

CERTIFICATE
No. 18742

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

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To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS

Elisha Thornton Assignee of John Thornton

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

John Thornton

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 twenty four, in Township twenty four, of Range two East, in the District of Lands subject to sale at Muscaloosa, Alabama, containing thirty nine acres and ninety eight and one fourth 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 Thornton

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 Elisha Thornton

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 Elisha Thornton 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.