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No. 5066.

Allotment Deed.

Creek Freedmen, Roll, no 2785.

The Muskogee (Creek) Nation,
Indian Territory.

To all Whom These Presents shall Come, Greeting;

Whereas, By the Act of Congress approved March 1, 1901 (31 Stat. 861), agreement ratified by the Creek Nation May 28, 1901, it was provided that all lands of the Muskogee (Creek) Tribe of Indians, in Indian Territory, except as therein provided, should be allotted among the citizens of said tribe by the United States Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes so as to give to each an equal share of the whole in value, as nearly as may be and,

Whereas, It was provided by said act of Congress that each citizen shall select, or have selected for him, from his allotment forty acres of land as a homestead for which he shall have a separate deed, and,

Whereas, the said Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes has certified that the land hereinafter described has been selected by or on behalf of Ethel Bruner, a citizen of said tribe, as an allotment, exclusive of a forty-acre homestead, as aforesaid,

Now, Therefore, I, the undersigned, the Principal Chief of the Muskogee (Creek) Nation, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the aforesaid act of the Congress of the United States, have granted and conveyed and by these presents do grant and convey unto the said Ethel Bruner, all right, title and interest of the Muskogee (Creek) Nation and of all other citizens of said nation in and to the following described land, viz: The West Half of the South West Quarter and the North East Quarter of the South West Quarter of Section Twelve (12), Township nineteen (19) North, and Range Twenty-two (22) East, of the Indian Base and Meridian, in Indian Territory, containing One Hundred and Twenty (120) acres, more or less, as the case may be, according to the United States survey thereof, subject, however, to all provisions of said Act of Congress relating to appraisement and valuation and to the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1902 (Public Law 200)

In Witness Whereof, I, the Principal Chief of the Muskogee (Creek) Nation, have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of said Nation to be affixed this 28th day of August, A.D. 1903

P. Porter.

Department of the Interior,
approved Oct 9, 1903, 190

Thomas Ryan, acting secretary,
By Oliver A. Phelps,
Clerk.

Principal Chief of the Muskogee (Creek) Nation.

Great Seal of Muskogee Nation

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Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes,
J. D. Needles, Commissioner.

Filed for record July 1, 1907 at 9 A.M.
Also Enrolled
Deputy U.S. Clerk & ex-Officio Rec.