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No. 3939

# The United States of America.

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To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

Whereas, Benjamin Franklin Blossom of Vanwert County Ohio has deposited in the General Land Office of the United States, a certificate of the Register of the Land Office at Fort Wayne whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said Benjamin Franklin Blossom according to the provisions of the act of Congress of the 24th April, 1820, entitled "An act making further provision for the sale of the Public Lands," for the South half of the South East quarter of Section Twenty Seven in Township Twenty Eight North of Range Fourteen East in the District of Lands Subject to Sale at Fort Wayne, Indiana containing Eighty acres according to the official plat of the survey of the said Lands, returned to the General Land Office by the Surveyor General, which said tract has been purchased by the said Benjamin Franklin Blossom

**NOW KNOW YE,** That the **UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,** in consideration of the premises, and in conformity with the several acts of Congress, in such cases made and provided, have given and granted, and, by these presents, do give and grant, unto the said Benjamin Franklin Blossom and to his heirs, the said tract above described: To Have and to Hold the same, together with all the rights, privileges, immunities and appurtenances, of whatsoever nature thereunto belonging, unto the said Benjamin Franklin Blossom and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof, I, Andrew Jackson, 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 ~~fifteenth~~ <sup>15th</sup> day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~thirty five~~ <sup>thirty six</sup>, and of the Independence of the United States the ~~fortieth~~ <sup>forty</sup>.

By the President:  
Ethan A. Brown

Andrew Jackson  
By A. D. Donelson Sec'y  
Commissioner of the General Land Office.