

State of Kansas }  
County of Johnson } ss Council Rooms  
of the Shawnee Tribe  
Susan Daugherty } of Indians May 5, 1869  
vs }  
Melzy Daugherty }

This day the  
Subject matter of the petition of Susan  
Daugherty for Divorce and Alimony  
was (after the evidence in the cause was  
heard) duly considered by the Council  
and they unanimously find that the  
said parties were married as in the  
petition averred and that the said  
Defendant did wholly without good  
cause abandon and desert the said  
Plaintiff for five years (

It is therefore adjudged and decreed  
that the said marriage be set aside and  
wholly annulled and said Petitioner is  
thereby restored to her Maiden name  
(Susan Bluggett) And it is further  
adjudged and decreed that the said  
Petitioner do have and enjoy and  
possess for Alimony the following real  
Estate To wit

The North East Quarter of North  
East Quarter of Section Six (6) The

forty (40) Acres The North West fourth  
of the North West fourth of Section five  
(3) forty (40) Acres And the North East  
of the North West fourth of section six  
(6) forty (40) Acres Township thirteen  
(13) South Range twenty three (23)  
East of the Sixth (6th) Principal Meridian  
in Kansas Containing in the aggregate  
One Hundred and twenty (120) Acres

With all the rights and privileges  
to use, sell or dispose thereof at her pleasure

And The said Defendant is hereby  
enjoined from interfering with or in  
anywise disturbing the said Petitioner  
in her use occupation and enjoyment  
of the said Real Estate as well Personal  
as real And the said Petitioner is hereby  
authorized to use enjoy improve or  
sell the said Real Estate as well as  
Personal property as her separate Estate  
without the interference or hindrance  
of the said Defendant during their  
joint lives or until further ordered  
by this Council

Graham Rogers Principal Chief  
Charles J. Tucker Asst. Chief  
Stephen Blue Jacket  
Moses Silverheels <sup>his</sup> mark } Councilmen

James Kysor his } Councilmen  
Henry T. Rogers mark }  
Eli Blackopf his }  
mark }

I hereby certify the foregoing decree and  
petition was fully explained and understood  
by the Shawnee Council

Charles Bluejacket Interpreter

I hereby certify the foregoing decree is a  
true copy of the Council Proceeding the day  
and date before written

Samuel M. Coronatys  
Council's Clerk

I do not know as the Dept has  
any thing to do in this case, except  
it is to affirm the decree of the  
council but it strikes me  
that it should be submitted  
by the Dept —