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No. 2020

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

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To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS *Wellington Chapman and George W Chapman of Massachusetts,*

have deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE of the United States, a Certificate of the REGISTER OF THE LAND

OFFICE at *Genesee* whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said *Wellington Chapman and George W Chapman,* 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

fraction number five, of the South East fractional quarter of Section nine, in Township nine, North, of Range three, East, in the District of Lands subject to sale at Genesee, Michigan, containing forty acres, and fifty 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 *Wellington Chapman and George W Chapman,*

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 *Wellington Chapman, and George W Chapman,*

and to their 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 *Wellington*

Chapman and George W Chapman,

and to their heirs and assigns forever.

as tenants in common and not as joint tenants,

In Testimony Whereof, I, *James K Polk*

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 *fourth* day of *September*

in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty eight* and of the

INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES the *Sixty* *Twenty third*

BY THE PRESIDENT:

James K Polk
By *J W Stephens* Sec'y.

J W Stephens RECORDER of the General Land Office.



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