

Certificate
No. 6300

The United States of America,

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To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

Whereas William Nicholas Switzer of Laporte County Indiana has deposited in the General Land Office of the United States, a certificate of the Register of the Land Office at Laporte whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said William Nicholas Switzer 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 North West quarter, of Section thirteen, in Township thirty six North, of range six West, in the District of Lands subject to sale at Laporte Indiana containing Eighty 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 William Nicholas Switzer

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 Nicholas Switzer 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 Nicholas Switzer and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof, I,

Morton 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 hands at the City of Washington, this ~~twelfth~~ day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~twenty seven~~ and of the Independence of the United States the ~~seventy first~~.

By the President:

Wm. D. King Acting Recorder

Morton Van Buren

By A. Van Buren Sec'y

Commissioner of the General Land Office ad interim

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