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THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

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CERTIFICATE

No. 8076

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS Lewis Wells, of Perry County, Illinois,

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

Lewis Wells, 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 East quarter of the South West quarter of Section Twenty, in Township Six South, of Range one West, in the District of lands Subject to Sale at Kaskaskia, Illinois, Containing forty acres,

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 Lewis Wells,

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 wise made and provided, HAVE GIVEN AND GRANTED, and by these presents DO GIVE AND GRANT, unto the said Lewis Wells,

and 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 Lewis Wells,

and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In Testimony Whereof, I, John Tyler

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 first day of July in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty one and of the INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES the fifty fifth

BY THE PRESIDENT:

John Tyler  
R. Tyler Sec'y.

J. Williamson RECORDER of the General Land Office.

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