

Notice of Location of Big Estrella, by E. C. Cole

Notice of Location

To whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given, That J. E. C. Cole a citizen of the United States of America, over the age of twenty one years, having complied with the requirements of Chapter Six of Title Thirty-two of the Revised Statutes of the United States and of all other mining laws thereof, and of the State of Washington, and the local customs, laws, rules and regulations of mines, did, on the 17 day of September A.D. 1896, locate, and by this notice do hereby locate a quartz claim, known as the Big Estrella, lode or mining claim said claim having been discovered the 17 day of September 1896 and do claim (fifteen hundred linear feet on this end, lode or vein bearing mineral in place, by six hundred feet in width, the same being three hundred feet on each side of the center thereof, together with all dips, spurs and branches, and all other veins or lodes, the top or apex of which lie within said boundaries) (twenty acres of mining ground situated in Cooper Creek dist. County of Skamania, State of Washington, said location being described and distinctly marked by reference to natural objects or permanent monuments, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

This claim runs 1000 feet by 10 degrees E of S and 200 feet each way from this notice which is on one big fir tree about one thousand feet from a branch of a creek known as Charles Creek, this is an extension on the claim known as the Ida Martin and begins at the S end and runs in the same direction as the Ida Martin.

And I intend to hold and work said claim in accordance with the local customs and rules of miners and the mining laws of the United States and of the State of Wash.

Dated the 17 day of Sept 1896

In the presence
Charles W. Ligham
Charles Martin

E. C. Cole

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W. C. Brown

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