

REAL ESTATE CONTRACT

THIS CONTRACT, made this **31st** day of **May**, 1963, between
ROBERT W. BARNES and BLANCHE A. BARNES, his wife, hereinafter called the "seller" and
M. E. GROAT and MARY E. GROAT, husband and wife, hereinafter called the "purchaser,"

WITNESSETH: The seller agrees to sell to the purchaser, and the purchaser agrees to purchase of the
 seller the following described real estate with the appurtenances, situate in **Skamania** County,
 Washington:

That portion of the West Half of the Northwest Quarter (W $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$)
 of Section 21, Township 3 North, Range 8 E. W. M., described as
 follows:

Beginning at a point 2,686.25 feet north of the southwest corner
 of the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$)
 of the said Section 21; thence east 418 feet; thence north 209
 feet; thence west 418 feet; thence south 209 feet to the point
 of beginning.

Free of incumbrances, except: **None.**



On the following terms and conditions: The purchase price is **FIVE THOUSAND** and No/100- - -
 - - - - - (\$5,000.00) dollars, of which
TWO HUNDRED FIFTY and No/100- - - - - (\$250.00) dollars
 has been paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, and the purchaser agrees to pay the balance of said
 purchase price as follows:

The purchasers agree to pay the balance of the purchase price in the sum of Four
 Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty (\$4,750.00) and No/100 Dollars as follows: the sum
 of Forty-Five and No/100 (\$45.00) Dollars, or more, on or before July 1, 1963;
 the sum of Two Hundred Fifty and No/100 (\$250.00) Dollars, or more, on or before
 August 1, 1963; and the remaining balance of the unpaid purchase price in month-
 ly installments of Forty-Five and No/100 (\$45.00) Dollars, or more, commencing
 on the 1st day of September and on the 1st day of each and every month thereafter
 until the full amount of the purchase price together with interest shall have
 been paid. The said monthly installments shall include interest at the rate of
 six per-cent (6%) per annum computed from June 1, 1963, upon the monthly balances
 of the unpaid purchase price, and shall be applied first to interest and then to
 principal. The purchasers reserve the right at any time they are not in default
 under the terms and conditions of this contract to pay any part or all of the un-
 paid purchase price, plus interest, then due.

This contract shall not be assigned without the express written consent of the
 seller, and any purported assignment thereof without such consent shall be null
 and void.

The purchaser agrees: (1) to pay before delinquency all payments of whatsoever nature, required to be
 made upon or by virtue of said mortgage, if any; also all taxes and assessments which are above assumed by
 him, if any, and all which may, as between grantor and grantee, hereafter become a lien on the premises; and
 also all taxes which may hereafter be levied or imposed upon, or by reason of, this contract or the obligation
 thereby evidenced, or any part thereof; (2) to keep the buildings now and hereafter placed upon the premises
 unceasingly insured against loss or damage by fire, to the full insurable value thereof, in the name of the seller
 as owner, in an insurance company satisfactory to the seller for the benefit of the mortgagee, the seller, and the
 purchaser, as their interests may appear, until the purchase price is fully paid, and to deliver to seller the
 insurance policies, renewals, and premium receipts, except such as are required to be delivered to the mortgagee;
 (3) to keep the buildings and all other improvements upon the premises in good repair and not to permit waste;
 and (4) not to use the premises for any illegal purpose.

In the event that the purchaser shall fail to pay before delinquency any taxes or assessments or any pay-
 ments required to be made on account of the mortgage, or to insure the premises as above provided, the seller
 may pay such taxes and assessments, make such payments, and effect such insurance, and the amounts paid
 therefor by him shall be deemed a part of the purchase price and become payable forthwith with interest at the
 rate of 10 per cent per annum until paid, without prejudice to other rights of seller by reason of such failure.

The purchaser agrees to assume all risk of damage to any improvements upon the premises, or of the taking of any part of the property for public use; that no such damage or taking shall constitute a failure of consideration, but in case of such damage or taking, all moneys received by the seller by reason thereof shall be applied as a payment on account of the purchase price of the property, less any sums of money which the seller may be required to expend in procuring such money, or at the election of the seller, to the rebuilding or restoration of such improvements.

The seller agrees, upon receiving full payment of the purchase price and interest in the manner above specified, to execute and deliver to purchaser a warranty deed to the property, excepting such part thereof which may hereafter be condemned, if any, free of incumbrances except those above mentioned, and any that may accrue hereafter through any person other than the seller.

The seller, on full payment of the purchase price, shall procure and deliver, to the purchaser, a title policy in usual form issued by the Puget Sound Title Insurance Company, insuring the purchaser to the full amount of said purchase price against loss or damage occasioned by reason of defect in, or incumbrance against, seller's title to the premises, not assumed by the purchaser, or as to which the conveyance hereunder is not to be subject.

The parties agree: (1) to execute all necessary instruments for the extension of payment or renewal of said mortgage during the period prior to the delivery of said deed, or the termination of purchaser's rights by virtue of the provisions hereof; provided the seller shall not be obligated thereby to assume any personal obligation or to execute any mortgage providing for a deficiency judgment against the seller, or securing a principal indebtedness in excess of that now unpaid on the above mentioned mortgage or bearing an interest rate of more than two per cent greater than that of the original mortgage indebtedness; (2) that the purchaser has made full inspection of the real estate and that no promise, agreement or representation respecting the condition of any building or improvement thereon, or relating to the alteration or repair thereof, or the placing of additional improvements thereon, shall be binding unless the promise, agreement or representation be in writing and made a part of this contract; (3) that the purchaser shall have possession of the real estate on June 1, 1963, and be entitled to retain possession so long as purchaser is not in default in carrying out the terms hereof; and (4) that, upon default, forfeiture may be declared by notice sent by registered mail to the address of the purchaser, or his assigns, last known to the seller.

Time is of the essence hereof, and in the event the purchaser shall fail to comply with or perform any condition or agreement hereof promptly at the time and in the manner herein required, the seller may elect to declare all of the purchaser's rights hereunder terminated, and upon his doing so, all payments made by the purchaser hereunder and all improvements placed upon the premises shall be forfeited to the seller as liquidated damages, and the seller shall have the right to re-enter and take possession of the property; and if the seller within six months after such forfeiture shall commence an action to procure an adjudication of the termination of the purchaser's rights hereunder, the purchaser agrees to pay the expense of searching the title for the purpose of such action, together with all costs and a reasonable attorney's fee.

In Witness Whereof the parties have signed and sealed this contract the day and year first above written.

TRANSACTION EXCISE TAX

23 JUN 4 1963
Amount Paid \$2.00
Michael O'Connell
Skamania County Treasurer
By

Robert W Barnes (Seal)
Blanche A Barnes (Seal)
M. E. Groat (Seal)
Mary E. Groat (Seal)

STATE OF WASHINGTON,
County of Skamania ss.

I, the undersigned, a notary public in and for the state of Washington, hereby certify that on this 31st day of May, 1963,

ROBERT W. BARNES and BLANCHE A. BARNES, husband and wife, to me known to be the individuals described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that they signed and sealed the same as their free and voluntary act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

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

Robert J. Salmons
Notary Public in and for the state of Washington,
residing at Stevenson, Washington.



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THIS SPACE RESERVED FOR RECORDER'S USE:
STATE OF WASHINGTON }
COUNTY OF SKAMANIA } SS

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE WITHIN INSTRUMENT OF WRITING, FILED BY Ruf. Salmons OF Stevenson, Wash. AT 1:35 P.M. June 4 1963 WAS RECORDED IN BOOK 51 OF Records AT PAGE 340 RECORDS OF SKAMANIA COUNTY, WASH.

Frederick O'Neal
COUNTY AUDITOR