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waived or not at the option of the holder of this mortgage.

In construing this mortgage the words "first party" and "second party" wherever used shall be held to mean the persons named in the preamble as parties hereto.

Dated this 7 day of Nov. 1923.

Paul A. Stricklen.

Signed in the presence of.

State of Oklahoma)
Tulsa County) SS

Before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public, in and for said County and State, on this 7th day of Nov. 1923, personally appeared Paul A. Stricklen, to me known to be the identical person who executed the within and foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same as his free and voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth, representing that the property is not now or never will be claimed as a homestead.

Witness my hand and official seal the day and year last above written.

(SEAL) Laura Stevens, Notary Public.

My commission expires May 14, 1924.

Filed for record in Tulsa County, Okla. on Nov. 9, 1923, at 10:30 A.M. recorded in book 474, page 350, Brady Brown, Deputy.

(SEAL) O.C. Weaver, County Clerk.

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State of Oklahoma)
County of Tulsa) SS

John J. Enos of lawful age, being duly sworn on oath, states that he is and has been for seven years last past personally acquainted with W. T. Whitman and Elizabeth Whitman, grantor and grantee in deed executed February 26, 1917 to lot #16, Block 14, in Orcutt addition to city of Tulsa, Tulsa County, Oklahoma, that said W. T. and Elizabeth Whitman on February 26, 1917, were husband and wife, and are the same persons who executed the deed of November 16, 1917 to said lot unto affiant.

Further affiant saith not.

John J. Enos.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of November, 1923.

(SEAL) A. R. Marr, Notary Public.

My commission expires May 24, 1927.

State of Oklahoma)
County of Tulsa) SS

Before me the undersigned notary public in and for said county and state on this 9th day of November, 1923, personally appeared John J. Enos, personally known to me to be the identical person who executed the within and foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same as his free and voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year above written.

(SEAL) A. R. Marr, Notary Public.

My commission expires May 24, 1927.

Filed for record in Tulsa County, Okla. on Nov. 9, 1923, at 1:30 P.M. recorded in book 474, page 351, Brady Brown, Deputy.

(SEAL) O.C. Weaver, County Clerk.