

Certificate
No. 14.140

The United States of America.

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

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Whereas William Courson, of Pickens County,
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 William Courson
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 North West quarter of Section twenty four, in Township twenty four, of Range two East, in the District
of lands subject to sale at Tuscaloosa, Alabama, containing thirty nine acres and ninety eight and ^{one fourth} ~~a half~~ 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 pur-
chased by the said William Courson

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 William
Courson 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
William Courson 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 *thirtieth* day of March in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and *thirty seven* and of the Independence of the United States
the *sixty first*

By the President:

Martin Van Buren

By A. Van Buren Sec'y.

Saml. D. King, Acting Recorder **Commissioner of the General Land Office, ad interim**