

The United States of America,
To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:
Homestead Certificate No. 3853]

Application 7665 } 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, pur-
suant 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 Mary Ellen Baker has been established and duly
consummated, in conformity to law, for the

South half of the South West quarter of Section
nine in Township one North of Range five East
of Willamette Meridian in Washington containing
eighty 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 the said Mary Ellen Baker
the tract of land above described; To have and to hold
the said tract of Land, with the appurtenances thereof.
unto the said Mary Ellen Baker and to her 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-fourth day of February, in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight,
and of the Independence of the United States the one
hundred and twenty-second.

Seal of
General Land
Office

By the President: William McKinley

By F. M. McLean, Secretary.

C. H. Brush

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J. H. Hale

C. Auditor

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