This Indenture, Made this 22nd day of March, 'A. D. 1915, between Frank S. Bitcher and (husband and wife), of the County of Douglas and State of Kansas, of the Belle Butcher, first part, and The Thomas Mortgage Company, (acorporation under and by virtue of the laws of Kansas) of Emporia, Lyon County, Kansas, of the second part: Witnesseth, That the said parties of the first part, in consideration of the sum

of First Thousand and Ho/100 Dollars, to them duly had, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, have granted and sold, and by these presents do grant, bargain, soll and convey unto the said party of the second part, its successors or assigns, forever, all of the following described real estate, situated in the County of Douglas, and State of Kansas, to wit:

The North 95 acres, less  $\frac{1}{2}$  acres, (cene tery), of the northeast one-diartor ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of section Two (2), Township Thirteen (13), Parge Nine teen(19).

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To Have And To Hold The same, with all the appurtenances thereto belonging, unto the said party of the second part, its heirs, assigns, or successors forever; and the said parties do hereby coverent and agree, that at the delivery hereof they are the lawful comers of the prendees above granted, and seized of a good and indefensible estate of inheritance therein free and clear of all incumbrances, and that they will warrant and defend the same against the lawful claims of all persons whomsoever.

This grant is intended as a mortgage to secure the payment of the sum of Five Thousand and no/100 Dollars lawful money of the United States, made and executed by the said Thomas Mortgage Company; to the said partles, and secured by a certain prom-issory note, bearing even date herewith, payable to said Thomas Mortgage Company, or order with interest at the rate of 52 per cent per annum from date unti fully paid; interest to be paid annually on the first days of April in each year, as specified by

Now, if payment is made as provided, this mortgage shall be released at the post of the mortgagors, which cost they agree to pay, but if said sum of money, or any interest thereon, is not paid when due, or if any taxes or assessments, now or hereafter levied or imposed in said county or state, against said real estate, or upon this mortgage, or the notes secured thereby, or if any installment of principal or interest of any mortgage or lion prior to this, are not paid when the same are due and payable, or if default be made in the agreement to keep said property insured, as hereinafter set forth, then, in either of these cases, the sum here by secured, with interest there on, shall immediately become due and payable, at the option of the mortgagee or assigns without notice. But the legal holder of this mostgage may, at his option, pay such taxes, assessments, or installments of principal or interest, or charges for insurance so, due and payable, as the mortgagors or assigns shall neglect or refuse to pay, and said amounts, together with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum, peyable semi-annually, shall be an additional lien upon the said mortgage property, and the same shall be secured by this mortgage; and it shall be lawful for said party of the second part, its successors or assigns, at any time thereafter, to cell the premises hereby granted, or any part thread, in the manner prescribed by law, appraice ment hereby waived, or not, at the option of the second part, its successors or assigns, and the said mortgagee, or assigns, shall be entitled to the immediate possession of the premises, and the rents, issues and profits thereof, and out of all the moreys arising from such sale to retain the amount then due for principal and interest, together with the costs, and charges of making such sale; and the overplus, if any Wthere be, shall be paid by the party making such sale; an demand, to the said parties

y of the first part their heirs or assigns. Satd mortgogors agree to keep the buildings erected or to be erected on said is Dinsured to the amount of Three Thousand Two Hundred and no/100 Dullars, to the entis-Said mortgagors agree to keep the buildings erected or to be erected on said land Ffaction, and for the benefit, of the mortgagee or assigns from this time until said 9 date, and leins by virtue the reof are fully paid.

In Witness Whereof, The said parties of the first part have hereunto set their hand soils the daw and year first above written.

C figned, sealed and delivered in the presence of Frank S. Butcher (SFAL) Belle Bitaher (SEAL)

State of Missouri, Henry County, 38. I Here by Certify, That on this 26th day of MArch A.D. 1915 before me, the undersigned, a Motery Public in and for said County and State, came Frank S. Butaber and Belle Bitcher, (husband and wife), personally known to me to be the same persons who excouted the foregoing instrument of writing, and duly acknowledged the exception of the same.

Witness my hand and official seal the day and year last above written. Commission expires Jan 27th 1918 (SEAL)

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Jul H. Schwer, Notary Public.

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Recorded March 31st, A.D. 1915, at 10:12 o'clock A.M.