

**THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,**

**CERTIFICATE**

No. 14, 976

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

**WHEREAS** James Cadwell of Porter County Indiana

had deposited in the **GENERAL LAND OFFICE** of the United States, a Certificate of the **REGISTER OF THE LAND OFFICE** at Winamac whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said James Cadwell

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 North east quarter of the South west quarter of Section twenty five in Township thirty five North of Range Seven West, in the District of lands Subject to sale at Winamac 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 had been purchased by the said James Cadwell

**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 James Cadwell

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 James Cadwell

and to his heirs and assigns, forever.

**In Testimony Whereof, I, James K. Polk**

**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 first day of May in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty eight and of the **INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES** the seventy second

**BY THE PRESIDENT:** James K. Polk  
By J. K. Stephens **Sec'y.**  
S. H. Laughlin  
**RECORDER** of the General Land Office.

