

IN THE COUNTY COURT WITHIN AND FOR
HUGHES COUNTY, STATE OF OKLAHOMA.

IN RE:

Estate of Jennie Deerhead) Probate No. 5118

D E C R E E

This cause coming onto be heard on this 10th day of January, 1922, one of the regular court days of said court, having previously been assigned for trial for said date, and the petitioners, J. E. Hildt, John F. Hayden and John Pusley, guardian of John Beaver, a minor, and the respondent, B. F. Whitehill, being present by and through their attorneys, John Cordell and Hagan and Gavin, and the respondent, Polly Crayson, nee Beaver, nee Stidham, being present in person, and the respondents, Taylor Bear, John Will and Roda Cato, being present by and through their attorneys Anglin and Stevenson-Turner-Harley and Paris, and the court having examined the petition and the service in said cause, and having found them to be legally sufficient, and having heard the evidence of witnesses, and being fully advised in the premises, finds;

1. That Jennie Deerhead was a duly enrolled full blood citizen of the Creek Nation, being enrolled as such opposite roll number 9989, and that said Jennie Deerhead was duly allotted as her distributive share of ~~the~~ lands of the Creek Nation the following described premises, situate in what is now Tulsa County, State of Oklahoma, to-wit:

Northwest Quarter of northeast Quarter, and North Half of Northwest Quarter, and Northeast quarter of Northeast Quarter of Section twenty-one (21), Township Nineteen (19) North, Range Ten (10) East.

2. That said Jennie Deerhead departed this life intestate, unmarried and without issue, ~~from~~ to statehood, and was at the time of her death a resident of what is now Hughes County, Oklahoma.

3. That the father of said Jennie Deerhead was one Choeka, which is the Creek for Deerhead, and that the mother of said Jennie Deerhead was one Tilda.

4. That said Choeka, the father of said Allottee, departed this life prior to statehood and prior to the death of said Jennie Deerhead, leaving as his sole heirs his wife, Tilda, his daughter Jennie, and a son George Deerhead, enrolled as George Beaver on the Creek Roll opposite roll number 9585.

5. That Tilda, the mother of said allottee, departed this life intestate prior to statehood but subsequent to the death of said Jennie Deerhead, leaving surviving as her sole heir her son said George Deerhead, enrolled George Beaver, opposite said roll number 9585.

6. That subsequent to statehood said George Deerhead or Beaver departed this life intestate, leaving as his sole heirs a widow, Polly Beaver, now known as Polly Crayson, and enrolled on the Creek roll as Polly Stidham opposite roll number 7354, and two minor children, Katy Beaver and John Beaver.

7. That said Katy Beaver, while still a minor and while her brother, John Beaver, was still a minor, departed this life subsequent to statehood and subsequent to the death of her father, leaving as her sole heir her brother, John Beaver, who inherited under subdivision 7, Sec. 8413, Revised Laws of Oklahoma, 1910.

8. That allotment to said Jennie Deerhead was made subsequent to her death and subsequent to statehood, the date of the selection of said allotment being August 26, 1908, and that the descent of said premises was thereafter cast according to the Oklahoma law of descent and distribution.

9. That under the Oklahoma law of descent and distribution, as it was in force on August 26, 1908, the said allotment of said Jennie Deerhead descended equally to her