

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Essex. ss. To all people to whom these presents shall come
I Alfred A. Abbott Clerk of the Superior Court for the County
aforesaid the same being a Court of Record do certify that
Geo. Foster Shurt before whom the accompanying ac-
knowledgement was made, was at the date thereof a
Justice of the Peace within and for said County, duly
authorized and qualified to administer oaths and take acknowl-
edgements that his signature thereto is genuine and that
the annexed deed is executed and acknowledged in conformity
with the laws of this Commonwealth.

In Testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and
the seal of said Court at Salem on this twenty eighth day
of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and eighty,

Alfred A. Abbott Clerk

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Recorded August 1st A.D. 1881 at 2⁴⁵ P.M.

A. J. Hornshead
Register of Deeds

This Indenture Made this 26th day of July in the year
of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty one between
Anderson W. Swift of Douglas in the County of Douglas and
State of Kansas of the first part and John D. Atchison of Lawrence
in the County of Douglas State of Kansas of the second part.
Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part for and
in consideration of the sum of Sixty Dollars to him duly
paid the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged has
sold and by these presents does grant bargain sell and mortgage
to the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns for-
ever all that tract or parcel of land situate in the County of
Douglas State of Kansas described as follows to wit, The
South half of the North West quarter of Section No. Twenty-
seven (27) in Township No. Fourteen (14), of Range No. Eighteen
(18) in Douglas County, Kansas, with the appurtenances
and all the estate title and interest of the said party of the
first part therein.

This Grant is intended as a mortgage to secure the pay-
ment of the sum of Sixty Dollars according to the terms
of our certain promissory note for said sum of Sixty
dollars dated July 23rd 1881 due 60 days, bears interest
at 10 percent signed by A. W. Swift and Anderson

The following is endorsed on original Instrument
For value paid, I hereby sell, assign and
deliver the within mortgage and the note for
which it is given to secure to S. O. Stevens
N. O. Stevens

Witness my hand and seal of said Court at Salem on this 26th day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty one.