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This indenture made this the 7th day of April A.D. 1900, by and between Moses Starr and Hepzie Starr his wife hereinafter called the lessors, and Robert Forye, hereinafter called the lessee, Witnesseth,

That in consideration of the sum of \$100 the receipt whereof hereby acknowledged, the said Moses Starr who has selected as his preliminary allotment, the N^W of N^E of Sec. 9. T. 11. R. 13. and Hepzie Starr who has selected the S.E. 1/4 of Sec. 14. T. 11. R. 13, as her preliminary allotment, and with the purpose of taking the same as their final allotment do hereby lease and demise unto the said lessee the aforesaid parcels of land situate in the Creek Nation Indian Territory, they each being recognized citizens of the Creek Nation, for a period of one year from date of signing this instrument, with the privilege on the expiration that the same may be renewed upon like terms for another period of ten years for mining purposes, together with all mines and minerals under the said premises, this to include minerals of every kind and description situate, lying and being in and under the said pieces of lands, with full liberty and power to work, mine and raise and carry away the coal and other mineral products of every kind and description of the mines and premises hereby demised, and for such purpose, to sink such pits and shafts and drive such levels, to erect and maintain such engines, work-shops, cottages and other buildings and to build such switches and roads in, over and under said lands as may be necessary or convenient for the proper use and working of said mines. Also the privilege to make and repair tunnels and sewers and to lay and repair pipes for conveying water to and from any part of the premises, in fact the privilege of doing all things necessary and expedient for the purposes aforesaid, or any of them.

Said lessee upon his part agrees to use all necessary and proper effort and means to develop the mineral property in and under said lands and to pay to the said lessors the royalty on the same, or such minerals as may be mined and obtained as aforesaid, that is usual and customary in the Indian territory upon minerals of like kind.

Witness our hands and seals the day and year above written

Witness:
Wm T. Hutchings
Est Brown.

Moses Starr

Hepzie ^{hus} Starr
mark

This is a copy of a
document which was re-
ceived by me from
the Indians who have
taken possession of
the lands where said
minerals above
stated are found.
I am sending
them an additional
copy which have nothing
to do with. Wm T. Hutchings
May 20, 1909.