

United States

To Patent

Charles D. Bessie

Homestead Certificate No. 6276

Application 8342

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L. H. Peley, County Clerk,

By C. J. Peley, Deput.

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 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 Charles D. Bessie has been established and duly enumerated, in conformity to law, for the South East quarter of Section five in Township eight North of Range fifteen 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 Charles D. Bessie the tract of land above described: To have and to hold the said tract of land with the appurtenances thereto unto the said Charles D. Bessie 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 Thirteenth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty nine and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and thirtieth

By the President: Benjamin

By M. M. Kean,

Secretary

D. Tyler, Recorder of the General Land Office

ad interim

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