



THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS, In pursuance of the Act of Congress, approved March 3, 1855, entitled "An Act in addition to certain Acts granting Bounty Land to certain Officers and Soldiers who have been engaged in the military service of the United States," there has been deposited in the **GENERAL LAND OFFICE**,

Warrant No. *95-714* for *120* acres, in favor of *Lorenda Clarke*,
widow, of *Henry Clarke, Assistant Surgeon, New-York, Militia, War, 1812*

with evidence that the same has been duly located upon *the West half, of the South East quarter and the Lot, numbered, Three, of Section, Twenty nine, in Township, One hundred and twenty seven, of Range, thirty four, in the District of Land, subject to sale, at, St. Cloud, Minnesota, containing One hundred and twenty six, acres, and ninety five, hundredths of an acre*

according to the Official Plat of the Survey of said Lands returned to the **GENERAL LAND OFFICE** by the **SURVEYOR GENERAL** *the said Warrant, having been assigned by the said, Lorenda Clarke, to Edwin Whitfield, in whose favor, said tract has been located*

NOW KNOW YE, That there is therefore granted by the **UNITED STATES** unto the said *Edwin Whitfield, as assignee, as aforesaid, and to his heirs*

the tract of Land above described: **TO HAVE AND TO HOLD** the said tract of Land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said *Edwin Whitfield, as assignee, as aforesaid, 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 *First* day of *July* 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*

By *W. O. Stoddard* Sec'y.

J. N. Goanjer Recorder of the General Land Office.

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