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THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

CERTIFICATE }

No. 24.990.

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

Whereas Micajah Pickett, of Switzerland County, Indiana

has deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE of the United States, a Certificate of the REGISTER OF THE LAND OFFICE at Jeffersonville, whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said

Micajah Pickett

according to the provisions of the

Act of Congress of the 24th of April, 1820, entitled "An act making further provision for the sale of the Public Lands," for the North West Quarter of the South West Quarter of Section Twenty-Three, in Township One South, of Range Three East, in the District of Lands formerly subject to sale at Jeffersonville, now Indianapolis, Indiana, containing Forty 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

Micajah Pickett

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

Micajah Pickett

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, thereunto belonging, unto the said

Micajah Pickett

and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In Testimony Whereof, I, Franklin Pierce,

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

First

day of September

in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and

fifty six

and of the

INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES the

Eighty first

BY THE PRESIDENT:

Franklin Pierce

By H. E. Baldwin

A. S. V. White

J. N. Granger

Asst Secretary.

Recorder of the General Land Office.

