

Certificate  
No. 4317

# The United States of America,

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

Whereas Jacob Parker Assignee of Sam'l Clark,

has deposited in the General Land Office of the United States a certificate of the Register of the Land Office at La Porte  
whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said Sam'l Clark

according to the provisions of the Act of Congress of the 24th of April, 1820, entitled "An act making further provision for the sale of the Public Lands" for  
the West half of the South East quarter of Section Thirty one, in Township thirty four, North of Range five West in  
the District of Land subject to sale at La Porte, Indiana, containing eighty acres.

according to the official plat of the survey of the said Lands returned to the General Land Office by the Surveyor General which said tract has been pur-  
chased by the said Sam'l Clark.

NOW KNOW YE, That the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, in consideration of the premises, and in conformity with the  
several acts of Congress, in such case made and provided, have given and granted, and by these presents do give and grant unto the said Jacob Parker  
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  
Jacob Parker  
and his heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof, I, Martin Van Buren,  
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 March in the year of our  
Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty seven and of the Independence of the United States  
the sixty first

By the President: Martin Van Buren  
S. D. King Acting Recorder  
By A. Van Buren Secy  
Commissioner of the General Land Office ad interim