

United States } Filed for record April 27, 1891 at & am
 to } Patent R M Rankin
 Charles Wittlake } County Clerk.

The United States of America

To all to whom these presents shall come greeting:
 Certificate } Whereas Charles Wittlake of Buffalo County
 No. 3564 } Nebraska has 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 full
 payment has been made by the said Charles Wittlake accord-
 ing 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 West half of the
 North East quarter of Section seventeen in Township Twelve
 North of Range seventeen West of the Sixth Principal Mer-
 idian in Nebraska containing eighty 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 Charles Wittlake.

Now know ye that the United States of America in consider-
 ation 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 Charles Wittlake and to his heirs the
 said tract above described: to have and to hold the same
 together with all the right privileges immunities and appurtenances
 of whatever nature thereunto belonging unto the said Charles
 Wittlake and to his 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 Twelfth day of December in the year of our Lord one
 thousand eight hundred and ninety and of the Independence
 of the United States the One Hundred and Fifteenth.

By the President Benjamin Harrison

By M. W. Keaw Secretary
 Seal J. M. Townsend Recorder of the General Land Office
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