

The United States of America  
 To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting;  
 Certificate }  
 No. 14706. } Whereas William J. Lea of Baldwin County,  
 Alabama has deposited in the General Land Office of the  
 United States a Certificate of the Register of the Land  
 Office at St. Stephens Alabama, whereby it appears  
 that full payment has been made by the said William  
 J. Lea according to the provisions of the Act of Congress  
 of the 24<sup>th</sup> of April, 1820, entitled: "An Act making  
 farther provision for the sale of the Public Lands"  
 and the Acts supplementary thereto, for the South  
 East quarter of Section three, and the North East  
 quarter of Section ten in Township Six South of  
 Range Three East of St. Stephens Meridian in  
 Alabama, containing three hundred and twenty one

acres, and thirty two 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 I. Lea. Now Know All, 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 I. Lea 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 I. Lea 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 fourth day of October, 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 third.

By the President, William McKinley  
 By F. M. McKean Secretary

L. O. Brush, Recorder of the General Land Office.  
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Chas. Hall  
 Judge of Probate

