

CERTIFICATE

No. 25099

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

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To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS

Absalom S. Wood, of Randolph 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

Absalom S. Wood, 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 West quarter, of Section two, 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 *Absalom S. Wood*

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 *Absalom S. Wood,*

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

Absalom S. Wood, and to *his* heirs and assigns forever.

In Testimony Whereof, I, *John Tyler*

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 *August* in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty four* and of the INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES the *Sixty ninth*

BY THE PRESIDENT: *John Tyler*

By *John Tyler Jr* Sec'y.

RECORDER of the General Land Office.

Signed by Recorder 10th Dec: 1844



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