

# THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

GENERAL LAND OFFICE,

No. ....

To all to whom these presents shall come, greeting:

Whereas there has been deposited in the General Land Office of the UNITED STATES an ORDER bearing date March 12<sup>th</sup> 1877, from the Secretary of the Interior, accompanied by a Schedule with Return, dated March 10<sup>th</sup> 1877, from the Office of Indian Affairs, containing a List of selections of Land for certain Indians <sup>{of that subdivision of the La Pointe Band of which Buffalo was chief}</sup>, as contemplated by the Treaty concluded September 30, 1854, with the CHIPPEWA INDIANS of Lake Superior and the Mississippi, whereby it appears that on the twentieth day of February 1877 the President, in accordance with the provisions of the 3d Article of said Treaty, approved the selection of Gobi-mabi or Henry Buffalo, being Lot-two and the Southwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section thirty-one in Township fifty-one North, of Range three West, in the district of lands subject to sale at Bayfield Wisconsin, containing one hundred and one acres and fifty-eight-hundredths of an acre

according to the OFFICIAL PLAT of the survey of said lands returned to the General Land Office by the Surveyor General:

Now Know Ye, That the United States of America, in consideration of the premises, and in conformity with the said Treaty, the Order and Return, with Schedule aforesaid, Have given and granted, and by these presents Do give and grant, unto the said Gobi-mabi or Henry Buffalo and to his heirs, the said Tract above described; but with the stipulation that said Gobi-mabi or Henry Buffalo and his heirs shall not sell, lease, or in any manner alienate said Tract without the consent of the President of the United States; To have and to hold the same, together with all the rights, privileges, immunities, and appurtenances, of whatsoever nature, thereunto belonging, unto the said Gobi-mabi or Henry Buffalo and to his heirs forever, provided as aforesaid, that Gobi-mabi or Henry Buffalo and his heirs shall not sell, lease, or in any manner alienate said Tract without the consent of the President of the United States.

In Testimony Whereof, J. Rutherford B. Hayes, 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 sixteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and second

BY THE PRESIDENT:

R. B. Hayes

By B. L. Lang, Secretary.

J. W. Clark, Recorder of the General Land Office.

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