

Hammer A582
Jas. B. Abbott
Ne. Sec. Kansas,
Nov. 14, '69

One. for approval,
deed from heirs of
John White Hammer
Indian, to Charles
Gardner



Land - 9/211

De Soto Kansas.

Nov. 7th 1869.

Sir

I have the honor to herewith transmit for the approval of the Secretary of the Interior a deed of conveyance from the heirs of John White (a Shawnee Ind.) deceased, to Charles Jordan

This deed it will be seen was acknowledged before a Notary Public, otherwise the rules governing Indian conveyances have been complied with, and at the time the deed was made it was supposed that such acknowledgment was sufficient from the fact the Secretary had

not at that time interposed any
objection to such acknowl-
edgment.

Another reason existing in
this case, why it ^{is} urged that
this deed be approved, is
that the grantors have moved
to the Cherokee County, and
are not expected to return, and
it will put the purchase to
great trouble and and it
seems to me unnecessary
expense, to be compelled to
obtain a new deed, without
being any benefit to the Grant-
ors. Therefore unless this acknowledged
deedment shall be deemed fatal
to the title, respectfully urge
its approval.

Very Respectfully
Your Obedt Servt
Jas B. Allen

Hon. E. S. Parker
Comm. Ind. Affairs
Washington
D. C.