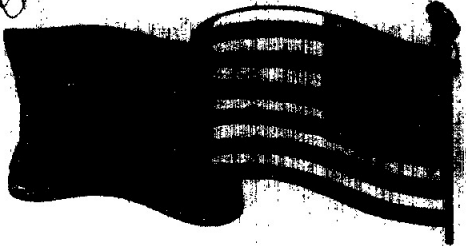


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THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting,

**WHEREAS,** In pursuance of the Act of Congress, approved March 3, 1855, entitled "An Act in addition to certain Acts granting Bounty Land to certain Officers and Soldiers who have been engaged in the military service of the United States," there has been deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE, Warrant No. 19831 for 120 acres, in favor of Joseph Knight Sergeant Captain Gliddens Company New Hampshire Militia War 1812

with evidence that the same has been duly located upon *The North half of the South East quarter and the South East quarter of the South West quarter of Section Eight in Township Ninety two North of Range Thirty one West in the District of Lands subject to Sale at Fort Dodge Iowa containing one hundred and twenty acres*

according to the Official Plat of the Survey of said Lands returned to the GENERAL LAND OFFICE by the SURVEYOR GENERAL *The said warrant having been assigned by the said Joseph Knight to Henry Ainsworth in whose favor said land has been located*

**NOW KNOW YE,** That there is therefore granted by the UNITED STATES unto the said *Henry Ainsworth as assignee as appeared and to his heirs*

the tract of Land above described: TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said tract of Land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said *Henry Ainsworth as assignee as appeared and to his*

heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof, *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 *fifteenth* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *55th*, and of the INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES the *Eighty fifth*

BY THE PRESIDENT: *James Buchanan*  
By *J. A. Leonard* Sec'y.

*J. H. Granger* Recorder of the General Land Office.

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