

# DEED RECORD.

Morgan James & wife } Filed for record the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of March A. D. 1865, at  
 WARRANTY DEED. } 12 o'clock, — M. O A Mouser  
 Thomas Stevens } #84 Recorder, Madison County, Iowa.  
 By \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy.  
Carter, Hussey & Curl, Printers, Des Moines, Iowa.

**Know all Men by these Presents,** That We, Morgan James and  
 Julia A. James, his wife \_\_\_\_\_  
 of Madison County and State of Iowa \_\_\_\_\_ in consideration of the sum of  
Fifteen Hundred \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars, in hand paid, by  
Thomas Stevens of Madison County, and State of  
 Iowa do hereby **Sell and Convey,** unto the said  
Thomas Stevens

the following described premises, situate in the County of Madison, and State of Iowa, to-wit:  
 The North West fourth (1/4) of the South East fourth (1/4), and  
 the West half (1/2) of the North East fourth (1/4) of the South East  
 fourth (1/4) of Section Twenty seven (27) Township Seventy five (75)  
 North; Range Twenty seven (27) West of 5<sup>th</sup> P. M. Iowa.  
 Also Fourteen (14) acres off of the West side of the East half (1/2) of  
 of the South West fourth (1/4) of Section Twenty three (23)  
 Township Seventy five (75) North; Range Twenty seven (27)  
 West, being 136 rods long from the North line of said  
 quarter Section

And We hereby covenant with the said Thomas Stevens \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ that We hold said premises by good  
 and perfect title, that We have good, right, and lawful authority, to sell and convey the same: that  
 they are free, and clear of all liens and incumbrances whatsoever. And We covenant to warrant  
 and defend the said premises against the lawful claims of all persons whomsoever; and the said  
Julia A. James hereby relinquishes her right of dower in and to the above  
 described premises.

Signed this 28<sup>th</sup> day of January A. D. 1865.

IN PRESENCE OF  
Lewis Mayo

Morgan James  
Julia A. James

**STATE OF IOWA,**  
 Madison County.

On this 28<sup>th</sup> day of January A. D. 1865, before me \_\_\_\_\_  
Lewis Mayo a Notary Public  
 within and for said County, personally came Morgan James and  
Julia A. James personally to me  
 known to be the identical persons whose names are affixed to the above Instrument as grantors, and  
 acknowledged the same to be their voluntary act and deed, for the purposes therein expressed.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my official seal.  
 at Winterset on the date last above written.



Lewis Mayo  
 Notary Public

U.S. Rev. St.  
 §2. M. & J. A. J.  
 Jan. 28<sup>th</sup> 1865