

## E. C. Fields "to" Elizabeth Fields

In the year 1896

June 29 1896

This instrument is to show an agreement made out by mutual consent of the hereinafter named parties viz Mrs Elizabeth Fields and Mr. E. C. Fields. Both parties being Residents and now residing at Skamania Co. Wash. This is to show that by mutual consent of both parties a separation has taken place henceforth this shows that we are separated and have divided up our real estate and Personal Property by good free will between ourselves to our own satisfaction. Mr. E. C. Fields is to take and dispose of as he sees fit half of the stock now belonging to the aforesaid parties and Mrs Elizabeth Fields is to take the other half of aforesaid stock and dispose or do with them as she sees proper to do. The stock herein named means all the cattle belonging to the parties with the exception of 5 head belonging to little Edward Wm Fields, their little boy, 12 cows and their calves and one heifer which his mother is to keep for his purposes as she may see proper to do with to the boy's benefit. The horses belonging to the parties herein named are to belong to Mrs Elizabeth Fields to do with as she pleases. Mrs Elizabeth Fields is to keep their little boy Edward Wm Fields to do the best by him she can do under circumstances, and furthermore this is to show that we are not no longer living together henceforth as husband and wife but are our own free bosses to do as each consider fit or best to his or her advantage. The

dividing up of our stock we are to do between ourselves in a friendly way without any further trouble just to quit each one of the parties herein named; and furthermore the father of the little, Mr B B Fields is entitled to see his little boy whenever he pleases

( Mrs Elizabeth Fields  
 Mr B B Fields  
 Witnessed by ( J. C. Inman  
 M. Talbot

Filed for record July 11<sup>th</sup> A.D. 1896 at 1 o'clock p.m.  
 J. C. Inman  
 Auditor