

majority conferred upon the said Joseph Langley, a minor, and it appearing to the Court that due and legal notice of this application has been given by publication for two consecutive weeks prior to presenting this application, in a news paper printed in said County and State; and the Court having heard evidence in open court, finds that the said is of the age of 19 years; that he is of sound mind, fully able and competent to make an oil and gas mining lease on the lands of said petitioner mentioned and described in said petition; that the lands of said petitioner is located in the oil and gas belt, or zone of the Cherokee Nation, and that by reason of the development for oil and gas near the land of said petitioner, the oil and gas underlying the lands of said petitioner is being drained from under the lands of said petitioner to the material injury of said petitioner; that owing to the age of the petitioner herein he is unable to lease the same by, guardian.

That the interests of said petitioner will be materially promoted by granting the prayer of said petitioner.

That Joseph Langley has been an actual bonafide resident of this State one year next preceeding the filing of said petition and is at present a resident of Adair County, Oklahoma.

It is therefore, ordered, adjudged and decreed by this Court, in pursuance of the authority conferred by section 3833 of the Statute of 1903, that the right of majority concerning the execution and delivery of an oil and gas mining lease on the lands of said petitioner mentioned and described in said petition be and the same are hereby conferred upon said Joseph Langley, and said Joseph Langley is hereby authorized and empowered to execute and deliver an oil and gas mining lease on the lands described in the petition with the same effect as if such oil and gas mining lease was executed by a person over the age of majority.

(Signed) Jno. H. King, Judge of the District Court.

CERTIFICATE OF TRUE COPY.

STATE OF OKLAHOMA)

ADAIR COUNTY (S.S.

I, W. F. Langley, Clerk of the District Court in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify the above and foregoing to be a full true, and complete copy of the order of the Court conferring majority rights on Joseph Langley as the same appears on file and of record in my office.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court this 4th day of November 1909.

(seal)

W.F. Langley, District Clerk

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

STATE OF OKLAHOMA)

COUNTY OF ADAIR) SS IN DISTRICT COURT OF ADAIR COUNTY OKLAHOMA.
In the matter of application of Lock)
Langley, a minor for rights of)
majority.)

This matter came on to be heard before me, John H. King, Judge of the District Court in and for Adair County, Oklahoma, this the 20th day of October, 1909, upon the petition of Lock Langley, by his next friend, S.J. Langley, to have the rights of majority conferred upon the said Lock Langley, a minor, and it appearing to the court that due and legal notice of this application has been given by publication for two consecutive weeks prior to presenting this application, in a newspaper printed in said county and State; and