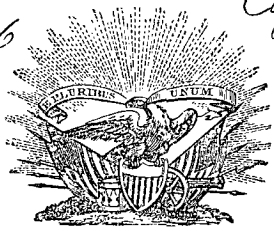


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The United States of America.

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

Whereas, In pursuance of the Act of Congress, approved September 28th, 1850, entitled "An Act granting Bounty Land to certain Officers and Soldiers who have been engaged in the Military Service of the United States," Warrant No. 57,196 for 80 acres, issued in favor of *Jacob Minchew Private in Captain Sweats Company Georgia Militia Florida War* Supplemental to Warrant No 27,220 for 80 acres

has been returned to the GENERAL LAND OFFICE, with evidence that the same has been duly located upon the *lots number one, and two, of Section eight in Township ninety one of Range twenty eight West in the District of lands subject to sale at Fort Des Moines Iowa containing ninety seven acres and sixty nine 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 has been assigned to William Hodges and Coleman Rockwell*

Now Know Ye, That there is therefore granted by the UNITED STATES unto the said *William Hodges and Coleman Rockwell*

the tract of Land above described: TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said Tract of Land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said *William Hodges and Coleman Rockwell, and to their*

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 *third* day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *fifty five* and of the INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES the ~~seventy~~ *Eightieth*

BY THE PRESIDENT: *Franklin Pierce*
By *H. E. Baldwin* Apr Sec'y.

Jos S. Wilson Acting ad Interim Recorder of the General Land Office.