

The United States to Samuel N. Gallaher

The United States of America,

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

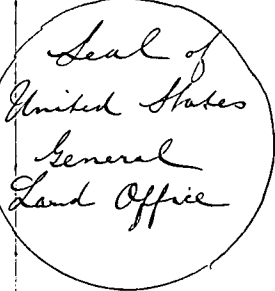
Homestead Certificate No. 3683

Application 8500

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 N. Gallaher has been established and duly consummated, in conformity to law, for the

North West quarter of Section Twenty Nine in Township Three North of Range Six 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 N. Gallaher the tract of Land above described: To have and to hold the said tract of Land, with the appurtenances thereof unto the said Samuel N. Gallaher and to his heirs and assigns forever; subject to any vested and accrued water rights for mining, agricultural, manufacturing, or other purposes, and rights to ditches and reservoirs used in connection with such water rights, 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. 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.



In testimony whereof I, William McKinley, 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 Second day of September, in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety seven
and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred
and twenty second.

By the President: William McKinley

By H. M. McKean Secretary

C. H. Brush

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J. W. Hale

C. Auditor

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