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To whom these presents may concern - Know ye - That we J. A. Hutchinson and D. W. Hutchinson of the County of Clarke and State of Washington, do hereby declare and publish as a legal notice to all the world, That we claim and have a valid right to the occupation, possession, and enjoyment of all and singular, That tract or parcel of land, lying and being in the County of Skamania in the State of Washington, For the exclusive right of way, for the purpose of constructing a flume or water ditch from a stream known as Shurt Creek, a tributary of Blue River Creek, in Section 14 of Town 3 N Range 5 E. T. 11, Skamania Co. Washington to the mining claims known as Prize Baby and Twin Baby, in Section 14, 3 N. 5. E. We also claim and have a valid right to the enjoyment and use of Five Hundred (500) inches of water from said stream for mining purposes, to be conveyed through such flume or water ditch to said claims, together with all and singular the Hereditaments, and Appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining. Witness our hands and seals this 28th day of November 1900

J. A. Hutchinson *[Signature]*

D. W. Hutchinson *[Signature]*

Notices posted on stream, Sept 26th 1899 and Nov 1st 1900

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