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NO. 27,440. |

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

TO all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS Sila Pitts, of Shelby County, Alabama has deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE of the United States a Certificate of the Register of the Land Office, at Tuscaloosa, whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said Silas Pitts, 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

the North West quarter of the South East quarter of Section Thirty four in Township Twenty, of Range One, East, in the District of Sands subject to sale at Tuscaloosa, Alabama, containing thirty nine acres, and thirty two 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 Silas Pitts:

NOW KNOW YE, That the UNITED STATE 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 Silas Pitts, and to his 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 Silas Pitts, 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 first day of August in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty three and of the Independence of the United States the Seventy-eighth

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BY THE PRESIDENT: Franklin Pierce

By In's H. Wheeler, Asst. Sec'y

I. N. Granger Recorder of the General Land Office.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
GENERAL LAND OFFICE

WASHINGTON, D. C. OCT. 1, 1941

I hereby certify that this photograph is a true copy of the patent record which is in my custody in this office.

R. S. Clinton
Chief, Patents Division

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L.C. Walker, Judge of Probate

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