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E. H. Venard
To E. Reed
E. B. Lane

Know all men by these presents that we E. H. Venard and Elizabeth L. Venard of the State of Iowa and Madison County for the consideration of nine hundred and fifty dollars do hereby convey unto Elijah B. Lane of the County and State of Iowa the following tract or parcel of land lying in Madison County and known as the North east quarter of the North west quarter of Section No. eighteen and the North west quarter of the North east quarter of Section No. eighteen is with the exception of one acre taken under the North west corner running eight rods South and twenty rods East where to has been added to Elijah Smith; in Township No. (74) N. of Range No. (25) West and the South half of the South East quarter of the North west quarter of Section No. (23) in Township No. (74) North of Range No. (25) containing in all ninety four acres and of more or less and the said E. H. Venard and Elizabeth L. Venard warrant the title against all persons whomsoever in witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seal this 11th day of July A.D. 1857

E. H. Venard
Elizabeth L. Venard

State of Iowa } this day personally appeared before me
Madison County } the undersigned a Justice of the peace in and
for said County E. H. Venard &
Elizabeth L. Venard who being personally known to me to be
the identical persons whose names are signed to the above
deed of conveyance as grantors and acknowledged the same to
their voluntary act and deed for the purposes there in mentioned
in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
seal this 11th day of July A.D. 1857

Filed July 15th at 11 o'clock A.M.
Wm. H. H. H. H. H.