

The following is indorsed on the Original Instrument
Whereas the mortgagor herein bears no title to
the land herein described this mortgage is void and
is hereby released and discharged.

As witness my hand this 17th day of December A.D. 1885
Edward Russell.

Recorded Dec. 17th 1885 at 10 a.m.

This Indenture, Made this 16th day of November in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and eighty five between Albert Below and Friederike
Below his wife (being of lawful age,) of the County of
Douglas, and State of Kansas, of the first part, and
Edward Russell of Lawrence Kansas of the second part:
Witnesseth, That the parties of the first part, in
consideration of the sum of Five hundred Dollars
to them duly paid, the receipt whereof is hereby
acknowledged, have sold, and by these presents do
grant, bargain, sell, and convey to the said party
of the second part his heirs and assigns, forever
the following tract or parcel of land situated
in the County of Douglas and State of Kansas,
described as follows, to wit:

The Northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of
Section fifteen (15) in Township twelve (12) of Range
nineteen (19), with the appurtenances and all the
estate, title and interest of the said parties of the
first part therein. And the said parties of the
first part do hereby covenant and agree that at
the delivery hereof they are the lawful owners
of the premises above granted, and seized of a
good and indefeasible estate of inheritance
therein, free and clear of all incumbrances;
that they have good right to sell and convey
said premises, and that they will Warrant
and Defend the same against the lawful
claims of all persons.

This Grant is intended as a Mortgage to secure
the payment of the sum of Five hundred
Dollars and interest thereon, according to the
terms of one certain mortgage note and ten
interest notes or coupons this day executed by
the said Parties of the first part to - wit:

Note No. 1, for Five hundred Dollars due December 1st
1890 all dated November 16, 1885 payable to
Edward Russell or order, at the Merchants Bank
of Lawrence Kansas with New York Exchange
with interest payable semi-annually, on the
first days of June and Dec. in each year,
according to coupons attached to said note.
The parties of the first part further agree that