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THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

TO

George Arnold #804

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# THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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CERTIFICATE No. 8,669

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING

WHEREAS, George Arnold, of Darke County Ohio 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 George Arnold 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 West half-of the North West quarter-and the West half-and the South East quarter-of the South West quarter-of Section thirteen-in Township seventy seven North-of Range twenty nine West-in the District of Lands Subject to sale at Fort Des Moines Iowa, containing two hundred 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 tracts have been purchased by the said George Arnold

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 George Arnold and to his heirs, the said tracts 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 George Arnold 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 fifteenth 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

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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

Jas. F. Homer

Acting Chief, Patents Division

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