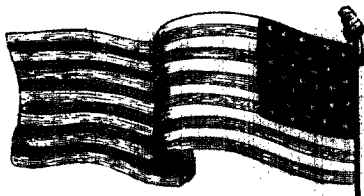


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THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

**WHEREAS,** In pursuance of the Act of Congress, approved March 3, 1855, entitled "An Act in addition to certain Acts granting Bounty Land to certain Officers and Soldiers who have been engaged in the military service of the United States," there has been deposited in the **GENERAL LAND OFFICE**, Warrant No. *37,245* for *160* acres in favor of *Amy Ford* formerly widow of *Warren Flower Private Captain Wilcox's* Company *New York Militia War 1812*.

with evidence that the same has been duly located upon *the North East quarter of Section twenty four, in Township ninety north of Range thirty one West, in the District of Lands formerly Subject to Sale at Fort Dodge Iowa, containing one hundred and sixty acres.*

according to the Official Plat of the Survey of said Lands returned to the **GENERAL LAND OFFICE** by the **SURVEYOR GENERAL** *the said Warrant having been assigned by the said Amy Ford to Patrick Collins, in whose favor said tract has been located.*

**NOW KNOW YE,** That there is therefore granted by the **UNITED STATES** unto the said *Patrick Collins as assignee as of record and to his heirs.*

the tract of Land above described: TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said tract of Land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said *Patrick Collins as assignee as of record and to his*

heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof, I,

*James Buchanan*

**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 *April* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *sixty* and of the **INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES** the *eighty fourth*

BY THE PRESIDENT: *James Buchanan*  
BY *J. A. Leonard* Sec'y.  
*J. Stranges* Recorder of the General Land Office.

