The United States of America: To all to whom these Presents shall Come, Greeting

Homestead Certificate No 502
Application 2393 } 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 Alexander Larson has been established and duly consummated in conformity to law, for the South West quarter of Section 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 Alexander Larson, the tract of Land above described: To have and to hold the said tract of Land with the Appurtenances thereof, unto the said Alexander Larson, 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 Twentieth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Seventy five, and of the Independence of the United States the Ninety Ninth

By the President: U. S. Grant.

By B. B. Williamson, Secretary

G.L.O. Seal } L. K. Lippincott Recorder of the General Land Office

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Simon C. Ayers
County Clerk.