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This Indenture made this second day of June in the year of Our Lord Eighteen hundred and thirty six witnesseth that James B. Howell of Macoupin County in the State of Illinois for and in consideration of the sum of one dollar to him in hand paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged doth by these presents grant bargain & sell to Ezekiel Pop John Roder & Samuel Lavi County commissioners for the aforesaid County of Macoupin & to their successors in office to the use of the people of the neighborhood where lies a certain piece of ground to be used by them as a continual burying place and a place whereon to keep a house for public worship and school house for the use of said neighborhood described as follows town beginning at the North East corner of the present meeting house and running then a South fourteen poles to a post. Thence West sixteen poles to a post. Thence North fourteen poles to a post and Thence East sixteen poles to the beginning inclusive, be it what it may being in the said County of Macoupin and being a part of the South West 1/4 of the South East 1/4 of Section 30 in Township seven North of Range six west of the 5th principal meridian. To have and to hold the above described grounds with the appurtenances forever to the said County Commissioners and their successors in office for the purposes above expressed and for no other. And the said James B. Howell for himself and for his heirs forever warrant and defend the said grounds with the appurtenances to the said County Commissioners and to their successors in office to the use of the people above named against all claims whatsoever In testimony whereof the said James B. Howell together with Nancy Howell his wife who hereby relinquished her right of Dower to the above granted land hath hereto set their hands and seals the date above written

James B. Howell (seal)
 Nancy Howell (seal)

Signed sealed & delivered
 in the presence of
 Roger Snell
 Levi Dear

State of Illinois
 Macoupin County

Be it known that on the day of the date hereof personally appeared before me the undersigned Justice of the peace in & for the County and State personally known to me to be the same persons named in and who executed the foregoing deed acknowledged that they signed sealed and delivered the same for the use and purposes therein mentioned and the wife of said James B. Howell being by me examined separate from her husband and the contents of the foregoing instrument of writing being

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