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Cpd. Dec. 3-1874
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

CERTIFICATE

No. 18969

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS

John Want, of Champaign 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

John Want

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 Section five, in Township twenty five North, of Range fifteen East, in the District of Lands subject to sale at Fort Wayne, Indiana, containing three hundred and twenty six acres and forty eight 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 Want

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 Want

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

John Want

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:

Martin Van Buren
M Van Buren Sec'y.

By *R. S. Wilson* Acting

RECORDER of the General Land Office.
ad interim

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