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W^m McCracken

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W^m Matthews

This Indenture, Made this Third(3) day
of October in the year of our Lord One
thousand Eight hundred and Sixty seven,

Between William McCracken of the town of Mason, County of Effingham, State of Illinois of the first part, and William Matthews of the town of Mason, County of Effingham and State of Illinois of the second part. — Witnesseth, That the said party of the first part, for and in consideration of the sum of Eight hundred dollars(\$800) in hand paid by the said party of the second part, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, has Granted, Bargained and Sold, and by these presents do Grant, Bargain & Sell, unto the said party of the second part, his heirs and assigns, all the following described lot, piece, or parcel of land, situated in Webster Township in the County of Madison and State of Iowa, to-wit:

The South West fourth($\frac{1}{4}$) of the North West fourth($\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Number Twenty one (21) Township Seventy five (75) North of Range Twenty nine (29) West. —

Also the North West fourth($\frac{1}{4}$) of the North East fourth($\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Number Twenty (20) Township Seventy five (75) North, of Range Twenty nine (29) West, all in the County of Madison and State of Iowa.

Together with all and singular the hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining, and the reversion and reversions, remainder and remainders, rents, issues and profits thereof; and all the estate, right, title, interest, claim and demand whatsoever, of the said party of the first part, either in law or equity, of, in and to the above bargained premises, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; — To have and to hold the said premises above bargained and described, with the appurtenances, unto the said party of the second part, his heirs and assigns forever,

And the said William McCracken party of the first part, hereby expressly waive, release and relinquish unto the said party of the second part, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, all right, title, claim, interest and benefit whatever, in and to the above described premises, and each and every part thereof, which is given by or results from all laws of this State pertaining to the exemption of homesteads.

And the said William McCracken party of the first part, for him and his heirs, executors and administrators, do covenant, grant, bargain and agree to and with the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns, that at the time of the executing and delivery of these presents he was well seized of the premises above conveyed, as of a good, sure, perfect, absolute and indefeasible estate of inheritance in law, and in

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fee simple, and has good right, full power and lawful authority to grant, bargain, sell and convey the same in manner and form aforesaid and that the same are free and clear from all former and other grants, bargains, sales, liens, taxes, assessments and encumbrances, of what kind or nature soever, and the above bargained premises, in the quiet and peaceable possession of the said party of the second part, his heirs and assigns, against all and every person or persons lawfully claiming or to claim the whole or any part thereof, the said party of the first part shall and will **Warrant and Forever defend.** —

In testimony whereof, The said party of the first part has hereunto set his hand and seal the day and year first above written,
Signed, sealed and delivered in presence of

J. M. Long

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Oct 3rd 1867

William McCracken SS

State of Illinois
Effingham County }^{ss} I, Isaac Baker a Notary Public in and
for said County, in the State aforesaid, do hereby
certify that William McCracken personally known to me as the
same personage whose name is subscribed to the annexed Deed,
appeared before me this day in person, and acknowledged that he
signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument in writing as
his free and voluntary act, for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Given under my hand and official seal, this third day of
October A.D. 1867

"I. S."
Isaac Baker N.P.

Filed for Record Feb. 20th 1869, at 9 o'clock A.M.

O. A. Moser Recorder

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania }^{ss} I, John S. Gow, Prothonotary of the Court of
Washington County — Common Pleas in and for said County, which said Court is a
Court of Record, hereby certify that J. B. McGuire Esq, before whom the foregoing acknowledgment
was made and whose signature thereto affixed I believe to be genuine, was at the date
thereof, an acting Justice of the Peace in and for said County, duly commissioned and
qualified and authorized by the laws of this Commonwealth to take acknowledgments &c,
and that full faith and credit are due and ought to be given to all his official acts.

Witness my hand and seal of the said Court at Washington, the 24th day of Feby A.D. 1869,

"J. S."

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John S. Gow Prothonotary