THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

John B. Claude, of Ovage Country Missouri.

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

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 half of the north West quarter, and the north West quarter of the north East quarter of Section Dix, in Township forty Two north of dange eight West, in the district of lands subject to sale at St. Soiis. Missouri, containing eighty eight acres and twenty nine hundrets of an acre

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 Tha Mebeen purchased by the said which said tract I ha Mebeen purchased by the said

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

heirs, the said tract dabove 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

and to help heirs and assigns forever.

In Testimony Mhereof 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 levels day of Sund in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty seven.

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INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES the

Secretary.