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Certificate No. 131

The United States of America.

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS Charles Brown of Shelby County

has deposited in the General Land Office of the United States, a certificate of the Register of the Land Office at Huntsville Alabama

whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said Charles Brown

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 West half of the North East quarter of section Thirty one, of Township Twenty six, of Range

Three West, in the district of Huntsville and State of Alabama, containing Forty

acres and Thirty three 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 Charles Brown

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 Charles Brown

the said tract above described: To Have and to Hold the same, together with all the rights, privileges, immunities, and appurtenances, of whatsoever nature, thereto belonging, unto the said Charles Brown

and 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 seventh day of June in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twenty three, and of the Independence of the United States the forty eighth.

By the President: J. M. G.

Commissioner of the General Land Office

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
WASHINGTON 25, D. C. SEP. 20, 1962

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

Certifying Officer