

The United States of America.

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

Whereas William S. Ewing, William V. Hood and George W. Ewing have deposited in the General Land Office of the United States, a certificate of the Register of the Land Office at Fort Wayne, State of Indiana whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said William S. Ewing, William V. Hood & Geo. W. Ewing 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 South East fraction of the South East quarter of Section Twelve, in Township twenty eight, of Range thirteenth in the District of Fort Wayne (and State of Indiana, containing three acres and seventy five 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 William S. Ewing, William V. Hood & George W. Ewing

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 Wm S. Ewing, Wm V. Hood & Geo W. Ewing & their 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, thereto belonging, unto the said William S. Ewing, William V. Hood & George W. Ewing and their heirs and assigns forever, as tenants in common & not as joint tenants.

In testimony whereof, I, James Monroe

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 day of December in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twenty three, and of the Independence of the United States the forty eighth.

By the President,



Geo. Graham Commissioner of the General Land Office.

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