

United States "to" Samuel R. T. Gatton

The United States of America
Homestead Certificate No 2907
Application 6109

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

Whereas there has been deposited in the General Land Office of the United States a Certificate of the Register of the Land Office at Vancouver, Washington, whereby it appears that, pursuant to the Act of Congress approved 20th May 1862 "To Secure Homesteads to actual settlers on the Public Domain", and the acts supplemental thereto, the claim of Samuel R. T. Gatton, has been established and duly consummated, in conformity to law, for the

South Half of the North East-quarter and the East half of the South East-quarter of Section Eighteen in Township three North of Range Eight East of Willamette Meridian in Washington, containing One Hundred and Sixty acres according to the official plat of the survey of the said Land, returned to the General Land Office by the Surveyor General:

Now know ye, That there is, therefore, granted by the United States unto the said Samuel R. T. Gatton the tract of Land above described: To have and to hold the said tract of land, with the appurtenances thereto, unto the said Samuel R. T. Gatton and to his heirs and assigns forever; subject to any vested and accrued water right for mining, agricultural, manufacturing, or other purposes, and rights to ditches and reservoirs used in connection with such water right, as may be recognized and acknowledged by the local customs, laws, and decisions of Courts, and also subject to the right of the proprietor of a

vein or lode to extract and remove his ore therefrom; should the same be found to penetrate or intersect the premises hereby granted, as provided by law.

In Testimony Whereof J. Grover Cleveland, 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 Ninth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Ninety four, and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and Nineth

By the President, Grover Cleveland

By M. McKean

Secretary

L. J. C. Lammor,

Recorder of the General Land Office



Filed for record March 4th 1895 at 10.20 am

O. S. Lammor

Auditor