

connection with such water rights as may be recognized and acknowledged by the local laws, customs and decisions of the courts. And there is reserved from the lands hereby granted, a right of way thereon for ditches or canals constructed by the authority of the United States. Third. That in the absence of necessary legislation by Congress, the Legislature of Washington may provide rules for the working the mining claim or premises hereby granted, involving easements, drainage, and other necessary means to its complete development.

In Testimony Whereof I, Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States of America, have caused these letters to be made patent, and the seal of the General Land Office to be hereunto affixed.

Given under my hand, at the City of Washington, the twenty first day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seven and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and thirty-first.

By the President: T. Roosevelt

By: F. M. McKean, Secretary.

(Seal of Gen. L. O.) H. W. Sanford, Recorder of the General Land Office.

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*Approved for G. B. Green  
Chancellor*

Mary U. White to Frank Melvin & P. S. C. Wills.

Know all Men by these Presents, That I, Mary U. White (Unmarried) of Scotts Mills County of Marion State of Oregon, in consideration of Two Hundred and Seventeen, 137/1000 Dollars, to Me paid by Frank Melvin of Multnomah County, Oregon, and Peter S. C. Wills of Stevenson County of Skamania, State of Washington, State of Oregon, have bargained and sold, and by these presents do grant, bargain, sell and convey unto said Frank Melvin and Peter S. C. Wills, their heirs and assigns, all the following bounded and described real property, situated in the County of Skamania and State of Washington Starting at a point on the Columbia River in Section Eleven, Township Two North of Range Seven East, being the North East corner of the Daniel F. Bradford donation land claim, where the same intersects the shore line of the Columbia River, running thence north, Fifty-four and one half degrees west, Fifty chains; thence south, twenty-nine degrees west, Fifty-five chains to the angle corner between the Daniel F. Bradford and Isaac H. Bush donation land claim to the, "place of beginning", thence north, Twenty-nine degrees east, Five and Ninety-hundredths chains; thence west, Thirty-three and Forty-hundredths chains; thence south Eighty chains; thence East, Fifty and Thirty-hundredths chains; thence north Forty chains; thence west Three and Ninety-five hundredths chains; thence north, Twenty-three degrees west, Forty-two and Fifty-