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The United States of America.

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

Whereas Bird Safser of Covington County

has deposited in the General Land Office of the United States, a certificate of the Register of the Land Office at Sparta, Alabama

whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said Bird Safser

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 West quarter of Section Twelve, in township four, of Range Sixteen, in the District of Sparta and State of Alabama, Containing Seventy nine Acres and Ninety and a half hundredths of an acre

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 purchased by the said Bird Safser

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 Bird Safser 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 Bird Safser and his heirs and assigns, forever.

In testimony whereof, I, James Monroe

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 Tenth day of November in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twenty four, and of the Independence of the United States the forty ninth.

By the President, J. M.

Geo. Graham Commissioner of the General Land Office.