

John Leusch to J. W. Hawley & A. Briske

This Indenture, made the thirteenth (13) day of May, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety seven, between John Leusch of the County of Clarke and party of the first part, and J. W. Hawley and A. Briske of the County of Multnomah and State of Oregon, parties of the second part, Witnesseth: That the said party of the first part, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar, lawful money of the United States of America, to him paid in hand paid by the said parties of the second part, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, has granted, bargained, sold, remised, released and forever quit-claimed, and by these presents does grant, bargain, sell, remise, release and forever quit-claim unto the said J. W. Hawley, and A. Briske all of that certain mineral claim, vein or lode known and designated as the "Center Star" to said parties of the second part, and to their heirs and assigns. The "Center Star" lode is located, recorded and held by said party of the first part, situated in Popper Creek mining district in Skamania County, in the State of Washington and better known and described as follows, to-wit: Situated in Skamania County on unsurveyed land and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the north center post of the "Venus" mineral claim and running thence 1500 feet north 5 degrees west to the "Hope" mineral claim and claiming 300 feet west and 700 feet east of the center line of this claim. This claim herein conveyed to-wit: "Center Star" claim, lies north of the "Venus" and south of the "Hope" mineral claim. This claim was discovered April 20, 1897, and was located April 20, 1897. This claim is bounded on the north by the "Hope" and "Chance", on the east by the "Monte Carlo", on the south