

possessor; subject to any vested and accrued water rights for
mining, agricultural, manufacturing, or other purposes, and
rights to ditches and reservoirs used in connection with such
water rights, as may be recognized and acknowledged by the
local customs, laws, and decisions of courts, and also subject
to the right of the proprietor of a vein or lode to claim it
and remove his ore therefrom, should the same be found
to be valuable or to be so found to be by operation of law, as pro-
vided by law;

In testimony whereof, I, Ulysses S. Grant, President of
the United States of America, have caused these letters
to be signed with my hand, and the seal of the General Land
Office to be hereunto affixed.

Given under my hand, at the City of Washington, the
seventeenth day of March, in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and ninetys two, and of the
independence of the United States the ninety sixth.

By the President: U. S. Grant

Seal by J. Parnish Secretary
to W. Ashton, Director of the General Land Office.

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United States of America
State of California,

To all to whom these Letters shall come
Greeting:

Whereas, Under the provisions of an Act of
Congress of the United States, approved the twenty-ninth
day of September, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and

fifty, entitled "An Act to enable the State of Arkansas, and other States, to reclaim Swamp Land within their limits, in which Act the manner of selecting and setting apart swamp and Overflowed Lands is fully set forth, and Whereas, The Legislature of the State of Arkansas has provided for the Sale and conveyance of said Lands by Statutes enacted from time to time, and Whereas, It appears by the Certificate of the Receiver of the State Land Office, Number 2438, bearing date October 9th A.D. one thousand eight hundred and seventy eight, and issued in accordance with the provisions of law, that the tracts of Swamp and Overflowed Lands hereinafter described have been duly and properly surveyed in accordance with law; that full payment has been made to the State for the same, and that G. M. Blake is entitled to receive a patent therefor; said lands being situated in Polk County, and described as follows, to wit: Location No 546 Swamp and Overflowed Lands, Polk County, Township No 4 North, Range No 3 East 7th Meridian, sections Nos 11 and 14 Portions of said sections, and more particularly described as follows. Fraction in South West Quarter of Section 11 and fraction in North West Quarter of Section 14 Township 4 North, Range 3 East 7th Meridian, being a small island in Sacramento River or Stream at length and containing 10 3/4 acres, Now Therefore, All the requirements of the Act of Congress, as well as the Acts of the State Legislature, in relation to Swamp and Overflowed Lands, having been fully complied with, and William Irvine, Governor of the State of Arkansas, by virtue of authority in me vested, have granted, conveyed and conveyed, and by these presents do grant, convey and convey unto G. M. Blake, all the above described lands, with the appurtenances thereto belonging, to have and to hold unto

CERTIFICATE
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OFFICE, NUMBER
2438
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ISSUED TO
G. M. BLAKE

10 3/4 Acres

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in testimony whereof, I, William Irwin, Governor of the State of California have caused these letters to be made Public, and the Seal of the State of California to be hereunto affixed Given under my hand, at the City of Sacramento, this seventeenth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy eight.

W. Irwin

William Irwin

Governor of the State

Albert S. Erwin, Secretary of State

Countersigned: Thomas Francis McLaughlin, Secretary of the Board of Supervisors

A true copy of original, recorded at request of W. F. Lee June 21st 1881 at 45 minutes past 9 o'clock A.M.

J. P. Weinmann Recorder

The United States of America, To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:
Whereas, by the Act of Congress approved July 1. 1862, as amended by the Act of July 2. 1864, "to aid in the construction of a railroad and telegraph line from the Missouri River to the Pacific Ocean, and to secure to the Government the use of the same for postal, Military and other purposes," and the act of March 3. 1865, authority is given to the Western Pacific Railroad Company of California, a corporation existing under the laws of the State, "to construct a railroad and telegraph line", under certain conditions and stipulations as expressed in said Acts, and provision is made for granting to the said Company "every alternate section of public land designated by odd numbers, to the amount of ten alternate sections per mile on each side of the said railroad, on the line thereof, and within the limits of twenty miles on each side of the line thereof."