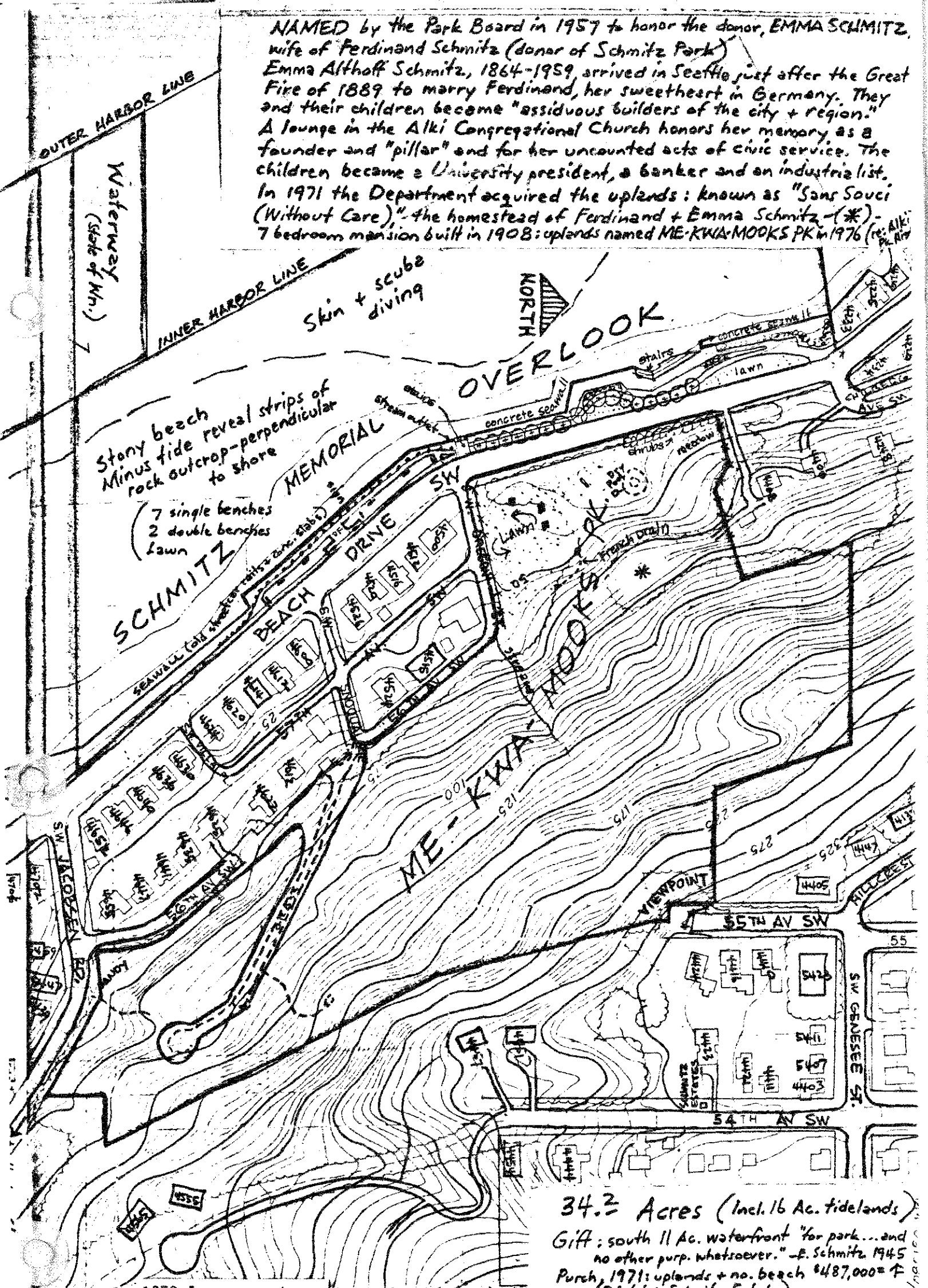


NAMED by the Park Board in 1957 to honor the donor, EMMA SCHMITZ, wife of Ferdinand Schmitz (donor of Schmitz Park)
 Emma Althoff Schmitz, 1864-1959, arrived in Seattle just after the Great Fire of 1889 to marry Ferdinand, her sweetheart in Germany. They and their children become "assiduous builders of the city + region."
 A lounge in the Alki Congregational Church honors her memory as a founder and "pillar" and for her uncounted acts of civic service. The children became a University president, a banker and an industrialist.
 In 1971 the Department acquired the uplands: known as "Sans Souci (Without Care)" - the homestead of Ferdinand + Emma Schmitz - (*) - 7 bedroom mansion built in 1908; uplands named ME-KWA-MOOKS PK in 1976 (re: ALKI PK. 1976)



Stony beach
 Minus tide reveal strips of
 rock outcrop-perpendicular
 to shore
 (7 single benches
 2 double benches
 Lawn)

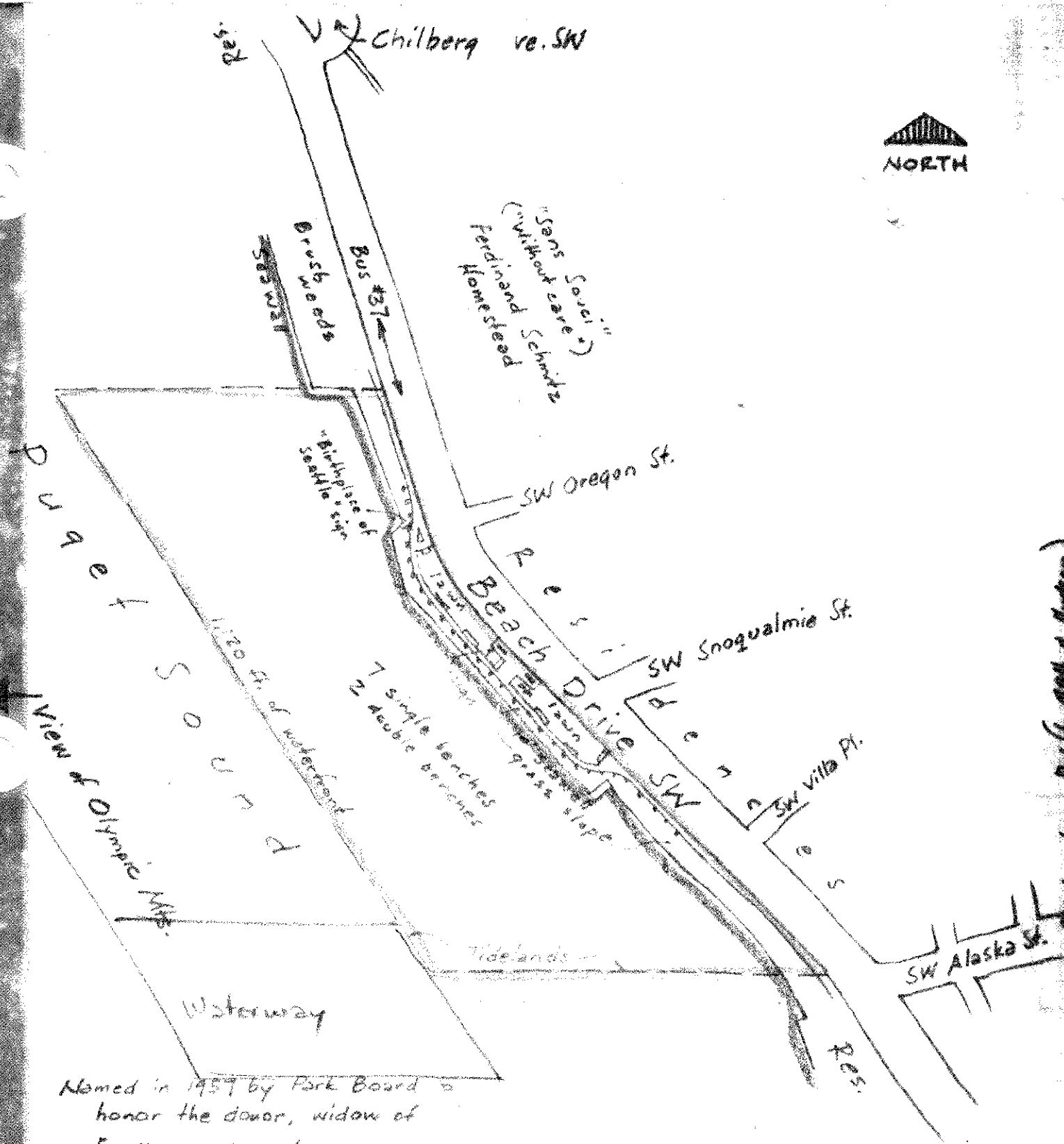
Skin + scuba diving

34.2 Acres (Incl. 16 Ac. tidelands)
 Gift: south 11 Ac. waterfront "for park... and
 no other purp. whatsoever." - E. Schmitz 1945
 Purch. 1971: uplands + no. beach \$487,000 = F
 (Dietrich Schmitz Estate)

1978 Improvements on
 uplands & no. beach
 \$215,293.82; Valley
 Crest Landscape
 (Arch-Jordan/Advent)

ME-KWA-MOOKS PARK
 ESCHMITZ MEMORIAL OVERLOOK

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10.93 Ac. { 0.86 Shorelands
10.06 Tidelands
Gift 1945 - Mrs. Ferdinand Schmitz

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EMMA SCHMITZ MEMORIAL OVERLOOK

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