

Certificate  
No. 3208.

# The United States of America,

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

**Whereas** William Morris, of Parke County, Indiana,  
 has deposited in the General Land Office of the United States a certificate of the Register of the Land Office at La Porte,  
 whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said William Morris,  
 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 West half of the South East quarter of Section twenty seven, in Township thirty-  
 second, North, of Range five, West of the Second Meridian, in the District of lands  
 subject to sale at La Porte, Indiana, containing sixty 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 pur-  
 chased by the said William Morris

**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  
 Morris

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 Morris  
 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 April 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:

Hudson M. Garland Recorder

Commissioner of the General Land Office.

Martin Van Buren

By A. Van Buren Secy