

Notice of Location of Minneapolis Claim By A M Ecklund Jr
 And Declaratory Statement of Discovery of and Claim to
 Lode Mining Claim: Minneapolis Lode Mining Claim,
 Mining District, Benewah County, State of Washington.

The undersigned, who is a citizen of the United States, hereby
 Declare and Give Notice to all Persons Concerned, that he has
 discovered a vein or lode within the limits of the claim hereby
 located, and in said lode a vein or series of quartz or ore, with
 at least one well defined vein and that he has this month 7th
 day of August A.D. 1897, located and do hereby locate and claim
 under and by virtue of Chapter Six of Title Thirty-two of the re-
 vised Statutes of the United States, and the laws amendatory thereto,
 and the laws of the State of Washington, a Mining Claim upon said
 Lode or Vein, to be designated and named the Minneapolis Lode
 Mining Claim: Extending along said vein or lode Fifteen
 hundred (1500) feet in a Northerly direction from the center
 of the Discovery Shaft (at which shaft the Notice and Statement is
 posted), and Three hundred (300) feet on each side from the
 middle or center of said lode or vein at the surface: comprising
 in all Fifteen hundred (1500) feet in length along said vein or lode,
 and Six hundred (600) feet in width, with all the rights and priv-
 ileges, as to surface ground and lodes, veins or ledges, within the
 boundaries of said claim, and otherwise, and the metals, minerals
 and valuable deposits of every kind contained in said lodes,
 veins or ledges, or within said boundaries, which are given or
 allowed by the laws of the United States aforesaid, or of the
 State of Washington. This Location is distinctly marked on
 the ground, so that its boundaries can readily be traced by
 a post set at Discovery shaft, where this Notice and Statement
 is posted this Seventh day of August A.D. 1897, and by substantial
 posts or monuments at each corner of the claim. And the ex-
 terior boundaries of the claim as marked by said posts or
 monuments, as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the South End center post where this Notice
 is posted and running three hundred (300) feet in a westerly
 direction to the S.W. corner post marked S.W. corner of Minneapolis
 Lode then fifteen hundred feet in a Northerly direction to the N.W.
 corner post marked N.W. corner of Minneapolis Lode then three
 hundred feet in an Easterly direction to the North end center post
 marked North end center post of Minneapolis Lode then three
 hundred (300) feet in an Easterly direction to the N.E. corner post
 marked N.E. corner of Minneapolis Lode then fifteen hundred
 (1500) feet in a Southerly direction to the S.E. corner post marked
 S.E. corner of Minneapolis Lode then three hundred feet in a

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Westerly direction to place of beginning.

The Mining claim hereby located is situated in Mining District, Klamath County, State of Washington and is about one half mile in a North Westerly direction from Mela Lake, the adjoining claim on Minnesota Lake claim on the South.

The undersigned intending to hold this claim, under and according to the laws of the United States and of the State of Washington and to record this statement under oath, in the County recorder's office of said County as provided by law. Dated this twentieth day of August 1897,

and signed

Attest

A. A. Nicol

John T. Welch

State of Washington }
County of Pacific }

N. M. Ekland Jr

By Jas Taylor his attorney in fact
Locater and Claimant

James Taylor being first duly sworn on oath deposes and says: That he is of lawful age and the locator and claimant of the Quartz Lode, Mining Claim mentioned and described in the foregoing Notice and Statement of location of claim and the person whose name is subscribed thereto as such locator and claimant, that he knows the contents of said notice and statement foregoing and that the matters and things therein stated are true and I John T. Welch Notary Public in and for the said County and State hereby certify that the said Jas Taylor who subscribed to the foregoing Notice and Statement of location of claim acknowledged to me that he subscribed the name of N. M. Ekland Jr to said Notice of location as his attorney in fact and that he subscribed his own name and that of N. M. Ekland Jr thereto as such attorney in fact freely and voluntarily for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

Jas Taylor

subscribed, verified and sworn to before me this 20th day of August, 1897.

Notary
Public

John T. Welch, Notary Public
in and for the State of Washington
residing at South Bend, Wash.

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