

Certificate,
No. 243

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Shelby County, Alabama

It shall to whom these presents shall come, directing:

Whereas Moses Johnston 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 in Alabama

whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said Moses Johnston

according to the provisions of the Act of Congress of the 8th of April, 1880 entitled "An act making further provision for the sale of the Public Lands," for

the West half of the North West quarter of Section One (1) of Township One (1) North of Range Three West in the

District of Tuscaloosa and State of Alabama, containing seventy-nine acres and seventy eight hundred and one 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 pur-

chased by the said Moses Johnston

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 Moses Johnston

the said tract above described: To Have and to Hold the same, together with all the rights, privileges, immunities, and appur-

tenances, of whatever nature, thereto belonging, unto the said Moses Johnston

and his heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof, I, *William H. Weaver*

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.

JUDGE OF PROBATE

Given under my hand, at the City of Washington, the 11th day of July

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. R. I*

Commissioner of the General Land Office.

STATE OF ALA. SHELBY CO.
I CERTIFY THIS
INSTRUMENT WAS FILED