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# Golden Gate Mining District 3

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At a meeting convened at the head of the Pilgrim River formerly known as the Kok-a-maro on Nov. 18<sup>th</sup> 1899 pursuant to a notice posted in two conspicuous places Nov 8<sup>th</sup> 1899 to organize a mining district and enact laws to govern the same

The following named gentlemen were present Jos. Sliscovich, Frank Miller, Henry Breen, A. H. Fernald, Wm Rogers, E. A. Harrison and C. Hamerschmidt.

The meeting was called to order by Frank Miller who stated the object of the meeting and Jos. Sliscovich was elected Chairman

Motion was made and carried that Jos. Sliscovich be elected Recorder of this District for the term of two years.

There being no other person placed in nomination motion was put and carried and Jos. Sliscovich declared elected.

Motion was made and carried that Frank Miller act as Recording Secretary of the meeting

The first business being that of boundaries of the District it was unanimously agreed to include all the territory drained by the Pilgrim River and tributaries flowing into the same and bounded on the south by the Northern boundary lines of the Cape Nome and Bonanza Mining Districts and to continue in a Northerly direction to the outlet of the said Pilgrim River.

Further it was unanimously agreed that the name of the above described District be the Golden Gate Mining District of the North West Territory of Alaska

Motion was made and seconded that all persons present go into Committee to formulate rules and regulations to govern the District. Motion put and carried.

Motion was made and seconded that the Recorder's fees be as follows

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For recording of claims Three Dollars. (\$ 3.00)  
 " " Powers of Attorney Twenty Five Dollars (\$ 25.00)  
 " " Articles of Incorporation, Associations  
 etc, Leases, and Contracts of length One Dollar (\$ 1.00)  
 per folio, but not less than Five Dollars (\$ 5.00).  
 And for all other documents such as transfers, Bills of  
 Sale, Receipts for Assessment work etc. Two Dollars and  
 Fifty Cents. (\$ 2.50).

The above motion was put and carried  
 The Committee submitted the following Rules which were  
 read before the meeting and each rule agreed too  
 separately.

### Rule 1

Any citizen of the United States may make locations  
 not exceeding 1320 ft in length by 660 ft in width  
 subject to any Congressional action heretofore or hereinafter  
 enacted.

### Rule 2

All claims at the present shall be distinctly marked  
 by a substantial stake at each end of the claim located,  
 with notice on initial stake giving date, name or number  
 of claim, name of stream claim is located upon, name  
 of locator and full description of the claim located, and  
 prior to August 1<sup>st</sup> 1900 all claims located must also  
 be distinctly marked with one substantial stake at each  
 corner of the claim and all subsequent locations marked  
 in a similar manner at time of location.

### Rule 3

All Powers of Attorney must be signed and sealed by  
 a Notary Public and further said Powers of Attorney,  
 Articles of Incorporation, Associations etc, when used to  
 make locations must be recorded at the time of the  
 recording of the claim for which the Power of Attorney or  
 Article of Incorporation, Associations etc was used.

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### Rule 4

Should it occur that a locator has overstaked his claim in length subjecting a fraction to location, the fraction must be located at the opposite end of the claim from which the initial stake is placed.

### Rule 5

Notices of all miners meetings must be posted for not less than ten days previous to the date of meeting, stating the purpose for which the said meeting is called. And when the meeting is called to formulate any new rules or regulations, or for the purpose of an election none but mine owners in this district can participate and no one will be considered a mine-owner unless his claim or claims are recorded at the time of said meeting.

### Rule 6

All locators must file for record notices of locations on or before thirty days from date of location.

Failure to comply with this rule forfeits all rights to the claim located and such claims are open for location.

No other business coming before the meeting a motion was made to adjourn, seconded and carried.

Chairman

Jos. Sliscovich

Secretary

Frank Miller

Attest

Frank Miller  
 Henry P. Borew  
 C. Hammerschmidt  
 E. H. Fernald  
 Wm. D. Rogers

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Location Notice  
Golden Gate Mining District of Alaska.

Nov 16<sup>th</sup> 1899

I the undersigned claim 20 acres of ground for mining purposes. 1320 feet up stream and 330 feet on each side of centre line this claim to be known as "Discovery on Morning Cull" creek tributary to Pilgrim River

Locator

Witness Jos. Slisovich

Frank Miller

Filed for record 3.20 pm Nov 23<sup>rd</sup> 99 W<sup>o</sup> F. P. Ellis Dep<sup>y</sup>

Location Notice

Golden Gate Mining District of Alaska  
Pilgrim River Nov 15<sup>th</sup> /99

I the undersigned claim 20 acres of ground for Mining purposes 1320 feet up stream and 330 feet on each side of centre line Claim to be known as No 2 below on Fox Creek.

Caine Plough

Locator by

Witness Henry P. Breen.

Jos. Slisovich

Filed for record 3.20 pm Nov 23<sup>rd</sup> /99 W<sup>o</sup> F. P. Ellis Dep<sup>y</sup>

Power of Attorney

Plough to Slisovich

That I Caine Plough of Nome City Alaska have made constituted and appointed and by these presents do make constitute and appoint Jos. Slisovich of the same place, my true and lawful Attorney for me and in my name place and stead, to locate stake and record for me lode claims and placer mining ground and locate stake and record town lots in the District of Alaska. Hereby giving and granting to my said Attorney full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises, as fully to all intents and purposes as I might, or could do if personally present. With full power of substitution. Hereby ratifying and certifying all that my said Attorney Jos Slisovich shall lawfully do or cause to be done over.



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by these presents. As witness whereof I have this day the 10<sup>th</sup> of  
November in the year of our Lord 1899.  
Caine Plough.

United States of America, District of Alaska, ss.  
Be It Remembered, that on this 10 day of November 1899, before me  
Francis Mc Kulty, a Notary Public within and for said District  
personally appeared Cain Plough to me known to be the person  
who signed and executed the within and foregoing Power of  
Attorney and acknowledged before me that she signed and  
executed the same as her free act and deed.  
In Witness Whereof, I, have hereunto set my hand and affixed  
my official seal the day and date last above written.  
Francis Mc Kulty  
Notary Public, Alaska  
(Seal)

Filed For record 3:20 pm Nov 23<sup>rd</sup> 1899 W<sup>2</sup> F P Ellis Dep<sup>2</sup>

#### Location Notice

Golden Gate Mining District of Alaska

Nov 17<sup>th</sup> 1899

I the undersigned claim 20 acres of ground for mining purposes  
1320 feet down stream and 330 feet on each side of centre stake  
This claim shall be known as N<sup>o</sup> 1 B D on Dean Creek  
Tributary to Pilgrim River.

Locator

Witness J<sup>o</sup> Shocovich

Frank Millar

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#### Location Notice

Golden Gate Mining District, Alaska

Nov 16<sup>th</sup> 1899

I the undersigned claim 20 acres of ground for mining purposes  
1320 feet up stream and 330 ft on each side of centre line  
Claim to be known as N<sup>o</sup> 3 Below on Morning Call Creek

Locator

Witness J<sup>o</sup> Shocovich

Jerry Sullivan

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Location Notice  
 Golden Gate Mining District, Alaska  
 For 17/99  
 The underground claim 20 acres of ground for mining purposes  
 1320 feet up stream and 330 ft on each side of center line  
 Claim to be known as Discovery on Dean Creek  
 Witness Frank Miller  
 Henry P. Brown  
 Filed for record 3:20 pm For 23<sup>rd</sup> 99 West P. M. S. Deft.

Location Notice  
 Golden Gate Mining District, Alaska  
 For 16/99  
 The underground claim 20 acres of ground for mining  
 purposes. 1320 ft up stream and 330 ft on each side of center  
 line. Claim to be known as No. 1 Baker on Morning Call  
 Creek.  
 Witness Frank Miller  
 Henry P. Brown  
 Filed for record 3:20 pm For 23<sup>rd</sup> 99 West P. M. S. Deft.

Location Notice  
 Golden Gate Mining District, Alaska  
 For 15/99  
 The underground claim 20 acres of ground for mining purposes  
 1320 feet up stream and 330 feet on each side of center line  
 Claim to be known as No. 2 acre on Fox Creek  
 Witness Frank Miller  
 Henry P. Brown  
 Filed for record 3:20 pm For 23<sup>rd</sup> 99 West P. M. S. Deft.

Location Notice  
 Golden Gate Mining District of Alaska  
 For 16/99  
 The underground claim 20 acres of ground for mining purposes  
 1320 feet down stream and 330 feet on each side of center line  
 This claim to be known as No. 2 - B. on Morning Call Creek  
 tributary to Klappan River  
 Witness Frank Miller  
 John Lundberg  
 Filed for record 3:20 pm For 23<sup>rd</sup> 99 West P. M. S. Deft.

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## Location Notice

Golden Gate Mining District of Alaska

Nov 16<sup>th</sup> 1899.

I the undersigned claim 20 acres of ground for mining purposes  
1320 feet up stream and 330 feet on each side of centre stake  
this claim to be known as N<sup>o</sup> 2 A. B. Discovery on Morning  
Call Creek tributary to Pilgrim River

Located for

W. B. Dean by

Frank Millar

Filed for record 3:20

pm Nov 23<sup>rd</sup> 99W<sup>o</sup> # P. Ellis Dep<sup>y</sup>

Witness Jos. Sliscovich

## Power of Attorney

Dean to Millar

Know all Men by these Presents. I W. B. Dean of Anvil City District  
of Alaska have made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents  
do make, constitute and appoint Frank Miller, of Anvil City, Alaska  
my true and lawful Attorney for me and in my name, place  
and stead to locate stake and record for me lode claims and placer  
mining ground in the District of Alaska except what is known as  
the Cape Nome Mining District and having located the same to  
bargain, sell, grant, release, convey the same entire or in separate  
parcels, to make proper deeds, seal, acknowledge and deliver the same  
to such persons as my Attorney may desire, hereby giving and  
granting unto my said Attorney full power and authority to do and  
perform all and every act and thing whatsoever, requisite, and  
necessary to be done in and about the premises as fully to all intents  
and purposes as I might or could do if personally present with full  
power of Substitution hereby ratifying and confirming all that  
my said Attorney or his Substitute shall lawfully do, or cause to be  
done, by virtue of these presents

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 10<sup>th</sup>  
day of Nov. in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
ninety nine

Signed Sealed and delivered in Presence of

E. R. Beeman

Alvyn Rawson

W. B. Dean

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District of Alaska U.S.A.

This is to Certify that on this 10<sup>th</sup> day of Nov. A.D. 1899 before me E.R. Beeman Notary Public in and for the District of Alaska, duly Commissioned and sworn, personally came Frank Miller to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he signed and sealed the same as his free and voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

Witness my hand and official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

E.R. Beeman

(Seal) Notary Public in and for the District of Alaska U.S.A.

Location Notice

Golden Gate Mining District of Alaska

Nov 5<sup>th</sup> 1899

I the undersigned claim 20 acres of ground for mining purposes 1320 feet up stream and 330 ft on each side of centre stake, this claim shall be known as N<sup>o</sup> 3 A.D. on Fox Creek tributary to Pilgrim River

Located for

Witness Jos Shiscovich

W.B. Dean by

Frank Miller

Filed for record 3:20 p.m. Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup> 1899 W<sup>m</sup> F.P. Ellis Det.

Location Notice

Golden Gate Mining District of Alaska

Nov 17<sup>th</sup> -99

I the undersigned claim 20 acres of ground for mining purposes 1320 feet up stream and 330 feet on each side of centre stake this claim shall be known as N<sup>o</sup> 2 A.D. on Dean Creek tributary to Pilgrim River

Located for

Witness Jos Shiscovich

W.B. Dean by

Frank Miller

Filed for record 3:20 p.m. Nov 23<sup>rd</sup> 1899 W<sup>m</sup> F.P. Ellis Det.

Location Notice

Golden Gate Mining District of Alaska

Nov. 17<sup>th</sup> 1899

I the undersigned claim 20 acres of ground for mining purposes, 1320 feet down stream and 330 feet on each side of centre stake this



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claim shall be known as N<sup>o</sup> 2' B.D. on Dean Creek tributary to Pilgrim River

Witness Frank Miller  
 Located for  
 John Lindberg  
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Location Notice  
 Golden Gate Mining District of Alaska

Nov 5<sup>th</sup> 1899  
 I the undersigned claim 20 acres of ground for mining purposes 1320 feet <sup>up stream and 330 ft</sup> on each side of centre stake this claim shall be known as N<sup>o</sup> 1' A.D. on Foxe Creek tributary to Pilgrim River.

Witness Jos. Sliscovich  
 Located for  
 Frank Miller  
 Filed for record 3:20 pm Nov 23<sup>rd</sup> - 99 Wm J.P. Ellis Deputy

Location Notice  
 Golden Gate Mining District of Alaska

Nov 17<sup>th</sup> - 99  
 I the undersigned claim 20 acres of ground for mining purposes 1320 feet down stream and 330 feet on each side of centre stake this claim shall be known as N<sup>o</sup> 3' B.D. on Dean Creek tributary to Pilgrim River.

Witness Henry Breen  
 Located for  
 Wm Phipps by  
 Frank Miller  
 Filed for record 3:20 pm Nov 23<sup>rd</sup> - 99 Wm J.P. Ellis Deputy

Power of Attorney  
 Phipps to Miller

Know all Men by these Presents that I, Wm Phipps have made constituted and appointed and by these presents do make constitute and appoint Frank Miller true and lawful Attorney for me and in my name place and stead to locate stake and record for me lode claims and placer mining ground in the District of Alaska U.S.A. hereby giving and granting unto him my said Attorney full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises as fully to all intents and purposes as I might or could do if personally present hereby ratifying and confirming all he my said Attorney Frank Miller shall

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lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of these presents  
In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal  
this 30<sup>th</sup> day of Sept in the year of our Lord 1899

Signed Sealed and Delivered in the presence of }  
E. R. Beeman } Wm Phipps ✓  
W. A. Timmonds }  
United States of America  
District of Alaska

This is to Certify that on this 30<sup>th</sup> day of Sept. A.D.  
1899 before me E. R. Beeman Notary Public in and for the District  
of Alaska duly Commissioned and sworn personally came Wm  
Phipps to me known to be the individual described in and who  
executed the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he  
signed and sealed the same as his free and voluntary act and  
deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned  
Witness my hand and official seal, the day and year in this  
certificate first above written

E. R. Beeman  
Notary Public in and for the District of Alaska  
(Seal)

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Location Notice

Golden Gate Mining District of Alaska  
Pilgrim River Nov 17<sup>th</sup> 99  
I the undersigned claim 20 acres of ground for mining purposes  
1320 feet up stream and 330 feet on each side of centre line  
Claim to be known as N<sup>o</sup> 4 above discovery on Dean Creek

Locator  
Wm J. P. Ellis ✓  
Witness Jos. Slisovich  
Filed for record 3:20 pm Nov 23<sup>rd</sup> 99 Wm J. P. Ellis Deputy

Location Notice

Golden Gate Mining District of Alaska  
Pilgrim River Nov 15<sup>th</sup> 99  
I the undersigned claim 20 acres of ground for mining purposes  
1320 feet up stream and 330 feet on each side of centre line Claim  
to be known as N<sup>o</sup> 4 above Discovery on Fox Creek

Locator  
Tony Ferrera  
Witness Henry P. Breen  
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## Power of Attorney

Know all men by these Presents that I J. F. Smith of Seattle Washington have made constituted and appointed and by these presents do make constitute and appoint Joe Gliscovich of Cape Nome Annel City, Alaska my true and lawful Attorney for me and in my name place and stead to locate stakes and record lode or placer mining claims upon any U.S. Government land in the District of Alaska, hereby giving and granting unto my said Attorney full and complete power and authority to perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises as fully to all intents and purposes as I might or could do if personally present at the doing thereof, with full power of substitution and revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that my said attorney or his substitute or substitutes shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 21<sup>st</sup> day of September A.D. 1899.

Signed Sealed and Delivered

in Presence of

J. H. Bouse

E Ansel

United States of America

District of Alaska

J. F. Smith ✓

(Seal)

} ss.

I L. B. Shephard a United States Commissioner in and for and residing in the District aforesaid, do hereby certify that J. F. Smith personally known to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument appeared before me this day in person and acknowledged that he signed, sealed, and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Given under my hand and affixed my official seal the 21<sup>st</sup> day of September A.D. 1899.

L. B. Shephard.

(Seal)

United States Commissioner in and for  
the District aforesaid.

Filed for record 3-20 pm Nov 23-99

Joe Gliscovich Rec. dr.

Wm H. P. Ellis Deputy

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 Location Notice  
 Golden Gate Mining District of Alaska  
 Pilgrim River Nov 17-99  
 I the undersigned claim 20 acres of ground for mining purposes  
 1320 feet up stream and 330 feet on each side of centre line. Claim  
 to be known as N<sup>o</sup> 1 above Discovery on Dean Creek  
 Locator  
 Witness Frank Miller                      Joe Slisovich ✓  
 Filed for record 3:20pm Nov 23-99 Wm J. P. Ellis Deputy

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 Location Notice  
 Golden Gate Mining District of Alaska  
 Pilgrim River Nov 15-99  
 I the undersigned claim 20 acres of ground for mining purposes  
 1320 feet up stream and 330 feet on each side of centre line  
 Claim to be known as Discovery on Fox Creek tributary of Pilgrim  
 River  
 Locator  
 Witness Frank Miller                      Joe Slisovich ✓  
 Filed for record 3:20pm Nov 23-99 Wm J. P. Ellis Deputy

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 Location Notice  
 Golden Gate Mining District of Alaska  
 Pilgrim River Nov 16/99  
 I the undersigned claim 20 acres of ground for mining purposes  
 1320 feet up stream and 330 feet on each side of centre line.  
 Claim to be known as N<sup>o</sup> 1 above Discovery on Morning Call Creek  
 Locator  
 Witness Frank Miller                      Joe Slisovich ✓  
 Filed for record 3:20pm Nov 23-99 Wm J. P. Ellis Deputy

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 Location Notice  
 Golden Gate Mining District of Alaska  
 Pilgrim River Nov 17-99  
 I the undersigned claim 20 acres of ground for mining purposes  
 1320 feet up stream and 330 feet on each side of centre line  
 Claim to be known as N<sup>o</sup> 3 above Discovery on Dean Creek.  
 Locator  
 Witness Joe Slisovich                      Tony Ferrera ✓  
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# Notice of Location

Golden Gate Mining District of Alaska

Pilgrim River

Nov 16<sup>th</sup> 1899

I the undersigned claim 20 acres of ground for mining purposes  
 1220 feet up stream and 330 feet on each side of centre line.

Claim to be known as No 3 above Discovery on Morning Call Creek

Witness

Henry P. Taren

Locator

J. H. Smith by

Jo Shsorch (Attorney in fact).

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Jo Shsorch Recd

Wm A. P. Ellis Deputy

Location Notice  
Golden Gate Mining District of Alaska.

Pilgrim River Nov 16-99

I the undersigned claim 20 acres of ground for mining purposes 1320 feet up stream and 320 feet on each side of centre line, claim to be known as N<sup>o</sup> 4 above Discovery on Morning Call Creek.

Locater

O. B. Crane by

Jos Sliscovich

Witness Henry P. Breen.

Filed for record 3:20 pm. Nov 23<sup>rd</sup> - 99. W<sup>m</sup> F. P. Ellis Deputy

Power of Attorney

O. B. Crane to Jos Sliscovich

Know All Men By These Presents that I O. B. Crane of Nome City Alaska have made constituted and appointed and by these presents do make constitute and appoint Jos Sliscovich of the same place my true and lawful Attorney for me and in my name place and stead to locate, stake, and record for me lode claims and placer mining ground and locate stake and record town sites and town lots in the District of Alaska hereby giving and granting unto my said Attorney full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises, as fully, to all intents and purposes as I might or could do, if personally present with full power of substitution hereby ratifying and confirming all that my said Attorney Jos Sliscovich shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of these presents In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 10<sup>th</sup> day of November in the year of our Lord 1899.

Signed Sealed and Delivered in Presence of

F. W. Mettler

O. B. Crane

United States of America, District of Alaska.

This is to Certify That on this 10<sup>th</sup> day of November A. D. 1899 before me F. W. Mettler a Notary Public in and for the District of Alaska duly commissioned and sworn, personally, came O. B. Crane to me known to be the individual described in and who executed the

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within instrument and acknowledged to me that he signed and sealed the same as his free and voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

Witness my hand and official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written

F. W. Mettler

(Seal)

Notary Public in and for the District of Alaska  
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Location Notice

~~Golden Gate Mining District of Alaska~~

~~Pilgrim River Nov 16-99~~

~~I the undersigned claim 20 acres of ground for mining purposes 1320 feet up stream and 330 feet on each side of centre line Claim to be known as N<sup>o</sup> 4 above Discovery on Morning Call Creek.~~

~~Witness Henry P. Brun~~

~~Locater  
O.B. Crane by  
Joe Sliscovich~~

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Location Notice

~~Golden Gate Mining District of Alaska~~

~~Pilgrim River Nov 5<sup>th</sup> -99~~

~~I the undersigned claim ~~twenty~~ acres of ground for mining purposes, 1320 feet up stream and 330 feet on each side of centre line. Claim to be known as N<sup>o</sup> 6 below Discovery on Joe Creek~~

~~Witness Joe Sliscovich~~

~~Locater  
R.D. Deputy~~

~~Filed for record 3:20 p.m. Nov 23<sup>rd</sup> 99 Wm F. Ellis Deputy~~

Location Notice

~~Golden Gate Mining District of Alaska~~

~~Pilgrim River Nov 15<sup>th</sup> -99~~

~~I the undersigned claim 20 acres of ground for mining purposes 1320 feet up stream and 330 feet on each side of centre line Claim to be known as Wilson Deputy Gulch tributary to Dean Creek coming into the same at Discovery~~

~~Witness Joe Sliscovich~~

~~Locater R.D. Deputy~~

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