

Hannibaling Mining Co  
To  
W. H. McElroy

This Agreement Made the First day of  
July in the year of our Lord One Thousand  
eight hundred and seventy seven Between  
The Hannibaling Mining Company the  
party of the first part and W. H. McElroy of the Town and  
County of Eureka, State of Nevada, party of the second part.

Witnesseth that the said party of the first part do by these  
presents demise and lease unto the said party of the second  
part The following described Springs of water situated  
in the County of Eureka and State of Nevada, and more  
particularly described as follows, to wit. The Hill side springs  
on the south east corner of the Hannibaling Furnace Ranch  
also a certain spring on said Ranch situated immediately  
north of "New Johnson's Ranch" also the rights to the use of any  
other water on the Southern portion of the Hillside Hannibaling  
Company's Furnace Ranch. The above described springs &  
water being situated about two miles in a southerly direction  
from the town of Eureka as far as known as the Hanni-  
baling Company's Furnace Ranch, with the appurtenances  
for the term of One year from the said day of July One  
Thousand eight hundred and seventy seven at the rent or  
sum of One Dollar per annum payable in advance.  
And it is hereby agreed that if any rent shall be due and unpaid  
or if default shall be made in any of the covenants  
herein contained, then it shall be lawful for the said party  
of the first part to re-enter the said premises and to recover all  
rents therefrom. And the said party of the second part  
does hereby covenant, promise and agree to pay the said party  
of the first part the said rent in the manner herein specified  
Provided that the party of the second shall at any time within  
the period of One year from date, upon demand of the party of  
the first part or its agent or employee when ten days notice  
therefor and deliver up the said property unto the possession  
of the party of the first or to any one duly authorized by said  
Hannibaling Company to receive it. And at the expiration of said  
term the said party of the second part will quit and surrender  
the said premises in as good state and condition as was made  
new and wear thereof will support (damaged by the elements alone  
excepted) And the said party of the first part do, hereby  
covenant, promise and agree that the said party of the second  
part, paying the said rent and performing the covenants afo-  
said shall and may presently and quickly have, hold and enjoy  
the said premises for the term aforesaid. In witness whereof  
the said parties have hereunto set their hands and seals the  
day and year first above written.

Hannibaling Mining Company  
By J. C. Powell Subt  
W. H. McElroy

State of Nevada  
County of Eureka  
J. S.

On this First day of July A.D. One Thousand  
eight hundred and seventy seven personally affixed before me

P. Larchman attorney Probst in and for the said County of Larimer W. W. McCoy whose name is subscribed to the annexed instrument as a party thereto personally known to me to be the same person described in and who executed the said instrument as a party thereto and the said W. W. McCoy duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same freely and voluntarily and for the sum and purposes herein mentioned  
 In witness whereof I have signed my name and affixes my official seal the day and year in this month  
 First above written

P. Larchman attorney Probst,

State of Nevada  
 County of Larimer <sup>op.</sup>

On this 6<sup>th</sup> day of July A.D. 1877 before me personally came J. C. Powell the Superintendent of the Homberg Mining Company to me personally known to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument as the Superintendent of the Homberg Mining Company and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same as the Superintendent of said Company as its free and voluntary act for the sum and purposes herein mentioned and in pursuance of an order and resolution of said Company directing such law to be executed by signing the same as Superintendent of said Corporation.

In witness whereof I have signed and affixed my hand and seal this day annexed year first above written,

P. Larchman attorney Probst -

Received with request of J. C. Powell on the 21<sup>st</sup> ult  
 141 min past 3 P.M A.D. 1877,