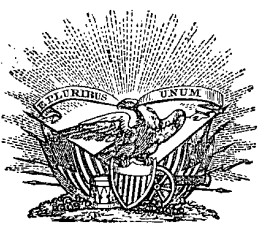


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The United States of America,

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

Whereas, In pursuance of the Act of Congress, approved September 28th, 1850, entitled "An Act granting Bounty Land to certain Officers and Soldiers who have been engaged in the Military Service of the United States," Warrant No. 43 710 for 80 acres, issued in favor of Alexander Dickerson, Private Captain's Ledger's Company, New York Militia, War of 1812,

has been returned to the GENERAL LAND OFFICE, with evidence that the same has been duly located upon the South half of the South East quarter of Section twenty seven, in Township thirty four, of Range five west, in the District of Lands Subject to Sale at Winamac, 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:

Now Know Ye, That there is therefore granted by the UNITED STATES unto the said Alexander Dickerson

the tract of Land above described: TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said tract of Land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said Alexander Dickerson and his

heirs and assigns forever.

In Testimony Whereof, I, Franklin Pierce
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
fifteenth day of April
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and fifty three and of the INDEPENDENCE
OF THE UNITED STATES the seventy-seventh

BY THE PRESIDENT, Franklin Pierce
By B. B. French M. Sec'y.

J. M. Granger Recorder of the General Land Office.