

CERTIFICATE

No. 17493

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS

John Bennett 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

John Bennett

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 East half of the North West quarter, of Section Twenty One, in Township Twenty Four, of Range Two East, in the District of Land subject to sale at Tuscaloosa Alabama, containing seventy nine Acres and ninety two 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 John Bennett**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 John Bennettand 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 John Bennett

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 twentieth day of September

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

INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES the Sixty fourth**BY THE PRESIDENT:**

Martin Van Buren

By

M. Van Buren Jr. Sec'y.

H. M. Garland

RECORDER of the General Land Office.

