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Affidavit

On this the 1st day of December 1906 personally appeared before the undersigned, a Notary Public, for the Western District of Texas, duly commissioned and acting, Scott Gentry, a citizen (I believe) of the District and Ter. aforesaid, and after having been duly sworn deposes and says, that he was well acquainted with Ben Island, a deceased Creek Indian, that he cared for and assisted the said Ben Island during his last illness and removed the said Ben Island to a hospital in Muskogee, Ok. where he died in the month of February in the year nineteen hundred (1900). That he, also knew Dicy, the wife of Ben Island and Homer and Hettie Island, the children of Ben Island and that they are now all dead, and that the family of Andrew or Andy Wiley, of near Wagoner, are the nearest relation of the deceased Ben Island.

Witnesses: P. B. Townsend

G. M. Drake

Scott Gentry.

Subscribed and sworn to before me the date above written.
(Seal) Western Dist. of T.

Howard B. Hughes.
Notary Public.

My Commission Expires Dec. 31, 1908.

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Otha Lorton.

Dep. U. S. Clerk and Ex. Office Rec.