

The United States of America.

CERTIFICATE
No. 3617

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

Whereas, *Ruby Van Petten of Hitchcock County Nebraska*

has deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE of the United States a Certificate of the Register of the Land Office at *McCook Nebraska*, whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said

Ruby Van Petten

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,"

and the acts supplemental thereto, for *the North West quarter of Section thirty five in Township three North of Range, third five West of the Sixth Principal Meridian in Nebraska containing one hundred and sixty 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 *Ruby Van Petten*

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 *Ruby Van Petten*

and to *her* 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

Ruby Van Petten

and to *her* heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof, I *Benjamin Harrison*

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 *twenty seventh* day of *August*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *ninety*, and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and *fiftieth*

L.S.

BY THE PRESIDENT:

Benjamin Harrison
By *M. M. Keane*

Secretary.

J. M. Townsend

Recorder of the General Land Office.