

THE CHEROKEE NATION, Oklahoma, Formerly Indian Territory.

To All to Whom These Presents Shall Come, Greeting:

WHEREAS, By the Act of Congress approved July 1, 1902 (32 Stat., 716), ratified by the Cherokee Nation, August 7, 1902, it is provided that there shall be allotted by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, to each citizen of the Cherokee Tribe, land equal in value to one hundred and ten acres of the average allottable lands of the Cherokee Nation; and

WHEREAS, It was provided by said Act of Congress that each citizen shall designate, or have designated and selected for him, at the time of his selection of allotment, out of his allotment, as a homestead, land equal in value to forty acres of the average allottable lands of the Cherokee Nation, as nearly as may be, for which he shall receive a separate certificate; and

WHEREAS, The said Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, or its lawful successor, has certified that the land hereinafter described has been selected by or on behalf of Mary Purley, a citizen

of said Tribe, as an allotment, exclusive of land equal in value to forty acres of the average allottable lands of the Cherokee Nation, selected as a homestead as aforesaid;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, the undersigned, Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by aforesaid Act of the Congress of the United States, have granted and conveyed, and by these presents do grant and convey unto the said Mary Purley

all right, title and interest of the Cherokee Nation, and of all other citizens of said Nation, in and to the following-described land, viz.:

The South West quarter of the North East quarter of the North West quarter and the South East ten (10) acres of Lot One (1) of Section Eighteen (18) Township Twenty (20) North and Range Thirteen (13) East and Lots One (1) and two (2) of Section fourteen (14) Township Twenty one (21) North and Range Twelve (12) East and the West six and 80/100 (6.86) acres of Lot three (3) and the East seven (7) acres of Lot three (3) less 14/100 (.14) acres occupied as right of way by the Midland Tenny Rail way of Section One (1) Township Nineteen (19) North and Range Twelve (12) East, and the South East quarter of the North West quarter of the North East quarter of Section thirty-two (32) and the North West quarter of the North East quarter of the South East quarter of Section Twenty nine (29) Township Twenty one (21) North and Range Twenty four (24) East. Sixty eight and 8/100 (68.08) acres, more or less, as the case may be, according to the United States survey thereof; subject, however, to all the provisions of said Act of Congress.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, the Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation, have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of said Nation to be affixed this 19th day of August, 1907.

Approved: James Rudolph S. Field Secretary.

By Oliver A. Phelps Clerk.

This instrument was filed for record on the 26th day of May, 1907.

and duly recorded the 19th day of May, 1907.

By W. C. Rogers Deputy.

Filed for record on the 24th day of Sept. 1907, at 2:45 p.m. Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation.

and recorded in Book 2, page 516. W. C. Rogers Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation.

Clerk: W. C. Rogers By W. C. Rogers Deputy.

A. D. 1907, at 11:30 o'clock, A. M.

By W. C. Rogers Deputy.

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WHEREAS, By the Act of Congress approved July 1, 1902 (32 Stat., 716), ratified by the Cherokee Nation, August 7, 1902, it is provided that there shall be allotted by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, to each citizen of the Cherokee Tribe, land equal in value to one hundred and ten acres of the average allottable lands of the Cherokee Nation; and

WHEREAS, It was provided by said Act of Congress that each citizen shall designate, or have designated and selected for him, at the time of his selection of allotment, out of his allotment, as a homestead, land equal in value to forty acres of the average allottable lands of the Cherokee Nation, as nearly as may be, for which he shall receive a separate certificate; and

WHEREAS, The said Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, or its lawful successor, has certified that the land hereinafter described has been selected by or on behalf of Thomas B. Ross, a citizen

of said Tribe, as an allotment, exclusive of land equal in value to forty acres of the average allottable lands of the Cherokee Nation, selected as a homestead as aforesaid;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, the undersigned, Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by aforesaid Act of the Congress of the United States, have granted and conveyed, and by these presents do grant and convey unto the said Thomas B. Ross

all right, title and interest of the Cherokee Nation, and of all other citizens of said Nation, in and to the following-described land, viz.:

The South East quarter of the North West quarter and the South East quarter of the North West quarter of the South West quarter of Section One (1) Township Twenty two (22) North and Range Thirteen (13) East and the South West quarter of the South East quarter of North West quarter of Section Nine (9) Township Twenty (20) North and Range Twenty two (22) East.

of the Indian Base and Meridian in Oklahoma—Indian Territory, containing Sixty (60) acres, more or less, as the case may be, according to the United States survey thereof; subject, however, to all the provisions of said Act of Congress.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, the Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation, have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of said Nation to be affixed this 6th day of Dec. 1906.

Approved: James Rudolph S. Field Secretary.

By Oliver A. Phelps Clerk.

This instrument was filed for record on the 16th day of Dec. 1906.

and duly recorded the 19th day of Dec. 1906.

By W. C. Rogers Deputy.

Filed for record on the 7th day of May, 1907, at 2:45 p.m. Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation.

and recorded in Book 2, page 122. W. C. Rogers Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation.

Clerk: W. C. Rogers By W. C. Rogers Deputy.

A. D. 1907, at 4:45 o'clock, P. M.

By W. C. Rogers Deputy.