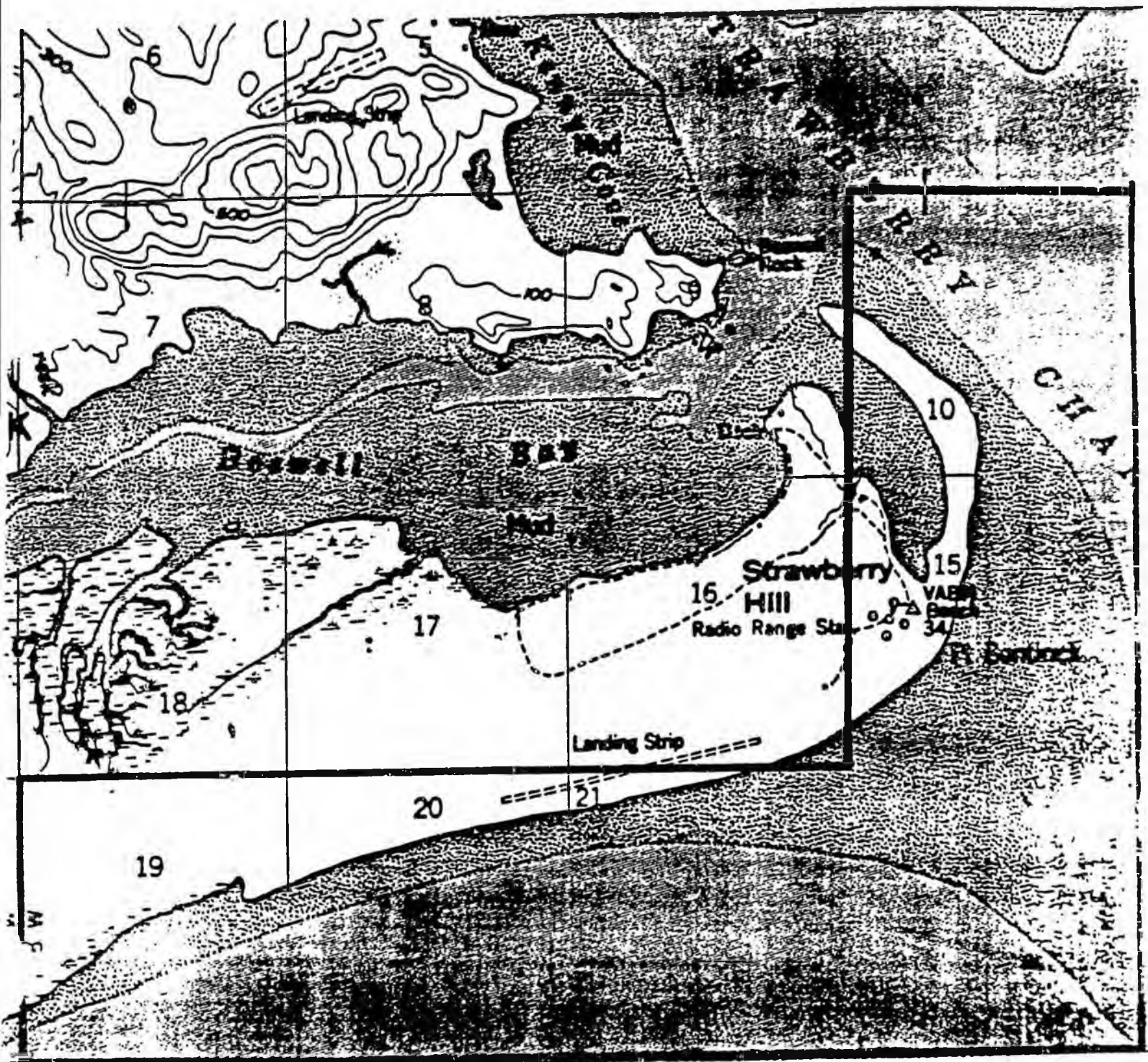


## LEGEND

- EXISTING MARINE PARK
  - PROPOSED MARINE PARK
- (See Page # For Larger Map)

LIST OF AREAS

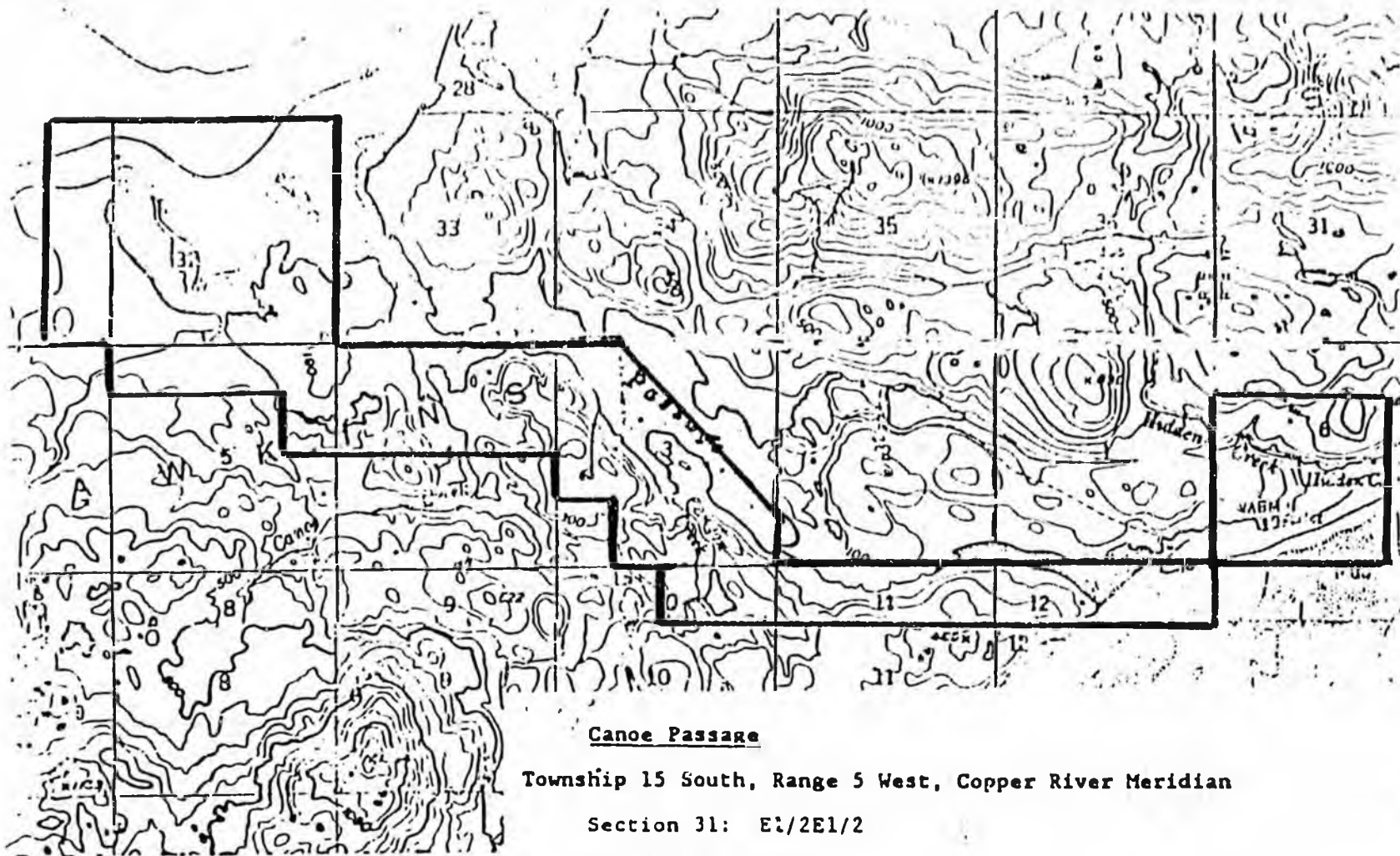
<u>Name</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Map Page #</u>	<u>AS.41.21.304#</u>
Boswell Bay	799	6	20
Cance Passage	2,735	7	21
Decision Point	460	8	22
Driftwood Bay	840	9	23
Entry Cove	370	10	24
Granite Bay	2,105	11	25
Kayak Island	1,437	12	26
Jack Bay	811	13	27
Safety Cove	660	14	28
Sandspit Point	600	15	29
Sunny Cove	300	16	30
Thumbs Cove	300	17	31



**BOSWELL BAY BEACHES** (Upland acreage = approximately 799 acres)

- Township 17 South, Range 5 West, Copper River Meridian.
- Section 10: ALL excluding the Copper River Delta State Critical Habitat Area
  - Section 15: ALL excluding the Copper River Delta State Critical Habitat Area
  - Section 19: ALL
  - Section 20: ALL
  - Section 21: ALL
  - Section 22: AT.I.





Canoe Passage

Township 15 South, Range 5 West, Copper River Meridian

Section 31: E1/2E1/2

Section 32: All

Township 16 South, Range 4 West, Copper River Meridian

Section 6: S1/2, S1/2N1/2

Township 16 South, Range 5 West, Copper River Meridian

Section 3: the land South and West of the mid-channel  
of Canoe Passage

Section 4: N1/2

Section 5: N1/2N1/2, SE1/4NE1/4

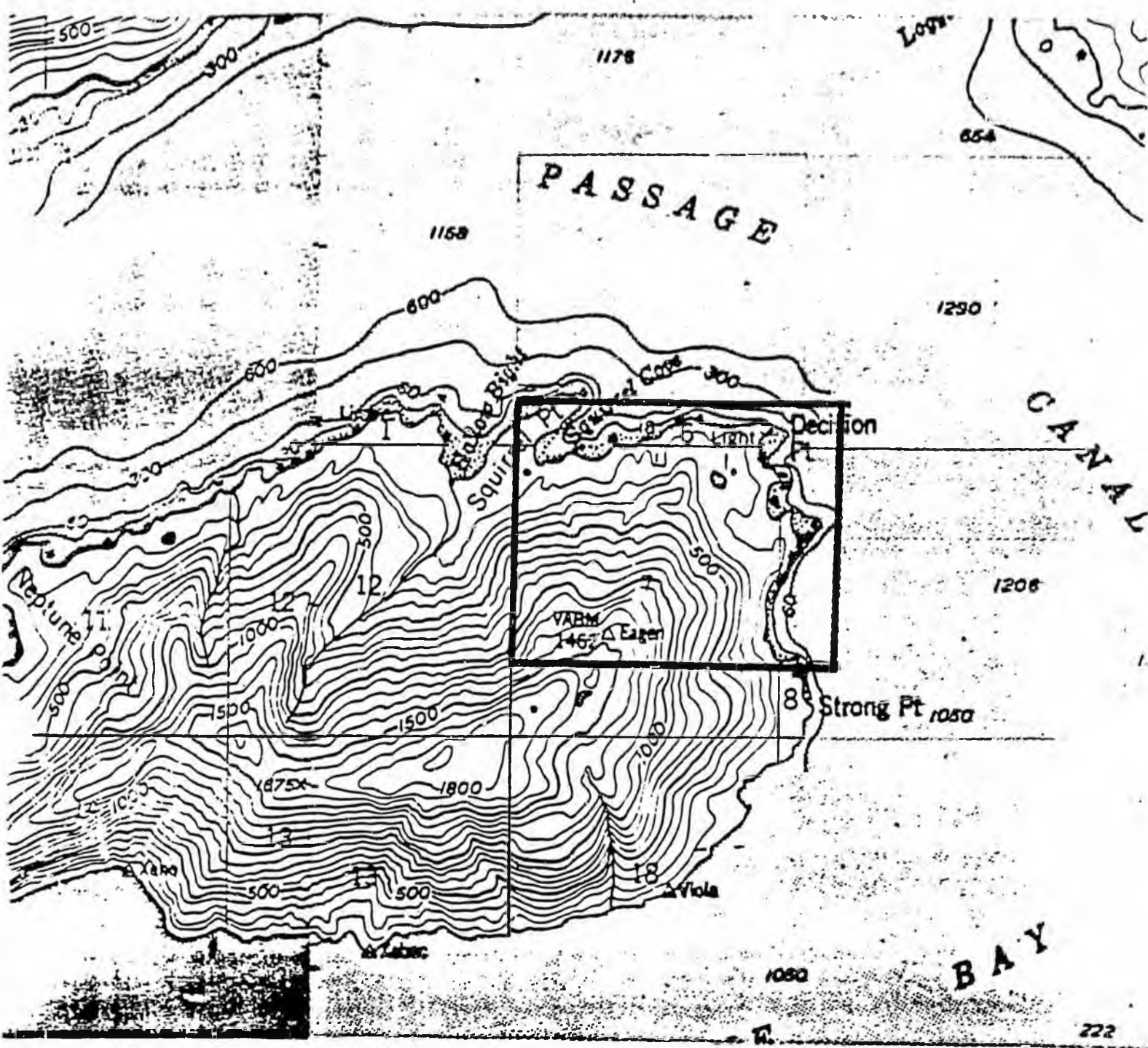
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Sections 11 -- 12: N1/2N1/2

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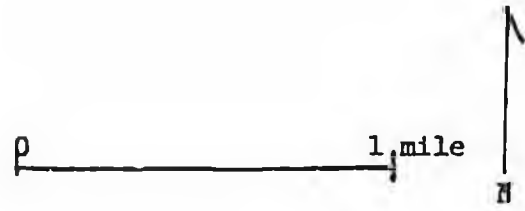


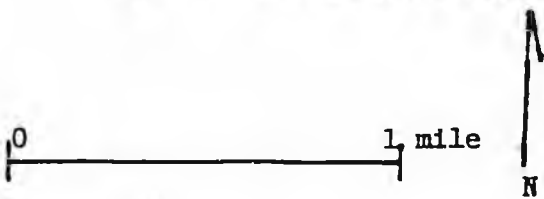
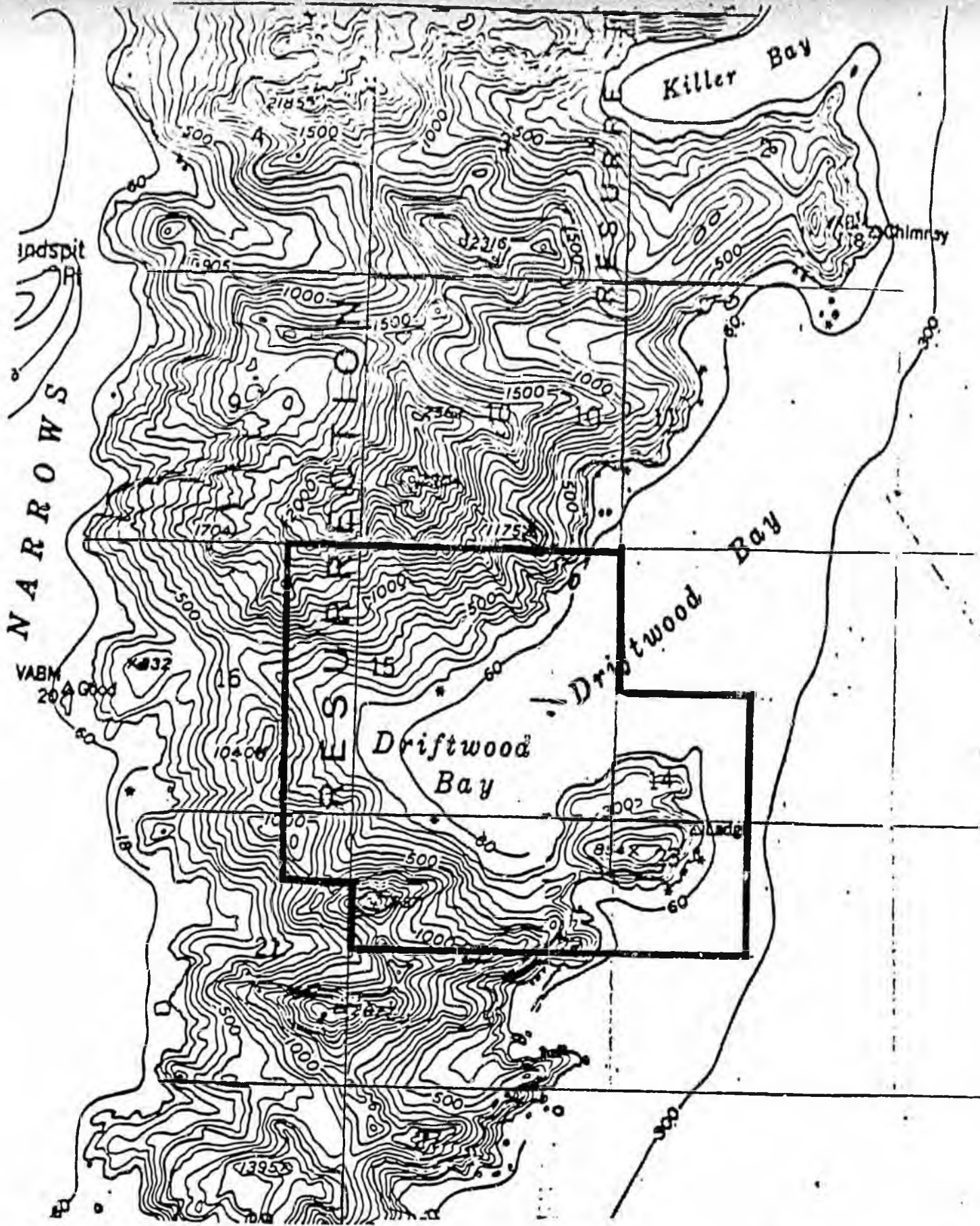


**DECISION POINT** (Upland acreage = approximately 460 acres)

Township 8 North, Range 6 East, Seward Meridian

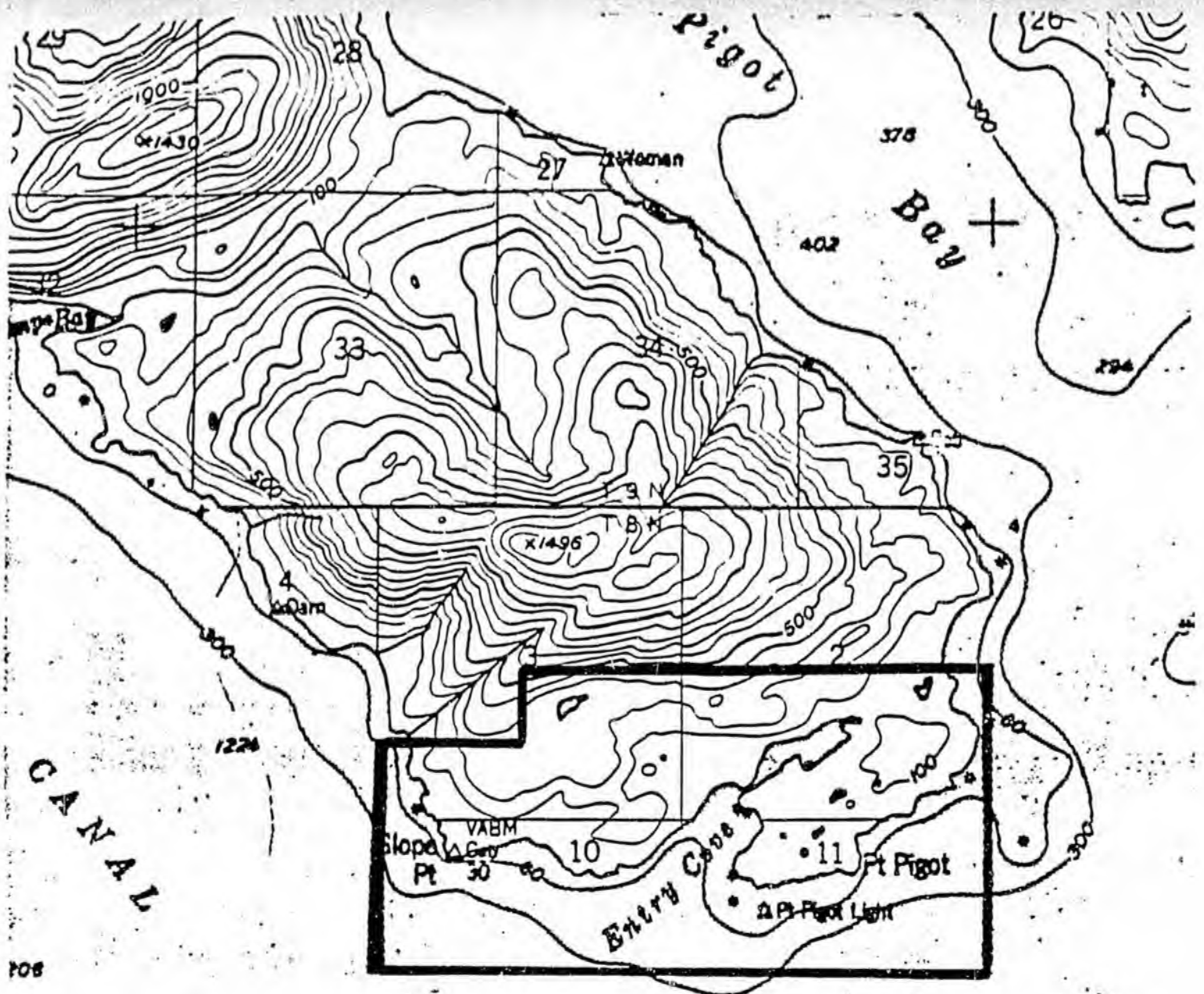
- Section 5: SW1/4SW1/4
- Section 6: S1/2S1/2
- Section 7: N1/2, N1/2S1/2
- Section 8: W1/2NW1/4, NW1/4SW1/4





**DRIFTWOOD BAY** (Upland acreage = approximately 840 acres)

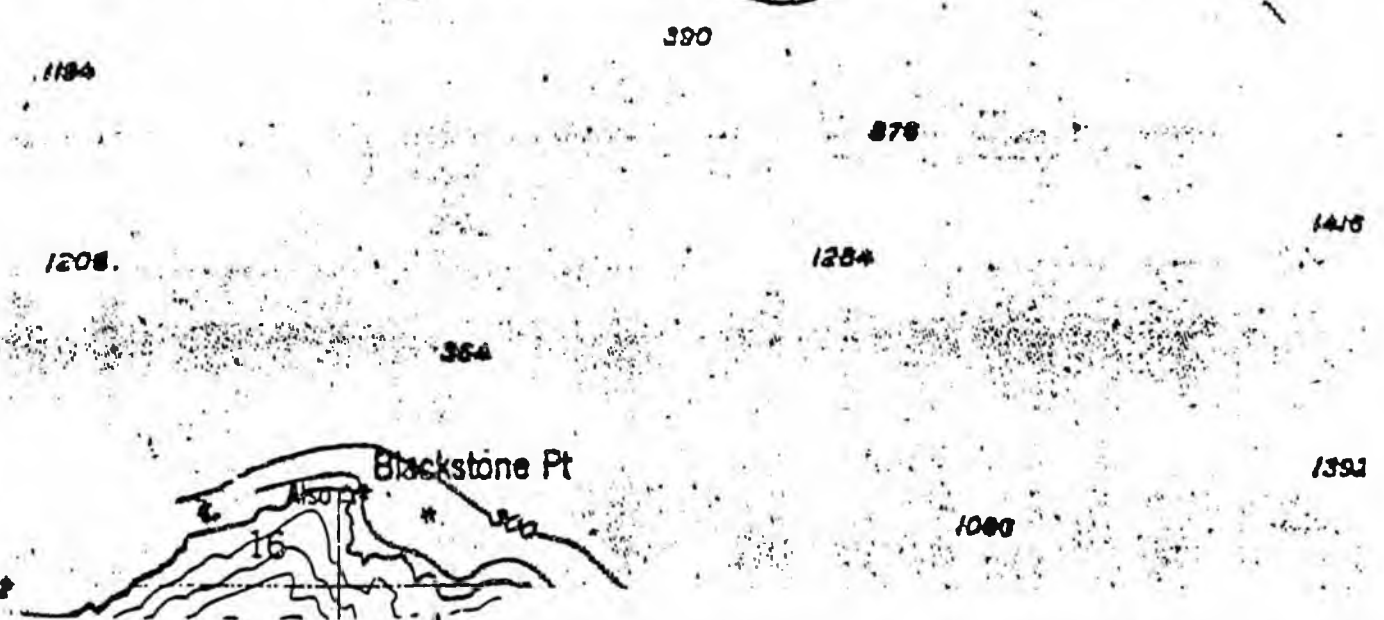
- Township 3 South, Range 1 East, Seward Meridian
- Section 14: SW1/4
  - Section 15: ALL
  - Section 16: E1/2E1/2
  - Section 21: NE1/4NE1/4
  - Section 22: N1/2
  - Section 23: NW1/4



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**ENTRY COVE** (Upland acreage = approximately 370 acres)

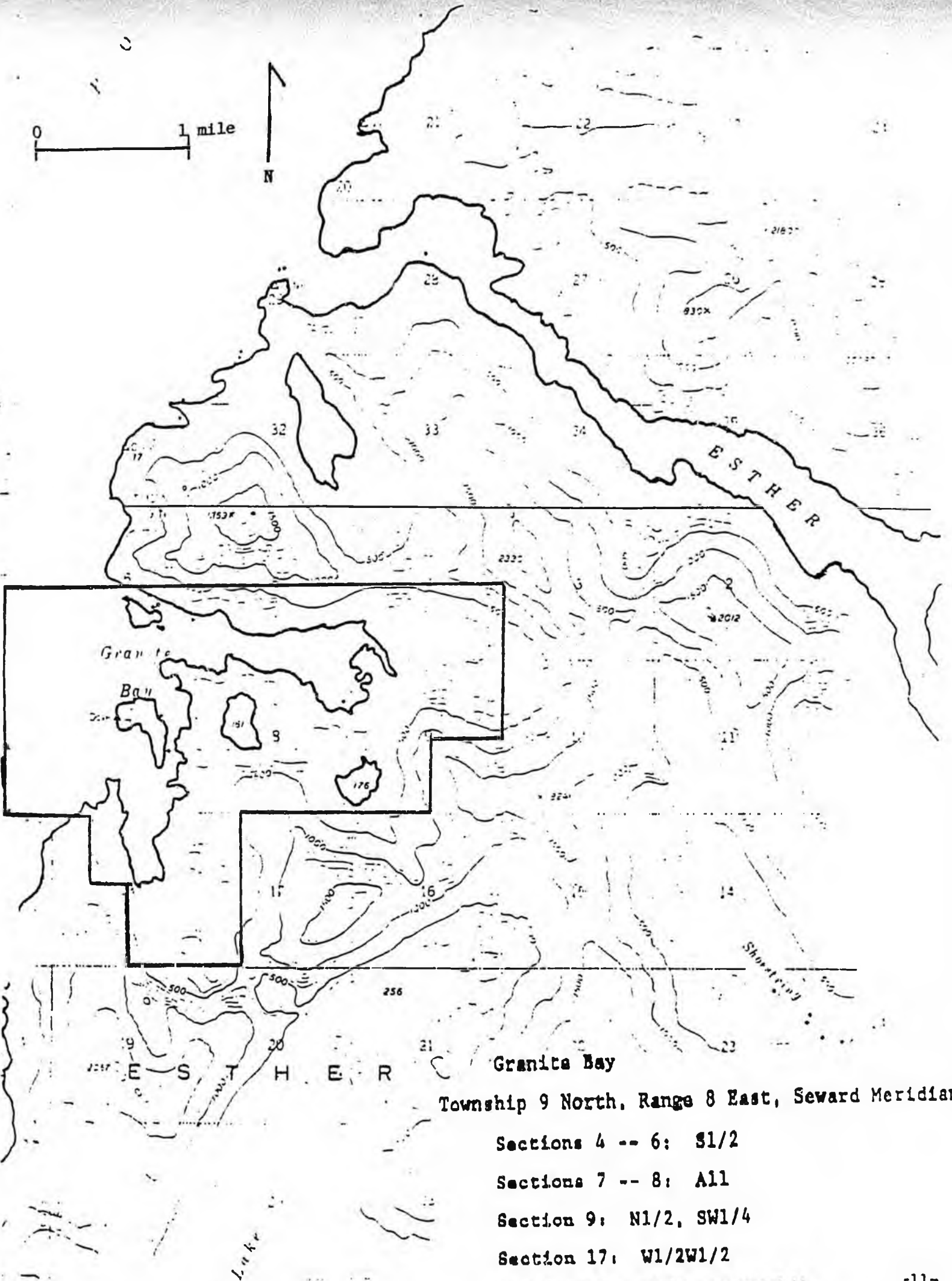
Township 8 North, Range 6 East, Seward Meridian

- Section 2: S1/2
- Section 3: SE1/4, S1/2SW1/4
- Section 10: N1/2
- Section 11: N1/2

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Bay

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ESTHER

Granite Bay

Township 9 North, Range 8 East, Seward Meridian

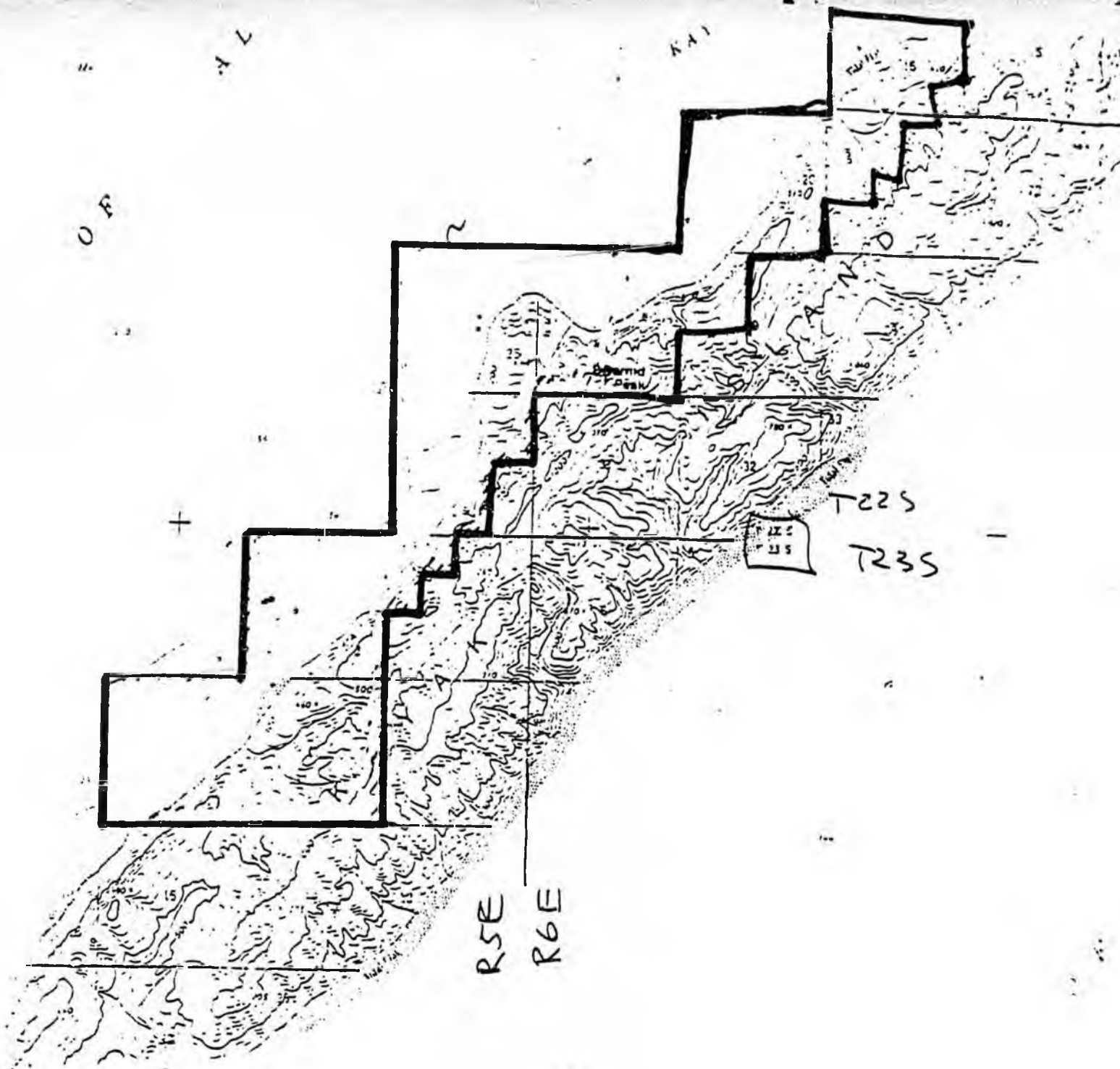
Sections 4 -- 6: S1/2

Sections 7 -- 8: All

Section 9: N1/2, SW1/4

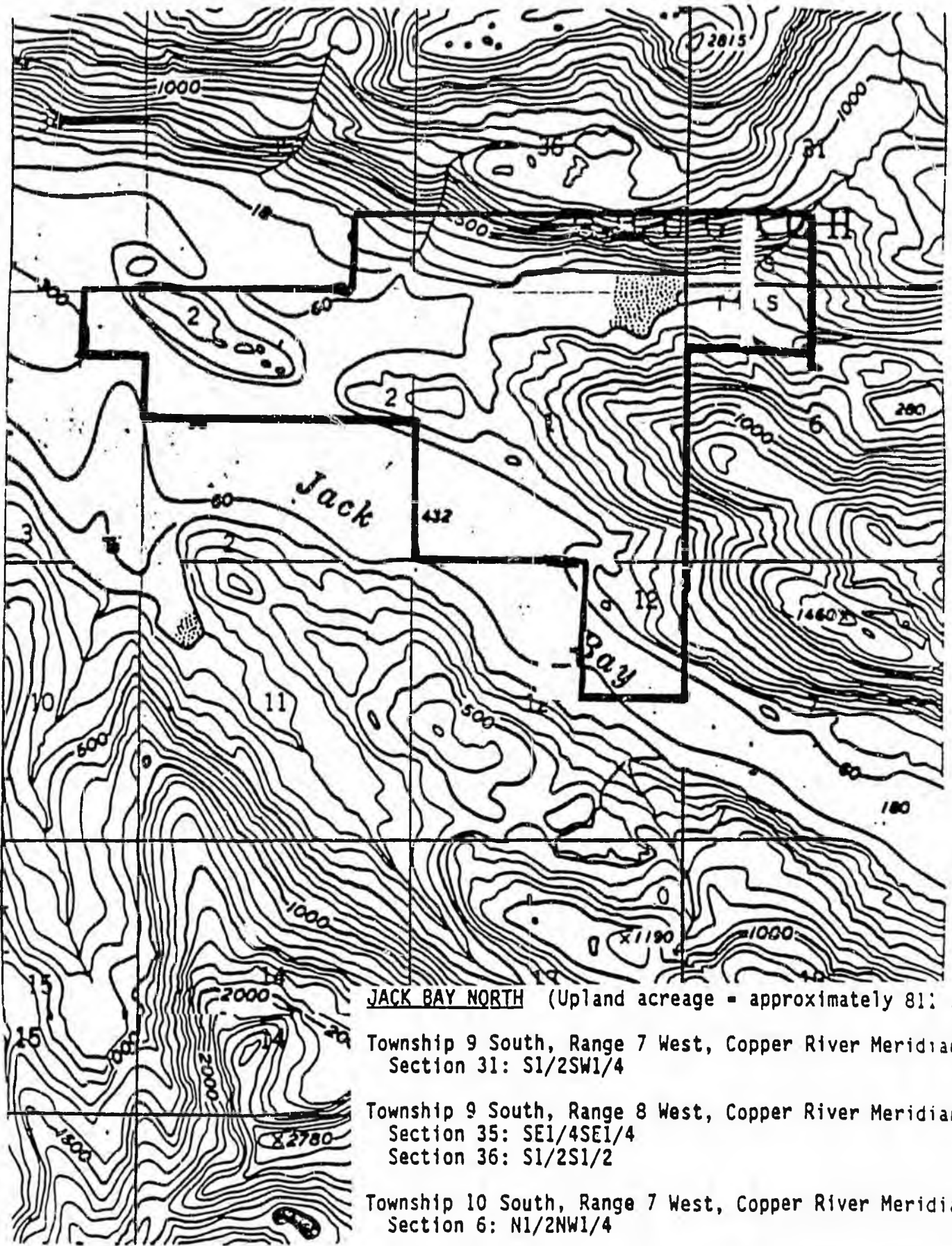
Section 17: W1/2W1/2

Section 18: S1/2 E1/2NW1/4



Kayak Island

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| <p>Township 22 South, Range 5 East, Copper River Meridian</p> <p>Section 25: All</p> <p>Section 36: N1/2, SW1/4, W1/2SE1/4</p> <p>Township 22 South, Range 6 East, Copper River Meridian</p> <p>Section 16: N1/2, SW1/4, N1/2SE1/4, SW1/4SE1/4</p> <p>Section 20: All</p> <p>Section 21: NW1/4, NW1/4SW1/4</p> <p>Section 29: NW1/4</p> <p>Section 30: All</p> | <p>Township 23 South, Range 5 East, Copper River Meridian</p> <p>Section 1: N1/2NW1/4, SW1/4NW1/4</p> <p>Section 2: All</p> <p>Sections 10 -- 11: All</p> |
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**JACK BAY NORTH** (Upland acreage = approximately 81 acres)

Township 9 South, Range 7 West, Copper River Meridian  
Section 31: S1/2SW1/4

Township 9 South, Range 8 West, Copper River Meridian  
Section 35: SE1/4SE1/4  
Section 36: S1/2S1/2

Township 10 South, Range 7 West, Copper River Meridian  
Section 6: N1/2NW1/4

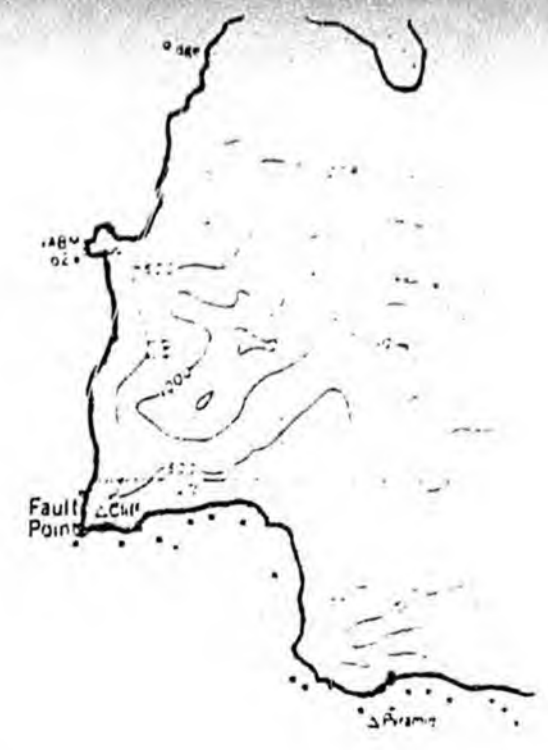
Township 10 South, Range 8 West, Copper River Meridian  
Section 1: ALL  
Section 2: N1/2, N1/2N1/2S1/2  
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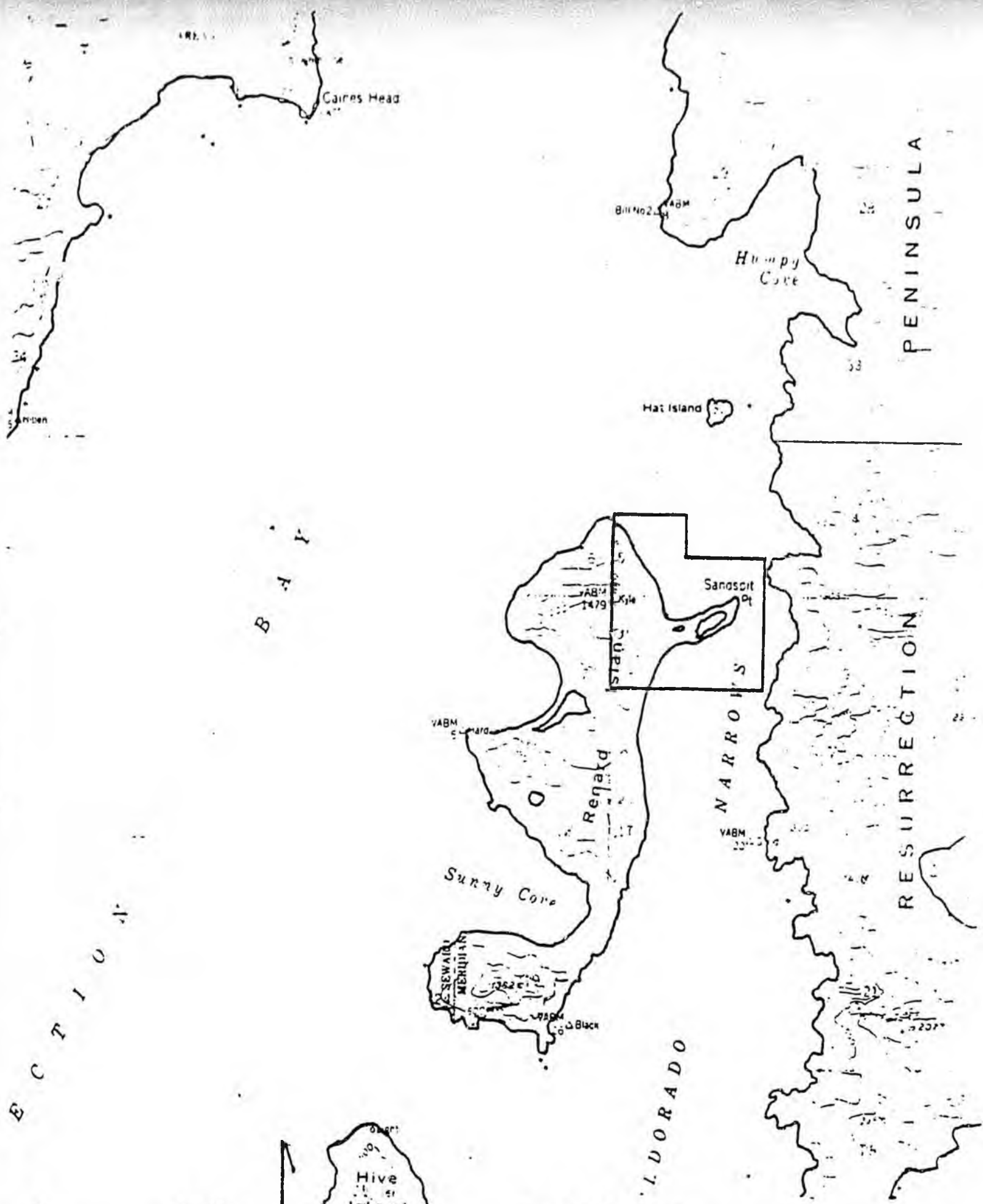


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**SAFETY COVE** (Upland acreage = approximately 660 acres)  
 Township 2 South, Range 1 East, Seward Meridian  
 Section 23: S1/2  
 Section 24: SW1/4  
 Section 25: NW1/4  
 Section 26: N1/2



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RESURRECTION

NARROWS

COLORADO

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Sandspit Point

Township 3 South, Range 1 East, Seward Meridian

Section 5: SW1/4, S1/2SE1/4  
 Section 8: N1/2

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Sunny Cove

Township 3 South, Range 1 East, Seward Meridian

Section 19: All

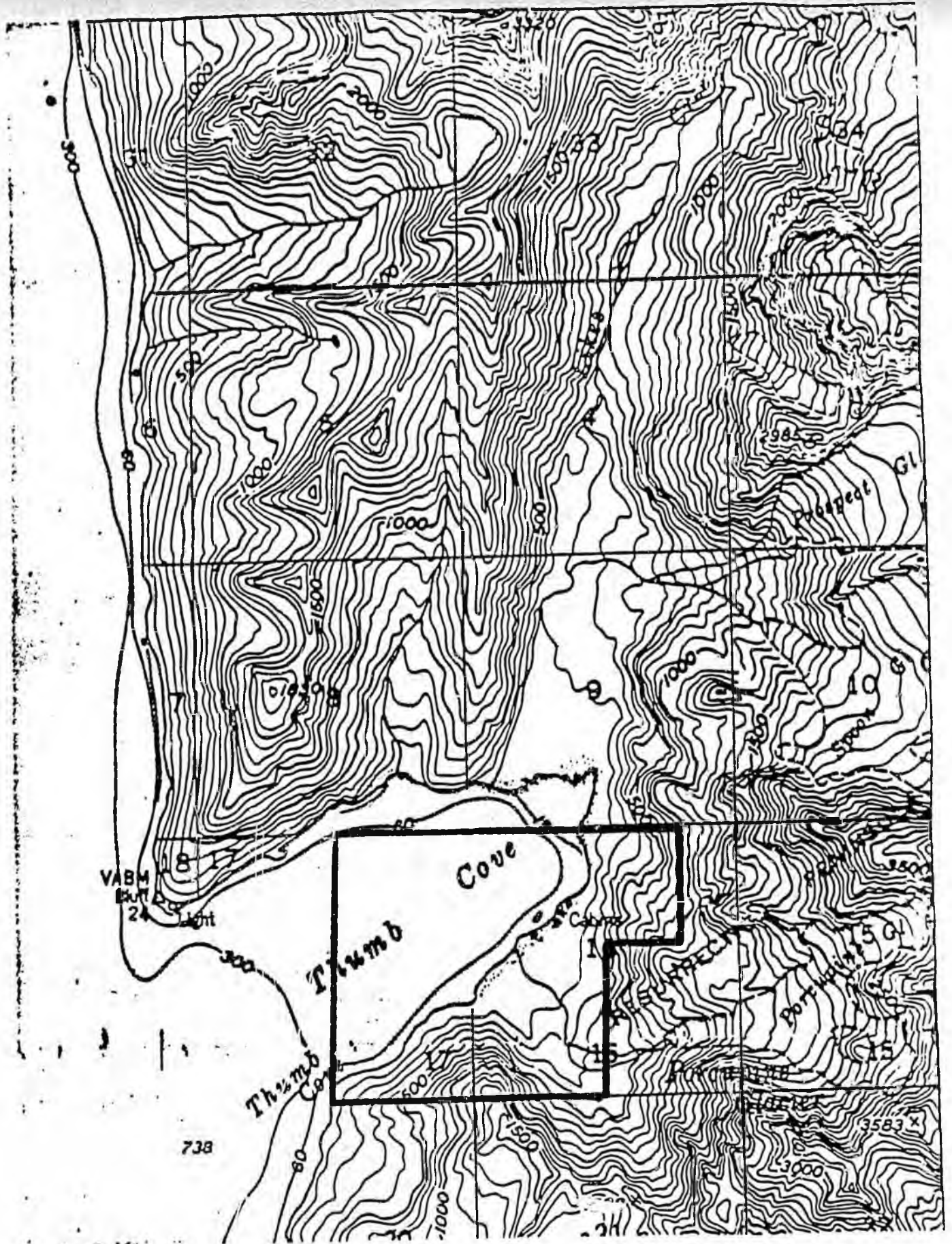
Section 20: W1/2W1/2

Township 3 South, Range 1 West, Seward Meridian

Section 24: E1/2E1/2



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Thumb Cove  
 Township 2 South, Range 1 East, Seward Meridian  
 Section 16: W1/2, W1/2NE1/4  
 Section 17: E1/2