## THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

## To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

KNOW YE, That in pursuance of the Act of Congress, entitled "An act to raise for a limited time an additional military force, and for other purposes," approved February 11th, 1847,

ahn blay, private in Capitain Stapps Company, Dexas Voluntury

having deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE a WARRANT in his

favor numbered

THERE IS THEREFORE GRANTED BY THE UNITED STATES, unto John Derwiddie, assignee of Said John blay, and to his heir, the South half of the South Cast quarter of Section bighteen, in Township Therity three, of Range Siz Wist, in

according to the official Plat of the Survey of the said Land returned to the GENERAL LAND OFFICE by the SURVEYOR GENERAL, which said tract ha been located in satisfaction of the above mentioned Warrant, in pursuance of the Act of Congress above mentioned, approved February 11th, 1847. TO HAVE AND section of land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said TO HOLD the said

heirs and assigns forever.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I.

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 day .

> in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and and of the Independence OF THE UNITED STATES the seventy-

BY THE PRESIDENT:

Sec'y.

Recorder of the General Land Office.