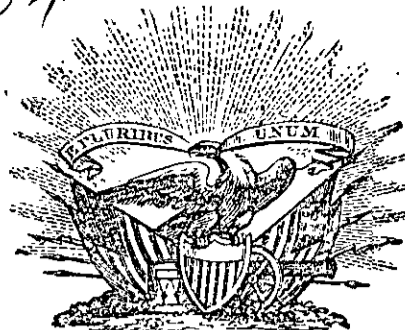


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The United States of America.

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

Whereas, In pursuance of the Act of Congress, approved September 28th, 1830,

entitled "An Act granting Bounty Land to certain Officers and Soldiers who have been engaged in the Military

Service of the United States," Warrant No. 39476 for 80 acres,

issued in favor of *William Cloud private in captain
Gillera waters company Tennessee Volunteers.*

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has been returned to the GENERAL LAND OFFICE, with evidence that the same has been duly located upon the

*lot numbered one of the north west fractional
quarter of section thirty one in Township twenty
seven of Range thirty one in the District of
lands subject to sale at Springfield Missouri
containing eighty acres*

according to the Official Plat of the Survey of the said Lands returned to the GENERAL LAND OFFICE by

the SURVEYOR GENERAL: *which has been assigned to James
H. Kerr*

Now Know Ye, That there is therefore granted by the UNITED STATES unto the said

James H. Kerr

the tract of Land above described: TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said Tract of Land, with the appurtenances

thereof, unto the said *James H. Kerr 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

fifteenth day of *April*

in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred

and *fifty six* and of the INDEPENDENCE

OF THE UNITED STATES the *seventy eighth*

BY THE PRESIDENT:

Franklin Pierce

By *H. G. Baldwin* apt Sec'y.

J. N. Gray Recorder of the General Land Office.