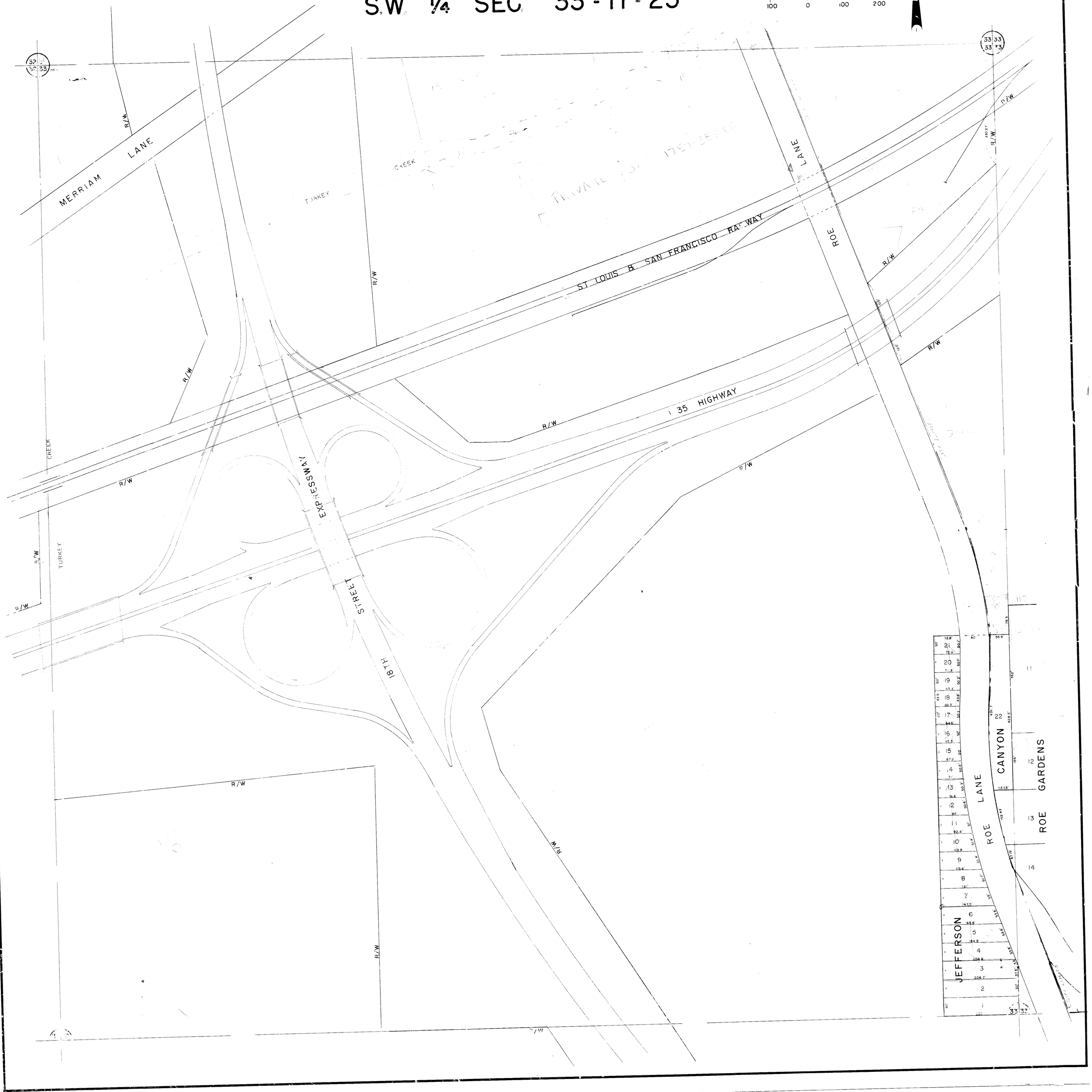S.W. ¼ SEC. 33-11-25