

This Indenture, Made this 27 day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety four between James Bennett and Mary Bennett wife of Lawrence in the County of Douglas and State of Kansas of the first part, and Louisa Edwards of the second part,

Witnesseth, That the said parties of the first part in consideration of the sum of Four Hundred 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 all 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: Lot Numbered One Hundred and fifty three (153) and One Hundred and fifty five (155) on Connecticut Street in the City of Lawrence

with all the appurtenances, and all the estate, title and interest of the said part of the first part therein. And the said James Bennett and Mary Bennett do hereby covenant and agree that at the delivery hereof they are 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 Except a mortgage of \$100

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 Note this day executed and delivered by the said James Bennett and Mary Bennett to the said party of the second part: Payable five years after date with interest at 9 per cent per annum payable semi-annually at Merchants National Bank of Lawrence Kansas

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 therefor, 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 all 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 all 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 for making such sales, and the overplus, if any there be, shall be paid by the party making such sale on demand to the said James Bennett his heirs and assigns.

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

Signed and delivered in presence of

L. D. Stule

James Bennett

(SEAL.)

Mary Bennett

(SEAL.)

STATE OF KANSAS, }
County of Douglas } ss.

Be it Remembered, That on this 27 day of October, A. D. 1894, before me, L. D. Stule, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, came James Bennett and Mary Bennett 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 June 18 1895

Recorded Oct 27 A. D. 1894 at 12:30 o'clock P. M.

L. D. Stule

Notary Public.

James Brooks

Register of Deeds.

The following is endorsed on original instrument
The note herein described having been paid in full, this mortgage
is hereby released and the lien thereby created discharged
As Witness my hand, this 10 day of May A.D. 1900
Louisa Edwards

Recorded Oct 26th A.D. 1903
All monies
Payable of Deeds
By J. W. Brown
Deputy