

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

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CERTIFICATE

No. 8654

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS

Nathaniel Presby Hopkins, of La Porte, 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

Nathaniel Presby Hopkins

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 half and the North East quarter, of the North East quarter, of Section two, in Township thirty six North, of Range five West, in the District of lands subject to Sale at La Porte, Indiana, containing one hundred and twenty seven acres, and twenty six hundred and thirty one 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 Nathaniel Presby Hopkins,

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 Nathaniel Presby Hopkins

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 Nathaniel Presby Hopkins,

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 ~~five~~ ^{twelfth} day of ~~July~~ ^{August}, in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~thirty seven~~ ^{thirty seven} and of the INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES the ~~Sixty second~~ ^{Sixty second}

BY THE PRESIDENT:

Martin Van Buren

By A Van Buren Sec'y.

RECORDER of the General Land Office, ad interim



Wm Wilson acting

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