

United States Court for the Indian Territory in the
Shoshone District thereof.

In the matter of the Guardianship of
Abner S. Otagi, minor, & A. S. Otagi, Guardian;

On the 13th day of October, A. D. 1907, the same being one of
the days of the regular October term of this Court, sitting at Tuba,
in Probate, came on for consideration the report of the Guardian
filed herein, transmitting to the Court an A. S. Otagi mining lease,
executed in Guadalupeville, by A. S. Otagi, as Guardian of the person
and estate of Abner S. Otagi, a minor, to the Tuba Branch Company
a corporation, on the foregoing described tract of the land, be-
ing and being situated in the Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory, south,
of NE^{1/4} of SW^{1/4}, and W^{1/2} of SE^{1/4} of SW^{1/4}, and SW^{1/4} of SE^{1/4} of SW^{1/4}, and
SE^{1/4} of SE^{1/4} of NW^{1/4} of Section 16, Township 20 North, Range
13 East, Containing eighty acres, more or less.

That now comes the Honorable L. M. Catterworth, Probate Commis-
sioner, and files his report recommending the approval of said lease,
which report is examined and approved, and the Court being fully
advised in the premises, gives that the said Guardian has
complied in each and every respect and every detail with the or-
der of this Court heretofore made on the 25th day of June, 1907,
and that the said Guardian duly advised the hearing of said lease,
by publishing notice, as required by the order of said Court, in the
Tuba Daily Herald, of Tuba, I. T., for two successive weeks, the
first publication being on the 18th day of September, 1907, and the
last publication being on the 18th day of September, 1907, and by
further publishing like notice in the Muskogee Phoenix, in the
City of Muskogee, W. T., and the said publication appearing on the
date so above set forth; that the Probate Commissioner, duly
distributed printed slips concerning said notice within
three days after the first publication, to the United States
District Agent at Muskogee, W. T. to the Commissioner to the
Five Civilized Tribes, at Muskogee, W. T., and to the Diplo-
mat of the Indian Territory
The Court further finds that said lease was duly received
pursuant to said notice and that the highest bid
offered therefor was one and ten cents on said lease,
pursuant for the payment to the said Guardian of a