

This Indenture, Made this 25th day of May in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty eight between Rufus A. French and Nellie French, his wife, of Lawrence, Kansas, of the first part and William T. Sinclair, of same place of the second part.

Witnesseth, that the said parties of the first part, for and in consideration of the sum of One Thousand Dollars to them in hand paid by the said party of the second part, the receipt whereof is hereby confessed and acknowledged, have granted, bargained, sold and conveyed, and by these presents do grant, bargain, sell and convey unto the said party of the second part, and to his heirs and assigns forever, all the following described pieces and parcels of land lying and situate in the County of Douglas and State of Kansas, to wit: Lots Nos One hundred and Fifty-six (156) and One hundred and Fifty-eight (158) on Louisiana Street, in the city of Lawrence being the homestead of the said parties of the first part. Also the following land in Jefferson County, Kansas, to wit: The South East Quarter of Section No Twenty-eight (28) in Township No Ten (10) South of Range No Twenty (20) East, containing One hundred and Sixty (160) acres, said land being subject, however, to a nine hundred dollar mortgage given to W. C. Bearasley, dated February 14th 1887, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Jefferson County, in Book 44th, at page 51.

To have and to hold the same, with all and singular the here-
ditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging, unto the
party of the second part and to his heirs and assigns, forever.
And the said Rufus A. French and Nellie French do hereby cov-
enant and agree, that at the delivery hereof they are the lawful
owner of the premises above granted, and seized of good and
indefeasible estate of inheritance therein, free and clear of all
incumbrances, and that they will warrant and defend the
same in the quiet and peaceable possession of said party of
the second part, his heirs and assigns forever, against all
persons lawfully claiming the same.

Provided Always, And these presents are upon this express
condition, that whereas, the said Rufus A. French & Nellie French
are justly indebted unto the said William T. Sinclair in the
principal sum of One Thousand Dollars, lawful money of the
United States of America, being for a loan thereon the day
and date hereof made by the said William T. Sinclair to the
said Rufus A. French and Nellie French and secured to be paid
by three certain promissory note of the said Rufus A. French
and Nellie French bearing even date herewith, payable to