

E. Patchen, S. A. Houston, O. M. Searles & B. A. Ewing the Trustees of the North Lawrence Christian Church of Lawrence, Kansas, personally known to me to be the same persons who executed the within instrument of writing, and they duly acknowledged the execution of the same, as such Trustees.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my notarial seal, the day and year last above written.

My commission expires September 24, 1917 (SEAL) Emily L. Swick, Notary Public.

Recorded Sept., 27th., A.D. 1915, at 3:30 o'clock P.M.

*Donald L. Lawrence*  
Register of Deeds,  
*Geo. C. Neigel*  
Deputy.

THIS MORTGAGE made this 24th day of September A.D. 1915 between Alfred H. Steele, and Annie W. Steele, his wife of the County of Douglas and State of Kansas, parties of the first part, and the Prudential Insurance Company of America, a body corporate, existing under and by virtue of the laws of New Jersey, and having its chief office at the City of Newark, and State of New Jersey, party of the second part,

WITNESSETH: That whereas, the said parties of the first part are justly indebted to the said The Prudential Insurance Company of America for money borrowed in the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars, to secure the payment of which they have executed one promissory note, of even date herewith, payable on the 28th day of September, A.D. 1920, being principal note, which note bears interest from September 28th, 1915 at the rate of five per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, and evidenced by ten interest notes of even date herewith, thereto attached.

All of said notes are executed by the said parties of the first part, and bear interest after maturity at the rate of ten per cent. per annum, payable annually, until paid, and are made payable to the order of said The Prudential Insurance Company of America, at its office in Newark, New Jersey.

NOW, THEREFORE, THIS INDENTURE WITNESSETH: That the said parties of the first part in consideration of the premises, and for the purpose of securing the payment of the money aforesaid and interest thereon according to the tenor and effect of the said promissory notes above mentioned, and also to secure the faithful performance of all the covenants, conditions, stipulations and agreements herein contained, do by these presents, mortgage and warrant unto the said party of the second part, its successors and assigns forever, all the following described lands and premises, situated and being in the County of Douglas, and State of Kansas, to wit:

The South Half (S $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the Northeast Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Three (3), Township Fifteen (15) South, of Range Twenty (20), East of the Sixth Principal Meridian, containing Eighty (80) acres.

And the said parties of the first part expressly agree to pay the said notes promptly as they become due, and to pay all taxes and assessments against said premises when they become due; and agree that when any taxes or assessments shall be made upon said loan, or upon said party of the second part or assigns, on account of said loan, either by the State of Kansas or by the county or town wherein said land is situated, the parties of the first part will pay such taxes or assessments when the same become due and payable; and that they will keep the buildings upon the above described real estate insured in some solvent incorporated insurance company satisfactory to the said party of the second part for at least \_\_\_\_\_ dollars, for the benefit of the party of the second part herein or assigns, so long as the debt above secured shall remain unpaid, and make the policy of insurance payable to the party of the second part herein or assigns, as collateral security for the debt hereby secured.

And it is further provided and agreed by and between the parties hereto that if default shall be made in the payment of either of said notes or interest thereon, or any part thereof when due; or if the taxes on said premises are not fully paid before the same shall become delinquent; or upon failure on the part of the parties of the first part to pay the taxes or assessments upon the loan secured by this mortgage or the holder thereof, and insurance premiums as heretofore mentioned, then in such case, the whole of said principal and interest thereon shall, at the option of said second party or assigns, become due and payable and this mortgage may be foreclosed at any time after such default; but the omission of the party of the second part or assigns to exercise this option at any time or times shall not preclude said party of the second part from the exercise thereof at any subsequent default or defaults of said parties in payments as aforesaid; and it shall not be necessary for said party of the second part or assigns to give written notice of its or their intention to exercise said option at any time or times, such notice being hereby expressly waived by said parties of the first part.

It is further provided that said party of the second part or assigns may at its or their option pay said taxes, assessments and insurance premiums on the failure of the parties of the first part to pay the same as above mentioned, and the money so paid, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from date of payment shall at its or their option, be entitled to be subrogated to any lien, claim or demand paid or discharged with the money loaned and advanced by the party of the second part and secured by this mortgage. And the party of the second part, or assigns, may pay and discharge any liens that may exist against above described real estate that may be prior and senior to the lien of this mortgage; and the money so paid shall become a part of the lien of this mortgage and bear interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum.

In case of foreclosure, said party of the second part, or assigns, shall be entitled to have a receiver appointed by the Court, who shall enter and take possession of the premises, collect the rents and profits thereon and apply the same as the Court may direct.

Privilege is given the said parties of the first part, their heirs or legal

The following is endorsed on the original instrument:  
The amount secured by this mortgage has been paid in full, and the same is hereby cancelled, this 4th day of October, 1920. The Prudential Insurance Company of America, Inc. (Corporate)  
By Edward Gray, Vice President,  
Geo. C. Neigel, Secretary,  
Register of Deeds.

Recorded Oct 25th 1920 -  
Epelle, Posthuys  
Register of Deeds.