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Certificate
No. 3, 538.

The United States of America,

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 Indiana 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 of April, 1820, entitled "An act making further provision for the sale of the Public Lands," for the East half of the South West 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 Seventy seven acres and sixty hundredths of an acre 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 case 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 eighth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty five and of the Independence of the United States the Sixtieth

By the President:

Andrew Jackson
By A. J. Duelsou Sec'y.

Charles Brown
Elijah Hayward

Commissioner of the General Land Office.