

This Indenture made this sixth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty one between Willis H Day and Florence L Day his wife of Leavenworth in the County of Douglas and State of Kansas of the first part and Margaret and J. C. Keeler of Franklin in the County of Douglas and State of Kansas of the second part.

Witnesseth That the said parties of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of Two Hundred and Sixty Dollars to them duly paid the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged have sold and by these presents do grant bargain sell and mortgage to the said parties of the second part their heirs and assigns forever all that tract or parcel of land situate in the County of Douglas and State of Kansas described as follows to wit; Lots numbered seventeen (17), eighteen (18) nineteen (19), twenty (20), Twenty one (21), and twenty two (22) in Block Numbered thirty eight (38), in the City of Leavenworth according to the published plat thereof with the appurtenances and all the estate title and interest of the said parties of the first part therein This Grant is intended as a Mortgage to secure the payment of the sum of Two Hundred and Sixty Dollars according to the terms of one certain promissory note of even date herewith calling for two hundred and sixty dollars, made by the party of the first part payable to the party of the second part due four years after date with interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum payable annually, And this conveyance shall be void if such payment be made as is herein specified, But if default be made in paid payment or any part thereof as provided then this conveyance shall become absolute and it shall be lawful for said parties of the second part their executors administrators and assigns at any time thereafter to sell the premises hereby granted or any part thereof in the manner prescribed by law and out of all the moneys arising from such sale to retain the amount then due for principal and interest and also for Statutory damages in case of protest together with the costs and charges of making such sale and ten per cent on the amount secured by this Mortgage as a reasonable attorney's fee for foreclosure hereof and the overplus if any there be shall be paid by the party making such sale to the said Willis H Day his heirs or assigns and for the said consideration the said parties of the first part hereby waive appraisal

The foregoing is recorded on original instrument
and retained by the Register and Recorder
of Douglas County Kansas is hereby acknowledged and directed to release the same of record with the other documents
Margaret Embree formerly known as
J. C. Keeler

Received and acknowledged this 31st day of May A.D. 1881 at "Block 31" in the County of Douglas
James Brooks Register of Deeds