



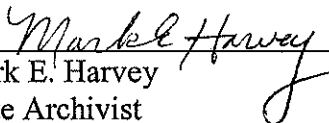
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I hereby certify that the attached page is a true and accurate copy of Public Act 22 of 1838 establishing the township of Riley, St. Clair County, as found in record group 83-49, Volume 3, being records of the Department of State, and as found in the Archives of Michigan, a unit of the Department of History, Arts and Libraries. End of text.

Dated: June 16, 2006


Mark E. Harvey
State Archivist

organized into a separate Township by the name of ⁶⁰Wastons; and

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was it be and the same is hereby set off and organized into a
separate township by the name of Holly; and the first township
meeting therein shall be held at the house of John Hunsjann.

Sec. 12. All that part of the County of Macomb, designated in the United
States Survey as township number five north, of range number four-
teen east, be and the same is hereby set off and organized into a
separate township, by the name of Richmond; and the first town-
ship meeting shall be held at the house of George Perkins in
said township. —

Sec. 13. All that part of the county of Shiawassee designated in the Uni-
ted States Survey as townships, number five and six north, of
range number two east, be and the same are hereby set off and
organized into a separate township, by the name of Berrington
town; and the first township meeting shall be held at the house
of Samuel Nichols in said township. —

Sec. 14. All that part of the county of St. Clair, designated in the United
States Survey as township number six north, of range number four-
teen east, be and the same is hereby set off and organized into a
separate township, by the name of Riley; and the first township
meeting shall be held at the house of Nelson Phillips in said town-
ship. —

Sec. 15. All that portion of the county of Jackson, designated in the United
States Survey, as township number one south, of range number two
west, be and the same is hereby set off and established, into a
separate township by the name of Tompkins; and the first town-
ship meeting shall be held at the house of Joseph Wade in said town-
ship. —

Sec. 16. All that part of the county of Kalamazoo, designated in the United
States Survey as township number one south, of range number twelve
west, be and the same is hereby set off, and organized into a separate
township by the name of Alamo; and the first township meeting
therein shall be held at the house of Werk, C. Whittoke. —

Sec. 17. All that part of the county of Calhoun, designated in the United

organized into a separate Township by the name of ¹⁰⁰Hastings; and

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Wasit-be and the same is hereby set off and organized into a
separate township by the name of Holly; and the first township
meeting therein shall be held at the house of John Runyan.

Sec. 12. All that part of the County of Macomb, designated in the United
States Survey as township number five north, of range number four-
teen east, be and the same is hereby set off and organized into a
separate township, by the name of Richmond; and the first town-
ship meeting shall be held at the house of George Perkins in
said township. -

Sec. 13. All that part of the County of Shiawassee, designated in the United
States Survey as townships, number five and six north, of
range number two east, be and the same are hereby set off and
organized into a separate township, by the name of Berwinger-
town; and the first township meeting shall be held at the house
of Samuel Nichols in said townships. -

Sec. 14. All that part of the County of St. Clair, designated in the United
States Survey as township number six north, of range number four-
teen east, be and the same is hereby set off and organized into a
separate township, by the name of Riley; and the first township
meeting shall be held at the house of Nelson Phillips in said town-
ship. -

Sec. 15. All that portion of the County of Jackson, designated in the United
States Survey as township number one south, of range number two
west, be and the same is hereby set off and established, into a
separate township by the name of Tompkins; and the first town-
ship meeting shall be held at the house of Joseph Wade in said town-
ship. -

Sec. 16. All that part of the County of Kalamazoo, designated in the United
States Survey as township number one south, of range number twelve
west, be and the same is hereby set off, and organized into a separate
township by the name of Alamo; and the first township meeting
therein shall be held at the house of Vert, C. Whitlock. -

Sec. 17. All that part of the County of Calhoun, designated in the United

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THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

CERTIFICATE
No. 25710

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS *William Dumm, of Wayne County Michigan*

has deposited in the **GENERAL LAND OFFICE** of the United States, a Certificate of the REGISTER OF THE LAND OFFICE at *Detroit* whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said *William Dumm.*

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 East half of the North East quarter, of Section twenty four, in Township six North, of Range fourteen East, in the District of lands subject to sale at *Detroit, Michigan,* 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 *William Dumm.*

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 *William Dumm,*

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 *William Dumm.* and to *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 *twenty first* day of *August* in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *thirty seven* and of the **INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES** the *sixty second*

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BY THE PRESIDENT: *Martin Van Buren*
By *M Van Buren* Sec'y.
Jos. P. Wilson, Acting RECORDED of the General Land Office,
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To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS Oliver Guttle of Macomb County Michigan

has deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE of the United States, a Certificate of the REGISTER OF THE LAND OFFICE at Detroit whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said Oliver Guttle

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 ~~Lot~~ West half of the North West fractional quarter, and the South West quarter of the North East fractional quarter, of Section five, in Township six North of Range fourteen East, in the District of Lands subject to sale at Detroit Michigan, containing one hundred and seventeen acres, and seventy five 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 Oliver Guttle

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 Oliver Guttle

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 Oliver Guttle

and to 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 eighteenth day of August in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty seven and of the INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES the fifty second



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BY THE PRESIDENT: Martin Van Buren

By John Buren Sec'y.

Jos. L. Wilson, Acting RECORDER of the General Land Office. a d i n t i m e

CERTIFICATE
No. 19294

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

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To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS Theodore Romeyn of Wayne County Michigan

has deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE of the United States, a Certificate of the REGISTER OF THE LAND OFFICE at Detroit whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said

Theodore Romeyn

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

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the West part, (A¹/₄) of the South West fractional quarter of Section seven, the South West quarter and the West half of the South East quarter of section seventeen, the North East quarter, the South East quarter and the North West fractional quarter of Section eighteen, the North East quarter and the East half of the South East quarter of Section Twenty, the North West quarter, the South West quarter, and the West half of the South East quarter of Section Twenty one, in Township Six North of Range Fourteen East, in the District of Lands subject to sale at Detroit Michigan, contain-
ing one thousand four hundred and ninety four acres and eighty 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 tracts have been purchased by the said Theodore Romeyn

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 Theodore Romeyn

and to his heirs, the said tracts 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

Theodore Romeyn

and to 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 second day of August in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty seven and of the INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES the sixty first second.

BY THE PRESIDENT: Martin Van Buren

By A. Van Buren Sec'y.

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To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS

Supply Chase, of Macomb County Michigan.

has deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE of the United States, a Certificate of the REGISTER OF THE LAND

OFFICE at

Detroit Supply Chase.

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

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 West quarter of the North East fractional quarter, of Section five, in Township six North, of Range fourteen East, in the District of Lands subject to sale at Detroit, Michigan, containing thirty nine acres and twenty five 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 Supply Chase.

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 Supply Chase.

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 Supply Chase

and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In Testimony Whereof, I,

Marston Oliver Bureau

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 27th day of August

in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty seven and of the

INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES the sixteenth

BY THE PRESIDENT:

Marston Oliver Bureau

By A. J. Van Buren Sec'y.

John Wilson acting Recorder of the General Land Office



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CERTIFICATE
No. 28101

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS *Austin G. Vanderbilt, of Wayne County, New York,*

had deposited in the **GENERAL LAND OFFICE** of the United States, a Certificate of the **REGISTER OF THE LAND OFFICE** at *Detroit* whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said

Austin G. Vanderbilt,

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, in Township six North, of Range fourteen East, in the District of Lands subject to sale at Detroit, Michigan, 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 *Austin G. Vanderbilt,*

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 *Austin G. Vanderbilt,*

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 *Austin G. Vanderbilt,*

and to *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.

~~GRIVEN~~ under my hand, at the **CITY OF WASHINGTON,** the *twelfth* day of *November* in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty* and of the **INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES** the *Sixty fifth*



BY THE PRESIDENT: *Martin Van Buren.*

By *M. Van Buren Jr.* Sec'y.

J. A. Wilson, Acting Recorder of the General Land Office.
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THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

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CERTIFICATE
No. 25,041

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS *William Blakely of Macomb County Michigan.*

has deposited in the **GENERAL LAND OFFICE** of the United States, a Certificate of the REGISTER OF THE LAND OFFICE at *Detroit* whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said

William Blakely

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 Lot or East half of the North West fractional quarter of Section five, in Township six North of Range fourteen East, in the District of Lands subject to sale at Detroit, Michigan, containing seventy eight acres, and fifty 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 *William Blakely*

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 *William Blakely*

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

William Blakely

and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In Testimony Whereof, *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 *eighteenth* day of *August* in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *thirty seven* and of the **INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES** the *sixty second*



BY THE PRESIDENT: *Martin van Buren*

By *Martin van Buren* Sec'y.

Jos. S. Wilson, Acting Recorder of the General Land Office.
ad interim

CERTIFICATE

No. *24,539*

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS *Nathan Thorpe of Ontario County, New York,*

has deposited in the **GENERAL LAND OFFICE** of the United States, a Certificate of the **REGISTER OF THE LAND OFFICE** at *Detroit,* *Nathan Thorpe* whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said

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 North East quarter of Section twenty one, in Township six North, of Range fourteen East, in the District of lands subject to sale at Detroit, Michigan, 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 *Nathan Thorpe*

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 *Nathan Thorpe*

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, thereto belonging, unto the said *Nathan Thorpe*

and to *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.

WITNESSETH under my hand, at the **CITY OF WASHINGTON**, the *sixteenth* day of *August* in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *thirty seven* and of the

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THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

CERTIFICATE
No. *24,558*

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS *Jeremiah Thorp of Ontario County, New York,*

has deposited in the **GENERAL LAND OFFICE** of the United States, a Certificate of the **REGISTER OF THE LAND OFFICE** at *Detroit,* whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said

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 East half of the North East quarter of Section twenty one, containing eighty acres, and the South West quarter of the North West quarter of Section twenty six, containing forty acres, in Township six North, of Range fourteen East, in the District of Lands subject to sale at Detroit, Michigan, containing in all one hundred and twenty 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 *Jeremiah Thorp*

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 *Jeremiah Thorp*

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, thereto belonging, unto the said *Jeremiah Thorp*

and to 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.

WRITTEN under my hand at the **CITY OF WASHINGTON**, the *sixteenth* day of *August* in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *thirty seven* and of the **INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES** the *sixty second*

BY THE PRESIDENT: *Martin Van Buren*

By *A. Van Buren* Sec'y.
Jos. S. Wilson acting Register of the General Land Office,
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Asst. Sec'y

