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 United States
 Patent to
 Nathaniel Foster
 Certificate No 9134

The United States of America, To all to whom these
 presents shall come Greeting, Whereas Nathaniel Foster
 of Madison County Iowa has deposited in the
 General Land Office of the United States a Certificate of the
 Register of the Land Office at Chautau Iowa whereby it
 appears that full payment has been made by the said Nathaniel Foster 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 North half
 of the South West quarter of Section twelve in Township Seventy four North,
 of Range twenty six West, in the District of lands subject to sale at Chautau
 Iowa 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 purchased by the said Nathaniel Foster.
 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 Nathaniel Foster 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 Nathaniel Foster and to his heirs and assigns forever.
 In Testimony whereof I Franklin Pierce President of the United States
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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 third day of June in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty six. And of
the Independence of the United States the eightieth.

By the President

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Franklin Pierce.

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Recorder of the General Land Office

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