



# The United States of America,

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING:

Homestead Certificate No. 7872  
Application 6467

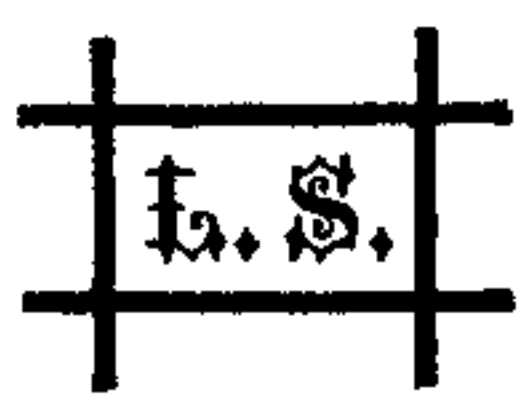
Whereas there has been deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE of the United States a CERTIFICATE of the Register of the Land Office at Reed City Michigan, whereby it appears that, pursuant to the Act of Congress approved 20th May, 1862, "To secure Homesteads to actual settlers on the public domain," and the acts supplemental thereto, the claim of James Miller, has been established and duly consummated in conformity to law for the lot numbered one of section nine, and the north half of the north-west quarter of section ten, in township thirty north, of range fifteen west of Michigan Meridian in Michigan, containing one hundred and twenty-eight acres, and twenty-five hundredths of an acre,

according to the Official Plat of the Survey of the said Land returned to the GENERAL LAND OFFICE by the SURVEYOR GENERAL.

Now know ye, That there is therefore granted by the UNITED STATES unto the said James Miller, the tract of Land above described: TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said tract of Land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said James Miller and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof I, Chester A. Arthur, 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 March, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty three, and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and seventh.



By the President: Chester A. Arthur

By O. L. Judd, Asst. Sec'y.

J. W. Clark

, Recorder of the General Land Office.