



The United States of America,

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING:

Homestead Certificate No. 1735
Application 4462

Whereas, there has been deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE of the United States a CERTIFICATE of the Register of the Land Office at Kirwin Kansas,

whereby it appears that, pursuant to the Act of Congress approved 20th May, 1862, "To secure Homesteads to actual settlers on the public domain," and the acts supplemental thereto, the claim of Francis M. Claudel

has been established and duly consummated in

conformity to law for the north-west quarter of section thirty-three, in township four, of range fifteen, in the district of lands subject to sale at Kirwin, Kansas, containing one hundred and sixty acres.

according to the Official Plat of the Survey of the said Land returned to the GENERAL LAND OFFICE by the SURVEYOR GENERAL.

Now know ye, That there is therefore granted by the UNITED STATES, unto the said Francis M. Claudel

the tract of Land above described: TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said tract of Land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said Francis M. Claudel and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In Testimony whereof, Rutherford B. Hayes, 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 day of December, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, and of the Independence of the United States three hundred and fourth



By the President: R. B. Hayes

By Wm H. Brooks, Sec'y.

S. W. Clark, Recorder of the General Land Office.