



The United States of America,

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING:

Homestead Certificate No. 1309
Application 1408

Whereas, there has been deposited in the **General Land Office** of the United States, a **CERTIFICATE** of the Register of the Land Office at *Oshtemo 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 *Samuel O. Genson*,

has been established and duly consummated in conformity to law for the *South fractional half of the South West fractional quarter, of Section thirty, in Township nineteen north, of Range sixteen West, in the district of lands subject to sale at Oshtemo Michigan containing seventy six acres, and eighty six 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 *Samuel O. Genson* the tract of Land above described: **To Have and to Hold** the said tract of Land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said *Samuel O. Genson* and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In Testimony whereof, *S. Myer S. Grant*, 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 *twelfth* day of *February*, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *Seventy three*, and of the Independence of the United States the *ninety seventh*

By the President: *U. S. Grant*

By *S. W. Williamson*, Sec'y.

C. B. Boynton, Recorder of the General Land Office.

