

Certificate  
No. 6299

# The United States of America,

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To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

Whereas <sup>Jacob Early assignee of</sup> William Nicholas Switzer of Laporte Indiana has deposited in the General Land Office of the United States a certificate of the Register of the Land Office at Laporte whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said William Nicholas Switzer according to the provisions of the act of Congress of the 25th of April, 1820, entitled "An act making further provision for the sale of the Public Lands," for the North West quarter, of section twenty seven, in Township thirty six North, of range Six West in the District of Lands subject to sale at Laporte Indiana containing one hundred and sixty Acres. according to the official plat of the survey of the said Lands, returned to the General Land Office by the Surveyor General, which said tract has been purchased by the said William Nicholas Switzer

**NOW KNOW YE,** That the **UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,** in consideration of the premises and in conformity with the several acts of Congress, in such case made and provided, have given and granted, and by these presents do give and grant, unto the said ~~William Nicholas Switzer~~ <sup>Jacob Early</sup> and to his heirs, the said tract above described: To have and to hold the same, together with all the rights, privileges, immunities, and appurtenances of whatsoever nature, hereunto belonging, unto the said ~~William Nicholas Switzer~~ <sup>Jacob Early</sup> and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof, I, ~~Marvin Van Buren~~ <sup>Marvin Van Buren</sup> PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, have caused these Letters to be made patent, and the Seal of the General Land Office to be hereunto affixed.

Given under my hand, at the City of Washington, the ~~thirtieth~~ <sup>sixty first</sup> day of ~~November~~ <sup>December</sup> in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~thirty seven~~ <sup>thirty seven</sup> and of the Independence of the United States

By the President: ~~Marvin Van Buren~~ <sup>Marvin Van Buren</sup>  
By ~~Marvin Van Buren~~ <sup>Marvin Van Buren</sup> Secy.  
James Tilling Acting Recorder - Commissioner of the General Land Office. ~~Marvin Van Buren~~