

This Indenture, Made this 18th day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety three between Jacob Hess and Katherine Hess, his wife of Douglas in the County of Douglas and State of Kansas of the first part, and William D. Sinclair, of Lawrence, Kansas of the second part,

Witnesseth, That the said parties of the first part in consideration of the sum of One Thousand DOLLARS, to them duly paid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, have sold and by these presents do grant, bargain, sell and mortgage to the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns forever, all that tract or parcel of land situated in the County of Douglas and State of Kansas, described as follows, to-wit: The East half of the North West quarter of Section No Eight (8) in Township No Thirteen (13) South, of Range No Twenty (20) East of the 6th P.M., containing 80 acres of land, more or less,

with all the appurtenances, and all the estate, title and interest of the said parties of the first part therein. And the said parties of the first part do hereby covenant and agree that at the delivery hereof they the lawful owners of the premises above granted, and seized of a good and indefeasible estate of inheritance therein free and clear of all incumbrances, have a prior mortgage of \$1500., given to said Wm. D. Sinclair, dated October 10, 1892.

This grant is intended as a Mortgage to secure the payment of the sum of One Thousand Dollars according to the terms of one certain mortgage note this day executed and delivered by the said parties of the first part to the said party of the second part due in five years from date with interest from date to maturity or default as evidenced by coupons attached to said note, and interest after maturity or default in payment of interest or any portion of principal when due, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, until fully paid, and this conveyance shall be void if such payments 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 amount 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 part of the second part executors, administrators or assigns; and out of all the moneys arising from such sales, to retain the amount then due for principal and interest, together with the costs and charges of making such sales, and the overplus, if any there be, shall be paid by the party making such sale on demand to the said parties of the first part, their heirs and assigns.

In Witness Whereof, The said parties of the first part, have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written.

Signed and delivered in presence of

Jacob Hess (SEAL)
Katherine Hess (SEAL)
(SEAL)
(SEAL)

STATE OF KANSAS, } ss.
County of Douglas

Be it Remembered, That on this 24th day of April, A. D. 1893, before me S. A. Wight, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, came Jacob Hess and Katherine Hess, his wife, to me personally known to be the same persons who executed the foregoing instrument, and duly acknowledged the execution of the same.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal on the day and year last above written.

My commission expires April 21, 1895 S. A. Wight Notary Public
Recorded April 28 A. D. 1893, at 12³⁰ o'clock A.M.

James Brooks Register of Deeds

The following is endorsed on the original instrument
The note herein described having been paid in full this mortgage is hereby released, and the lien created thereby discharged, as witness my hand this 10th day of February A.D. 1895 J. W. Bartles

Recorded Feb. 11-1895. W. D. Norman
Register of Deeds
(Assigned See Book 3 Page 592) By W. D. Fisher 594

