

quarter section, ²thence North 80 rods; ²thence East 40 rods
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 3 Rods. ²thence West 40 Rods. ²thence South estly. To the
 South East corner of said Quarter Section. to place of beginning
 with the appurtenances, and all the estate, title and interest
 of the said party of the first part therein. 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 incum-
 brances, and that he will warrant and defend the same
 against all claims whatsoever, except a prior mortgage to
 J. P. Allen for \$1500.

This Grant is intended as a Mortgage to secure the payment
 of the sum of (\$45.00) Forty five Dollars, due and payable
 in installments Three years from date thereof, with interest
 thereon from maturity at 12 per cent. per annum according
 to the terms of six certain promissory notes this day executed
 and delivered by said Thomas E. Evans to the said party of
 the second part; and this conveyance shall be void if
 such payments be made as in said notes and in this
 instrument specified.

And the said party of the first part hereby agrees to pay
 all taxes and assessments levied and assessed against said
 premises before any costs or penalties shall accrue thereon,
 and to keep the buildings erected and to be erected on
 said premises insured in favor of the second party or his
 assigns, in the sum of Forty five (\$45.00 Dollars, in some
 responsible insurance company authorized to do business in
 the State of Kansas, in default whereof said party of the
 second part may pay such taxes, and any penalties and
 costs which may have accrued thereon, and as will effect-
 ually effect such insurance at the expense of said first party, and
 such taxes, penalties, costs and insurance, shall from the
 date of payment be an additional lien under this mortgage
 on said above described premises, and shall bear interest at
 the rate of twelve per cent. per annum. But if default be
 made in the payment of said notes, or any part thereof, or
 any interest thereon, or of the taxes, or if the insurance is not
 kept up thereon, then this conveyance shall become absolute,
 and the whole amount specified in said notes and the interest
 thereon, and all taxes and insurance paid by said second

In consideration of full pay-
 ment of the within mortgage
 I hereby release the same this
 18th day of Sept. 1890

J. M. Van Hook

Attest Sept 18, 1890 A. W. Carman Deputy Register of Deeds