

Notice

Notice is hereby given that we the undersigned Citizens of the United States, have Complied with the mining act of Congress approved May 10th 1842, and have located and Claim Forty Acres of this ground, for Placer mining purposes, that said Claim is located and situated on Oscar Gulch, Williamsburg Precinct, Josephine Co. State of Oregon.

and is further described as follows. to wit. Commencing at a stake ten rods in a South Eastern direction from a blazed white oak Tree, twelve inches in diameter, standing near the bed of the Creek, and running thence in a North Eastern direction 160 rods to a stake standing ten rods in a South Eastern direction from an old reservoir, thence running 40 rods in a North west direction to a stake thence 160 rods in a South west direction to a stake, thence in a South East direction 40 rods to the Commencement Stake.

That it is our bona fide intention to prosecute work on said Claim as located, in accordance with the United State and State Mining laws.

Williamsburg Precinct
Josephine County, Oregon
April 1st 1846

Wm A Johnson ✓
W H Carson ✓

Recorded April 5th 1846. Chas Hughes Clerk

OSCAR CREEK PLACER

LOWER APPLIGATE DISTRICT

Owner: D. O. Hayes, Grants Pass, Oregon

Location: central part section 22, T. 37 S., R. 5 W., on Oscar Creek between
Murphy and Provolt.

Area: As shown on sketch *Two placer claims (see sketch)*

History: Bishop and Sturtevant operated a washing plant on this property in
1937, but discontinued after one season. It was worked ^{by Bolton Bros.} for about a year
in 1934 with a large steam shovel and a washing plant.

Geology: The placer ground is said to be about 100 feet wide and 15 feet deep.

The property upstream from the B & S washing plant has been hydrauliced
and some work is done on the property each season.

Informant: RCT 3/29/40

Report by RCT

