MORTGAGE

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This Indenture, Made this 2nd day of July in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty Seven between Mary Mabel Slavens, a widow, Charles D. Ward and Eith Slavens Ward, his wife of Lecompton, in the County of Douglas County and State of WITNESSETH, That the said party of the first part, in consideration of the sum of Eighteen Hundred and no/100 -- -----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, its heirs and assigns forever, all that tract or parcel of land situated in the county of uglas , and State of Kansas, described as follows, to-wil: Beginning at the SButheast corner of the SW2 , thence North 222 rods, thence Sest 693 rods to the middle of Coon Creek, thence south following said creek to the outh line of said section, thence East 642 rods to the point of beginning, all of such tract. being situated in Section 34, Township 11, Range 18.

with the appurtenances and all the estate, title and interest of the said party of the first part therein.

And the said parties of the first part does hereby covenant and agree that at the delivery hereof they are the lawful owner a of the premises above granted and seized of a good and indefeasible estate of inheritance therein, free and clear of all incumbrances

This grant is intended as a Mortgage to secure the payment of the sum of ______ighteen Hundred Dollars,

according to the terms of a certain note this day executed and delivered by the said parties of the first part

IN WITNESS WHEREOF. The Said party of the first part ha Ye hereunto set ______ hand g______

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