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The United States of America

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

Know Ye, That in pursuance of the Act of Congress, entitled "An Act to raise for a limited time an additional military force, and for other purposes," approved February 11th, 1847.

John D. Mellin, late a private in Captain  
Wilson's company First Regiment Indiana  
Volunteers,

having deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE a WARRANT in his favor, numbered  
13134.

THERE IS THEREFORE GRANTED BY THE UNITED STATES, unto Noah Wood, assignee  
of said John D. Mellin, and to his heirs, the  
South West quarter of Section seven, in Town  
ship twenty six, North, of Range fifteen East,  
in the District of Kansas subject to sale at  
Fort Wayne, Indiana, containing one  
hundred and sixty acres

according to the Official Plat of the Survey of the said Land returned to the GENERAL LAND OFFICE by  
the SURVEYOR GENERAL, which said tract has been located in satisfaction of the above mentioned War-  
rant, in pursuance of the Act of Congress above mentioned, approved February 11th, 1847. TO HAVE AND  
TO HOLD the said Quarter section of land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said  
Noah Wood, and his

heirs and assigns forever.

In Testimony Whereof, I, Millard Fillmore

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 fifty one and of the INDEPENDENCE  
OF THE UNITED STATES the seventy-sixth

BY THE PRESIDENT: Millard Fillmore

By Alex. M. Cormick Sec'y.

E. J. Terry. Recorder of the General Land Office.