MORTGAGE RECORD—V

SKAMANIA COUNTY, WASHINGTON

the day and year first above written.

(Corporate seal affixed)

Northern Pacific Railway Company By Edwin W. Winter, President. Attest: Geo. H. Earl, Assistant Secretary

(Corporate seal affixed)

The Mercantile Trust Company By Louis Fitzgerald, President Attest: E. R. Adee, Secretary

Signed, sealed and delivered on behalf of the Northern Pacific Railway Company in the presence of P. A. Nolan William H. Clarkson Signed, sealed and delivered on behalf of The Mercantile Trust Company in the presence of: P. A. Nolan William H. Clarkson

STATE OF NEW YORK

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I, William H. Clarkson, a Commissioner of Deeds in the State of New York, thereto appointed by the Governor of each of the following States -- to wit, the States of Wisconsin, Minnesota, North Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Washington and Oregon -- for said States respectively, and a Notary Public for the City and County of New York, thereto duly appointed by the Governor of the State of New York, do hereby certify that Edwin W. Winter and George H. Earl, whose names are signed to the foregoing mortgage deed hereto attached, bearing date on the 10th day of November, 1896, as President and Assistant Secretary, respectively, of Northern Pacific Railway Company, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument as mortgagor, with whom I am personally acquainted, and who are to me personally known, and known to me to be the President and Assistant Secretary, respectively, of Northern Pacific Railway Company, the mortgagor therein named, and to be the individuals and identical persons of that name described in and who executed, and whose names are subscribed to, the within and foregoing instrument as President and Assistant Secretary, respectively, of Northern Pacific Railway Company, personally appeared before me, at my office in said County and Corporation aforesaid, and then and there, being informed of the contents of the said instrument, they did on this 10th day of November, 1896, acknowledge the due execution of the within and foregoing mortgage deed on the day the same bears date; and, further, did acknowledge said instrument to be the free act and deed of said corporation, and that they had freely and voluntarily executed, signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as the free and voluntary act and deed of the Northern Pacific Railway Company as aforesaid, for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and contained; and the said Edwin W. Winter and George H. Earl, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that they resided, the said Edwi W. Winter in the City of St. Paul, Minnl, and the said George H. Earl in the City of Jersey City, N. J.; that they are respectively the President and Assistant Secretary of the Northern Pacific Railway Company, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that they knew the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to said instrument was such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said corporation, and that they signed their names thereto by like order.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seals of office as Commissioner of Deeds in and for the several States of Wisconsin, Minnesota, North Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Washington and Oregon, and also as Notary Public in and for the City and County of New York, in the State of New York at my office in said City of New York, this 10th day of

> William H. Clarkson, Commissioner for the State of Wisconsin in New York

(seal affixed)

November, 1896.