

Notice of Location of Lander's Claim Black Bird by R B Haulin
 Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, a
 citizen of the United States, over the age of twenty-one years on
 the 20th day of May, 1897, discovered a vein or lode of Lead
 or sand rock in place bearing Gold, Silver and Lead,
 within the limits of the claim hereby located, and have this
 20th day of May 1897, under and in accordance with the
 Revised Statutes of the United States, located fifteen hundred
 linear feet of this vein or lode in length, with surface
 ground, three hundred feet in width on each side of
 the center of said lode, situated in the Bald Mountain
 Mining District, County of Skamania and State of Wash-
 ington and known as the Black Bird Mining Claim, and ex-
 tending fifteen hundred feet to and from the point at the
 discovery or prospect shaft: the exterior boundaries of this
 claim being distinctly marked by reference to natural
 objects or permanent monuments, and more particularly
 described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning a location or center post and running in
 a Northern direction 300 feet, thence 1500 feet in South Eastern
 direction to corner post thence 300 feet in a Western direction
 to center post thence 300 feet in Western direction to corner
 post thence 1500 feet in North Western direction to corner
 post thence 300 feet in a Northern direction to center
 post or starting point, this claim is situated along side
 of the Blue Bird claim west and south of said Blue
 Bird claim and that I intend to hold and work said
 above located claim as provided by the local laws,
 and the customs and rules of miners, and mining sta-
 tutes and laws of the United States

Discovered on the ground May 20 1897 Located May 20 1897

Dated July 2, 1897

Witness { Signed R B Haulin
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 O'Brien
 Auditor