

pro rata share of Cherokee Indian Lands, the South Half of the Southeast Quarter of Section Thirty-one, Township Twenty North, Range Thirteen East, less 4.75 acres embraced as the right-of-way of the St. L. & S. F. R. R. Company, containing 75.25 acres, more or less, in Tulsa County, Oklahoma.

Affiant further says that the said Canary J. Murphy departed this life on the 14th day of August, 1903, being an infant about two years of age, leaving as her sole and only heirs at law ( see Schulthus vs. McDougal, 56 Law Edition 1205, U. S. Supreme Court decision ) her father, Thomas Murphy and her mother, Amanda Murphy, both Cherokee Indians by blood and each inheriting an undivided one-half interest in and to said lands, according to the decision above referred to.

Affiant further says that the said Canary J. Murphy left at the time of her death two sisters and one brother, namely; Sallie Murphy, aged about fifteen years; Jessie Murphy, aged about eleven years, and Looney Murphy, aged about five years, but that said minors were not heirs to said lands and were not entitled to share in the distribution of the proceeds of the sale of said land, but on account of an error as to the laws of inheritance then in force and effect in the Indian Territory, the interests of said minors were purchased through the United States Court for the Western District of the Indian Territory and were paid the sum of \$8,100.00, which said payment was a clear loss to this affiant and his co-partner in the purchase of said land.

Affiant further says that the said Thomas Murphy and Amanda Murphy conveyed to S. R. Lewis and C. W. Eaton the entire fee of said land, as said grantors were mixed blood Indians and had a good and legal right to convey said land under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved April 26, 1906.

Further affiant sayeth not.

S. R. Lewis

Affiant

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of March, 1923.

My commission expires September 18, 1924

(SEAL)

Chas. W. Wortman, Notary  
public

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By Brady Brown, Deputy

(SEAL)

O. G. Weaver, County Clerk

226257 C. J.

COMPARED

STATE OF OKLAHOMA )  
COUNTY OF TULSA. ) ss.

D. C. Miller, of lawful age, being first duly sworn, upon his oath deposes and says:

That he is personally and well acquainted with Alex Bereolos, whose name appears as one of the grantees in a warranty deed executed by May E. P. Ward, on November 17, 1917, and recorded on November 19, 1917, in book 234, at page 392, in the office of the County Clerk of Tulsa County, Oklahoma, conveying the :

North Half of the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section Seven (7), Township Nineteen (19), North, Range Thirteen (13), East.

And that the said Alex Bereolos is the identical person, whose name appears as Alex G. Bereolos, grantor in a certain warranty deed, executed February 26, 1919, and filed in the office of the County Clerk of Tulsa County, Oklahoma, on February 27, 1919, and recorded in Book 270, at page 38, conveying an undivided one-fourth interest in the ;

North Half of the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section Seven (7), Township Nineteen (19), North, Range Thirteen (13), East.