

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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CERTIFICATE

No. 4276

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS

Alford Cooley, of Hampden County, Massachusetts

has deposited in the **GENERAL LAND OFFICE** of the United States, a Certificate of the **REGISTER OF THE LAND**

OFFICE at *La Porte*
Alford Cooley

whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said

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 Section seven, in Township
thirty-five North, of Range six West, in the District of
Lands subject to sale at La Porte, Indiana, containing
one hundred and fifty three acres and thirty seven
hundredths of an 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

Alford Cooley

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 *Alford Cooley*

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

Alford Cooley

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 *fifth* day of *July*

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.

Hudson, N. Yorkland RECORDER of the General Land Office.

