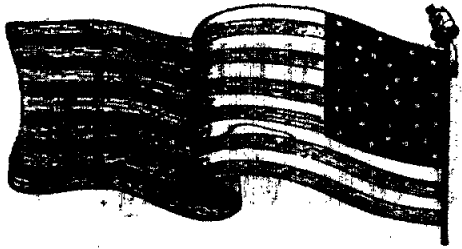


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# THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

**WHEREAS**, In pursuance of the Act of Congress, approved March 3, 1861, entitled an "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. *91,034* for *160* acres, in favor of *Mary C. Shechler* Widow of *Jonas Shechler* Private Captain *Berkness's Company* *Pennsylvania Militia* *War 1812*

with evidence that the same has been duly located upon *the South West quarter of Section Fourteen in Township Nineteen of Range Twenty in the District of Lands formerly subject to sale at Leecompton now Topeka Kansas, 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 assigned by the said Mary C. Shechler to James W. Lyon and by him to Jerusha Dant in whose favor said tract has been located*

**NOW KNOW YE**, That there is therefore granted by the **UNITED STATES** unto the said *Jerusha Dant as assignee as aforesaid and to her heirs*

the tract of Land above described: **TO HAVE AND TO HOLD** the said tract of Land with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said *Jerusha Dant as assignee as aforesaid and to her*

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 *Fifteenth* day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *Sixty four*, and of the **INDEPENDENCE** OF THE **UNITED STATES** the *Eighty Ninth*

BY THE PRESIDENT: *Abraham Lincoln*

By *Edw. D. Neill* Sec'y.

*J. M. Granger* Recorder of the General Land Office.