

May Swan know all men by these presents

To Whom It May Come That Mr. May Swan & Thomas M. McElman & Charles Swan his wife of the County of Henry and State of Iowa for the consideration of Two hundred & Eighty Dollars hereby Convey to Thomas M. McElman of the same place the following described Real Estate Situate in Madison County State of Iowa to wit The East Half of the South West quarter of section No. thirty (No 30) in Township No. twenty four (No 24) Range No. Twenty Eight

And we warrant the title of the same against all persons whomsoever. In Witness whereof we have hereunto subscribed our names this twenty first day of October A D Eighteen hundred and fifty six

Chas. West
J. P. White

May Swan
Charles Swan

State of Iowa Henry County Sept

Before me the undersigned a Justice of the Peace in and for said County appeared May Swan and Charles Swan and his wife who are personally known to me to be the identical Persons whose names are affixed to the foregoing Deeds as Grantors and acknowledged the same to be their voluntary act and deed given under my hand this 21st day of October A D 1856

Justice of the Peace

Filed May 4th A D 1857 at 2 o'clock P M
J. H. Tidrick
Recorder of said County