

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

CERTIFICATE }

No. 18523 }

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

Whereas Jacob Cloud, of McDonald County, Missouri,

has deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE of the United States, a Certificate of the REGISTER OF THE LAND OFFICE at Springfield whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said

Jacob Cloud

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 North East quarter of the South West quarter of Section eight, in Township twenty three, of Range thirty, in the District of Lands subject to sale at Springfield, Missouri, 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 Jacob Cloud.

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

Jacob Cloud,

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

Jacob Cloud,

and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In Testimony Whereof, I, James Buchanan

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 *fifteenth* day of *May*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *fifty seven* and of the
INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES the *Eighty first*



BY THE PRESIDENT:

By

James Buchanan
G. H. Jones

Secretary.

J. C. Granger

Recorder of the General Land Office.