

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND. AT THE CITY OF WASHINGTON, THE THIRTEENTH DAY OF
AUGUST, IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND EIGHT, AND OF THE
INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES THE ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD

BY THE PRESIDENT: THEODORE ROOSEVELT

BY M. W. YOUNG SECRETARY.

(GENERAL LAND OFFICE)
(SEAL)

JOHN O'CONNELL
ACTING RECORDER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE.

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COUNTY AUDITOR.

UNITED STATES TO THOMAS ELCE

RECORD OF PATENT

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THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

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TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME: GREETING

HOMESTEAD CERTIFICATE No. 5814.
APPLICATION 11331.

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 THOMAS ELCE HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED AND DULY CONSUMATED, IN CONFORMITY TO LAW, FOR THE

LOTS ONE AND TWO OF SECTION FIVE IN TOWNSHIP THREE NORTH OF RANGE TEN EAST OF THE WILLAMETTE MERIDIAN, WASHINGTON, CONTAINING SEVENTY-EIGHT AND NINE-HUNDREDTHS 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 THOMAS ELCE THE TRACT OF LAND ABOVE DESCRIBED; TO HAVE AND TO HOLD THE SAID TRACT OF LAND, WITH THE APPURTENANCES THEREOF, UNTO THE SAID THOMAS ELCE 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, THEODORE ROOSEVELT, 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-SIXTH DAY OF

JULY, IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND SEVEN, AND OF THE
INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES THE ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

GENERAL LAND OFFICE

WASHINGTON, D.C. DEC 2, 1922

BY THE PRESIDENT: THEODORE ROOSEVELT

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BY F. M. MCKEAN

SECRETARY.

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ACTING RECORDER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE.

(LAND OFFICE SEAL) M.P. LEROY RECORDER

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Carey & Kerr
COUNTY AUDITOR.

UNITED STATES TO NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY

4-1043.

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING:

WHEREAS, BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED JULY 2, 1864 (13 STAT., 365),
ENTITLED "AN ACT GRANTING LANDS TO AID IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF A RAILROAD AND TELE-
GRAPH LINE FROM LAKE SUPERIOR TO PUGET'S SOUND, ON THE PACIFIC COAST, BY THE
NORTHERN ROUTE," AND THE JOINT RESOLUTION OF MAY 31, 1870 (16 STAT., 378), THERE WAS
GRANTED TO THE NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, FOR
THE PURPOSE OF AIDING IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF SAID RAILROAD AND TELEGRAPH LINE, AND
BRANCH, TO THE PACIFIC COAST, "EVERY ALTERNATE SECTION OF PUBLIC LAND, NOT MINERAL,
DESIGNATED BY ODD NUMBERS, TO THE AMOUNT OF TWENTY ALTERNATE SECTIONS PER MILE, ON
EACH SIDE OF SAID RAILROAD LINE, AS SAID COMPANY MAY ADOPT, THROUGH THE TERRITORIES
OF THE UNITED STATES, AND TEN ALTERNATE SECTIONS OF LAND PER MILE ON EACH SIDE OF SAID
RAILROAD WHENEVER IT PASSES THROUGH ANY STATE, AND WHENEVER ON THE LINE THEREOF,
THE UNITED STATES HAVE FULL TITLE, NOT RESERVED, SOLD, GRANTED, OR OTHERWISE APPRO-
PRIATED, AND FREE FROM PREEMPTION, OR OTHER CLAIMS OR RIGHTS, AT THE TIME THE LINE
OF SAID ROAD IS DEFINITELY FIXED, AND A PLAT THEREOF FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE
COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE; "PROVIDED, FURTHER, "THAT ALL MINERAL LANDS
BE, AND THE SAME ARE HEREBY, EXCLUDED FROM THE OPERATIONS OF THIS ACT," AND PROVIDED,
FURTHER, "THAT THE WORD 'MINERAL,' WHEN IT OCCURS IN THIS ACT, SHALL NOT BE HELD TO
INCLUDE IRON OR COAL;" AND

WHEREAS, OFFICIAL STATEMENTS FROM THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR, HAVE
BEEN FILED IN THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE, SHOWING THAT THE COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED BY
THE PRESIDENT, UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE FOURTH SECTION OF THE FIRST-NAMED ACT,
HAVE REPORTED TO HIM THAT THE SAID NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD AND TELEGRAPH LINE,
AND BRANCH, EXCEPTING THAT PORTION BETWEEN WALLULA, WASHINGTON, AND PORTLAND, OREGON,
DECLARED FORFEITED BY THE ACT OF SEPTEMBER 29, 1890, HAVE BEEN CONSTRUCTED AND FULLY
COMPLETED AND EQUIPED IN THE MANNER PRESCRIBED BY THE ACT RELATIVE THERETO, AND
THE SAME ACCEPTED BY THE PRESIDENT; AND

WHEREAS, THERE HAS BEEN FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INTER-
IOR EVIDENCE SHOWING THAT THE NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY IS THE LAWFUL SUCCESS-
OR IN INTEREST TO THE NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY AS TO ALL LANDS WITHIN THE
LIMITS OF THE GRANT MADE TO THE SAID NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY BY THE ACT
OF JULY 2, 1864, AND ALL SUBSEQUENT LEGISLATION; AND