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**THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,**

**CERTIFICATE)**

No. 16862

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

**WHEREAS** Thomas M. Bennet of Scioto county Ohio,

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

Thomas M. Bennet 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 thirty one, in Township four, of Range twenty, in the District of lands subject to sale at Chillicothe Ohio, containing twenty eight acres and twelve 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 Thomas M. Bennet

**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 Thomas M. Bennet

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 Thomas M. Bennet

and to his heirs and assigns forever.

**In Testimony Whereof, I,** Millard Fillmore 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 tenth day of August in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and

Independence of the United States the Seventy fifth

**BY THE PRESIDENT:**

By

Millard Fillmore  
E. M. Evans

Sec'y,

RECORDER of the General Land Office.



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