

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

Whereas John Ross, of Allen County, Indiana, 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 John Ross 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 fraction of the South ^{East} quarter of section Twenty seven in Township Twenty seven, of Range fifteen, in the District of Lands offered for sale at Fort Wayne, Indiana, containing forty six acres, and thirty one 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 John Ross

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 John Ross 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, thereto belonging, unto the said John Ross and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof, J. 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 first day of November, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twenty five, and of the Independence of the United States the forty fifth.

By the President,

Commissioner of the General Land Office.