

Final Certificate No. 306
Homestead Application No. 18589

LAND OFFICE

AT

Lawton, Oklahoma

August 15, 1906
Sec. 11, Town. 11, N. 25, W. Range

Proof received July 26, 1906 and held for affidavit as to name. August 11, 1906 showing filed and held for time to consider.

Approved August 15, 1906.

H. D. McKnight
REGISTER

TRANSMITTED

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REGISTER & RECEIVER

m. K. G.

Approved March 15, 1907
B. B., Clerk,
Division "C"
Patented May 13, 1907
Recorded, Vol. 189, page 488

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Application No. 18589

HOMESTEAD.

Land Office at OKLAHOMA CITY, O. T.

I, Thomas B. Gleaves, of Kearney, O., Dec 18, 1900

, do hereby apply to enter, under Section 2289,

Revised Statutes of the United States, the NE 1/4 NW 1/4 NW 1/4 SW 1/4

of Section 11, in Township 11 N of

Range 25 W, containing 160 acres.

\$ 14.00

Thomas B. Gleaves

Land Office at OKLAHOMA CITY, O. T.

I, Armon J. Price, Dec 18, 1900
REGISTER OF THE LAND OFFICE,

do hereby certify that the above application is for Surveyed Lands of the class which the applicant is legally entitled to enter under Section 2289, Revised Statutes of the United States, and that there is no prior valid adverse right to the same.

Armon J. Price
Register.

(4-007.)

No. 18589

HOMESTEAD APPLICATION.

Thomas B. Gleason
Hannah A. G.
Dec 18, 1900

Section 11, Town 112, Range 20-71

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Final Receiver's Receipt No. 306Application No. 18589

HOMESTEAD.

Receiver's Office, LAWTON, OKLA.Aug. 15, 1906Received of Thomas B. Gleaves the sum
of four dollars _____ cents,

being the balance of payment required by law for the entry of _____

NE 1/4, NW 1/4, N 1/2, NW 1/4, & NW 1/4, SW 1/4of Section 11 in Township 11 N of Range 25 W,
containing 160 acres, under Section 2291 of the

Revised Statutes of the United States.

A. Maxwell
Receiver.\$ 1.25 Testimony fee received. Number of written words, 833Rate per 100 words 15 cents.

RECEIVER'S RECEIPT, No. 18589APPLICATION, No. 18589

HOMESTEAD.

Receiver's Office, _____

JUN 1 2 1900

Received of Thomas B. Gleaves the sum
 of Twenty dollars _____ cents;

being the amount of fee and compensation of Register and Receiver for the

entry of

NE 1/4, NW 1/4 and
NW 1/4 of Section 11 in
 Township 11 N of Range 25 W, under

Section No. 2290, Revised Statutes of the United States.

\$ 14

Arthur T. Gleaves
 Receiver.

160 acres

NOTE.—It is required of the homestead settler that he shall reside upon and cultivate the land embraced in his homestead entry for a period of five years from the time of filing the affidavit, being also the date of entry. An abandonment of the land for more than six months works a forfeiture of the claim. Further, within two years from the expiration of the said five years he must file proof of his actual settlement and cultivation, failing to do which, his entry will be canceled. If the settler does not wish to remain five years on his tract, he can, at any time after fourteen months, pay for it with cash or land warrants, upon making proof of settlement and of residence and cultivation from date of filing affidavit to the time of payment.

Harrah

Timber land embraced in a homestead or other entry not consummated may be cleared in order to cultivate the land and improve the premises, but for no other purpose. If, after clearing the land for cultivation, there remains more timber than is required for improvement, there is no objection to its being sold for any purpose. If the timber is sold, the proceeds shall be used for the recovery of the value of said timber, and also to erect a post-and-rail fence around the premises, and also to erect a post-and-rail fence around the premises, and also to erect a post-and-rail fence around the premises.

AFFIDAVIT.

Land Office at OKLAHOMA CITY, O. T.

I, Thomas B. Gleaves, of Karrak O. T., applying
to enter (or file for) a homestead, do solemnly swear that I did not enter upon and occupy
any portion of the lands described and declared open to entry in the President's procla-
mation dated April 12, 1892, prior to 12 o'clock, noon, of April 22, 1892.

Thomas B. Gleaves

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 18 day of Dec, 1900.

Reginald Price
Reg.

NOTE.—This affidavit must be made before the register or receiver of the proper district land office, or before some officer authorized to administer oaths and using a seal.

HOMESTEAD AFFIDAVIT.

U. S. Land Office at OKLAHOMA CITY, O. T.

I, Thomas B. Gleaves, Dec 18, 1900

having filed my application No. 18589, for an entry under section 2289, Revised Statutes of the

United States, do solemnly swear that I am not the proprietor of ~~more than~~ one hundred and sixty acres

of land in any State or Territory; that I am * a native born citizen

of the United States and the head of a

family

that my said application is honestly and in good faith made for the purpose of actual settlement and cultivation, and not for the benefit of any other person, persons, or corporation, and that I will faithfully and honestly endeavor to comply with all the requirements of law as to settlement, residence, and cultivation necessary to acquire title to the land applied for; that I am not acting as agent of any person, corporation, or syndicate in making such entry, nor in collusion with any person, corporation, or syndicate to give them the benefit of the land entered, or any part thereof, or the timber thereon; that I do not apply to enter the same for the purpose of speculation, but in good faith to obtain a home for myself, and that I have not directly or indirectly made, and will not make, any agreement or contract in any way or manner, with any person or persons, corporation, or syndicate whatsoever, by which the title which I might acquire from the Government of the United States should inure, in whole or in part, to the benefit of any person except myself, and further, that since August 30, 1890, I have not entered under the land laws of the United States, or filed upon, a quantity of land, agricultural in character, and not mineral, which, with the tracts now applied for, would make ~~more than~~ three hundred and twenty acres, ~~except~~

and that I have not heretofore made any entry under the homestead laws, ~~except~~

(Sign plainly with full christian name.) Thomas B. Gleaves

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 18 day of Dec, 1900, at my
office at OKLAHOMA CITY, O. T. in County,

Seamus O'Brien
Reg.

* Here insert statement that affiant is a citizen of the United States, or that he has filed his declaration of intention to become such, and that he is the head of a family, or is over twenty-one years of age, as the case may be. It should be stated whether applicant is *native-born* or not, and if not, a certified copy of his certificate of naturalization, or declaration of intention, as the case may be, must be furnished. (See page 45, circular of January 1, 1889.)

NO. 1--HOMESTEAD.

Land Office at Mangum, Okla.

April 23 1906

I, Thomas B. Gleaves, of Grimes, Okla.who made Homestead Application No. 18589 for theNE 1/4 NW 1/4 NW 1/4 NW 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec 11 Twp 11 N Range 25 E

do hereby give notice of my intention to make final proof to establish my claim to the land above described, and

that I expect to prove my residence and cultivation before H. A. RUSSELL, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Sayre,

Okla., on July 21st, 1906, by two of the following witnesses:John Steverson, ofRobert A. Ross, ofCharlie Young, ofWilliam M. Thompson, of Grimes, Okla.Thomas B. Gleaves

(Signature of Claimant.)

Land Office at Mangum, Okla.,

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Notice of the above application will be published in THE SAYRE HEADLIGHT, printed at Sayre, Roger Mills county, Okla., which I hereby designate as the newspaper published nearest the land described in said application.

H. M. Knight
Register.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANT.—Give time and place of proving up and name the title of the officer before whom proof is to be made; also give names and postoffice address of four neighbors, two of whom must appear as your witnesses.

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CERTIFICATE AS TO POSTING OF NOTICE.

Department of the Interior,

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,

At Lawton, Okla.

JUL 30 1906

H. D. McKNIGHT, 190

I, _____, Register, do hereby

certify that a notice, a printed copy of which is hereto attached, was by me

posted in a conspicuous place in my office for a period of thirty days, I having

first posted said notice on the 12 day of June, 1906

H D McKnight
Register.

Department of the Interior,

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,

Lawton, Oklahoma, July 30, 1906.

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Thomas B. Gleaves,

Grimes, Oklahoma.

SIR:

On December 18, 1900 you made H. E. No. 18589 for the
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, W $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ & NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec 11, T. 11, N.R. 25, W.I.M. as Thomas B.
Gleaves
and on July 24, 1906 submitted final proof before
Commissioner Russell at Sayre as Thomas B. Gleaves

Your name as signed to the papers ~~is illegible~~ (is signed in various ways) so that
it is impossible to determine the correct name in which to issue the final certificate
and receipt. You will please forward to this office at once an affidavit showing the
correct spelling of your name. **togetherwith a new final affidavit.**

Very respectfully,


Register

REC'D BY MAIL AUG 11 1906...190
AT 9:00 A.M.

4-070.

W.D.M. Knight
REGISTER

HOMESTEAD PROOF.

FINAL AFFIDAVIT REQUIRED OF HOMESTEAD CLAIMANTS.

Section 2291 of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

I, Thomas B. Gleaves, having made a Homestead entry
of the N¹E¹W¹W²NW¹ & NW¹SW¹ Section No. 11
in Township No. 11th of Range No. 25 W 2 N, subject to entry at
Lawton Okla under section No. 2289 of the Revised Statutes
of the United States, do now apply to perfect my claim thereto by virtue of section No. 2291 of the
Revised Statutes of the United States; and for that purpose do solemnly Swear that
I am a citizen of the United States; that I have made actual settlement upon and have cultivated said
land, having resided thereon since the 11th day of April, 1901,
to the present time; that no part of said land has been alienated, except as provided in section 2288
of the Revised Statutes, but that I am the sole *bona fide* owner as an actual settler; that I will bear true
allegiance to the Government of the United States; and further, that I have not heretofore perfected
or abandoned an entry made under the homestead laws of the United States.

Thomas B. Gleaves

I, H. A. Russell U.S. Commissioner, of the Land Office at
Bayre Okla, do hereby certify that the above affidavit was subscribed
and sworn to before me this 9 day of August, 1906

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H. A. Russell
U.S. Commissioner
Bayre Indian Territory

FINAL HOMESTEAD AFFIDAVIT.

UNDER SECTION 2291, R. S.

Application No.

Final Certificate No.

Land Office at

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Publishers Affidavit.

Roger Mills County, }
Territory of Oklahoma } ss.

I W.C. Fisher publisher of THE SAYRE HEADLIGHT
a legal weekly newspaper published at Sayre, Roger Mills Co. Oklahoma
Territory, do solemnly swear that a true copy as hereto attached, was
published 6 consecutive weeks for the entire edition for general circu-
lation and not in any supplement; the date of first publication was on the
14 day of June 1906 and the last publication was on the 19
of July 1906, a copy of which is hereto attached, and received
fees for same.

W.C. Fisher

Publisher of THE SAYRE HEADLIGHT.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of July A. D. 1906

H. A. Russell

U. S. Commissioner, 2nd. Judicial District of Oklahoma.

1st pub June 14, last pub July 19, 1906
Notice for Publication.
Department of the Interior, Land Of-
fice at Lawton, Okla., June 12, 1906
Notice is hereby given that the fol-
lowing named settler has filed notice
of his intention to make final proof in
support of his claim, and that said
proof will be made before H. A.
Russell, U S Commissioner, at his
office at Sayre, Oklahoma, on July 24,
1906, viz:
Thomas B. Gleaves, of Grimes, Okla.,
for the ne4 nw4 and w2 nw4 and nw4
sw4, Sec 11, twp 11n, range 25w.
He names the following witnesses to
prove his continuous residence upon
and cultivation of said land, viz.
John Stevenson, Robert A. Ross,
Charlie Young, William M. Thompson,
all of Grimes, Oklahoma.
H. D. McKnight, Register.

IN THE OFFICE OF
UNITED STATES COMMISSIONER,
FOR ROGER MILLS COUNTY, OKLA.

At Sayre, Oklahoma, in the matter of final proof of Thomas B. Gleave
I, H. A. Russell, U. S. Commissioner in and for the 2nd Judicial District of Oklahoma Territory,
do hereby certify, that there was no protest against the testimony of Thomas B. Gleave
.....or any of his witnesses; which testimony was offered in support of Homestead
Entry No. 18589 at my office in Sayre, Oklahoma Territory, on the 24 day of July 1904.
In testimony Whereas, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the United States Com-
missioner, this 24 day of July A. D. 1904

H. A. Russell
United States Commissioner, 2nd Judicial District,
Oklahoma Territory.

See note in red ink, which Registers and Receivers will read and EXPLAIN THOROUGHLY to person making application for lands where the affidavit is made before either of them.

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Receiver's Duplicate Receipt No. 18589

Application No. 18589

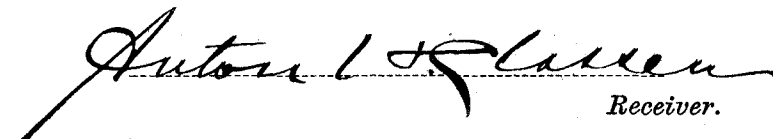
HOMESTEAD.

Receiver's Office, _____

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Received of Thomas B. Gleaves the sum
of Fourteen dollars _____ cents;

being the amount of fee and compensation of register and receiver for the
entry of NE 1/4 NW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 11 in
Township 11 N of Range 25 W, under
Section 2290, Revised Statutes of the United States.


Receiver.
160 acres

NOTE.—It is required of the homestead settler that he shall reside upon and cultivate the land embraced in his homestead entry for a period of five years from the time of filing the affidavit, being also the date of entry. An abandonment of the land for more than six months works a forfeiture of the claim. Further, within two years from the expiration of the said five years he must file proof of his actual settlement and cultivation, failing to do which, his entry will be canceled. If the settler does not wish to remain five years on his tract he can, at any time after fourteen months, pay for it with cash or land-warrants, upon making proof of settlement and cultivation from date of filing affidavit to the time of payment.

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Timber land embraced in a homestead or other entry not consummated, may be cleared in order to cultivate the land and improve the premises, but for no other purpose. If, after clearing the land for cultivation, there remains more timber than is required for improvement, there is no objection to the settler disposing of the same. But the question whether the land is being cleared of its timber for cultivation purposes is to be decided by the Register or Receiver, and the person who cut it will be liable to civil suit for recovery of the value of said timber, and also to criminal prosecution under Section 2461 of the Revised Statutes.

HOMESTEAD PROOF--TESTIMONY OF WITNESS.

Charlie Young, being called as witness in support of the Homestead entry of Thomas B. Gleason for NW 1/4 Sec 11 Twp 11 N Range 25 E 2d testifies as follows:

Ques. 1.—What is your name, age, and post-office address?

Ans. Charlie Young 33 years old P.O. Finney Ore.

Ques. 2.—Are you well acquainted with the claimant in this case and the land embraced in his claim?

Ans. Yes

Ques. 3.—Is said tract within the limits of an incorporated town or selected site of a city or town, or used in any way for trade or business?

Ans. No

Ques. 4.—State specifically the character of this land—whether it is timber, prairie, grazing, farming, coal, or mineral land.

Ans. Mixed Soil Growing & Farming

Ques. 5.—When did claimant settle upon the homestead, and at what date did he establish actual residence thereon?

Ans. in April 1901 Established residence at the same time

Ques. 6.—Have claimant and family resided continuously on the homestead since first establishing residence thereon? (If settler is unmarried, state the fact.)

Ans. Claimant Family have resided on the land continuously since April 1901

Ques. 7.—For what period or periods has the settler been absent from the land since making settlement, and for what purpose; and if temporarily absent, did claimant's family reside upon and cultivate the land during such absence?

Ans. They have never been absent

Ques. 8.—How much of the homestead has the settler cultivated, and for how many seasons did he raise crops thereon? If used for grazing only, describe fencing, state number and kind of stock grazed and by whom owned.

Ans. 50 or 60 acres raised crops 6 seasons

Ques. 9.—What improvements are on the land, and what is their value?

Ans. House Stable feed lots Orchard Pasture fenced Value \$300.00

Ques. 10.—Are there any indications of coal, salines, or minerals of any kind on the homestead? (If so describe what they are, and state whether the land is more valuable for agricultural than for mineral purposes.)

Ans. No more valuable for agriculture

Ques. 11.—Has the claimant mortgaged, sold or contracted to sell, any portion of said homestead?

Ans. Not to my knowledge

Ques. 12.—Are you interested in this claim; and do you think the settler has acted in entire good faith in perfecting this entry?

Ans. No I think he is in good faith I do not know any

(Sign plainly with full christian name.) Charlie Young

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing testimony was read to the witness before being subscribed and was sworn to before me this 27 day of July, 1906, at my office at Bayre in R. G. Mills County, Ore.

[SEE NOTE ON FOURTH PAGE.]

(The testimony of witnesses must be taken at the same time and place and before the same officer as claimant's final affidavit. The answers must be full and complete to each and every question asked, and officers taking testimony will be expected to make no mistakes in dates, description of land, or otherwise.)

HOMESTEAD PROOF---TESTIMONY OF WITNESS.

entry of William M. Thompson for Thomas B. Cleaves being called as witness in support of the Homestead entry of Thomas B. Cleaves for NE 1/4 NW 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec 11 Testifies as follows:

Ques. 1.—What is your name, age, and post-office address?

Ans. William, re Thompson 39 year old PO, Gaines 57

Ques. 2.—Are you well acquainted with the claimant in this case and the land embraced in his claim?

Ans. 2/10

Ques. 3.—Is said tract within the limits of an incorporated town or selected site of a city or town, or used in any way for trade or business?

Ans.

Ques. 4.—State specifically the character of this land—whether it is timber, prairie, grazing, farming, coal, or mineral land.

Ans. Mixed Soil Glazing & Hammering

Ques. 5.—When did claimant settle upon the homestead, and at what date did he establish actual residence thereon?

Ans. in April 1901 Established residence at the same time

Ques. 6.—Have claimant and family resided continuously on the homestead since first establishing residence thereon? (If settler is unmarried, state the fact.)

Ans. Clayton family have resided on the land
continuously since April 1901

Ques. 7.—For what period or periods has the settler been absent from the land since making settlement, and for what purpose; and if temporarily absent, did claimant's family reside upon and cultivate the land during such absence?

Ans. They have never been absent

Ques. 8.—How much of the homestead has the settler cultivated, and for how many seasons did he raise crops thereon? If used for grazing only, describe fencing, state number and kind of stock grazed and by whom owned.

Ans. 60 or 70 acres raised crops 6 seasons

Ques. 9.—What improvements are on the land, and what is their value?

Ans. Horse Stable Orchard feed lots Pasture
General Value \$200.00

Ques. 10.—Are there any indications of coal, salines, or minerals of any kind on the homestead? (If so describe what they are, and state whether the land is more valuable for agricultural than for mineral purposes.)

Ans. No, more valuable for agricultural use.

Ques. 11. — Has the claimant mortgaged, sold or contracted to sell, any portion of said homestead?

Ans. *no*

Ques. 12.—Are you interested in this claim; and do you think the settler has acted in entire good faith in perfecting this entry? *No, I think he is in good faith I do not*

Ans. Know very testimony, for it is the
is case (Sign plainly with full christian name.) William M Thompson

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing testimony was read to the witness before being subscribed and was sworn to before me this 27 day of July, 1904, at my office at Bayne in Roger Mills County, W. Va.

[SEE NOTE ON FOURTH PAGE.]

(The testimony of witnesses must be taken at the same time and place and before the same officer as claimant's final affidavit. The answers must be full and complete to each and every question asked, and officers taking testimony will be expected to make no mistakes in dates, description of land, or otherwise.)

HOMESTEAD PROOF—TESTIMONY OF CLAIMANT.

Thomas B Gleaves, being called as a witness in his own behalf in support of homestead entry, No. 18589, for N²E¹W¹W¹W¹W¹SW¹Sec 11 Twp 11²R²Range 25²W testifies as follows:

Ques. 1.—What is your name, age and post-office address?

Ans. Thomas B Gleaves 75 years old P.O. Grimes Ark

Ques. 2.—Are you a native-born citizen of the United States, and if so, in what State or Territory were you born?*

Ans. Yes Tennessee

Ques. 3.—Are you the identical person who made homestead entry, No. 18589, at the

Oklahoma land office on the 18 day of Dec, 1900, and what is the true description of the land now claimed by you?

Ans. Yes

N²E¹W¹W¹W¹W¹SW¹Sec 11 Twp 11²R²Range 25²W

Ques. 4.—When was your house built on the land and when did you establish actual residence therein? (Describe said house and other improvements which you have placed on the land giving total value thereof.)

Ans. April 11th 1901 Established residence at the same time House 14x18 2 story Orchard Stables Pasture fenced Value \$2500

Ques. 5.—Of whom does your family consist; and have you and your family resided continuously on the land since first establishing residence thereon? (If unmarried, state the fact.)

Ans. Wife & one child and we have resided on the land continuously since April 11-1901

Ques. 6.—For what period or periods have you been absent from the homestead since making settlement, and for what purpose; and if temporarily absent, did your family reside upon and cultivate the land during such absence?

Ans. We have never been absent

Ques. 7.—How much of the land have you cultivated each season, and for how many seasons have you raised crops thereon? If used for grazing only, describe fencing, state number and kind of stock grazed and by whom owned.

Ans. 10 acres 1901-20-1902-30-1903-40-1904-50-1905-60-1906

Ques. 8.—Is your present claim within the limits of an incorporated town or selected site of a city or town, or used in any way for trade and business?

Ans. No

Ques. 9.—What is the character of the land? Is it timber, mountainous, prairie, grazing or ordinary agricultural land? State its kind and quality, and for what purpose it is most valuable.

Ans. Mixed Soil Grazing & Farming

Ques. 10.—Are there any indications of coal, salines, or minerals of any kind on the land? (If so, describe what they are, and state whether the land is more valuable for agricultural than for mineral purposes.)

Ans. No More Valuable for agriculture

Ques. 11.—Have you ever made any other homestead entry? (If so, describe the same.)

Ans. No

Ques. 12.—Have you sold, conveyed, or mortgaged any portion of the land; and if so, to whom and for what purpose?

Ans. No

Ques. 13.—Have you any personal property of any kind elsewhere than on this claim? (If so, describe the same, and state where the same is kept.)

Ans. No

Ques. 14.—Describe by legal subdivisions, or by number, kind of entry, and office where made, any other entry or filing (not mineral), made by you since August 30, 1890.

Ans. None I do not know any entries of the other applicants in this case

(Sign plainly with full christian name.)

Thomas B Gleaves

*(In case the party is of foreign birth a certified transcript from the court records of his declaration of intention to become a citizen, or of his naturalization, or a copy thereof, certified by the officer taking this proof, must be filed with the case. Evidence of naturalization is only required in final (five-year) homestead cases.)

[SEE NOTE BELOW.]

Title LXX.—CRIMES.—Ch. 4.

Homestead Proof.

LAND OFFICE AT

Lawton Wells

Original Application No. 18389

Final Certificate No. 306

Approved: W. H. H. H. 1906

[Signature], Registrar.

W. Maxwell, Receiver.

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T...H...M.
held for approval

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NOTICE.—You can always get these blanks, in numbers from one to 2000, of The State Capital Company, Guthrie, Okla., the only office in the Territory which keeps in stock all legal blanks in the form required by the Statutes of Oklahoma.

SECTION OF THE REVISED STATUTES OF THE UNITED STATES.

(Sign plainly with full christian name.)

do hereby certify that the above affidavit was subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of July, 1906, at my office at Sayre in Pope County, Oklahoma

W. A. Russell
U. S. Com.
2nd District