

Homestead Certificate No 10096
Application 2365

The United States of America. To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

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 Act Supplemental Thereto the claim of James Jenkins has been established and duly consummated in conformity to law, for the South West quarter of Section Twenty four in Township Nine North of Range Sixteen West, in the District of Lands subject to sale at Grand Island 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 James Jenkins the tract of Land above described; To have and to hold the said tract of Land with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said James Jenkins and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof, I Ulysses S. Grant, 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 third day of August in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Seventy Six and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and first.

By the President U. S. Grant.

General Land

Office Seal

By D. D. Lane, Secretary.

J. W. Clark Recorder of the General Land Office.

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Simon B. Ayer.

County Clerk.