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I, Cinigini Bodoni, a Navajo Indian, known also as "Bill", was born in the vicinity of Malapai Springs about 55 or 56 years ago, and have lived in this Butte Country ever since. When I was young we used to roam about more than now, and before the Mormans settled at Joseph City, we used to go as far as what is now Joseph City. I can remember when there were no white men in this country. I can remember when the railroad was built. After the railroad was built many white men settled near the railroad, but did not at that time live in this Butte Country. I have a wife and nine children living. I was given an allotment, and my children were alloted nearby. Range conditions have been good; myself and children have five bands of sheep, each band consisting of about 500 head. We lost a few sheep last winter, but not many. If I were to be driven from this range I would not go, I would rather be killed here.

Cinigini Bodoni
Also known as "Bill"

Witness:
Selon Clark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this tenth day of August, 1929.

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AUG 10 P.M. 1929
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Wallace L. Bailey
Postmaster,
Cedar Springs, Arizona.

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