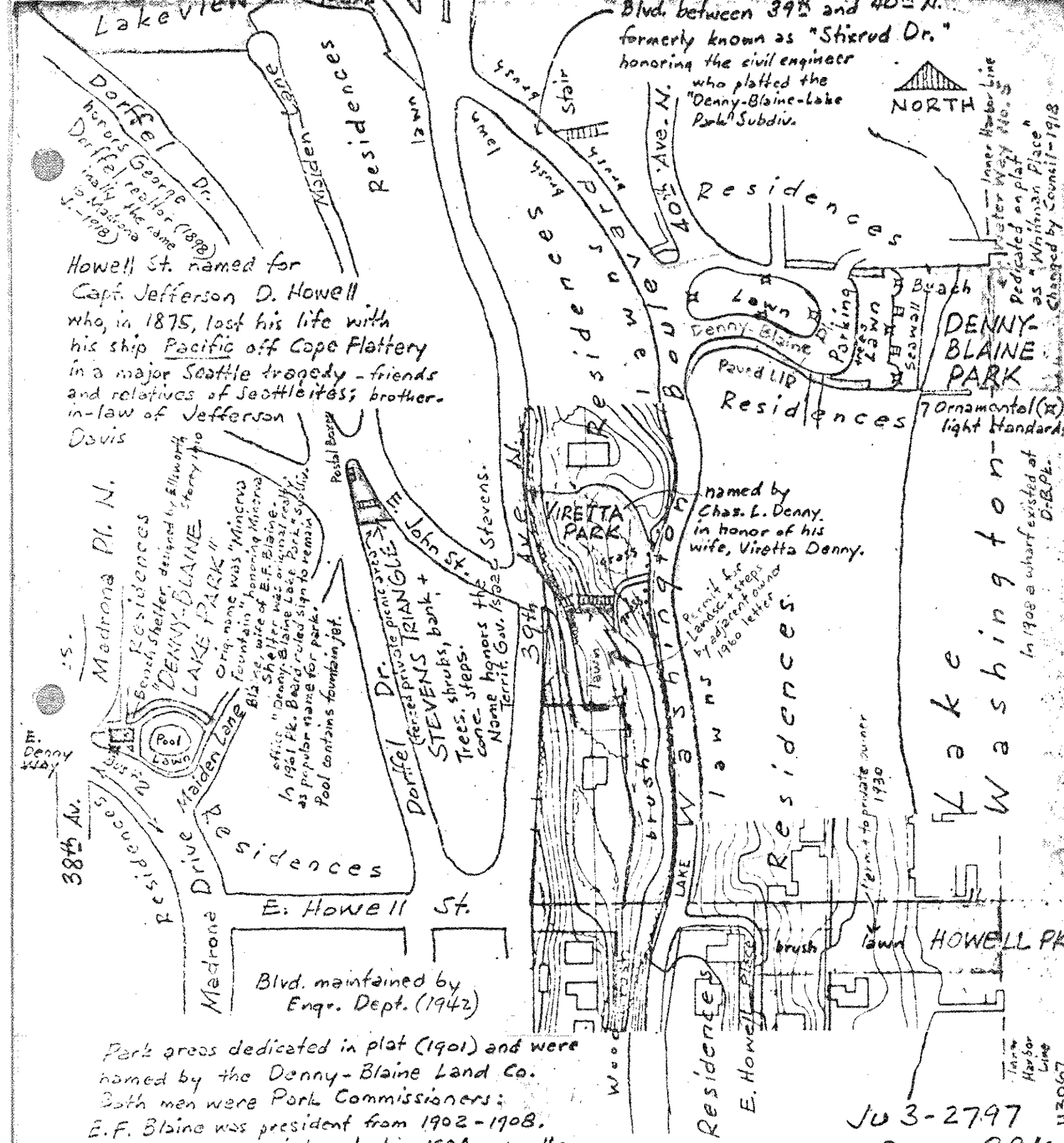

Park areas dedicated in plat (1901) and were named by the Denny-Blaine Land Co. Both men were Park Commissioners: E.F. Blaine was president from 1902-1908. Park Board became independent in 1904 under the initiative petition resulting in the "Free holders Charter." He put the Board on a firm, business basis and helped put the "Olmsted Plan for the Park System" into effect. Thus he was honored as "the Father of the Seattle Park System" and the boulevard from Yesler Way to Madison Ave. was named for him. But by 1920 "Blaine Blvd." had been "swallowed up" by "Lake Washington Blvd."
Chas. L. Denny of pioneer family - see Alki.

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DENNY-BLAINE PARK 2.0 Ac. (incl. 0.4 water)

"DENNY-BLAINE LAKE PARK" - 2075 sq. ft.
(Formerly "MINERVA FOUNTAIN")

HOWELL ("Children's") PARK 1.2 Ac. (0.5 water)

VIRETTA PARK - 1.78 Ac.

STEVENS TRIANGLE - 3049 sq. ft. 28