

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., 710), ratified by the Cherokee Nation, August 7, 1902, it was provided that there should be allotted by the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, to each citizen of the Cherokee Nation, 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 member of said tribe shall, at the time of the selection of his allotment, designate, or have selected and designated for him, from his allotment, land equal in value to forty acres of the average allottable lands of the Cherokee Nation, as nearly as may be, as a homestead, for which separate certificate shall issue; 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 *Luella Palmer*

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

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 northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter and the south half of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section nine (9) Township twenty one (21) north and Range thirteen (13) east

of the Indian Base and Meridian, in Oklahoma—Indian Territory, containing

acres, more or less, as the case may be, according to the United States survey thereof, subject, however, to the conditions provided by said Act of Congress pertaining to allotted homesteads.

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

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

Approved,

James Rudolph Garfield Secretary,
Oliver A. Phelps Clerk.

This instrument was filed for record on the *24* day of *Jan* 19*11*, at *1* o'clock *P.*M., and duly recorded the *24* day of *Jan* 19*11*.

By *W. C. Rogers* Deputy, *W. C. Rogers* Register of Deeds.

Homestead Deed No. *12444*

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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 *Dave Hicks*

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

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 Southeast quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section seven (7) Township Twenty one (21) north and Range Fourteen (14) East

of the Indian Base and Meridian, in Oklahoma—Indian Territory, containing

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

Approved,

Thomas Ryan Secretary,
Oliver A. Phelps Clerk.

This instrument was filed for record on the *6* day of *Feb* 19*11*, at *1:30* o'clock *P.*M., and duly recorded the *6* day of *Feb* 19*11*.

By *H. B. Walker* Deputy, *H. B. Walker* Register of Deeds.

COMPARED

Filed for record on the *24* day of *Jan* 19*11*, at *1* o'clock *P.*M., and recorded in Book *20* page *173*.
James Rudolph Garfield
Oliver A. Phelps
W. C. Rogers
H. B. Walker