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United States Patent of the United States of America
 To all to whom these presents may come greeting
 Know all men that Henry Clayburn in pursuance of the Act of Congress approved September 20th 1850 entitled an act granting bounty land to certain Officers and Soldiers who have been engaged in the Military Services of the United States; Merwitt to 8th 1857 for 40 acres issued in favor of Anna Ulrich widow of Henry Ulrich Private Captain Paines Company Pennsylvania Militia Mar 1812 has been returned to the General Land Office with evidence that the same was land duly located upon the South West quarter of the North East quarter of Section thirty three in Township Seventy six North of Range Twenty six West in the District of Lands Subject to sale at Fort Des Moines Iowa containing forty acres according to the official plat of the said land returned to the General Land Office by the Surveyor General which has been assigned to Henry Clayburn.

Now know all that there is therefore granted by the United States unto the said Henry Clayburn the tract of land above described to have and to hold the said tract of land with the appurtenances thereof unto the said Henry Clayburn 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 first day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and of the independence of the United States the seven hundred and eighty first Franklin Pierce
 Secretary of the General Land Office
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