UNITED STATES TO Jay T. Smith

The United States of America:

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To All to whom these Presents shall Come, Greeting:

HOMESTEAD Certificate, No. 8485
APPLICATION 13706

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 Jay T. Smith has been established and duly consummated in conformity to law, for the South East quarter of Section four in township twelve, North of Range fourteen, 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 Jay T. Smith the tract of land above described, to have and to hold the said tract of land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said Jay T. Smith 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 first day of November 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.

(SEAL.)

By the President Benjamin Harrison

By Ellen McFarland Asst, Secretary.

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C. R. Cornwell ad interim Recorder of the General Land Office.

UNITED STATES, TO James A. Sparks

The United States of America:

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To All to whom these Presents shall Come, Greeting:

HOMESTEAD Certificate, No. 7183
APPLICATION 11073

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 James A. Sparks has been established and duly consummated in conformity to law, for the Lots numbered seven, eight, nine and ten of Section six in township twelve North of Range sixteen West of the Sixth Principal Meridian in Nebraska, containing one hundred and fifty-three acres, and eleven hundredths of an acre.

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 A. Sparks the tract of land above described, to have and to hold the said tract of land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said James A. Sparks 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 eleventh day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety, and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and fourteenth.

(SEAL.)

By the President Benjamin Harrison

By M. McKean, Secretary.

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J. M. Townsend Recorder of the General Land Office.