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### Record of Land Purchase by Van Raalte of 80 Acres for \$100.00

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May 11, 1848

A record of a land purchase by Van Raalte of eighty acres for \$100.00, at the government price of \$1.25 per acre. The purchase was made at the State Land Office in Marshall, certificate no. 2850.

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No. 2557

STATE LAND OFFICE OF MICHIGAN,

MARSHALL, May 11th 1848.

It is hereby Certified, That, in pursuance of law,

Albertus Christiaan Van Raalte  
of Ottawa County, State of Michigan on this day purchased at this  
Office, at private sale, the Land described as follows, to wit: the West half of  
the South East Quarter

of Section No. Twenty two in Township No. Five North of Range No.  
Fourteen West containing Eighty  
acres, at the rate of one dollar and twenty-five cents per acre, amounting to

One hundred dollars and \_\_\_\_\_ cents, for  
which payment in full has been made, as required by law.

Now Therefore, be it known, That, on presentation of this Certificate to the Secretary  
of State, the said Albertus Christiaan Van Raalte  
shall be entitled to receive a Patent for the Land above described, agreeably to the provisions of  
the "Act to establish a Land Office, to prescribe and regulate the disposition of the public lands,  
and for other purposes;" approved March 11th, 1844.

[Countersigned,]

Robt. Andrews

Deputy Commissioner of the State Land Office.

Recorder.

Obtained in pursuance of Act No. 29 of 1848.