

the Secretary of the Interior; and,

WHEREAS, the said commission has awarded the real estate described hereinbelow to Fred E. Champion, who has paid Sixteen & 50/100 (\$16.60) Dollars, the full amount of the purchase price, into the Treasury of the United States, to the credit of the Muskogee Creek Nation of Indians, with the United States Indian Agent, at Muskogee Indian Territory and is, therefore, entitled to a patent;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, the undersigned, the Principal Chief of the Muskogee (Creek) Nation do,, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the aforesaid act of Congress of the United States, hereby grant, sell and convey unto said Fred E. Champion, heirs and assigns forever, all the right, title and interest of the Muskogee (Creek ) Nation, aforesaid, in and to Lot Numbered 2, in Block Numbered 11, in the Town of Red Fork, Muskogee (Creek) Nation, Indian Territory and according to the plat thereof on file as aforesaid.

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 at the date hereinafter shown. Date December 26th, 1905.

(CREEK NATION SEAL)

P. Porter

Principal Chief of the Muskogee (Creek) Nation.

LRS.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

APPROVED FEB. 20, 1906.

Ethan A. Hitchcock, Secretary.

By Oliver A. Phelps, Clerk.

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Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes.

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By Hal Belford, Clerk.

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H. C. Walkley, Register of Deeds (SEAL)

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THE MUSKOGEE CREEK NATION, INDIAN TERRITORY.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME GREETING:

Whereas, a Townsite commission, hereto fore appointed and acting under the authority of the Act of Congress approved March 1, 1901 (31 Stat. 861), agreement ratified by the Creek Nation May 25, 1901, has appraised the town lots in the town of Red Fork, Muskogee (Creek) Nation, Indian Territory and,

WHEREAS, the plat of said town was approved by the Secretary of the Interior on the 20th, day of February 1902, and was duly placed on file; and,

WHEREAS, the said commission has appraised all of the town lots included in said plat at their true value, excluding improvements, which appraisal has been approved by the Secretary of the Interior; and,

WHEREAS, the said commission has awarded the real estate described hereinbelow to Gertrude T. Champion, who has paid Seventeen & no/100 (\$17.00) Dollars, the full amount of