

his initials; and lastly, to the north-westerly angle of the location, the post planted at which he shall mark with the letters M. L. No. 4, and his initials. If the location be laid by other than due north and south and east and west lines, the first mentioned post shall be the one at the northerly angle; the second the one at the easterly angle; the third the one at the southerly angle; and the fourth the one at the westerly angle. Furthermore, on the face of each post which face shall in the planting thereof be turned towards the post which next follows it in the order in which they are here named and numbered, there shall be marked in figures the number of yards distant to the next following post. If means of measurement are not available, the distance to be so marked on each of the posts may be that estimated. If the corner of a location falls in a ravine, bed of a stream, or any other situation where the character of the locality may render the planting of a post impossible, the said corner may be indicated by the erection at the nearest suitable point of a witness post, which in that case shall contain the same marks as those prescribed in this clause in regard to corner posts, together with the letters W. P., and an indication of the bearing and distance of the site of the true corner from such witness post.

(In this manner any subsequent prospector, informed of these Regulations, will, on finding any one of the posts or mounds, be enabled to follow them all round, from one to another, and avoid encroachment, either in search of or in marking out another location in the vicinity for himself.)

(b) Having so marked out on the ground the location he desires, the claimant shall, within sixty days thereafter, file with the Agent in the Dominion Lands Office for the district in which the location is situate, a declaration under oath, according to form A in the schedule to these Regulations (which may be sworn to before the said Agent, or may have been previously sworn to before a Justice of the Peace or Commissioner), setting forth the circumstances of his discovery, and describing, as nearly as may be, the locality and dimensions of the location marked out by him as aforesaid: and shall, along with such declaration, pay to the said Agent an entry fee of five dollars.

(c) The Agent upon such payment being made shall grant a receipt according to the form B in the schedule to these Regulations. This receipt shall authorize the claimant, his legal representatives or assignees, to enter into possession of the location applied for, and subject to its renewal from year to year as hereinafter provided, during the term of five years from its date, to take therefrom and dispose of any mineral deposit contained within its boundaries, provided that during each of the said five years after the date of such receipt he or they shall expend in actual mining operations on the claim at least one hundred dollars, and furnish to the Agent of Dominion Lands within each and every year a full detailed statement of such expenditure, which evidence shall be in the form of an affidavit corroborated by two reliable and disinterested witnesses; and the Agent shall thereupon, subject to the payment by the claimant of a fee of five dollars, issue a receipt in the form C in the schedule hereto, which shall entitle the claimant to hold the location for another year.