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## THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. E

CERTIFICATE

No. 16,558

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS

Washington Shoemaker of Pickens County Alabama

has deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE of the United States, a Certificate of the REGISTER OF THE LAND

OFFICE at

Tuscaloosa

whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said

Washington Shoemaker

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 North West quarter of Section fourteen in Township twenty four, of Range One East in the District of Lands subject to sale at Tuscaloosa, Alabama, containing thirty nine Acres, and ninety nine 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

Washington Shoemaker

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

Washington Shoemaker

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

Washington Shoemaker

and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In Testimony Whereof, I,

Martin Van Buren

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 Seventh day of November

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

INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES the sixty second



BY THE PRESIDENT:

Martin Van Buren

By

A. Van Buren

Sec'y.

Jas S. Wilson Acting

RECORDED of the General Land Office.

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