



The United States of America,

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING:

Homestead Certificate No. 8310 }
Application 15121- }

Whereas there has been deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE of the

United States a CERTIFICATE of the Register of the Land Office at New Orleans,
Louisiana

, 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 Jerry M. Cloud has been established
and duly consummated in conformity to law for the North half of the North West
quarter and the South East quarter of the North West
quarter of Section eight, in Township one South of
Range three West of Louisiana Meridian in
Louisiana, containing one hundred and twenty-
three acres and ninety hundredths of an acre.

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 Jerry M.
Cloud the tract of Land
above described: TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said tract of Land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said
Jerry M. Cloud and to his heirs and assigns forever. And there
~~is reserved from the lands hereby granted a right of way thereon for ditches or canals constructed by the authority of~~
~~the United States.~~

In testimony whereof I, William Mc Kintley
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 twenty-sixth
day of April, in the year of Our Lord one
thousand ^{nine} hundred and _____, and of the
Independence of the United States the one hundred and twenty-fourth

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By the President: William Mc Kintley
By J. M. Mc Kear Sec'y.

C. H. Brush, Recorder of the General Land Office.