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The United States of America,

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

WHEREAS, There has been deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE of the United States of the Secretary of the Interior directing that a fee simple patent be granted to the BISHOPS OF FOND DU LAC, in accordance with the provisions of Act of March 3, 1909 (35 Stat. L., 781-814) for the land described as follows: One acre, more or less, in the southeast quarter of Section three in Township twenty-three north of Range nineteen east of the Fourth Principal Meridian containing one acre, more or less, in the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of Section twelve in Township twenty-three north of Range nineteen east of the Fourth Principal Meridian containing one hundred and forty acres, more or less, in Section three in Township twenty-three north of Range nineteen east of the Fourth Principal Meridian containing forty-seven acres, more or less, in Section three in Township twenty-three north of Range nineteen east of the Fourth Principal Meridian containing forty-seven acres, more or less, on the Oneida Indian Reservation:

KNOW YE, that the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, in consideration of the sum of one dollar and no part thereof, and by these presents DOES GIVE AND GRANT, unto the BISHOPS OF FOND DU LAC, and to their successors, the lands above described, together with all the rights, privileges, immunities, and appurtenances of whatever nature thereunto belonging, unto the said BISHOPS OF FOND DU LAC, and to their successors and assigns, forever.

WE KNOW YE, That the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, in consideration of the
GIVEN AND GRANTED, and by these presents DOES GIVE AND GRANT, unto the
of the Diocese of Ford du Lac, and to their successors, the lands above
I HAVE AD TO HOLD THE same, together with all the rights, privileges, im-
and appurtenances of whatsoever nature thereunto belonging, unto the said
of the Diocese of Ford du Lac, and to their successors and assigns, forever.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, William H. Taft, 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
... day of ... in the year
of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ...
and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred
and ...

By the President: *Wm H Taft*
By *Mc...* Secretary.
Recorder of the General Land Office.

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April 30, 1908

John A. ...

(Signed ...)

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Warrant

REGISTERS OFFICE

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Received for ...

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My Commission expires September 11, A. D. 1900

(To be filled in & signed by a Notary Public)

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This Indenture, Make this 30th day of April

in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and eight BETWEEN Sen D. Powliss, and Elizabeth Powliss, his wife, Henry Powliss and Marian Powliss his wife, Elizabeth Powliss, widow of William Powliss, deceased, and Lucille Powliss, one of the heirs of William Powliss, part of the first part, and Charles E. Fox, and Reginald H. Water, Bishop and Bishop respectively of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of Ford du Lac, Wisconsin, part of the second part.

Witnesseth, That the said part of the first part, for and in consideration of the sum of One thousand seven hundred sixty-two and 4/100 Dollars, to them in hand paid, by the said part of the second part, the receipt whereof is hereby confessed and acknowledged, have given, granted, bargained, sold, remised, released, aliened, conveyed and confirmed and by these presents do give, grant, bargain, sell, remise, release, alien, convey and confirm unto the said part of the second part, their heirs and assigns forever, the following described real estate, situated in the County of Wisconsin and State of Wisconsin, to wit:

One undivided share, fifth the interest in claim numbered One hundred forty-one (141) in Section Three (3) of Township One (1) North (N) north of Range Nineteen (19) East of the Fourth Principal meridian, containing five (45) acres. The aforesaid Elizabeth Powliss, widow, conveying hereby and her right title and interest in the whole of said tract, including that portion heretofore conveyed by Max H. Steiner as special guardian for the infant heir of William Powliss deceased.

Together, with all and singular the Hereditaments and Appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in any wise appertaining; and all the estate, right, title, interest, claim or demand whatsoever of the said part of the first part, either in law or equity, either in possession or expectancy of, in and to the above bargained premises and their Hereditaments and Appurtenances, TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said premises as above described, with the Hereditaments and Appurtenances, unto the said part of the second part and to their heirs and assigns forever.

And the Said part of the first part, for themselves and their heirs, executors and administrators, do covenant, grant, bargain, and agree, to and with the said part of the second part their heirs and assigns, that at the time of the executing and delivery of these presents they are well seized of these premises above described, as of a good, sure, perfect, absolute and indefeasible estate of inheritance in the law, in fee simple, and that the same are free and clear from all incumbrances whatever

and that the above bargained premises, in the quiet and peaceable possession of the said part of the second part

July 21, 1906

State of Wisconsin
County of Brown

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Deponent (Will being first duly sworn on oath) says that he is a full blooded Oneida Indian, seventy-two years of age, that he lives on the Oneida Reservation in the State of Wisconsin and has lived there for the past sixty years and in the year 1838 he was the Chief of the Band of Oneida Indians and the Judge of the Oneida Nation, that he was a member of the Tribal Council of Chiefs of the Oneida Nation and present at the Council held in the year 1838 and that he further says that at this Council of Chiefs of the Oneida Nation certain action was taken whereby the Tract of land known as Lots X - No. 140 and 147 Section Three, Township 20 North of Range Nineteen West, according to the original Grant for Mission to the Oneida Indians, was conveyed and set over to a body of Trustees, all Indians, known as "Trustees and Vestrymen of Hobart Church" and to the undersigned as officer. Deponent further says that he was a member of said body of Trustees and that since that time up to the year 1882 the affairs relating to the said property and its administration were conducted by said Trustees, that in the year 1883 the said property was by the undersigned Vestrymen of Hobart Church conveyed in trust for administration to the Indian People by the Protestant Episcopal Church, in the Diocese of Fond du Lac, Wisconsin. Deponent says that he was made Chief of the Band of Oneida Indians at thirteen years of age and that he was admitted to the Council of Chiefs when he was

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The Hon. Secy of War
Washington

My Dear Sir

I have the honor to

acknowledge the receipt of your

letter of the 10th inst.

in relation to the

claim of the

Government

Know all Men by these Presents,

That Cornelius Hill, Daniel A. Hinsham, Wardens and John
Anderson, Peter Brandt, Thomas John, John Thomas, Cornelius
B. Adams, Peter Hill, Joseph Perle, Solomon John, Wesley
of Holy Trinity Church in the Oneida Reservation, Wisconsin.

part of the first part, in consideration of the sum of one

Dollars to them duly paid, do hereby remise, release and quit claim unto

John Hill, Daniel A. Hinsham, Wardens and John Anderson, Peter Brandt, Thomas John, John Thomas, Cornelius B. Adams, Peter Hill, Joseph Perle, Solomon John, Wesley
Trustees of the Diocese of Fond du Lac, Wis.

the following described real estate, situated in the
state of Wisconsin, to wit:

Belgium Lot situated in Section 3, Town W3, Range 19 E.
Containing 40 1/2 white Oak Stakes standing on the right bank of
Duck Creek about the North Boundary line fence of said lot
The corner, given which the 1/4 stake in the center of the North West
1/4 of said Section 3 bears S 65° W 910 links and running thence
S 54° E along the North boundary fence 3100 links to a W. Oak Stake
in the corner of the fence near the left bank of Bread's Creek, thence S
34° E along the East boundary line fence 675 links to a W. Oak Stake, thence
N 75° W along the South fence 1370 links to the middle of the road, thence S 93° W
along the middle of the road 150 links to a point opposite the South fence West
side of road, thence N. 60° W along the South boundary fence no claims to be
shown standing on the right bank of Duck Creek, thence same course to the center
of Duck Creek, thence along the center of Duck Creek down stream to a point opposite the
Stake at the above point, thence S 54° E to the Stake at the starting point the whole

do here and to hold the same, together with all and singular the appurtenances and privileges therunto belonging, or
in any wise therunto appertaining, and all the estate, right, title, interest and claim whatsoever of the said parties of the first
part, either in law or equity, either in possession or expectancy, to the only proper use, benefit and behoof of the said
parties of the second part, and their heirs and assigns forever, by the Protestant Episcopal Church

In witness whereof, the parties of the first part have hereunto set their hands and seals
in the year of our Lord one thousand, eight

John Hill
Daniel A. Hinsham
John Anderson
Peter Brandt
Thomas John
John Thomas
Cornelius B. Adams
Peter Hill
Joseph Perle
Solomon John
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