

This Indenture, Made this first day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty six by and between William M. Sharding and Alvira J. Sharding Husband and wife of the County of Douglas and State of Kansas party of the first part, and W. J. Neill of the ^{State of the second part} State of Kansas,

Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part, for and in consideration of the sum of eighteen hundred Dollars, to him in hand paid by the said party of the second part, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, has Granted Bargained and Sold, and by these presents does Grant, Bargain, Sell, Convey and Confirm unto the said party of the second part, and to his heirs and assigns forever, all of the following described tract, piece, or parcel of land lying and situate in the County of Douglas and State of Kansas, to wit:

The South West Quarter of the North West Quarter of Section Number Eight (8) Township Number Thirteen (13) Range Number Twenty (20) East of the Sixth P.M. and containing Forty (40) acres more or less.

To have and to hold the same, with all and singular the hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging, or in any wise appertaining, and all rights of homestead exemption unto the said party of the second part and to his heirs and assigns forever. And the said party of the first part does hereby covenant and agree that at the delivery hereof he is the lawful owner of the premises above granted and seized of a good and indefeasible estate of inheritance therein, free and clear of all incumbrances and that he will warrant and defend the same in the quiet and peaceable possession of the said party of the second part, his heirs and assigns forever, against the lawful claims of all persons whomsoever.

Provided always, and this instrument is made, executed and delivered upon the following conditions, to wit:

On the eighth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty six, the within instrument was made and signed in the presence of the undersigned, the debt thereby secured to be paid in full at the time of recording hereinafter mentioned.

September 1886
December 1886

C. E. Shward
W. J. Neill

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