

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

This Grant is intended as a Mortgage to secure the payment of the sum of one hundred and seventy five (\$175⁰⁰) Dollars according to the terms of one certain promissory note this day executed and delivered by the said John Edwards to the said party of the second part; and this conveyance shall be void if such payment be made as herein specified. But if default be made in such payment or any part thereof, or interest thereon, or the taxes, or if the insurance is not kept up thereon; then this conveyance shall become absolute, and the whole shall become due and payable, and it shall be lawful for the said party of the second part, his executors, administrators and assigns, at any time thereafter, to sell the premises hereby granted, or any part thereof, in the manner prescribed by law, appraisement hereby waived or not, at the option of the party of the second part his executors, administrators or assigns; and out of all the moneys arising from such sale to retain the amount then due for principal and interest, together with the costs and charges of making such sale, and the surplus, if any there be, shall be paid by the party making such sale, or demands, to the said party of the first part or his heirs or assigns.

In Testimony Whereof, The said party of the first part has hereunto set his hand and seal the day and year last above written.

John ^{his} Edwards [Seal]
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State of Kansas, Douglas County, 1881.