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No. 945.

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John Murray,

To

Power of Attorney.

R. B. Butte,

Know all men by these presents, That I John Murray of the Cherokee Nation have this day made and appointed R. B. Butte of Muskogee Indian Territory my lawful agent and attorney in fact to act for me in my name place and stead in the transaction of the following business, that is to say, to sell, lease, let, rent and otherwise dispose of my lands in the Cherokee Nation which has been allotted to me by the authority of United States Government, which land is described as follows, to-wit: - The E. 1/2 of S. E. 1/4 of N. W. 1/4 and N. W. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 of N. W. 1/4 and N. E. 1/4 of S. W. 1/4 and S. W. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 of N. W. 1/4 and N. E. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 of S. W. 1/4 of Section 19, Township 22, Range 13 East. Containing 90 acres ^{according} to the Government survey. To take personal charge of all my papers of or pertaining to the above described lands; to take charge of all my personal property; to collect all moneys due me and all moneys that may become due me from the United States Government and the Cherokee Nation.

Power is hereby ~~conferred~~ ^{granted} upon R. B. Butte to collect all moneys due on contracts previously entered into by me or by my agent.

The said R. B. Butte by these presents is authorized to sign my name to any and all instruments of writing necessary to the consummation of the business aforesaid and to do and perform any and all acts and things necessary to the accomplishment of the same as I could lawfully do if personally present and acting, and I hereby ratify and confirm all that my said attorney may lawfully do relative to the business aforesaid.

Now the said John Murray by these presents acknowledges himself indebted to the said R. B. Butte for services already rendered as attorney; therefore this Power of Attorney is given to the said R. B. Butte as collateral security for the said indebtedness and all moneys collected and all property acquired both real and personal under this Power of Attorney shall be applied to the said indebtedness.

All former Powers of Attorney relative to said business as intimated to my said agent are hereby revoked and this Power of Attorney is irrevocable.

Given under my hand and seal this 24 day of September 1906.

Witnesses

W. H. Challis

Butte, Butte

Both of Muskogee, D. T.

John Murray.

United States of America, Western Judicial District, Indian Territory, S. S.

On this 24 day of September 1906 before me the undersigned a Notary Public within and for the Western Judicial District appeared in person John Murray to me personally well known as the person whose name appears on the within and foregoing Power of Attorney as the party grantor and stated that he had executed the same for the consideration and purposes therein mentioned and set forth and I do hereby so certify.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and official seal this 24 day of September, 1906.

(Seal) Western Dist, Ind. Ter.

J. E. Wyand

Notary Public

My commission expires the 29th day of April 1909.

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Chas. Lorton

Deputy Clerk and ex-officio Recorder.