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H. L. Wiley, County Clerk  
By E. S. Wiley, Notary.

John Barnes  
Timber Culture Certificate No. 386  
Application 2231.

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 Register of the  
Land Office at Grand Island, Nebraska, whereby it appears, that pursuant to  
the acts of Congress, approved March 3, 1873, March 13, 1874 and June 14, 1875,  
"to encourage the growth of Timber on the Western prairie," the claim of John  
Barnes has been established and duly consummated in conformity to law,  
for the North East quarter of Section five in Township twelve North of Range  
fifteen West of the Sixth Principal Meridian in Nebraska containing more  
and sixty acres, according to the official plat of the survey of the said land,  
returned to the Genl. Land Office by the Surveyor General.

Now know ye, that there is, therefore, granted by the United States unto  
the said John Barnes the tract of land above described: To have and to  
hold the said tract of land with the appurtenances thereto unto the said  
John Barnes 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 April  
in the year our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety and of  
the Independence of the United States the one hundred and fiftieth.

By the President: Benjamin Harrison,  
By M. McLean, Secretary,  
J. M. Townsend, Recorder of the General Land Office

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