



The United States of America,

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING:

Homestead Certificate No. 2895-
Application 4725-

Whereas there has been deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE of the United States a CERTIFICATE of the Register of the Land Office at Natchitoches, 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 Samuel N. Cloud Junior has been established and duly consummated in conformity to law for the North half of the South East quarter and the South East quarter of the South East quarter of Section twenty-nine and the South West quarter of the South West quarter of Section twenty-eight in Township fifteen North of Range seven West of Louisiana Meridian in Louisiana, containing one hundred and fifty-two acres and seventy-six 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 Samuel N. Cloud, Junior the tract of Land above described: TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said tract of Land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said Samuel N. Cloud, Junior and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof I, William M. Kinley
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 twelfth
day of July, in the year of Our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and ninety eight, and of the
Independence of the United States the one hundred and twenty third

By the President: William M. Kinley
By F. M. M^cLean Sec'y.

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

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