



The United States of America,

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING:

Homestead Certificate No. 7004

Application 9416

Whereas there has been deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE of the United States a CERTIFICATE of the Register of the Land Office at Gaylord, Michigan, whereby it appears that, pursuant to the Act of Congress approved 20th May, 1862, "To secure Homesteads to actual settlers on the public domain," and the acts supplemental thereto, the claim of Andrew Erickson has been established and duly consummated in conformity to law for the Lots numbered one, two and three of Section twenty eight in Township thirty one North of Range fifteen West of Michigan Meridian in Michigan, containing one hundred and twenty nine acres and seventy hundredths of an acre

according to the Official Plat of the Survey of the said Land returned to the GENERAL LAND OFFICE by the SURVEYOR GENERAL.

Now know ye, That there is therefore granted by the UNITED STATES unto the said Andrew Erickson the tract of Land above described: TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said tract of Land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said Andrew Erickson and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof I, William McKinley 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 Twenty Sixth day of January, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety eight, and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and Twenty Second

By the President: William McKinley

By F. M. McKean Sec'y.

L. H. Brush, Recorder of the General Land Office.

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