

128.
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

CERTIFICATE

No. 16,917

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS

Grief Richardson, of Greene 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

Grief Richardson, 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 West quarter of the South East quarter of Section eighteen, in Township twenty four, of Range one East, in the District of lands subject to sale at Tuscaloosa, Alabama, containing forty acres and five 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 *Grief Richardson*

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 *Grief Richardson*

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

Grief Richardson

and to *his* heirs and assigns forever.

In Testimony Whereof, *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 *twenty eighth* 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
By *M. Van Buren Jr.* Sec'y.

Wm. J. Wilson, Acting **RECORDER of the General Land Office.**
ad interim