

instrument and duly acknowledged the execution of the same

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my official seal on the day and year last above written

Chas. Chadwick

Notary Public Douglas County

[U.S.]

My Commission expires Sept 10, 1893

Recorded March 17th, 1893 at 25 o'clock P. M.

Alfred Monnald

Register of Deeds

This Indenture made this 15. day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty three between Lewis S. Cooper and Elizabeth A. Cooper his wife of Marion in the County of Douglas and State of Kansas of the first part and A. J. Staskin of the second part

Witnesseth That the said parties of the first part in consideration of the sum of Twenty Two Hundred & 00/100 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 East quarter of Section Twenty four 24 in Township Fourteen 14 of Range Seventeen 17 and the North half of the North West quarter of Section Nineteen in Township Fourteen of Range Eighteen Except a strip 5 ft. wide and 22 rods long beginning at a point 7 rods West of the South East corner of said W. 1/2 of N. W. 1/4 of Sec. 17 T. 14 R. 18 thence West 22 rods thence North 5 ft. thence East 22 rods thence South 5 ft. to the place of beginning

with 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 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 This grant is intended as a mortgage to secure the payment of the sum of Twenty

13.9. 1893, Register, Kans

Received March 9 1893

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Q. J. H. Allen

On the original no return there is enclosed as follows

This mortgage has been fully paid.