

MR. SMITH: I object to that as incompetent and irrelevant. Anybody could write that or put anything on it.

THE EXAMINER: Go ahead. I will let you say.

THE WITNESS: The map had the names and outlines

of the properties of the Aurora, Upper and Lower Bonanza, had the name of the local surveyor who had made the survey. I don't remember that it had the name of the Bonanza Bonanza Company on it.

BY MR. WHITELY:

Q Was that a local surveyor, had he been employed by you or by your solicitor, or other representative to make a survey?

A He had not.

Q Will you state whether or not, from your own knowledge, if you have any such information, if there was a person or company interested at that time in securing title to this property outside the Bonanza Bonanza Company?

MR. SMITH: We object to that as it is calling

for an answer that is incompetent and irrelevant. How could the witness have any such knowledge as that?

THE EXAMINER: It is hard to see how he could.

MR. SMITH, Mr. Emery, I think I will let you answer that if you have any such knowledge.

MR. SMITH: Please read the question so that this