

identical person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument as said President, and then and there acknowledged the execution and selling of said instrument to be his voluntary act and deed, and the voluntary act and deed of said Company. In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal this Seventh day of April A. D. 1903, at the City of Omaha in said County and State. My commission expires January 17th 1905.

"Notary"  
James A. Griffith  
Notary Public

United States  
No. Patent  
Hugh Bass  
The United States of America.  
Filed for record April 18, 1903, @ 10<sup>15</sup> A. M.  
T. H. Spencer.  
Register of Deeds.

Certificate }  
No. 2670 }  
Whereas Hugh Bass of Buffalo County, 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 Hugh Bass according 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 supplements thereto for the East half of the North East quarter and the North East quarter of the South East quarter of section seven in Township twelve North of range sixteen West of the Sixth Principal Meridian in Nebraska containing one hundred and twenty 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 Hugh Bass Now Know ye, that the United States of America, in consideration 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 Hugh Bass and to his heirs, the said Tract above described; To Have and to hold the same, together with all the rights, privileges, immunities and appurtenances, of whatever nature, thereto belonging, unto the said Hugh Bass and to his heirs and assigns forever. In Testimony Whereof, I, Grover Cleveland President of the United States of America, have caused these letters to be made Patent, and the seal of the General Land

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