

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

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KNOW YE, That in pursuance of the Act of Congress, entitled "An act to raise for a limited time an additional military force, and for other purposes," approved February 11th, 1847,

William M. Cloud, late a Corporal in Captain Smith's Company of the Sixteenth Regiment of United States Infantry

having deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE a WARRANT in his favor, numbered 44,959.

THERE IS THEREFORE GRANTED BY THE UNITED STATES, unto Thomas Wilson assignee of said William M. Cloud, and to his heirs the West half of the North West quarter of Section Twenty five, and the East half of the North East quarter of Section Twenty six, in Township Seventy three North of Range Seventeen West, in the District of Lands Subject to Sale at Fairfield, Iowa, 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, which said tracts have been located in satisfaction of the above mentioned Warrant, in pursuance of the Act of Congress above mentioned, approved February 11th, 1847. TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said parts of said section of land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said

Thomas Wilson, and to his

heirs and assigns forever.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, Millard Fillmore

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 Eighth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty one and of the INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES the seventy-fifth

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BY THE PRESIDENT: Millard Fillmore
By Alex. M. Cormick Asst. Sec'y.
E. J. Terry Recorder of the General Land Office.