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COPY July 9th 1900
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

CERTIFICATE

No. 18879

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS Samuel A. Thresher, of Orange County, Vermont

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

Samuel A. Thresher

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 West quarter of the South East quarter of Section twenty eight, in Township twenty five North, of Range fourteen East, in the District of Lands, subject to sale at Fort Wayne, Indiana, containing forty 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 Samuel A. Thresher

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 Samuel A. Thresher

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 Samuel A.

Thresher

and to his heirs and assigns forever.

Martin Van Buren

In Testimony Whereof, I,

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 twentieth day of August

in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight and of the

INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES the Sixty third

BY THE PRESIDENT:

By

J. S. Wilson, Acting

Martin Van Buren
A. Van Buren, Sec'y.

RECORDED of the General Land Office.

Ad interim

