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THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS, in pursuance of the Act of Congress, approved March 3, 1855, entitled "An Act in addition to certain Acts granting Bounty Land to certain Officers and Soldiers who have been engaged in the military service of the United States," there has been deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE, Warrant No. 96768, for 160 acres, in favor of John Ballest Arts Company, A 3d Regiment U.S. Dragoons Rogue River-Gold

with evidence that the same has been duly located upon the East half of the North West quarter and the South West quarter of the North East quarter of Section Nineteen, and the South East quarter of the South West quarter of Section Eighteen, in Township Twelve South, Range Twenty-Eight East, Mount Diablo Meridian, in the District of Lands subject to sale at San Francisco, California, containing one hundred and sixty acres,

according to the Official Plat of the Survey of said Lands returned to the GENERAL LAND OFFICE by the SURVEYOR GENERAL. The said Warrant having been signed by the said John Ballest in favor of John B. Thompson in whose favor said land has

been located.

NOW KNOW YE, That there is therefore granted by the UNITED STATES unto the said

John D. Thompson as assignee as aforesaid and to his heirs

the tract of Land above described: to have and to hold the said tract of Land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said John D. Thompson as assignee as aforesaid and to his

heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof, I, Abraham Lincoln,

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 fifth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty two, and of the Independence of the United States the eighty seventh

BY THE PRESIDENT: Abraham Lincoln

By W. D. Henderson Scly.

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Names On Document

THOMPSON, JOHN D,
WILLIS, JOHN

Military Rank: ---

Document Numbers

Document Nr: 96768
Misc. Doc. Nr: ---
BLM Serial Nr: ---
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Survey Information

Total Acres: 160.00
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Land Descriptions

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Due to data limitations, we could not map the aliquots or lots of this land description. The township and section are shown.