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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

GENERAL LAND OFFICE
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Department of the Interior,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to the letter of August 20, 1937, from the U. S. Commissioner of the General Land Office, asking whether any mineral interests in the State under the copy land act of October 20, 1906 (Stat. 2201), together with the acts of Dec. 2, 1907, U. S. C., 23. 2201, 23. 2202.

The records of this office show that all of the mineral interests in the State under the copy land act of October 20, 1906 (Stat. 2201), together with the acts of Dec. 2, 1907, U. S. C., 23. 2201, 23. 2202, and Dec. 2, 1907, U. S. C., 23. 2201, 23. 2202, were transferred to the State under August 20, 1937.

Very truly yours,
[Signature]

that was filed for all of said fractional section 5, also when the same land was approved and request for patent made by the Governor January 5, 1864. It was originally set apart to embrace the Island in the adjacent well patent, the average of 126.62 acres covering only the said land as shown by the plan of survey approved January 7, 1865. The Island including 1.61 acres as shown on the plan of survey approved in August 1864.

It has been held that the specification in a patent of the contents of land conveyed is a indication of its description, and that of less importance than other indications in such case in ascertaining what land was conveyed. *Wright and Perry v. Taylor*, 100 U.S. 107, 110. *Wright v. Taylor*, 100 U.S. 107.

The records further show that on August 4, 1865, *Wright v. Taylor*, 100 U.S. 107, 110, was filed in the U. S. S. C. including 1.61 acres, under Section 5 of the Act of 1864, and patent issued thereon January 1, 1866.

Very respectfully,

Arthur Little French
Assistant Commissioner.