

**THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.**

CERTIFICATE

No. 8327

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

**WHEREAS** Edward Don. of Porter Township, Indiana,

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

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 West* quarter of the *North East* quarter of Section thirty one, in Township thirty six North, of Range six West, in the District of Lands subject to sale at *Vapora*, Indiana, 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 *Edward Don.*

**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 *Edward Don.*

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 *Edward Don.*

and to his heirs and assigns forever.

**In Testimony Whereof**, *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 *fourth* day of *August* in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *thirty seven* and of the **INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES** the *sixty second*



**BY THE PRESIDENT:** *Martin Van Buren*

By *M. Van Buren* Sec'y.

*J. H. Wilson* Recorder of the General Land Office, *ad interim*  
*J. H. Wilson* Acting