

Certificate
No. 1781.

The United States of America

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greetings

Whereas,

Joseph Smart of Edgar County Illinois

had deposited in the General Land Office of the United States, a certificate of the Register of the Land Office at Palestine whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said Joseph Smart 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 Nineteen in Township Fourteen North of Range Thirteen West in the district of lands subject to sale at Palestine Illinois containing eighty acres

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 Joseph Smart

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 Joseph Smart 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 Joseph Smart and to his heirs and assigns forever

In testimony whereof, I, Andrew Jackson

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 6th day of December in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and thirty — and of the Independence of the United States the 5th day of the —

By the President,

Commissioner of the General Land Office.