

part, his heirs, and assigns, against the said party of the first part, and his heirs and assigns, and against all, and every person, or persons, whomesoever lawfully claiming, or to claim the same, shall and will, warrant, and by these presents forever defend.

In witness whereof the said party of the first part, has hereunto set his hand and seal, this the 9th day of November A D 1872 .

(Signed) Fred Wilson

Signed sealed and delivered in presence of

A M Smith.

J. E. Andrews, "Sen"

Territory of Washington }
County of Skamania } SS

On this the 9th day of November A D 1872, before the undersigned, authority personally came Capt Fred Wilson, well known to me to be the person who executed the within and foregoing Indenture, and whose signature is affixed, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same freely and voluntarily, for the uses and purposes therein named.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and private seal, the day and year, first above written.

John E Andrews, "Sen"

Auditor (SEAL)

Presented for Record November 9th 1872, and Recorded November 18th 1872 at 3 o clock P M

John E Andrews. "Sen"

Auditor

Patent

Homestead }
Certificate }
No 163 }
Application 4 }
To all to whom thes 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 Territory 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 M Hamilton has been established and duly consumated in conformity to Law for the Lots Numbered One, five, and six, of section Twenty nine and the Lots numbered, five, and, six, of section Thirty in Township two North of Range seven East in the District of Lands subject to sale at Vancouver Washington Territory Containing One Hundred and Twenty One acres and five hundredths of an acre 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 M. Hamilton The Tract of Land above described To have and to hold the said tract of Land, with the appurtenances thereof unto the said Samuel M. Hamilton and to his heirs and assigns forever In testimony whereof I Ulysses S Grant 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 Twentieth day of September