

UNITED STATES  
Geo E Smith

The United States of America:

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To All to whom these Presents shall Come, Greeting:

HOMESTEAD Certificate, No. 2379

APPLICATION 2267

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 George E Smith has been established and duly consummated in conformity to law, for the

South half of the south east-  
quarter of section twenty six in Township nine  
north of Range sixteen west in the district of lands  
subject to sale at Grand Island Nebraska  
containing eighty eight 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 George E Smith the tract of land above described, to have and to hold the said tract of land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said George E Smith and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In Testimony Whereof, I Rutherford B Hayes 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 twentieth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and fourth

By the President R B HayesBy Wm H Brown, Secretary.E W Clark

Recorder of the General Land Office.

Recorded Vol. 5, Page 289UNITED STATES,  
Theodore Strop

The United States of America:

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Mar 15<sup>th</sup> at 9 am 1894

To All to whom these Presents shall Come, Greeting:

HOMESTEAD Certificate, No. 2073

APPLICATION 4038

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 Theodore Strop has been established and duly consummated in conformity to law, for the

West half of the north east-  
quarter and the north half of the north west-quarter  
of section thirty two in Township nine north of Range  
sixteen west in the district of lands subject to sale  
at Grand Island 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 Theodore Strop the tract of land above described, to have and to hold the said tract of land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said Theodore Strop and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In Testimony Whereof, I Rutherford B Hayes 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 thirtieth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety eight, and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and third

By the President R B HayesBy Wm H Brown, Secretary.E W Clark

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