

We the two Principal Chiefs of the  
Shawnee Tribe of Indians of the State  
of Kansas do hereby certify that  
Hoc-e-con-gua the grantor men-  
tioned in the accompanying deeds  
of Conveyance, one to Warren Kimball  
and one Geo. W. Tomlinson is the  
sole heir of John Stone (deceased)  
that at the time said deeds were  
made the <sup>Ind.</sup> agent was ~~in~~ Washing-  
ton D.C. and that the grantor  
desired to go south, and that  
it would ~~there~~ put him to  
great inconvenience to wait  
the return of of the agent to  
make acknowledgment of the deeds.  
that the prin poin is all the  
land is worth, and we recommend  
that said deeds be approved.  
Washington D.C.

Jan 5<sup>th</sup> 1869.

Graham Rogers 1<sup>st</sup> Chief  
Charles Tucker 2<sup>nd</sup> "

SHAWNEE AGENCY,

*March 15th*, 186*7*  
*Smith Devenney* Notary Public.  
 I, ~~H. L. TAYLOR~~, ~~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.....*Hoe-t-con-gua*.....

.....  
 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.....*15th*..... day  
 of.....*March*....., A. D. 186*7*.  
*Smith Devenney*  
 Notary Public  
 United States Agent.

SHAWNEE AGENCY,

*March 15th*, 186*7*  
 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.....

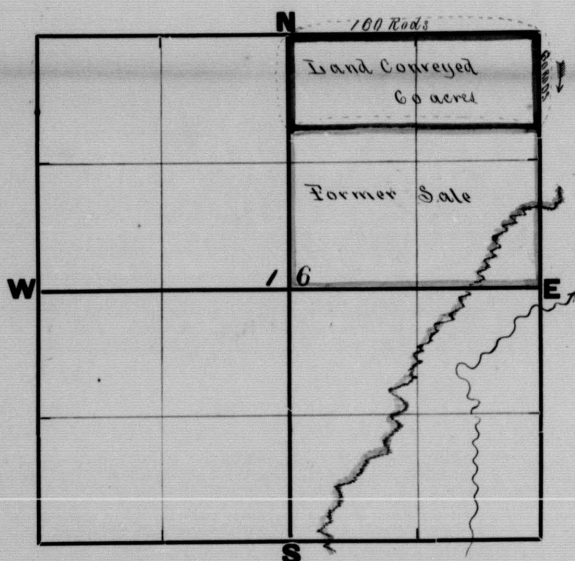
.....*Hoe-t-con-gua*.....  
 the Grantor.....mentioned in the accompanying Deed of conveyance.....*is the Sole Heir*  
*of John Burr Deceased*  
 the identical Person to whom the land in said deed was originally granted by Patent No. ....  
*She* is competent to manage.....*her* affairs and to dispose of.....*her* property,.....

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

Dated this.....*15th*..... day of.....*March*....., A. D. 186*7*.  
 WITNESS:  
*Graham Rogers* First Chief.  
*Charles Tucker* Second Chief.

# PLAT

Showing the Land Conveyed by *Aoc e can gua Sol heir of John Starr Deceased*, to *George W. Tomlinson*, also showing the Land previously conveyed in same Section by the said *John Starr Deceased*



Sixty acres of the N end of the N E 1/4 of Sec 16  
Beginning at the N E corner of Sec 16. Run South 60 rods to stone  
thence West 160 rods to stone. thence North 60 rods to stone  
thence East 160 rods to place of beginning.  
All in Township 13. South Range 25  
East of the 6th Principal Meridian in Kansas

I, *Chester Ruthruff*, do hereby certify that the foregoing  
diagram is a correct plat of the land embraced in the accompanying Deed, made and executed by  
*The Heir of John Starr Deceased*, a Shawnee Indian; also, of the land  
previously sold by the said *John Starr Deceased*

Dated this *15th* day of *March*, A. D. 1869.

*Chester Ruthruff* SURVEYOR.