

P. D. M.
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Cherokee Nation,

To

William P. Drew,

Allotment Decd 5434 Cherokee Citizen Roll, No. 28667.

The Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.

To all To Whom These Presents Shall Come, Greeting:

Whereas, By the Act of Congress, approved July 1, 1902 (32 Stat, 716), ratified by the Cherokee Nation August 7, 1902, it is provided that there shall be allotted by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, to each citizen of the Cherokee Tribe, land equal in value to one hundred and ten acres of the average allottable lands of the Cherokee Nation, and,

Whereas, It was provided by said Act of Congress that each citizen shall designate or have designated and selected for him, at the time of his selection of allotment, out of his allotment, as a homestead, land equal in value to forty acres of the average allottable lands of the Cherokee Nation, as nearly as may be, for which he shall receive a separate certificate, and,

Whereas, The said Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes has certified that the land hereinafter described has been selected by or on behalf of William P. Drew, a citizen of said tribe, as an allotment, exclusive of land equal in value to forty acres of the average allottable lands of the Cherokee Nation, selected as a Homestead as aforesaid.

Now, Therefore, I, the undersigned Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation, by virtue of the Power and authority vested in me by aforesaid Act of the Congress of the United States, have granted and conveyed, and by these presents do grant and convey unto the said William P. Drew all right, title and interest of the Cherokee Nation, and of all other citizens of said Nation, in and to the following described land, viz: The North East Quarter of the North East Quarter and the North Half of the North West Quarter of the North East Quarter and the South East Quarter of the North West Quarter of the North East Quarter of Section Nine (9), Township Twenty-two (22) North and Range Thirteen (13) East, of the Indian Base and Meridian in Indian Territory, containing Seventy (70) acres, more or less, as the case may be, according to the United States survey thereof, subject, however, to all the provisions of said Act of Congress.

In Witness Whereof, I, the Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation, have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of said Nation to be affixed this 24th day of March A.D. 1905.

W. C. Rogers

Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation

By Appointment of the Nation

Approved Sep-6 1905, 190-

Thomas Ryan, Acting Secretary.

By Oliver W. Phelps, Clerk.

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James Bixby, Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.

By Hal Belford, Clerk

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Oliver Lorton

Deputy Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder.

