

UNITED STATES **The United States of America:** FILED FOR RECORD,
Benj L. Murchaus *March 21st 1884*
at 9 O'clock A.M.

To All to whom these Presents shall Come, Greeting:

HOMESTEAD Certificate, No. *4562* }
 APPLICATION *8857* } Whereas, there has been deposited in the General Land Office of the United States a
 Certificate of the Register of the Land Office at *Grand Island, Nebraska* whereby it
 appears that, pursuant to the act of Congress, approved 20th May, 1862, "To secure homesteads to actual settlers on the public domain," and the
 acts supplemental thereto, the claim of *Benjamin L. Murchaus*
 has been established and duly consummated in conformity to law, for the

North West Quarter of Section Twelve in Township Ten
North of Range Seventeen 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 land, returned to the General Land Office by the Surveyor General:

Now Know Ye, That there is therefore granted by the United States unto the said *Benjamin L. Murchaus*
 the tract of land above described, to have and to hold the said tract of land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said
Benjamin L. Murchaus and to *his* heirs and assigns forever.

In Testimony Whereof, I *Chester A. Arthur* 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 *Tenth* day of *March*
 in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *Eighty Three*, and of the Independence of
 the United States the *One Hundred and Eighty*



By the President *Chester A. Arthur*
 By *Wm. K. Conrad* Secretary.
S. M. Glend Recorder of the General Land Office.

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UNITED STATES **The United States of America:** FILED FOR RECORD,
N. W. Smith *March 18th 1884*
at 1²⁰ O'clock P.M.

To All to whom these Presents shall Come, Greeting:

HOMESTEAD Certificate, No. *4854* }
 APPLICATION *8787* } Whereas, there has been deposited in the General Land Office of the United States a
 Certificate of the Register of the Land Office at *Grand Island, Nebraska* whereby it
 appears that, pursuant to the Act of Congress, approved 20th May, 1862, "To secure homesteads to actual settlers on the public domain," and the
 acts supplemental thereto, the claim of *Nicholas W. Smith*
 has been established and duly consummated in conformity to law, for the

South East Quarter of Section Six in Township Ten North
of Range Fourteen west of the 6th Principal Meridian in
Nebraska containing One Hundred and Sixty Acres.

according to the Official Plat of the survey of the said land, returned to the General Land Office by the Surveyor General:

Now Know Ye, That there is therefore granted by the United States unto the said *Nicholas W. Smith*
 the tract of land above described, to have and to hold the said tract of land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said
Nicholas W. Smith and to *his* heirs and assigns forever.

In Testimony Whereof, I *Chester A. Arthur* 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 *First* day of *October*
 in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *Eighty Three*, and of the Independence of
 the United States the *One Hundred and Eighty*



By the President *Chester A. Arthur*
 By *O. S. Dudd asst* Secretary.
S. M. Glend Recorder of the General Land Office.

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