

oil inpaying quantity as is herein required of it and such effort is unsuccessful, it may at any time thereafter, with the approval of the Secretary of the Interior surrender and wholly terminate this lease upon the full payment and performance of all its then existing obligations hereunder: Provided, however, that approval of such surrender by the Secretary will be required only during the time his approval of the alienation of the land is required by law.

It is further, agreed and understood that this lease shall be of no force or effect unless the party of the second part, shall within sixty days from the date of approval of the application filed in connection herewith, furnish a satisfactory bond in accordance with the regulations of May 4, 1903, prescribed by the Secretary of the Interior, which shall be deposited and remain on file in the Indian Office during the life of this lease.

In witness whereof, the said parties have hereunto subscribed their names and affixed their seals on the day and year first above mentioned.

Dennis Craft,

(Sticker Seal)

The Continental Oil and Refining Co. (Sticker Seal)

By Randell Foster Pres.

Attest: T E Beal, Secretary.

Two witnesses to execution by lessor.
Thomas D. Taylor, P.O. Collinsville, I.T.
Edwin L. Foster, P.O. Independence Kas.

Two witnesses to execution by lessee.
Thomas D. Taylor, P.O. Collinsville, I.T.
Edwin L. Foster, P.O. Independence, Kas.

PROOF OF LEASING BY SUBSCRIBING WITNESSES.

United States of America, Indian Territory, Northern judicial District SS.

On this 8th day of July A.D. 1904, before me a Notary Public within and for the Northern District of the Indian Territory, personally appeared Thomas D. Taylor of Collinsville Indian Territory and Edwin L. Foster, of Independence, Kansas, who being first duly sworn according to law, stated each for himself that he saw Dennis Craft, of Tahlequah, Indian Territory, lessor, in the foregoing oil and gas Mining Lease subscribe and execute the said mining lease on the day of its date, that the said mining lease was read over and explained in their presence to the said lessor, who stated that he understood and approved the same and acknowledged that he had subscribed and executed said Mining Lease for the uses, purposes, and considerations therein expressed.

Thomas D. Taylor

Edwin L. Foster.

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 8th day of July A.D. 1904.

And I do hereby further certify that I am acquainted with the said Thomas D. Taylor and Edwin L. Foster, the subscribing witnesses to the above and foregoing Mining lease and that said witnesses are reputable persons and entitled to full faith and credit.

(seal)

O.E. Drake, Notary Public.

My commission expires on the 17th day of May 1908.

Department of the Interior, U.S. Indian Service, Union Agency, Muskogee, I.T.
Apr. 2, 1907.

The within lease is forwarded to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs with recommendation that it be approved. See my report of even date.

Bana H. Kelsey, U.S. Indian Agent.