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James Monroe
 President of the United States of America.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING:

Know Ye, That, in pursuance of the Acts of Congress appropriating and granting Land to the late Army of the United States, passed on and since the sixth day of May, 1812, *Ellery Manchester*

having deposited in the General Land-Office a Warrant in his favour, numbered 15524, there is granted unto the said *Ellery Manchester*,

late a Sergeant in *Downs's* company of the Ninth Regiment of Infantry a certain Tract of Land, containing *One hundred and sixty acres*, being the *North West* of Section *thirteen* of Township *five South* in Range *four West* in the Tract appropriated (by the Acts aforesaid) for Military Bounties, in the Territory of *Illinois*,

To have and to hold the said *quarter* Section of Land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said *Ellery Manchester*, and to his heirs and assigns for ever,



In Testimony whereof, I 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, this *twelfth* day of *March* in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *eighteen* and of the Independence of the United States of America the forty-second

By the President,

James Monroe

Joseph H. Rogers Commissioner of the General Land-Office.

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I found an error by the power of attorney
Clery Manchester I had put in the
county of Bristol and State of Massachu-
setts. I remain in possession of fifty
dollars to me paid by James Goddard
of Boston I had the receipt whereby
I am hereby acknowledged as by these
presently given get out in the country
assign transfer and set out to the land
I owned all my right title interest
and estate to and in the within described
premises to have and to hold to the
said Goddard to his heirs and assigns
forever I do testify my whole intention
hereunto is that my land and out set at this
twenty third day of April anniversary
of my death be divided & equalized

I do procure Clery Manchester

Stephen Goddard
Demit M. Wright

Sept 23rd Boston April 23. 1816. The within
the foregoing instrument by him
and also made oath that he is
named in the within patent

State
Mass
Patent
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Clery Manchester



State of Illinois & Recorder's Office Edwardsville July
Madison County 3rd 1879. I hereby certify the within
Patent and Transfer on the Back thereof duly
Recorded in my Office in Vol. 2. page 80.
Exam^d. Josias Randle Reed.

Recd
E. Manchester
of the Gods

Wm. H. Gray, Secy
April 22 1881
18305



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Fees 40 paid

The above named E. Manchester & known as
himself to be his free and sole
his and person or agent E. Manchester
Address Boston as partner of
the price for 25000000