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The United States of America,

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

Know Ye, That in pursuance of the Act of Congress, entitled "An Act to raise for a limited time an additional military force, and for other purposes," approved February 11th, 1847.

*James Thompson, Private in Captain Deason's Company
Second Regiment Mississippi Volunteers,*

having deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE a WARRANT in *his* favor, numbered *A.B. 672*:

THERE IS THEREFORE GRANTED BY THE UNITED STATES, unto *Thomas J. Connally, assignee of said James Thompson, and to his heirs, the East half of the South West Quarter of Section fourteen, and the North East Quarter of the North West Quarter, and the North West Quarter of the North East Quarter of Section twenty-three, in Township Three, of Range eleven East, in the District of Lands Subject to Sale at Washington, Mississippi, 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, which said tract ~~has~~ been located in satisfaction of the above mentioned Warrant, in pursuance of the Act of Congress above mentioned, approved February 11th, 1847. TO HAVE AND

TO HOLD the said *parts of said* sections of land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said *Thomas J. Connally and to his*

heirs and assigns forever.

In Testimony Whereof, I, *Franklin Pierce*

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

Fifteenth day of *April*

in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *Fifty-three* and of the INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES the seventy-*Seventh*

BY THE PRESIDENT:

Franklin Pierce

By

B. B. Church

Apt Sec'y.

J. M. Granger

Recorder of the General Land Office.

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