


SHAWNEE AGENCY.

 **REUBEN L. ROBERTS**, United States Agent for the Shawnee Tribe of Indians, in the State of Kansas, do hereby certify that the contents, purport and effect of the accompanying Deed of conveyance made and executed by

Lewis Bigknife

a Shawnee Indian, was duly explained to, and fully understood by the said grantor; that the consideration specified therein is a fair price for the land, that the same has been paid to the grantor in my presence, in *Legal tender notes* of the United States, and that the conveyance is, in every respect, free from fraud and deception.

WITNESS MY HAND, this *10th* day
of *November* A. D. 18 *69*

R. Roberts

United States Agent.

SHAWNEE AGENCY.

We, Graham Rogers and *Charles Tucker*

the two chiefs of the Shawnee Tribe of Indians, within said agency, in the State of Kansas, do hereby certify that

Lewis Bigknife

the grantor mentioned in the accompanying Deed of conveyance *is*

the IDENTICAL PERSON to whom the land in said deed was originally granted by Patent No. _____
that *he* is competent to manage *his* affairs, and to dispose of *his* property.

and that we think it advisable that the lands should be sold.

Dated this *10th* day of *November* A. D. 18 *69*

WITNESS :

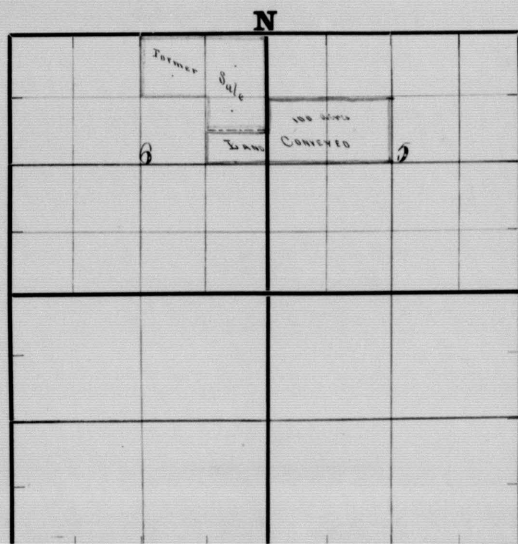
Graham Rogers
Charles Tucker

First Chief.

Second Chief.

PLAT

Showing the Land Conveyed by Lewis Bigknife
a Shawnee Indian to Emanuel P. Heister
also showing the Land previously conveyed in same Section
by the said Lewis Bigknife



The $S\frac{1}{2}$ of $N\frac{1}{2}$ of Sec 5
" $S\frac{1}{2}$ of $S\frac{1}{2}$ of $N\frac{1}{2}$ of Sec 6. in Township 13
South. of Range 22
East of the 6th principal
meridian in Kansas

Containing in the aggregate
100 acres

I, Harry B. Pridle do hereby certify that the foregoing
diagram is a correct plat of the land embraced in the accompanying Deed, made and executed by
Lewis Bigknife a Shawnee Indian; also, of the land
previously sold by the said Lewis Bigknife

Dated this 10th day of November A. D. 1869.

Harry B. Pridle SURVEYOR.