



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. 32,714 for 40 acres, issued in favor of *Allen Howard Private in Captain Robins's Company, Vermont Militia War 1812*

has been returned to the GENERAL LAND OFFICE, with evidence that the same has been duly located upon the *North East quarter of the South West quarter of section Thirty four in Township Ninety two North of Range Twenty eight West in the District of Lands subject to sale at Fort Des Moines Iowa containing Forty acres* 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 Joshua Slaughter*

Now Know Ye, That there is therefore granted by the UNITED STATES unto the said *Joshua Slaughter*

the tract of Land above described: TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said Tract of Land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said *Joshua Slaughter 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
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 ~~second~~ *eighty six*

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

Jos. S. Wilson acting ad interim Recorder of the General Land Office.