

MORTGAGE RECORD 69

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FROM
Frank Watts
TO
Merchants L. & Sav. Bank

STATE OF KANSAS, DOUGLAS COUNTY, ss.
This instrument was filed for record on the 23 day of Dec. A. D. 1926, at 1:00 P.M.
By *Geo E Wellman* Register of Deeds.
Deputy.

THIS INDENTURE, Made this 21th day of December, 1926, between Frank Watts, Lorin Watts and Nellie Watts, his wife, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and twenty six, of Lawrence, in the County of Douglas and State of Kansas, parties of the first part, and Merchants Loan & Savings Bank, of the second part.

WITNESSETH, that the said parties of the first part, in consideration of the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, to them duly paid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, have sold, and by this indenture do Grant, Bargain, Sell and Mortgage to the said party of the second part, to following described real estate situated and being in the County of Douglas and State of Kansas, to-wit:

The south one half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of lot number seventy one (71) on Mass. Street, Lawrence, Kansas,

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 of all good and indefeasible estate of inheritance therein, free and clear of all incumbrances, except on mortgage record payable to The Merchants Loan and Savings Bank for \$1000.00 and that they will warrant and defend the same against all parties making lawful claim therein.

It is agreed between the parties hereto that the parties of the first part shall at all times during the life of this indenture, pay all taxes or assessments that may be levied or assessed against said real estate when the same becomes due and payable, and that they will keep the buildings upon said real estate insured against fire and tornado in such sum and by such insurance company as shall be specified and directed by the party of the second part, the loss, if any, made payable to the party of the second part to the extent of their interest. And in the event that said parties of the first part shall fail to pay such taxes when the same become due and payable and to keep said premises insured as herein provided, then the party of the second part may pay said taxes and insurance, or either, and the amount so paid shall become a part of the indebtedness secured by this indenture, and shall bear interest at the rate of 10% from the date of payment until fully paid.

THIS GRANT is intended as a mortgage to secure the payment of the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, according to the terms of one certain written obligation for the payment of said sum of money, executed on the 21th day of December, 1926, and by its terms made payable to the party of the second part, with all interest accruing thereon according to the terms of said obligation and when he secure any sum or sums of money advanced by the said party of the second part to pay for any insurance or to discharge any taxes with interest thereon as herein provided, in the event that said party of the first part shall fail to pay the same as provided in this indenture.

And this conveyance shall be void if such payment be made as herein specified, and the obligation contained therein fully discharged. If default be made in such payments or any part thereof or any obligation created thereby, or interest thereon, or if the taxes on said real estate are not paid when the same become due and payable, or if the mortgage is not kept up, as provided herein, or if the buildings on said real estate are not kept in as good repair as they are now, or if waste is committed on said premises, then this conveyance shall become absolute and the whole sum remaining unpaid, and all of the obligations provided for in said written obligation, for the security of which this indenture is given, shall immediately mature and become due and payable at the option of the holder hereof, without notice, and it shall be lawful for the said party of the second part to take possession of the said premises and all the improvements thereon in the manner provided by law and to have a receiver appointed to collect the rents and benefits accruing therefrom; and to sell the premises hereby granted, or any part thereof, in the manner provided by law and out of all moneys arising from such sale to retain the amount then unpaid of principal and interest, together with the costs and charges incident thereto, and the surplus, if any there be, shall be paid by the party of the second part making such sale, on demand, to the first party of the first part.

It is agreed by the parties hereto that the terms and provisions of this indenture and each and every obligation therein contained, and all benefits accruing therefrom shall extend and inure to, and be obligatory upon the heirs, executors, administrators, personal representatives, assigns and successors of the respective parties hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties of the first part have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year last above written.

Frank Watts (SEAL)
Lorin Watts (SEAL)
Mrs Nellie Watts (SEAL)

STATE OF Kansas } ss.
COUNTY OF Douglas }

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 21th day of December, A. D. 1926, before me, the undersigned Notary Public in the aforesaid County and State, came Frank Watts, Lorin Watts and Nellie Watts his wife, to me personally known to be the same person, who executed the foregoing 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.

My Commission Expires on the 27th day of January 1927 F.C. Whipple

Notary Public

RELEASE

I, the undersigned owner of the within mortgage, do hereby acknowledge the full payment of the debt secured thereby, and authorize the Register of Deeds to enter the discharge of this mortgage of record. Dated this 24th day of October 1927.

Corp Seal Merchants Loan & Savings Bank
By J. C. Whipple Cashier