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NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT WORK AND INTENT TO HOLD CLAIM

Name of claim: Firlock Lode
Locator: Russell A. Niblock
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During the assessment year 1982 six (6) man days labor was performed on the claim. This consisted additional drainage excavation, lateral excavation in the tunnel (primary lower tunnel), and drainage and prospecting excavation in the old original upper tunnel area. The labor was performed by Russell A. Niblock, Ray Dennis, and Russell Niblock Jr.

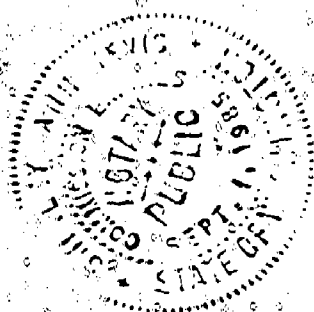
With labor estimated at \$60.00 per man day this indicates \$360.00 assessment work excluding indirect costs such as travel, resurvey, reposting and assaying.

Analysis of ore excavated so far still does not indicate an economical operation but it is marginal. I have maintained contact with U.S. Forest Service officials regarding the proposed Boulder Creek timber sale which has been repeatedly postponed since 1980 and is now on the program for late 1982 or 1983. This timber sale as currently planned has two cutting units and the main road on the upper (westerly) part of the claim. This will result in excellent access to the claim so that prospecting and mining activities can be substantially increased with economical advantages.

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State of Washington)
County of Skamania) ss.

On this day personally appeared before me Russell A. Niblock to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the within and foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he signed the same as his free and voluntary act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned. Given under my hand and seal this 16th day of September, 1982.



Steven Stevenson
NOTARY PUBLIC, residing in
Stevenson
9/1/85