

has hereunto set his hand and seal the day and year last
above written.

State of Kansas }
County of Douglas }

Ernest W. Alexander *Notary Public*

Be it Remembered that on this nineteenth day
of November A.D. 1881 before me as Notary Public in and for
said County and State came Ernest W. Alexander to me
personally known to be the same person who executed the
 foregoing instrument and solemnly acknowledged the execution
 of the same.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name
and affixed my official seal on the day and year last
above written.

E. W. A.

W. A. Harris

Comm. expires Nov. 29th 1881.

Notary Public,

Lawrence, Kansas

Recorded November 19th 1881 at 2³⁰ O'clock P.M.

W. H. Hornsby
Register of Deeds

This Indenture made this First day of October in the
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty one.

Witnesseth that John W. Cotton & Eliza A. Cotton
Richard and wife of the County of Douglas and State
of Kansas parties of the first part for and in consideration
of Twelve Hundred Dollars currency and warrants to
Elizabeth P. Smith party of the second part her heirs and
assigns the real estate hereinafter described situated in the
County of Douglas and State of Kansas to wit:

The South East quarter of Section numbered Twenty Nine
Town numbered Thirtieth (30) Range numbered Thirtieth (30)
East of the sixth P. M. and containing one hundred and
eighty (180) acres more or less. To secure the said party of
the second part for an actual loan of money made to the
said John W. Cotton and Eliza A. Cotton as evidenced by
one certain Bond No. Eighty one hundred and four of
Twelve Hundred Dollars of even date herewith in and by
by which bond the party of the first part promise to pay
to the order of Elizabeth P. Smith in lawful money of the
United States of America the principal sum of Twelve

The following is indorsed on the original instrument
Exchange payment in full of the within mortgage,
and hereby authorize the Register of Deeds to discharge
the same of record. Dated this first day of June 1886
Elizabeth P. Smith

Recorded April 2nd 1887