Real Estate Deed Record, No. 76, Madison County, Iowa

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J. H. WELCH PRTG. CO., DES MOINES 21229

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

TO

Joseph C. Swafford

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A. D. 1943, at 10:25 o'clock A. M.

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THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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CERTIFICATE No. 5358

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING

WHEREAS, Joseph C. Swafford, of Madison County, Iowa, has deposited in the General Land Office of the United States a Certificate of the Register of the Land Office at Fort des Moines whereby it appears that Full Payment has been made by the said Joseph C. Swafford, 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 West fractional quarter, and South half of the North East quarter of Section nineteen, in Township Seventy-six North, of Range twenty-eight West, in the District of Lands Subject to sale at Fort des Moines, Iowa, containing Two hundred and fifteen acres and thirty-eight 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 Joseph C. Swafford.

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 Joseph C. Swafford, 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 Joseph C. Swafford, and to 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 first day of May in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, and of the Independence of the United States the Seventy-ninth.

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By the President: Franklin Pierce,

By H.E.Baldwin Asst Sec'y ~~Secretary.~~

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Recorder of the General Land Office.

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Washington, D. C. Jul 20 1943

I, hereby certify that this photograph is a true copy of the patent record which is in my custody in this office.

United States General Land Office SEAL COMPARED

R S Clinton

Chief, Patents Division ~~Recorder.~~