



THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS, In pursuance of the Act of Congress, approved March 3, 1855, entitled "An Act in addition to certain Acts granting Bounty Land to certain Officers and Soldiers who have been engaged in the military service of the United States," there has been deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE, Warrant No. 48405 for 120 acres, in favor of John Howard Private, Captain, Whitesides Company Illinois Volunteers, War 1812

with evidence that the same has been duly located upon the North East quarter of the North East quarter - the West half of the North East quarter and the East half of the North West quarter (North of Kankakee River, of Section Thirty six, in Township Thirty-three North, of Range Six West, in the District of Lands subject to sale at Indianapolis, Indiana, containing one hundred and twenty five acres and twenty hundredths of an acre

according to the Official Plat of the Survey of said Lands returned to the GENERAL LAND OFFICE by the SURVEYOR GENERAL the said Warrant having been assigned by the said John Howard to Jefferson Helm, in whose favor said tract has been located

NOW KNOW YE, That there is therefore granted by the UNITED STATES unto the said Jefferson Helm, as assignee as aforesaid, and to his heirs

the tract of Land above described: TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said tract of Land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said Jefferson Helm, as assignee as aforesaid, and to his

heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof, I, James Buchanan 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 Eighteenth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty nine, and of the INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES the Eighty Third

BY THE PRESIDENT: James Buchanan By J. J. Albright Sec'y.

Manager Recorder of the General Land Office.

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