

Notice of Location of the "St Mary" Mine by Margaret M. Ward
 To whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given, That
 Margaret M. Ward citizen of the United States of America, over
 the age of twenty-one years, having complied with the requirements
 of Chapter Six of Title Thirtieth, 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 miners, did on the 14th day of May A.D. 1897, locate,
 and by this notice do hereby locate a Lode Mine, known as the
 St Mary Lode or mining Claim, said claim having
 been discovered the 14th day of May 1897, and do claim five
 hundred linear feet on this lode, lode or vein crossing
 mineral in place, by six thousand feet in width, the same
 being three hundred feet on each side of the center thereof, to-
 gether with all dips, spurs and angles, and all other veins or
 lodes, the top or apex of which lie within said boundaries
 (Twenty acres of mining ground,) situated in Upper Fork Min-
 ing District, County of Skamania State of Washington said
 location being described and distinctly marked by reference
 to natural objects or permanent monuments, and more particu-
 larly described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at the place on same place the House
 of Gold claim Notice is on I do claim 1000 feet in a North by
 direction on the center of the lead lode on Ten and 300 feet
 exactly, and 300 feet westerly from the center thereof as shown
 by the out cappings, the discovery is in small stream or ravine
 about 75 feet east of notice center and end line are blazed out
 and four corners established the South end of this claim joins
 the North end of claim known as the House of Gold.

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 Washington

Dated the 14th day of May, 1897

In the presence of
 J. K. Manning
 D. W. Ward

Margaret M. Ward
 Locates

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