

Thomas Putnam et al to C. N. Putnam.

Know all men by these presents that we the undersigned Thomas Putnam, S. P. Putnam A. R. Putnam J. J. Keyser & C. H. Putnam citizens of the United States have constituted and appointed C. N. Putnam our true and lawful attorney for us and in our names to locate stake and record for us each lode claim and placer mining ground in the State of Washington county of Skamania or any <sup>other</sup> county in said state, and having located the same to bargain, sell grant release and convey the same intire or in separate parcels to make proper deeds seal acknowledge and deliver the same to such persons as our attorney may desire hereby ratifying and confirming all lawful acts done by our said attorney by virtue thereof Witness our hands and seals this 17 day of February 1897

Thos. Putnam

S. P. Putnam

J. J. Keyser

C. H. Putnam

A. R. Putnam

State of Washington County of Clarke on this 17 day of Feb. 1897 before me Justice of peace in and for the County and State aforesaid appeared Thomas Putnam S. P. Putnam A. R. Putnam J. J. Keyser & C. H. Putnam personally known to me as the persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing power of attorney and acknowledged the execution thereof as their free act and deed for the purpose therein mentioned.

Given under my hand and seal  
this day and year above written.

E. Washburn Justice of the peace in  
and for Clarke Co State of Wash.

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C. G. Green

Auditor.