

The following is recorded on the original instrument

The parties herein described having been put in full, this mortgage is hereby released and the lender hereby creates a discharge

of the same and the parties herein named, this 12th day of August 1887

Edward Russell

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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 West half of the North-west quarter of section thirty (30) in Township thirteen (13) of Range Twenty-one (21) with the appurtenances and all the estate, title and interest of the said parties of the first part therein above granted, and seized of a good and indefeasible estate of inheritance therein; that they have good right to sell and convey said premises, subject however to a prior mortgage for \$600.00 owned by A. Porter and which is recorded in Book 5 of Mortg's of Records of said Douglas Co. at p. 295.

This Grant is intended as a Mortgage to secure the payment of the sum of Four hundred Dollars, according to the terms of one certain mortgage note this day executed by the said Thomas Layson, with certain coupons attached all dated March 10th 1887, payable to Edward Russell or order, at the Merchants National Bank in Lawrence, Kansas, with New York Exchange.

Now, If such payment be made as herein specified, this conveyance shall be void, and shall be released upon demand of the parties of the first part. But if default be made in the payment of said principal sum, or any part thereof, or any interest thereon, or in the taxes or assessments, or if default be made in the payments upon the first mortgage or any agreement therein, then this conveyance shall become absolute, and the whole of said principal and interest shall immediately become due and payable at the option of the party of the second part, and in case of such default of any sum covenanted to be paid, for the period of ten days after the same becomes due, the said first parties agree to pay to said second party and his assigns, interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum computed annually on said notes from the date thereof to the time when the money shall be actually paid, and any payment made on account of interest shall be credited in said computation, so that the total amount of interest collected shall be, and not exceed the legal rate of 12 per cent.; but the party of the second part may pay any unpaid taxes charged against said property, or may pay the interest coupons upon the first mortgage, and may pay for any insurance required under the first