

Certificate.
No. 2069.

The United States of America, &c.

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

Whereas, William D. Stephens of Meble 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 William D. Stephens 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 North west fractional Quarter of Section Eighteen, in Township Twenty eight North, of Range Fourteen East, in the District of Lands subject to sale at Fort Wayne Indiana, containing one hundred and Twenty two acres and Twenty seven 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 D. Stephens

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 William D. Stephens 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 William D. Stephens 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 Second day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Thirty five and of the Independence of the United States the fifty ninth.

Andrew Jackson,

By the President:

By N. J. Donelson

Sec'y.

Elijah Hayward.

Commissioner of the General Land Office.

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