

* Examined.

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

CERTIFICATE }
No. 37. } TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING:

WHEREAS,

by the 7th clause of the second article of the treaty with the **CHIPPEWAS** OF LAKE SUPERIOR AND THE MISSISSIPPI, dated 30th September, 1854, it is provided that "Each head of a family or single person over twenty-one years of age at the present time of the mixed bloods, belonging to the Chippewas of Lake Superior, shall be entitled to eighty acres of land, to be selected by them under the direction of the PRESIDENT;" and whereas there has been deposited in the **GENERAL LAND OFFICE** of the United States, a **CERTIFICATE OF THE REGISTER OF THE LAND OFFICE** at St. Cloud, No. 1, whereby it appears that Chippewa Certificate No. 37, in the name of *John Baptist Covignon* for eighty acres, issued by the Indian Agent under the aforesaid Treaty, has been located and surrendered by the said *John Baptist Covignon* in full satisfaction for *The East half of the South West Quarter of Section Twenty-nine, in Township One hundred and twenty-seven North, of Range Thirty-four West, in the District of lands subject to sale at St. Cloud, Minnesota, containing Eighty Acres.*

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according to the official plat of the public lands returned to the **GENERAL LAND OFFICE** by the **SURVEYOR GENERAL**, which said Tract has been located by the said *John Baptist Covignon*.

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Now Know Ye, That the **UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**, in consideration of the premises, **HAVE GIVEN AND GRANTED**, and by these presents **DO GIVE AND GRANT**, unto the said *John Baptist Covignon* 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 whatsoever nature, thereunto belonging, unto the said *John Baptist Covignon* and to his heirs and assigns forever.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, Abraham Lincoln, 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 *Twenty-fourth* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *sixty-two* and of the **INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES** the *Eighty-sixth*

By the President: *Abraham Lincoln*
W. O. Goddard

By

Secretary.

J. R. Ganger

Recorder of the General Land Office.