

Deed for Merand Dec 9 1861 at 3 o'clock P.M.
 P. H. Hayth Merand

Rachel Sweetfinger

To

Leah

Leah Schaffer

I know all men by there presents
 That I Rachel Sweetfinger Charles

Sweetfinger of Polk County State of Iowa in consideration
 of the sum of one hundred dollars in hand paid do hereby
 Sell and convey unto Leah Schaffer of Polk County
 and State of Iowa the following described premises to wit
 The East half of the South East quarter of Section 18
 Town 7 in Township No Seventy Six 70 North of Range
 No Twenty Nine 29 West of the Meridian of Iowa con-
 taining eighty acres more or less And we do hereby
 covenant to warrant and defend the said premises
 against the lawful claims of all persons whomsoever
 and the said Signed this 10 day of November A.D. 1861

in presence of
 John Gasper

Rachel Sweetfinger

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State of Iowa } on this 10th day of November AD 1861 before me
Pulaski County } a Notary Public in and for said County personally
came Rachel Sweetfinger personally to me known to be the intestate person
whose name is affixed to the above instrument as grantor and
acknowledged the same to be her voluntary act and deed witness
my hands and Notarial Seal done at Des Moines on the date
last above written

John Jack. Jr.
Notary Public

Filed for Records Dec 10 1861 at 10 o'clock AM

J. H. Hawk Recorder