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CERTIFICATE  
No. 18865

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS Major D. Sterrett, of Shelby County,

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 Major D. Sterrett

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 South East quarter of the South East quarter of Section Fifteen, in Township twenty one, of Range one West, in the District of lands subject to sale at Tuscaloosa, Alabama, containing thirty nine acres and eighty eight and a half 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 Major D. Sterrett

NOW KNOW YE, That the United States 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 Major D. Sterrett

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 Major D. Sterrett and to his heirs and assigns forever.

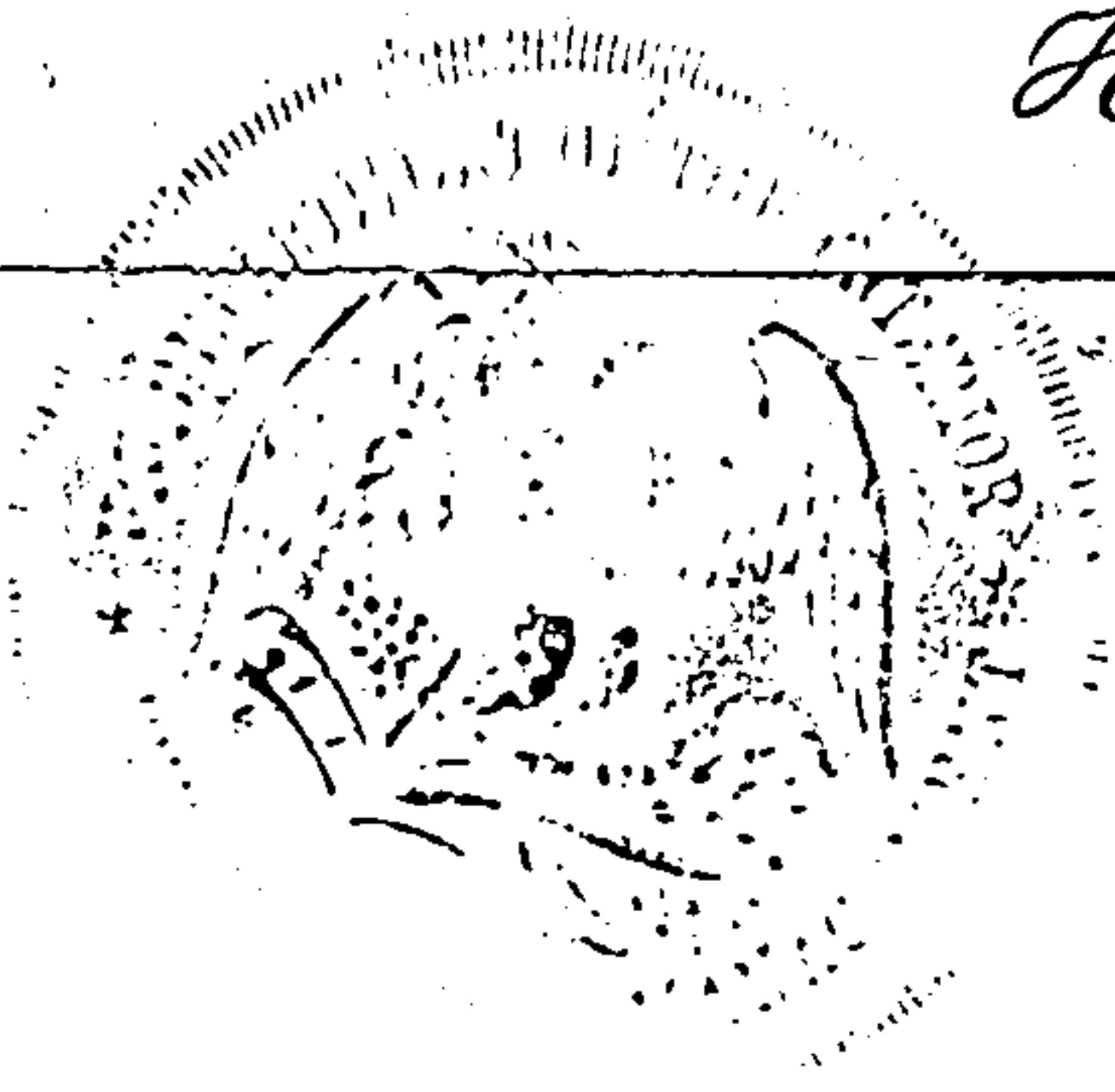
In Testimony Whereof, I, Martin Van Buren PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, have caused these Letters to be made PATENT, and the SEAL of the GENERAL LAND OFFICE to be hereunto affixed.

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WRITTEN under my hand at the CITY OF WASHINGTON, the twentieth day of September in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty nine and of the INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES the Sixty Fourth

BY THE PRESIDENT: Martin Van Buren  
By M. Van Buren, Jr. Sec'y.  
H. M. Garland, Recorder of the General Land Office.



UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

WASHINGTON 25, D. C. OCT. 15, 1954

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

Oscar E. Collins  
Certifying Officer

STATE OF ALABAMA, SHELBY COUNTY  
I, L.C. Walker, Judge of Probate, hereby certify that the within was filed for record the 22 day of Oct, 1954, at 8 o'clock P.M. and recorded in Book 169 Page 109, and the Mortgage tax of Deed Tax of has been paid.  
L.C. Walker Judge of Probate