



The United States of America,

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING:

Homestead Certificate No. 8502
Application 16810

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

United States a CERTIFICATE of the Register of the Land Office at Huntsville
Alabama, 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 John B Clowder has been
established and duly consummated in conformity to law for the North half
of the North East-quarter of section
twelve in Township thirteen South of
Range one East of Huntsville Meridian
in Alabama containing eighty acres and
twenty-two 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
John B Clowder the tract of Land
above described: TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said tract of Land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto
the said John B Clowder and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof I, Grover Cleveland
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 twentieth
day of November, in the year of Our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and Ninety-three, and of the
Independence of the United States the one hundred and eighteenth

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By the President: Grover Cleveland
By M. M. Keam Sec'y.

L. G. Lamar, Recorder of the General Land Office.