

LETTER
OF
THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR

TRANSMITTING

A communication from the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, with a supplemental report of the commissioners appointed in accordance with the Senate amendment of the 13th article of the treaty of 23d of February, 1867, embracing the claims of the Wyandott Indians.

APRIL 1, 1870.—Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

Washington, D. C., April 1, 1870.

SIR: I have the honor herewith to communicate to Congress a copy of a letter, dated the 29th ultimo, from the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, with the accompanying supplemental report of the commissioners appointed in accordance with the Senate amendment of the 13th article of the treaty of 23d February, 1867, embracing the claims of the Wyandott Indians.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

J. D. COX,
Secretary.

HON. SCHUYLER COLFAX,
President of the Senate.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

Washington, D. C., March 29, 1870.

SIR: I acknowledge the receipt of your communication of the 8th of December, 1869, returning the supplemental report of the commissioners appointed in accordance with the Senate amendment of the 13th article of the treaty of February 23, 1867, embracing the claims of the Wyandott Indians, under the 7th item of Schedule A in said treaty; together with the claims and other papers relating thereto; and directing "that two copies thereof may be prepared and inclosed to the department, to be submitted to Congress in accordance with the requirements of the amendments referred to."

In accordance with this request, I have the honor to transmit herewith two copies of the said claims, and of the report accompanying the same, being all the "papers" supposed necessary to submit to Congress.

It appears by the records of this office that its former report of the

Wyandott commissioners, covering the other claims under said treaty, was transmitted to you on the 3d day of March, 1869.
Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

E. S. PARKER,
Commissioner.

Hon. J. D. COX,
Secretary of the Interior.

SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 30, 1869.

SIR: The commissioners appointed in accordance with the Senate's amendment of the 13th article of the treaty of February 23, 1857, "to ascertain and report the amount of money, if any, due by the United States to the Wyandott Indians," on receiving your instructions of the 17th ultimo, to repair to Kansas and there investigate the claims of the Wyandott Indians included under the 7th item of Schedule A of the said treaty, at once proceeded thither, and having completed the investigation, have the honor respectfully to present the following report, supplemental to their report made on the 2d of March, 1869.

These claims, under item 7 of Schedule A, are individual claims for losses by depredations committed at sundry times between the years 1846 and 1862, sixty-four in number, amounting in the aggregate to thirty-four thousand three hundred and forty-two dollars and fifty cents, and based on the act of Congress of the 30th of June, 1834, (see Statutes at Large, vol. 4,) in regard to trade and intercourse with the Indian tribes.

By the treaty of January 31, 1835, (see Statutes at Large, vol. 10,) all the Wyandottes deemed capable of managing their own affairs were termed competent, and were constituted citizens of the United States, and entitled to all the rights and privileges thereof. All others were termed incompetents, including orphans, and adults incapable of taking care of themselves by reason of intemperate habits or natural incapacity. After careful consideration, we decided to reject all claims of the former class after they became citizens, and of the incompetent class after the close of the "border ruffian" depredations, July 3, 1857. Under these two rulings, we proceeded to investigate all the claims intrusted to us that came within the proper dates. We summoned and examined witnesses under oath in respect to the several items of loss in each declaration, the circumstances of the case, and the character of the depredations, and indorsed the substance of the testimony upon each claim, with the amount of loss allowed. These claims are herewith returned, marked "A," and indorsed "claims allowed," and numbered from one to twenty-four, amounting to \$6,925 50.

The claims rejected entire are also herewith returned, marked "B," and indorsed "claims rejected."

The duties of the commission are herewith closed.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

Hon. E. S. PARKER,
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

A.—CLAIMS ALLOWED.

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SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Robert Robitaille, being sworn, says he is a member of the late tribe of Wyandott Indians; that there was stolen from him by persons unknown (1) in October, 1849, one filly, one and a half years old, worth \$50; in October, 1857, one bull, of dun and white color, six years old, worth \$30; in September, 1857, one bear, two years old, worth \$10; (2) in July, 1849, one dun pony, four years old, worth \$50; (3) in November, 1850, one black ox, six years old, worth \$45; (4) in May, 1857, one Durkum bull, five years old, worth \$75; on the 2d day of September, 1857, one valuable strawberry nose mare, seven years old, worth \$125; in February, 1857, valuable bay horse, eight years old, worth \$125; in April, 1858, one fine mare, seven years old, worth \$130; in November, 1858, one black spotted ox, three years old, worth \$30; in October and November, 1858, four head large hogs, worth \$15 each, \$60; at the same time, ten hogs, worth \$12 50 each, \$125; at same time, six hogs, worth \$7 50 each, \$45; in July, 1858, one red steer, two and one-half years old, worth \$20—in all, \$920. And affiant further says he never recovered any of the above described property, nor received any compensation therefor.

ROBERT ROBITAILLE.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 30th day of November, 1861.

JAS. R. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Elizabeth Robitaille, being sworn, says that she is well acquainted with the within-named affiant, Robert Robitaille, and having had his affidavit carefully read, says she knows him to have been the owner of the property therein described, about the times it is therein stated to have been stolen, and that it was of the value stated by the said affiant, and was stolen as stated by him, as she verily believes.

ELIZABETH ROBITAILLE.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 30th day of November, 1861.

JAS. R. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[Indorsement.]

No. L.—F 40.

Elizabeth Robitaille, being sworn, testifies to the truth of the within declaration, and that said area only were known to be committing depredations at the time in the neighborhood.

The items marked 1, 2, 3, 4, amounting to \$170, allowed.

WYANDOTT, April 2, 1869.

JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

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SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Mary A. Munton, being first duly sworn, deposes that she is a Wyandott Indian, and that in the month of May, A. D. 1857, there was stolen from her by some person or persons unknown, (1) one black and

white cow and calf, worth \$30; (2) one red cow and her calf, worth \$30; both of said cows five years old in August, A. D. 1859; there was stolen from this affiant one shoo-saddle, one bedise, worth \$25; that said property was stolen, and this affiant has no knowledge by whom or when it went, nor has this affiant been able to recover any of said property, nor has she ever received anything in compensation for the same or any part thereof; all of the above property of the value of \$83.

MARY A. ^{her} MUNTUN.
mark

STATE OF KANSAS, Wyandott, ss:

At Wyandott, this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861, the foregoing affidavit subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me.

JAS. R. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY:

Catherine Johnson, being first duly sworn, deposes that she is a Wyandott Indian, and is acquainted with Mary A. Muntun, whose affidavit on this day has been carefully read to affiant, and this affiant deposes that there was stolen from said Mary A. Muntun the articles of property named in her affidavit, at the times therein stated, and the said articles were of the value stated in the said affidavit aforesaid.

CATHERINE ^{her} + JOHNSON.
mark

Sworn to and subscribed in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. R. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[Indorsement.]

No. 2—F. 40.

Catherine Johnson, being sworn, testifies to the truth of the within declaration, and that white men only were known to be committing depredations at the time in the neighborhood.

The items marked 1, 2, amounting to \$60, allowed.

JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

WYANDOTT, KANSAS, April 3, 1869.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Henry Clay Long, being sworn, says he is a Wyandott Indian; that there was stolen from him, by persons unknown, on the 5th day of July, 1858, one extra fine brown-colored mule, four years old, worth \$200; (1) in September, 1854, one iron-gray-colored pony, four years old, worth \$75; in December, 1858, one brown heifer, three years old, worth \$12; in April, 1859, one red steer, two years old, worth \$10; in July, 1861, one yearling calf, worth \$10; in September, 1856, eight hogs, worth \$2 30

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each, \$20; in December, 1858, five hogs, worth \$10 each, \$50; in December, 1856, eight hogs, worth \$3 50 each, \$28—in all \$405; and affiant further says that he never recovered any of said property nor received compensation for any part thereof.

HENRY CLAY LONG.

Sworn and subscribed before me this 12th day of December, 1861.
JAS. R. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Edward Vedder, being sworn, says he is acquainted with Henry Clay Long, the above-named affiant, and having heard his affidavit read, he knows the statements therein contained are true; that the said affiant was the owner of the property therein enumerated, and that it was of the value stated, except the "iron-gray-colored pony, four years old, worth \$75," about which he knows nothing.

EDWIN T. VEDDER.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of December, 1861.
JAS. R. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Isaac Z. Long, being sworn, says he is acquainted with Henry Clay Long, the within-named affiant, and that he knows the said affiant was the owner, in September, 1854, of one iron-gray pony, four years old, worth \$75, and that it was stolen from said Henry Clay Long about the month of September, 1854, as he verily believes.

I. Z. LONG.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of December, 1861.
JAS. R. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[Indorsement.]

No. 3—F. 40.

James M. Long, being sworn, testifies to the truth of the within declaration, and that white men only were known to be committing depredations at the time in the neighborhood.

The item marked 1, amounting to \$75, allowed.

JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

WYANDOTT, KANSAS, April 3, 1869.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Matilda Hicks, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that in the month of March, A. D. 1859, she had stolen from her one brown mare, eight years old, worth \$90; (1) in the month of October, A. D. 1854, she had stolen from her fifteen fattening hogs worth \$6 each, in all \$90; in November, A. D. 1857, she had stolen from her fifteen hogs worth \$5 each, in all \$75; in October, A. D. 1858, she had stolen

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from her thirty hogs worth \$5 each, in all \$150; in September, A. D. 1858, she had stolen one fine six-year-old horse worth \$125; in the summer of 1860 she had stolen from her one fine four-year-old horse worth \$125, one black very fine horse, four years old, worth \$125, also three bay yearling colts worth \$30 each, in all worth \$408; all of said horses and hogs were stolen by persons unknown to affiant, and affiant has never heard or seen anything of either of them since the time stated above as their having been stolen. Affiant has never received any compensation for either or any of horses or hogs. The entire value of said stock was \$810.

MATILDA ^{her} HICKS.
_{mark.}

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 19th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas:*

Sarah Driver, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that she is acquainted with the foregoing affiant, Matilda Hicks; that the foregoing affidavit of said Matilda Hicks has been carefully read to affiant and its contents made known to her; that she knows that the said Matilda Hicks was the owner of said brown mare, and fifteen fat-tening hogs, and fifteen hogs, thirty hogs, fine six-year-old horse, fine four-year-old horse, black horse, and three bay colts, at the times and as stated in said Matilda Hicks's affidavit. Affiant further says that said horses and hogs were stolen from said Matilda Hicks as stated in her said affidavit, and that the entire stock was worth \$810.

SARAH DRIVER.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 19th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[Indorsement.]

No. 4—F. 40.

Sarah Driver, being sworn, testifies to the truth of the within declaration, and that white men only were known to be committing depredations in the neighborhood at the time.

The item marked 1, amounting to \$90, allowed.

JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

WYANDOTT, KANSAS, April 5, 1869.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas:*

Lucy B. Armstrong, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that in the month of June, A. D. 1857, she had stolen from her one dark-red cow, three years old, worth \$25, and one yearling steer (red) worth \$10; (1) in the month of December, A. D. 1852, she had stolen from her ten head of hogs worth \$5 each, in all \$50; in the month

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of December, A. D. 1856, she had stolen from her twenty head of hogs, worth \$5 each, in all \$100; in the month of November, A. D. 1858, she had stolen from her five hogs, worth \$5 each, in all worth \$25; in the month of February, A. D. 1859, she had stolen from her five hogs, worth \$5 each, in all worth \$25; in the month of December, A. D. 1860, she had stolen from her one hog worth \$10; in the month of February, A. D. 1861, she had stolen from her two hogs, worth \$4 each, in all \$8; in the month of December, A. D. 1857, she had stolen from her twelve head of sheep, worth \$2 each, in all \$24. Affiant says that all of said stock was stolen from affiant about the times above stated in this affidavit, and all taken by persons unknown to affiant, and affiant has not seen or heard from any of said stock since the times stated in this affidavit as their having been stolen. Affiant further says that she has never received any compensation for any of said stock. The whole value of said stock was \$277.

LUCY A. ARMSTRONG.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 15th day of December, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas:*

Lucy B. Zane, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that she is acquainted with Lucy B. Armstrong, the foregoing deponent; that the foregoing affidavit of said Lucy B. Armstrong has been carefully read to this affiant's hearing. Affiant further says that the said Lucy B. Armstrong was known by affiant to be the owner of said dark-red cow, yearling steer, ten head of hogs, twenty head of hogs, five head of hogs, five hogs, one hog, two hogs, and twelve head of sheep at the time and as stated in said Lucy B. Armstrong's affidavit, and that all of said stock was worth \$277 as stated in said Lucy B. Armstrong's affidavit. Affiant further says that all of said stock was stolen from said Lucy B. Armstrong, as stated in her said affidavit, as this affiant verily believes.

L. E. ZANE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 14th day of December, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[Indorsement.]

No. 5—F. 40.

L. E. Zane, being duly sworn, testifies to the truth of the within declaration, and that white men only were known to be committing depredations in the neighborhood at the time.

The item marked 1, amounting to \$50, allowed.

JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

WYANDOTT, KANSAS, April 6, 1869.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas:*

Mary Kaytash, sr., being sworn, says she is a Wyandott Indian; that

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there was stolen from her by persons unknown to her, in November, 1857, one black mare, seven years old, worth \$80; at same time, one black colt with white face, three years old, worth \$30, and at same time, one cream-colored colt, one year old, worth \$20; in May, 1857, one red horse with red mane, six years old, worth \$100; in May, 1859, one iron-gray horse, five years old, worth \$80; in April, 1858, one red mare with black mane, four years old, worth \$60; in December, 1856, one bay horse with black mane and "glass eyes," seven years old, worth \$120; in April, 1859, one red mare, eight years old, worth \$80; at same time, one bay colt, three years old, worth \$50; at same time, one sorrel colt, two years old, worth \$30; in October, 1858, one large bay mare, six years old, worth \$100; at same time, one bay horse colt, three years old, with star in forehead, worth \$09; at same time, one dark gray colt, two years old, worth \$30; (1) in September, 1846, one side-saddle, worth \$25, (2) and bridle worth \$5, of which she was robbed by one white woman and two white men, names and residence unknown; in October, 1854, (3) one red cow with white face, six years old, worth \$25; at the same time, (4) one red and white heifer, three years old, worth \$20; at same time, one (5) red heifer, one year old, worth \$8; in April, 1858, one dark, brindie white-faced cow, four years old, worth \$20; at same time, one calf, one year old, worth \$5; in November, 1860, one black cow, four years old, worth \$20; at same time, one red calf, one and a half years old, worth \$12; in October, 1857, one red steer, two years old, worth \$15; in the spring and summer of 1857, one red steer, with white face, three years old, worth \$25, one black and white steer, four years old, worth \$25, one red barren heifer, three years old, worth \$25, one red heifer, with white ear, three years old, worth \$25, one red steer, with white spots around the eyes, two years old, worth \$13; in October, 1858, seven sows, worth \$8 each, and sixty-three shoats, worth \$5 each, and about two weeks after their seven sows, worth \$8 dollars each, and forty-two pigs, about eight months old, worth \$3 each, in all \$1,072. Dependent says her horse, beasts, cattle, and hogs were in their usual range, and she believes the most of her cattle and all her hogs were slaughtered by white men in Muncietown and sold to the people of Wyandott City, and that on one occasion she saw the hide of one of her cattle, but was never able to obtain any redress, nor has she ever recovered any of the above-described property, nor received any compensation therefor.

MAY + KARAYBOO, Sr.
mark.

Sworn and subscribed before me this 19th day of November, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Mary Kayaboo, third, being sworn, says she is acquainted with Mary Kayaboo, sr., the above-named affiant, and having heard the above affidavit read, she knows the statements therein made are true; that the said Mary Kayaboo, sr., was the owner of the property commented about the times of its disappearance; that it was of the value above given, and that it was stolen as therein set forth to the best of her knowledge and belief.

MAY + KARAYBOO.
mark.

Sworn and subscribed before me this 19th day of November, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[Indorsement.]

No. 6—F. 40.

John Kayaboo, being sworn, testifies to the truth of the within declaration, and that white men only were known to be committing depredations in the neighborhood at the time.

The items marked 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, amounting to \$81, are allowed.

JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

WYANDOTT, April 9, 1869.

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SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Mary Coon, being sworn, says she is a Wyandott Indian, and that there was stolen from her in October, 1856 (1) one gray mare, four years old, worth \$70, and in the same month and year (2) one gray horse, with white mane, four years old, worth \$100, together with (3) one side-saddle and bridle, worth \$30; in August, 1858, one black horse, four years old, worth \$75; in January, 1859, one iron-gray horse, two years old, worth \$55; in November, 1858, one red horse with black mane, three years old, worth \$90; in the same month and year, one red mare, with white mane, four years old, worth \$60; in August, 1857, one black horse, two years old, worth \$30; (4) in January, 1857, one red cow, five years old, and calf, worth \$35; and in October, 1857, eight hogs, worth \$6 each; all of which property belonged to affiant, except the black horse, two years old, worth \$30, and the red mare with white mane, worth \$60, which belonged to her mother, Sarah Coon, deceased; in all \$291. And dependent further says the above property was stolen by persons unknown to her, and she has never recovered nor received any compensation for any part of it.

MARY + COON.
mark.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19th day of November, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*, ss:

Mary Kayaboo, sr., being sworn, says she is acquainted with Mary Coon, the above-named affiant, and that she knows her to have been the owner of the property described in her affidavit, and that it was of the value therein stated, and was stolen as therein stated, as she verily believes.

MAY + KAYRABOO.
mark.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 19th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[Indorsement.]
No. 7—F. 40.

Mary Kaynaboo being sworn, testifies to the truth of the within declaration, and that white men only were known to be committing depredations in the neighborhood at the time.

The items marked 1, 2, 3, and 4, amounting to \$235, are allowed.
JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

WYANDOTT, KANSAS, April 7, 1869.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

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Catharine Greeyes, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that in the month of May, A. D. 1847, she had stolen from her (1) one white horse, eight years old, worth \$100; also, (2) one chestnut sorrel mare, six years old, worth \$100; said horses supposed to be stolen by Oregon emigrants; in the month of September, A. D. 1856, she had stolen from her one sorrel mare, four years old, worth \$50, and one black mare, four years old, worth \$50; in the month of April, A. D. 1858, she had stolen from her one sorrel mare, nine years old, worth \$60. Affiant says that all of said horses were stolen from affiant at the times and as stated in this affidavit, and all taken by persons unknown to affiant except as above stated; and affiant further says that she has not seen or heard from any of said horses since the time set forth in this affidavit as the time they were taken or stolen. Affiant further states that she has not received at any time any compensation for any of said horses. The whole value of said horses was \$365.

CATHARINE ^{her} GREYEVES.
_{mark.}

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 14th day of December, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Mary Walker, being first duly sworn, says she is a Wyandott Indian; that she is acquainted with the foregoing affiant, Catharine Greeyes; that the foregoing affidavit of Catharine Greeyes has been carefully read in this affiant's hearing, and its contents made known to her. Affiant further says that the said Catharine Greeyes was known by affiant to be the owner of said white horse and chestnut sorrel mare, and said sorrel mare and black mare and said sorrel nine-years-old mare, at the times and as stated in said Catharine Greeyes's affidavit, and that all of said stock was worth \$365, as stated in Catharine Greeyes's affidavit. Affiant further says that all of said horses were stolen from said Catharine Greeyes as stated in her affidavit, as this affiant verily believes.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this — day of —, A. D. 1861.

United States Indian Agent.

[Indorsement.]
No. 8—F. 40.

Mary Walker, being sworn, testifies to the truth of the within declaration, and that white men only were known to be committing depredations in the neighborhood at the time.

The items marked 1 and 2, amounting to \$230, are allowed.
JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

WYANDOTT, KANSAS, April 8, 1869.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

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Mary A. Walker, being first duly sworn, deposes that she is a Wyandott Indian, and that there was stolen from her, by some person or persons to her unknown, in May, A. D. 1849, (1) one roan pony, nine years old, worth \$75; (2) one bay pony, in May, the year 1850, three years old, worth \$40, and A. D. 1850 (3) one other bay pony, worth \$40; in June, A. D. 1851, (4) one yoke of white oxen, six years old, worth \$70; all supposed to be taken by Oregon and California emigrants; in June, A. D. 1855, was also stolen from this affiant, as above, three bay ponies, seven years old, worth \$80 each, and in September, A. D. 1856, one sorrel pony, two years old, worth \$40, and in October, A. D. 1856, seven head of hogs, worth \$35, and A. D. 1857, twenty-five hogs, worth in the aggregate \$54. This affiant has never received anything for said property, and the same was taken without her knowledge, and has never been returned or any part of it recovered, and that the aggregate value of said property stolen from this affiant, as above stated, is \$594.

MARY A. WALKER.

STATE OF KANSAS, Wyandott County, ss:

At Wyandott, this 19th day of November, A. D. 1861, the foregoing affidavit subscribed in my presence, and sworn to before me.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Sarah Ladd, being first duly sworn, deposes that she is acquainted with Mary A. Walker, whose affidavit on this sheet has been carefully read to this affiant, and that the said Mary Walker had stolen from her in May, 1849, one roan pony, worth \$75; and in the year 1850 two bay ponies, worth \$40 each; and in June, A. D. 1851, one yoke of white oxen, six years old, worth \$70; and in June, A. D. 1855, three bay ponies, worth \$80 each; one sorrel pony, worth \$40, stolen in September, A. D. 1856. In October, A. D. 1856, there was also stolen from said Mary Walker seven head of hogs, worth \$35; and A. D. 1857 there was stolen twenty-five head of hogs, worth in the aggregate \$54.

SARAH P. LADD.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 19th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[Indorsement.]

No. 9—P. 40.

Sarah P. Ladd, being sworn, testifies to the truth of the within declaration, and that white men only were known to be committing depredations in the neighborhood at the time.

The items marked 1, 2, 3, 4, amounting to \$225, are allowed.

JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES F. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

WYANDOTT, April 14, 1869.

[§865.]

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Margaret G. Solomon, being first duly sworn, says she is a Wyandott Indian; that in the month of September, 1848, she had stolen from her (1) one brown pony mare, eight years old, worth \$65, and (2) one bay horse, five years old, worth \$75, and (3) one gray pony horse, four years old, worth \$60; all of the above stolen at the same time, it was supposed, by Oregon emigrants. In the month of June, A. D. 1858, she had stolen from her one sorrel mare, seven years old, worth \$60; in July, 1759, she had stolen from her one fine bay mare, six old, worth \$100; and one gray mare, five years old, worth \$40. The last two supposed to be taken by Pike's Peak emigrants. In the fall of 1848, she had stolen from her (4) thirty hogs, worth \$3 each, in all, \$90. In December, A. D. 1855, she had stolen from her in gold coin, \$225; said money was in the dwelling-house of John W. Greygoose, in a trunk, and the trunk was broken open and the said \$225 taken out. It was supposed to have been stolen by a work-hand in the family, who called himself James Cook. Said Cook absconded about the time the money was lost, and has never been heard of here since. In the month of November, A. D. 1856, she had stolen from her one fine horse, four years old, worth \$100; and one black horse, nine years old, worth \$80; and one old ox, speckled red and white, five years old, worth \$30. Affiant says that all of said property was stolen from affiant at the times and as stated above, and all taken by unknown persons, except as stated above; and affiant has not seen or heard anything of any of said property since the times stated in this affidavit as their having been stolen. Affiant further says that she has never received any compensation for any of said property. The whole value of said stock was \$865.

MARGARET G. SOLOMON,
her
mark.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Catherine Johnson, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that she is acquainted with the above-named Margaret G. Solomon; that the foregoing affidavit of the said Margaret G. Solomon has been carefully read in her hearing. Affiant further saith that the said Margaret G. Solomon was known by affiant to be the owner of said

brown pony mare, and bay horse, and gray pony horse, sorrel mare, bay mare, gray mare, thirty hogs, \$225 in gold, and one fine horse, black horse, and speckled ox, at the times and as stated in said Margaret G. Solomon's affidavit; and that all of said property was stolen from said Margaret G. Solomon as stated in said Margaret's affidavit. Affiant further saith that said property was worth \$865.

CATHERINE + JOHNSON,
her
mark.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence, this 18th day of —, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[Indorsement.]
No. 10—P. 40.

Catherine Johnson, being sworn, testifies to the truth of the within declaration, that while men only were known to be committing depredations in the neighborhood at the time. The items marked 1, 2, 3, and 4, amounting to \$295, allowed.

JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

WYANDOTT, KANSAS, April 12, 1869.

[§857.]

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Oregon:

Lydia B. Walker, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that in the month of September, A. D. 1858, she had stolen from her by Pike's Peak emigrants one light gray horse, three years old, and one black horse, three years old; said horses were worth \$75 each, and in all \$150; in the month of June, A. D. 1859, she had stolen from her one fine dark bay horse, seven years old, worth \$150; in the month of May, A. D. 1849, she had stolen from her by California emigrants (1) one fine six-year-old sorrel mule, worth \$75; in the month of May, A. D. 1845, she had stolen from her by Oregon emigrants (2) one black and white cow, seven years old, worth \$25, and (3) one muley black and white cow, seven years old, worth \$25; and (4) one dun cow, eight years old, worth \$25; and (5) one red cow, nine years old, worth \$25; in the month of October, A. D. 1848, she had stolen from her (6) ten head of hogs, worth \$5 per head, in all \$50; in the month of October, A. D. 1850, she had stolen from her (7) ten head of hogs, worth \$5 each, in all worth \$50. Affiant says that all of said stock was stolen from affiant at the times above stated in this affidavit, and all taken by persons unknown to affiant, except as stated above; and affiant has not seen or heard from any of said stock since the times stated in this affidavit as their having been stolen. Affiant further says that she never received any of said compensation for any of said stock. The whole value of said stock was \$357.

LYDIA B. WALKER.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 19th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Adeline Walker, being sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that she is acquainted with the foregoing deponent, Lydia Walker; that the foregoing affidavit of said Lydia Walker has been carefully read in this affiant's hearing. Affiant further says, that the said Lydia Walker was known by affiant to be the owner of said light gray and black horses, and said fine dark bay horse, and said sorrel mule, also said two black and white and said dun and red cows, and of said twenty hogs, at the times and as stated in said Lydia Walker's affidavit; and that all of said stock was worth \$537, as stated in said Lydia Walker's affidavit. Affiant further says, that all of said stock was stolen from said Lydia Walker as stated in her said affidavit, as this affiant verily believes.

ADELINE WALKER.

Sworn to and subscribed in my presence this 19th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[Indorsement.]

No. 11—F. 40.

Sarah P. Ladd, being sworn, testifies to the truth of the within declaration, and that white men only were known to be committing depredations in the neighborhood at the time. The items marked 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7, amounting to \$275, are allowed.

JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

WYANDOTT, KANSAS, April 10, 1860.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Noah Zane, being first duly sworn, says that he is a Wyandott Indian; that in the month of April, A. D. 1861, he had stolen from him one three-year old black pony, with one hind foot white, worth \$60; in the month of October, A. D. 1848, he had stolen from him (1) eight head of fattening hogs, worth \$5 per head, in all worth \$40; in the month of November, A. D. 1850, he had stolen from him (2) ten hogs, worth \$5 per head, in all worth \$50; in the month of November, A. D. 1852, he had stolen from him (3) ten hogs, worth \$5 per head, in all worth \$50; in the month of December, A. D. 1854, he had stolen from him (4) twenty head of stock hogs, pigs, and shoats, worth \$2 per head, in all worth \$40; in the month of November, A. D. 1856, he had stolen from him twelve head of fattening hogs, worth \$6 per head, in all worth \$72; in the month of November, A. D. 1860, he had stolen from him three hogs, worth \$5 each, in all worth \$15. Affiant says that all of said horses and hogs were stolen from him at the times and as stated above in this affidavit, and it was all taken by persons unknown to this affiant; and affiant has not seen or heard from said pony or any of said hogs since the time stated in this affidavit as the time when they were stolen. Affiant fur-

[§390.]

ther says, that he has never received any compensation for any of said stock. The whole value of said pony and hogs was \$320.

NOAH ZANE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Isaac Z. Long, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that she is acquainted with Noah Zane, the foregoing affiant; that the said foregoing affidavit of Noah Zane has been carefully read in affiant's hearing, and its contents made known to him. Affiant further says, that he knows that the said Noah Zane was the owner of the said black pony and of all of said hogs at the times and as stated in his said affidavit, and that all of said stock was stolen from said Noah Zane at the times and as stated in Noah's affidavit. Affiant further says, that the entire value of said property was \$360, as he verily believes.

ISAAC Z. LONG.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[Indorsement.]

No. 12—F. 40.

Tabitha Zane, being sworn, testifies to the truth of the within declaration, and that white men only were known to be committing depredations in the neighborhood at the time.

The items marked 1, 2, 3, and 4, amounting to \$180, are allowed.

JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

WYANDOTT, KANSAS, April 13, 1860.

[§1,420.]

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Isaac W. Zane, being sworn, says he is a Wyandott Indian; that there was stolen from him in January, 1849, by a man named Wilson, as he believes, (1) one dark bay horse, eight years old, worth \$100; and in May, 1849, by a man named Hind, as he believes, (2) one bright bay horse, about eight years old, worth \$30; on the 10th of May, 1847, by persons unknown, (3) \$250 in gold, stolen from his stand drawer, while at work in his brick yard; in the fall of 1849, by persons unknown, (4) thirteen sows, worth \$7 each—\$91; (5) ninety-seven barrows, worth on an average \$5 each—\$485; (6) forty-three shoats, six months old, worth \$2 each, \$86; in the fall of 1851, (7) one red and white steer, four years old, worth \$20; (8) two beagle steers, four and one-half years old, worth \$30; (9) two red and white spotted steers, four years old, worth \$60; in October, 1857, five sows, worth \$5 each, thirteen barrows thirteen months old, worth \$7 each, and twelve shoats, six months old, worth \$3 each; in December, 1857, one black and white spotted bull,

four years old, worth \$20; and in the fall of 1848, (10) one yoke of oxen, worth \$75, in all, \$1,439; and affiant further says he never recovered any of said property nor received compensation for any part of it; affiant further says he was attacked in the eyes by some disease prevalent in the country, in the summer of 1848, from which total blindness resulted for a long period, and even yet he cannot distinguish objects a few feet from him, which he thinks a probable reason why his property was so extensively depredated upon.

ISAAC W. ^{his} ZANE,
mark.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of December, 1861.
JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Eliza Brown, being sworn, says she is acquainted with Isaac W. Zane, the within named affiant; that she kept house for him several years, and was well acquainted with his business and property; that she has heard the within affidavit carefully read; that the statements therein made are true as she verily believes.

ELIZA ^{her} BROWN,
mark.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of December, 1861.
JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[Indorsement.]

No. 13—F. 40.

Eliza Brown, being sworn, testified to the truth of the within declaration, and that white men only were known to be committing depredations in the neighborhood at the time.

The items marked 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10, amounting to \$1,267 are allowed.

JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

WYANDOTT, KANSAS, April 13, 1860.

[§819.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Margaret D. Sollowan, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that in the month of September, A. D. 1854, she had stolen from her (1) one roan mare, nine years old, worth \$60; in the month of September, A. D. 1856, she had stolen from her one three-year old bay pony, worth \$40; in October, A. D. 1857, she had stolen one bay horse, ten years old, worth \$40; in the month of May, A. D. 1858, she had stolen one bay four-year old mare, worth \$50; in June, A. D. 1859, she had stolen one black five-year old mare, worth \$50; in May, A. D. 1861, she had stolen one sorrel mare, eight years old, worth \$80; in June, A. D. 1858, she had stolen one iron-gray pony, five years old, worth \$90; in May, A. D. 1853, she had stolen (2) one brown cow,

four years old, worth \$15; (3) one four-year old red steer, worth \$20; (4) one three-year old red steer, worth \$15; in July, A. D. 1854, she had stolen from her (5) one white sow, five years old, worth \$20; (6) one three-year old red and white heifer, worth \$15; (7) one two-year old white heifer, worth \$10; (8) one two-year old red heifer, worth \$10; in June, A. D. 1855, she had stolen one red and white spotted cow, three years old, worth \$15, and one yearling brown heifer, worth \$5; one white yearling steer, worth \$5; the last named supposed to be taken by California emigrants; in October, A. D. 1856, she had stolen twenty hogs, worth \$5 each, making in all one hundred dollars; in November, A. D. 1857, she had stolen fifteen hogs, worth \$5 each, in all \$75; in December, A. D. 1858, she had stolen ten hogs, worth \$5 each, in all \$50; in October, 1859, she had stolen eight hogs, worth \$5 each, in all \$40; in the month of June, A. D. 1860, she had stolen one fine bay four-year old horse, worth \$90. All of said property was stolen by persons unknown to affiant, and affiant has not seen or heard from any of said property since the time stated above as its having been stolen. Affiant further says that she has never received any compensation for any of said property, and that its entire value was \$819.

MARGARET D. ^{her} SOLLOWAN,
mark.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 13th day of December, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Jane Sollowan, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that she is acquainted with the foregoing affiant, Margaret D. Sollowan; that the said foregoing affidavit of said Margaret D. Sollowan has been carefully read to her in her hearing, and the contents therein made due to her; that she knows that said Margaret D. Sollowan was the owner of said roan mare, bay pony, bay horse, bay mare, black mare, black mare, iron-gray pony, brown cow, red steer four years old, and another three years old, white cow, speckled heifer, white heifer, red heifer, red and white cow, brown yearling heifer, white yearling steer, twenty hogs, fifteen hogs, ten hogs, eight hogs, and bay horse, at the times and as stated in said Margaret D. Sollowan's affidavit, and that said property was stolen as stated in said affidavit. Affiant further says that the entire value of said property was \$819.

JANE ^{her} SOLLOWAN,
mark.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence, this 13th day of December, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[Indorsement.]

No. 14—F. 40.

Jane Sollowan, being sworn, testified to the truth of the within declaration, and that white men only were known to be committing depredations at the time in the neighborhood.

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The items marked 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, amounting to \$163, are allowed.

JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

WYANDOTT, KANSAS, April 10, 1869.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas* :

[8530.]

John Hix, being first duly sworn, deposes that he is a Wyandott Indian, and that in September, A. D. 1845, there was stolen from him by some persons or persons unknown, (1) one black horse, eight years old, worth \$100; (2) one bay horse, nine years old, worth \$80; (3) one brown horse, nine years old, worth \$100; (4) one cream-colored mare, nine years old, worth \$90; and in 1850, one bay pony, five years old, worth \$100; one black pony, six years old, worth \$80; one bay pony, with blue-face, eight years old, worth \$75; all of the value amounting in the aggregate to \$530; none of which property has ever been recovered by him, and he has no knowledge by whom or where said property was taken to.

JOHN X HIX.
his mark.

STATE OF KANSAS, Wyandott County, ss :

At Wyandott, this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861, the foregoing affidavit subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY :

John Solomon, being first duly sworn, deposes that he is a Wyandott Indian, and is acquainted with John Hix, whose affidavit is on this sheet, which has been carefully read to this affiant, and that there was stolen from said affiant, John Hix, the animals mentioned in his said affidavit, and at the times therein stated, and that said property was of the value stated in the said Hix's affidavit aforesaid.

JOHN X SOLLOMON.
his mark.

Sworn before me and subscribed in my presence this — day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[Indorsement.]

No. 15—F. 40.

Robert Esbitalle, being sworn, testifies to the truth of the within declaration, and that white men only were known to be committing depredations at the time in the neighborhood.

The items marked 1, 2, 3, and 4, amounting to \$370, allowed.

JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

WYANDOTT, KANSAS, April 17, 1869.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas* :

[8940.]

Jane Pipe, being first duly sworn, deposes that she is a Wyandott Indian, and that there was stolen from her by some persons or persons unknown, in May, A. D. 1855, one gray three-year-old mare, worth \$60; and in the month of September, A. D. 1848, there was stolen from this affiant (1) one bay horse, eight years old, worth \$50; one gray horse, five years old, worth \$30; and in July of the same year, (2) one sorrel horse, four years old, worth \$40; (3) one bay ball-faced horse, four years old, worth \$40; supposed to be taken by emigrants to Oregon; and in May, A. D. 1850, there was stolen from this affiant as above stated, one bay five-year-old horse, worth \$100; and in October, thirty hogs, worth in the aggregate \$150; and in June, A. D. 1857, one brindle ox, four years old, worth \$35; one red and white yearling, worth \$5; and in November, same year, forty hogs, worth \$5 per head, \$200; and A. D. 1858, one fine sorrel horse, seven years old, worth \$125; and in October of same year, thirty head of hogs, different sizes, worth in the aggregate \$90; one white milk cow, eight years old, worth \$25; and in A. D. 1859, one pair or yoke of red lined-back oxen, five years old, worth \$100; amounting in the aggregate to \$940; none of which property has ever been recovered, nor has this affiant ever received any compensation for all or any part of the same, and has no knowledge, except as above stated, where the same went to.

JANE X PIPE.
her mark.

STATE OF KANSAS, Wyandott, ss :

At Wyandott, this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861, the foregoing affidavit subscribed in my presence, and sworn to before me.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY :

Margaret Pipe, being first duly sworn, deposes that she is a Wyandott Indian, and is acquainted with Jane Pipe, whose affidavit on this sheet has this day been carefully read to this affiant, and this affiant deposes that there was stolen from the said Jane Pipe the articles of property named in her affidavit at the times therein stated, and the several articles were of the value stated in the said Jane Pipe's affidavit aforesaid.

MARGARET X PIPE.
her mark.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[Indorsement.]

No. 16—F. 40.

Mary Karabeo, being sworn, testifies to the truth of the within declaration, and that white men only were known to be committing depredations.

tions in the neighborhood at the time. The items, amounting to \$130, marked 1, 2, and 3, are allowed.

JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

WYANDOTT, KANSAS, April 12, 1860.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Mary P. Montum, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that in the month of April, A. D. 1850, she had stolen from her (1) one brown mare, eight years old, worth \$75; also, (2) one bay horse, six years old, worth \$60, and (3) one brown pony, with white blaze on forehead, six years old, worth \$60, and (4) one gray mare, ten years old, worth \$30; in the month of May, A. D. 1851, she had stolen from her (5) one sorrel horse, seven years old, worth \$85, and (6) one bay pony, five years old, worth \$55; in the month of June, A. D. 1852, she had stolen from her (7) one mouse-colored mare pony, seven years old, worth \$30, and (8) one sorrel pony mare, four years old, worth \$50; in the month of May, A. D. 1854, she had stolen from her (9) one iron-gray pony, nine years old, worth \$85, and (10) one dun pony, four years old, worth \$40; in the month of December, A. D. 1856, she had stolen from her one fine bay horse, eight years old, worth \$125, and one Appaloosa spotted mare, eight years old, worth \$100; in the month of July, A. D. 1856, she had stolen from her one bay pony, four years old, worth \$55, and one brown pony, three years old, worth \$40; in the month of June, A. D. 1855, she had stolen from her one red and white spotted cow, seven years old, worth \$20, and one red cow, five years old, worth \$25; both of said cows had calves, worth \$5 each, taken at same time, in all, calves worth \$10; in the month of July, A. D. 1856, she had stolen from her one black cow, five years old, worth \$15, and another cow of the same color, four years old, worth \$18; in the month of October, 1854, she had stolen from her (11) twenty head of hogs, worth \$3 per head, in all, \$100; in the month of November, A. D. 1855, she had stolen from her twenty-two hogs, worth \$5 per head, in all, worth \$110; in the month of October, 1856, had ten hogs stolen, worth \$4 per head, in all, \$40; in the month of November, A. D. 1857, had fifteen head of hogs stolen, worth \$4 per head, in all, worth \$60; most of the above stock was supposed to have been stolen by emigrants to Oregon and California. Affiant says that all of said stock was stolen from her at the times and as stated above in this affidavit, and it was all taken by persons unknown to affiant, and affiant has not seen or heard from any of said stock since the times stated in this affidavit as the times when said stock was stolen. Affiant further says that she has never received any compensation for any of said stock. The whole value of said stock stolen was \$1,328.

MARY P. MONTUM,
Sworn.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Margaret G. Solomon, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that she is acquainted with the above named Mary P. Montum; that the foregoing affidavit of the said Mary P. Montum has been carefully read in my hearing. Affiant further says that she knows that the said Mary P. Montum was the owner of the said brown mare, bay horse, brown, blaze-faced pony, gray mare, sorrel horse, bay pony, mouse-colored mare pony, sorrel mare pony, iron-gray pony, dun pony, bay horse, Appaloosa spotted mare, bay pony, and brown pony; spotted red and white and red cows, with three calves; two black cows, twenty head of hogs, twenty-two head of hogs, fifteen hogs, at the times and as stated in said Mary P. Montum's affidavit, and that all of said property was stolen from said Mary P. Montum at the time and as stated in said Mary P. Montum's affidavit. Affiant further says that the entire value of said property was \$1,328.

MARGARET G. SOLOMON,
Sworn.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[Indorsement.]

No. 17—F 40.

WYANDOTT, KANSAS, April 14, 1860.

Catharine Johnson, being sworn, testifies to the truth of the within declaration, and that white men only were known to be committing depredations in the neighborhood at the time.

The items marked 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, amounting to \$730, are allowed.

JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Noah Zane, being sworn, says he is a Wyandott Indian; that when the census of the Wyandotts was taken, pursuant to a division and apportionment of their lands under the provisions of the treaty of 31st January, 1861, he and his wife were from home; that he had one child about seven months old, which had not yet been christened; that the said child was set down, as he supposed, under the name of "infant" that in the apportionment of the lands he supposed the commissioners understood the word "infant" to refer to Alonzo Zane, who was the next youngest child; and that in consequence of this error affiant was deprived of one share in the allotment, which he considers was worth \$600; and affiant further says this error has not been corrected, as he verily believes, and that he never received compensation for it.

NOAH ZANE.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th December, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

(Indorsement.)

No. 18—F. 40.

WYANDOTT, KANSAS, April 14, 1889.

This claim is proved by the patent issued Noah Zane and by the plat book. Allowed, \$600.

JULIUS A. PAY,
JAS. P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

(\$326 50.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Francis Cotter, being first duly sworn, says that he is a Wyandott Indian; that about the month of April, A. D. 1859, there was stolen from him, the said Francis Cotter, one seven years old black horse, worth \$60; also, there was stolen from him, in the fall of A. D. 1856, (1) a yoke of oxen, one red and one brown, the brown ox six years old, the red ox four years old, worth \$50; also, there was stolen from him in the month of July, A. D. 1860, a gray, four years old mare, with colt, worth \$120; also, in the month of March, A. D. 1856, he had stolen from him a speckled, four years old cow, worth \$20; and in the fall of A. D. 1858, another speckled, red and white, three years old cow, worth \$20; and in the summer of A. D. 1857, he had stolen a speckled, one year old heifer, worth \$10; in the fall of 1856, he had stolen from him fifteen hogs, worth \$75; in the fall of 1857, he had stolen from him, in the summer of 1857, one saddle and bridle, saddle worth \$25, and bridle worth \$3 50; also, in the spring of 1858, he had stolen from him one saddle, worth \$18; also, in the fall of 1858, one red and white odd ox, worth \$50, killed, as affiant believes, by William Wren. All of the above described goods and chattels were stolen from affiant at the times above stated, and all taken by persons unknown to affiant; and affiant has neither seen nor heard anything of any said stock or goods since the time stated as their having been stolen, nor has affiant received any compensation for them. The whole value of said property stolen being \$326 50.

FRANCIS COTTER.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Lucinda Forsyth, being duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that she is acquainted with the above named deponent, Francis Cotter. Affiant further says that the foregoing affidavit of Francis Cotter has been carefully read in her hearing. She further saith that the above named Francis Cotter was known to her to be the owner of said black horse, yoke of oxen, gray mare and colt, two speckled cows, speckled heifer, thirty hogs, two saddles and bridle, and odd ox, at the times and as stated in said Francis Cotter's affidavit; and that their value as stated in said Francis Cotter's affidavit, of \$326 50, was no more than their true value. Affiant further saith that the said prop-

erty was stolen from said Francis Cotter, as stated in his affidavit, as this affiant verily believes.

LUCINDA FORESYTH.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

(Indorsement.)

No. 19—F. 40.

This claim has been considered on the testimony of Wm. Walker, John Sorrelas, and others, (see affidavit inclosed in No. 24;) that white men only were known to be committing depredations in the neighborhood at the time.

The item marked 1, amounting to \$50, is allowed.

JULIUS A. PAY,
JAS. P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

WYANDOTT, KANSAS, April 9, 1869.

(\$317.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

John Solomon, being first duly sworn, says that he is a Wyandott Indian; that in the month of October, A. D. 1849, he had stolen from him (1) fifteen hogs, worth \$3 per head, in all worth \$75. In the month of November, A. D. 1850, he had stolen from him (2) ten hogs, worth \$4 per head, in all worth \$40. In October, A. D. 1851, he had (3) eight hogs stolen from him, worth \$4 per head, in all worth \$32. In June, A. D. 1854, he had stolen from him (4) one bay horse colt, two years old, worth \$40. In September, A. D. 1859, one blue-gray old brown horse, worth \$50. In the month of June, A. D. 1861, one fine horse, six years old, worth \$80. Affiant says that all of said property was stolen from affiant at the times and as stated above in this affidavit, and all taken by unknown persons; and affiant has not seen nor been able to hear from any of said property since the time stated in this affidavit as their having been stolen; affiant further says that he has never received any compensation from any of said stock or property. The whole value of said property stolen was \$317.

JOHN ^{to} SOLOMON,
mark.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Mary P. Monture, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that she is acquainted with the above named John Solomon; that the foregoing affidavit of the said John Solomon has been carefully read in her hearing. Affiant further says that she knows, of her own knowledge, that the said John Solomon was the owner of the said thirty-

three hogs, (to wit, the said fifteen hogs in 1849, and ten hogs in 1850, and eight hogs in 1851,) and said bay horse colt, and said brown horse, and said fine horse, as is stated in said John Solomon's affidavit; and that all of said property was stolen from said John Solomon as stated in said John Solomon's affidavit. Affiant further saith that said property was worth \$317.

MARY P. ^{her} MONTURE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

No. 26—P. 40.

This claim has been considered on the testimony of William Walker, John Serrehas, and others, (see affidavit inclosed in No. 24,) that white men only were known at the time to be committing depredations in the neighborhood. The items marked 1, 2, 3, 4, amounting to \$187, are allowed.

JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

WYANDOTT, KANSAS, April 9, 1860.

[§579.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Margrett Barret, being first duly sworn, deposes that she is a Wyandott Indian, and that in 1842, she, with her nation, removed from Ohio to Wyandott, Kansas; that she owned improvements upon land in Ohio, which she left, that they were appraised at \$94, for which she never received any pay; and that in October, A. D. 1848, three were stolen from her, by some person or persons unknown, (1) twenty head of hogs, worth \$100; and in May, A. D. 1854, (2) one red and white cow, worth \$20; (3) one brown yearling, worth \$5; (4) one white yearling steer, worth \$5; and in October, A. D. 1856, twenty-five head of hogs, worth \$125; and in November, A. D. 1857, ten head of hogs, worth \$50; and in September, A. D. 1858, one gray mare, six years old, worth \$80; one bay yearling colt, worth \$20; one bay pony, four years old, worth \$80; and in May, A. D. 1860, one bay colt, one year old, worth \$20; amounting, in the aggregate, to \$579, none of which property has ever been recovered by this affiant, nor has she ever received any compensation or pay for the same; nor has she any knowledge where the same went, or who took it.

MARGRETT ^{her} BARNET.

STATE OF KANSAS, Wyandott County, ss:

At Wyandott, this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861, the foregoing affidavit subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
U. S. Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY:

Margaret Panch, being first duly sworn, deposes that she is a Wyandott Indian, and is well acquainted with Margrett Barret, whose affidavit is on this sheet; and that there was stolen from said Margrett Barret the articles of property described in her affidavit aforesaid, and at the times therein specified; and that said property was of the value stated in said affidavit; and that said affidavit has this day been carefully read to me.

MARGARET ^{her} PUNCH.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
U. S. Indian Agent.

(Inclosed—)

No. 21—P. 40.

This claim has been considered on the testimony of William Walker, John Serrehas, and others, (see affidavit inclosed in No. 24,) that white men only were known to be committing depredations in the neighborhood at the time herein mentioned. The items marked 1, 2, 3, 4, amounting to \$130, are allowed.

JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

WYANDOTT, KANSAS, April 9, 1860.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Amos Cotter, being sworn, says he is a Wyandott Indian; that there were stolen from him, by persons unknown, in the spring of 1856, (1) one bay horse, four years old, worth \$85, and (2) one saddle and bridle, worth \$29.50. About the same time, (3) one iron gray horse, seven years old, worth \$75; and at the same time, (4) one bay pony, four years old, worth \$80; and in 1859, 50. And affiant says, further, that he never recovered any of said property, nor received any compensation for any part of it.

AMOS ^{his} COTTER.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14th December, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
U. S. Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Hiram Cotter, being sworn, says he is acquainted with Amos Cotter, the above-named affiant; that he has had his affidavit carefully read, and that the statements therein contained are true, as he verily believes.

HIRAM ^{his} COTTER.

Sworn to and subscribed in my presence this 14th December, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
U. S. Indian Agent.

[Indorsement.]

No. 22—F. 40.

This claim has been considered on the testimony of William Walker, John Serrehas, and others, (see affidavit inclosed in No. 24,) that white men only were known to be committing depredations in the neighborhood at the time herein specified.

The items marked 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, amounting to \$379 50, are allowed.

JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

WYANDOTT, KANSAS, April 9, 1869.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

[§296.]

Lucinda Foreyth, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that in the month of April, A. D. 1848, there was stolen from her, the said Lucinda Foreyth, (1) one sorrel, four-years-old horse, worth \$50; that in the month of September, A. D. 1848, she had stolen from her three yearlings, one white steer, one speckled black and white steer, and (2) one red heifer, worth six dollars each; in all, worth \$18; that in the month of November, A. D. 1848, she had stolen from her (3) thirty-three hogs, worth \$6 dollars each, in all worth \$198. All of the above stock was stolen from affiant at the times above stated, and all taken by persons unknown to affiant, and affiant has not heard or seen anything of any of said stock since the times stated in this affidavit as their having been stolen. Affiant further says that she has never received any compensation for said stock. The whole value of said stock is \$256.

LUCINDA FOEYTH.

Sworn to and subscribed in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ARBOTT,
U. S. Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Francis Cotter, being first duly sworn, says that he is a Wyandott Indian; that he is acquainted with the above-named deponent, Lucinda Foreyth; that the foregoing affidavit of Lucinda Foreyth has been carefully read in his hearing. Affiant further saith that the above-named Lucinda Foreyth was known to affiant to be the owner of said sorrel horse, said three yearlings, and said thirty-three hogs, at the times and as stated in said Lucinda Foreyth's affidavit, and that they were worth \$256, as stated in said Lucinda Foreyth's affidavit. Affiant further saith that the said horse, yearlings, and hogs were stolen from said Lucinda Foreyth as stated in her affidavit, as this affiant verily believes.

FRANCIS COTTER.

Sworn to and subscribed to in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

[Indorsement.]

No. 23—F. 40.

This claim has been considered on the testimony of William Walker, John Serrehas, and others, (see affidavit inclosed in No. 24,) that white men only were known to be committing depredations in the neighborhood at the time herein specified.

The items marked 1, 2, 3, amounting to \$200, are allowed.

JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

WYANDOTT, KANSAS, April 9, 1869.

Affidavit of Leading Wyandotts.

THE STATE OF KANSAS, Wyandott County:

The undersigned, William Walker, John Serrehas, John D. Brown, William Johnson, Russell Garrett, Henry C. Long, and George Peacock, being duly sworn by the undersigned, a notary public in and for said Wyandott County, on their oaths, do say, that they were each formerly Wyandott Indians, and had resided as such on the Wyandott reservation, west of the Missouri River, mostly since the settlement of said Wyandotts on said reservation. That said Wyandott people were but little molested with depredation on their property on said reservation, except at the periods when the Oregon, California, and Mormon emigrations were passing through their neighborhood, until the settlements begun to be made under the territorial organization of Kansas; but that with such periods of emigrant travel and with the influx of white population in the Territory of Kansas, from 1834 to 1857, depredations on the property of the Indians became of almost every day occurrence, and that they have reason to believe and do verily believe, that more than nine-tenths of all property stolen from them was stolen by said emigration parties and early territorial settlers, commonly known as border ruffians.

WM. WALKER.
JOHN + SERREHAS.
WM. + JOHNSON.
GEO. + PEACOCK.
JOHN D. BROWN.
H. C. LONG.
RUSSELL GARRETT.
W. S. ARMSTRONG.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of April, A. D. 1861,
Witness my name and notarial seal.

[SEAL.]

M. B. NEWMAN,
Notary Public.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

[§225.]

Eliza Bigtree, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian. That in the month of August, 1853, she had stolen from her (1)

one yoke of four-years-old oxen, one black and white, and the other red, with a white line along his back; said oxen worth \$75. Affiant thinks they were stolen by California emigrants. That in the month of July, A. D. 1856, she had stolen from her (2) two three-year-olds, one steer, and one black heifer, worth \$10 each; in all \$20. That in the spring of A. D. 1857 she had stolen from her (3) one yellow white-faced three-years old heifer, worth \$10. That in the month of September, A. D. 1857, she had stolen from her two milch cows, both red, both four or five years old, and together worth \$40. That in the month of October, A. D. 1854, she had stolen from her (4) twenty hogs, worth \$4 each, in all worth \$80. Affiant says that all of said cattle and hogs were stolen from affiant at the times above stated, and all takes by persons unknown to affiant; and affiant has not seen or heard anything of any of said cattle or hogs since the times stated in this affidavit as their having been stolen. Affiant further says that she has never received any compensation for any of said stock. The whole value of said cattle and hogs was \$225.

ELIZA BIGTREE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Lucinda Forsyth, being first duly sworn, says she is a Wyandott Indian. That she is acquainted with the above-named deponent, Eliza Bigtree; that the foregoing affidavit of said Eliza Bigtree has been carefully read in her hearing. Affiant further saith that the above-named Eliza Bigtree was known by affiant to be the owner of said oxen and three three-year-olds, (one steer and two heifers), and of said two cows and twenty hogs, at the times and as set forth in said Eliza Bigtree's foregoing affidavit, and that all of said cattle and hogs were worth \$225, as stated in said Eliza Bigtree's affidavit. Affiant further saith, that said oxen, three-year-olds, cows, and hogs, were stolen from said Eliza Bigtree, as stated in her affidavit, as this affiant verily believes.

LUCINDA FORSYTH.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

No. 14—F. 40.

This claim has been considered on the testimony of William Walker, John Serrelas, and others, (see affidavit inclosed in No. 24,) that white men only were known to be committing depredations in the neighborhood at the time herein specified.

The items marked 1, 2, 3, & 4, amounting to \$185, are allowed.

JULIUS A. FAY,
JAMES P. TAYLOR,
Commissioners.

WYANDOTT, KANSAS, April 9, 1862.

R.—CLAIMS REJECTED.

\$1,245.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

William Johnson, being first duly sworn, deposes that he is a Wyandott Indian, and in July, A. D. 1855, there was stolen from this affiant one saddle and bridle, worth \$30, and one side-saddle, worth \$25; and in October, A. D. 1856, there was stolen from this affiant twenty-five hogs, worth, in the aggregate, \$150; and in the month of May, A. D. 1857, there was stolen from this affiant two light sorrel horses, with blaze in the face, matched, one five years old, the other four years old, worth \$200; and one dun horse, five years old, worth \$90; and in June one brood cow, three years old, worth \$20; one red milch cow, three years old, worth \$20; one red and white spotted cow, four years old, worth \$30; and in November, twenty-five head of hogs, worth, in the aggregate, \$150; and in the month of June, A. D. 1858, there was stolen from this affiant a drove or stock of hogs, shoats and pigs to the number of thirty, worth, in the aggregate, \$60; and in July following, one dark bay horse, eight years old, worth \$100; and in October, A. D. 1858, one sorrel horse with a star in his forehead, ten years old, worth \$75; and in the month of June, A. D. 1859, there was stolen from this affiant one sorrel pony horse, four years old, worth \$35; and in November, A. D. 1859, one bay mare, white spot in forehead, seven years old, worth \$95; and in June, A. D. 1860, there was stolen from this affiant one bald-faced bay horse, four years old, worth \$85; all of said property, amounting to the sum of \$1,245, was stolen by some person or persons unknown, though I suppose a part of it was taken by emigrants to Oregon, and a part by emigrants to California; no part of which property has ever been recovered by me, nor have I ever received any compensation for the same or any part thereof.

WILLIAM JOHNSON.

STATE OF KANSAS, Wyandott, &c.

At Wyandott, this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861, the foregoing affidavit subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY:

Amelia Charloe, being first duly sworn, deposes that she is a Wyandott Indian, and is well acquainted with William Johnson, whose affidavit is on this sheet, which affidavit has been carefully read to me; and I know that said property mentioned in said affidavit was stolen from the said William Johnson at the times mentioned in his affidavit, and was of the value stated in said Johnson's affidavit.

AMELIA CHARLOE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

\$175.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Mary Kattahoo, 34, being duly sworn, says she is a Wyandott Indian, and that there was stolen from her, by persons unknown to her,

in October, 1860, one dark bay mare four years old, worth \$80; one dark bay horse-colt two years old, worth \$60. In October, 1859, one red, white-faced cow, four years old, worth \$20; and one red steer, two years old, worth \$15; in all, \$175; and dependent further says she has never seen or heard of any of said property since stolen, and that she has never received any compensation therefor.

MARY ^{her} KAYRABOO, 3d.
_{mark.}

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19th day of November, 1861.
JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Mary Kayraboo, et., being sworn, says she is acquainted with Mary Kayraboo, 3d, the above affiant, and that she knows the said Mary Kayraboo, 3d, was the owner of the property described in the above affidavit, and that it was stolen from her as therein stated, as she verily believes.

MARY ^{her} KAYRABOO, 8th.
_{mark.}

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19th day of November, 1861.
JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Jacob Whitecrow, being first duly sworn, says that he is a Wyandott Indian; that in the month of April, A. D. 1836, he had stolen from him one six-years-old gray mare, worth \$80; one two-years-old bay colt, worth \$10. In the month of November, A. D. 1837, he had stolen from him one sorrel horse, five years old, worth \$110; in September, A. D. 1835, he had stolen from him one two-years-old black mare, worth \$40; in October, A. D. 1836, he had stolen from him one red and white spotted \$15; in the month of May, A. D. 1836, he had stolen from him one four-years-old bay horse, worth \$90; in October, A. D. 1835, he had stolen from him ten head of fattening hogs, worth \$4 per head; in all, worth \$89; in November, A. D. 1837, he had stolen ten head of store hogs, worth \$2 each; in all worth \$20; in June, A. D. 1832, he had stolen one red heifer, worth \$15. Affiant says that all of said stock was stolen from affiant at the times and as stated above in this affidavit, and it was taken by persons unknown to this affiant. Affiant has not seen nor heard from any of said stock since the times stated in this affidavit as its having been stolen. Affiant has never received any compensation for any of said stock. The whole value of said stock was \$440.

JACOB ^{his} WHITECROW,
_{mark.}

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

James Armstrong, being first duly sworn, says that he is a Wyandott Indian; that he is acquainted with the foregoing affiant, Jacob Whitecrow; that the said foregoing affidavit of the said Jacob Whitecrow has been carefully read over to affiant and affiant made acquainted with its contents; that he knows that said Jacob Whitecrow was the owner of said gray mare, bay colt, sorrel horse, black mare, spotted cow, red cow, bay horse, ten head of fattening hogs, ten head of stock hogs, and red heifer, at the times and as stated in affiant's affidavit, and that all of said stock was stolen from said Jacob Whitecrow, as stated in his affidavit; affiant further says that the entire value of said stock was \$440.

JAMES ^{his} ARMSTRONG.
_{mark.}

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[\$1,107.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Eliza Brown, being duly sworn, says she is a Wyandott Indian; that there was stolen from her in March, 1857, one iron-gray pony, six years old, worth \$60; in May, 1857, one sorrel horse, seven years old, worth \$150; and, at the same time, one saddle and one bridle, worth \$35; in June, 1857, two bay matched horses, ages unknown, worth \$300; and, at the same time, harness, worth \$25; in October, 1858, one gray horse, eight years old, cost \$130; in July, 1861, one dan Mexican pony, nine years old, worth \$20; and, at the same time, one saddle and one bridle, worth \$12, stolen by a man in Captain Harris's company; in the summer of 1860, one black mare, ten years old, worth \$70; about the same time, one bay mare, five years old, worth \$75; about the same time, one bay horse, four years old, worth \$65; about the same time, one gray mare, three years old, worth \$60; at the same time, one light bay colt, two years old, worth \$45—in all, \$1,107; all of which property was stolen from affiant as above stated, except the span of horses, worth \$300, which was taken by a stranger who said he resided in Lawrence, and promised to return the property, but of whom affiant heard no more; and she further says she has never seen nor heard of any of said property since it was taken, nor received any compensation for it.

ELIZA ^{her} + BROWN.
_{mark.}

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of November, 1861.
JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Isaac W. Zane, being duly sworn, says she is a Wyandott Indian, and is acquainted with Eliza Brown, the above affiant; and having heard the above affidavit read in her presence, says she knows the affiant, Eliza Brown, was the owner of the property therein enumerated at the several dates therein specified, and that it was of the value named in the affi-

davit, and that it was lost in the manner at the times stated, as she verily believes.

ISAAC W. ^{his} + ZANE ^{mark}

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of November, 1861.
JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Eliza Jane, now Eliza Connelly, being sworn, says she is a Wyandott Indian; that she was not present at the payment in October, 1855, expecting some member of her mother's family to receive and deliver to her her proportion of the money to be paid to the Wyandott's at that time; that she afterward understood objections had been raised to pay the money to her brother, and that the agent, Major Robert Miller, says she did not, at that time nor at any time since, receive the annuity due her at said payment; that the amount paid to the Wyandotts per capita at that time was \$138, which sum is still due her from the United States.

ELIZA R. COOPLY.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th December, 1861.
JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Margaret Punch, being first duly sworn, deposes that she is a Wyandott Indian, and that in the month of May, A. D. 1858, there was stolen from this affiant, by some person or persons unknown, one brown horse, three years old, worth \$80; and in May, A. D. 1859, one brown colt, two years old, worth \$20; one bay pony, one year old, worth \$10; one extra good horse, of a bay color, worth \$125; one saddle, worth \$15; all of the value of \$260; none of which property has ever been recovered, nor has this affiant ever received any pay for said property or for any part thereof.

MARGARET + PUNCH ^{her} ^{mark}

STATE OF KANSAS, Wyandott County, ss:

At Wyandott this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861, the foregoing affidavit subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY:

Margaret Barnet, being duly sworn, deposes that she is a Wyandott Indian, and that she is acquainted with Margaret Punch, whose affidavit is on this sheet, which has this day been carefully read to this affiant, and that there was stolen from said Margaret Punch the articles of

property named in her affidavit, at the times therein mentioned, and that said property was of the value stated in said affidavit.

MARGARET + BARNET ^{her} ^{mark}

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Margaret Pipe, being first duly sworn, says she is a Wyandott Indian; that in June, A. D. 1856, she had stolen from her one seven-year-old bay horse, worth \$90; one brown six-year-old horse, worth \$125. In September, A. D. 1856, she had stolen from her one black five-year-old horse, with saddle and bridle, worth \$100; one five-year-old black mare with yearling colt, together, worth \$100. In August, A. D. 1858, she had stolen from her one two-year-old colt, sorrel, worth \$30. In December, A. D. 1859, she had stolen from her one red and white spotted cow, four years old, worth \$28. In November, A. D. 1857, she had stolen from her one four-year-old white and red cow, worth \$15; one black four-year-old steer, worth \$25; one red yearling heifer, worth \$3; one white yearling heifer, worth \$5; one saddle, stolen out of stable, worth \$20. All the above property was stolen at the times stated above and by persons unknown to affiant, and affiant has never seen or heard from any of said property since the times stated above as their having been stolen. Affiant says that she has never received any compensation for any of said property since stolen. The entire value of said property was \$325.

MARGARET + PIPE ^{her} ^{mark}

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Terresa Lony, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that she is acquainted with the foregoing affiant, Margaret Pipe; that the foregoing affidavit of said Margaret Pipe has been carefully read to affiant and the contents thereof made known to her; that affiant knows that said Margaret Pipe was the owner of said bay horse, brown horse, black horse with saddle and bridle, black mare, yearling colt, sorrel two-year-old colt, spotted cow and another spotted cow, black steer, red yearling heifer, white yearling heifer, and saddle, at the times and as stated in said Margaret's affidavit, and that they were stolen as there stated. Affiant says all of said property was worth \$325.

TERRESA + LONY ^{her} ^{mark}

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

[8770.]

James Armstrong, being first duly sworn, says that he is a Wyandott Indian; that in the month of February, A. D. 1836, he had stolen from her of the same year he had stolen one bay six-years-old horse, worth \$50; and one heaver six-years-old mare worth \$80; in the month of November, A. D. 1837, he had stolen from him one light sorrel horse seven years old, worth \$110, and one bay half-faced three-years-old horse, worth \$60; in the month of October, A. D. 1837, he had stolen from him fifteen hogs, worth \$3 each, in all worth \$45, and one three-years-old April he had burned, being set on fire, as affiant supposed, by an incendiary, one log cabin, used as the dwelling-house of affiant, worth \$100; household furniture burned with the cabin, worth \$200; affiant says that all of said stock was stolen from affiant, and said log cabin and furniture were burned at the times and as stated above in this affidavit, and all of said stock was stolen and said cabin was set on fire by persons unknown to this affiant. Affiant has not seen or heard from any of said stock since the time stated in this affidavit as its having been stolen; affiant further says that he has never received any compensation for any of said stock or for said cabin and household furniture; the whole value of said stock, cabin, and of said cabin and furniture, is \$770.

his
JAMES + ARMSTRONG,

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861,

United States Indian Agent,

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Jacob Whitecrow, being first duly sworn, says that he is a Wyandott Indian; that he is acquainted with the foregoing affiant, James Armstrong; that the foregoing affidavit of James Armstrong has been carefully read to me in my hearing, and I am acquainted with its contents. Affiant further says that he knows that the said James Armstrong was the owner of said bay pony, bay horse, brown mare, light sorrel horse, bay half-faced horse, fifteen hogs, white steer, and saddle, and also of said log cabin and furniture, at the times and as stated in said James Armstrong's affidavit, and that all of said stock was stolen from said James Armstrong, and said log cabin and furniture was burned at the times and as stated in said James Armstrong's affidavit, and that the entire value of said property was \$770.

his
JACOB + WHITECROW,

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

[8325.]

Sarah Armstrong, now Mrs. Johnson, being first duly sworn, deposes

that she is a Wyandott Indian, and that in the month of August, A. D. 1857, there was stolen from her by some person or persons unknown one sorrel mare with a star in the forehead, seven years old, worth \$175; and in November of the same year one yoke of red oxen, worth \$75; and in the month of April, A. D. 1858, one yoke of brindle oxen, eight years old, worth \$75; and this affiant has no knowledge where said property went to, nor has she ever recovered any of said property or received pay for any of the same.

SARAH JOHNSON.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of November, 1861.
JAS. B. ABBOTT.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Patrick McMahon, being sworn, says he is acquainted with the above named affiant, Sarah Johnson, and knows her to have been the owner of the property described in her affidavit as above given, and that it was worth \$125, and that it was stolen as stated by said affiant, as he verily believes.

PATRICK McMAHON.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th November, 1861.
JAS. B. ABBOTT.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

[8195.]

Peter Bearskin, being first duly sworn, deposes that he is a Wyandott Indian, and that in the month of May, A. D. 1861, there was stolen from him by some person or persons unknown, one bay pony, seven years old, worth \$60; one dark brown horse, five years old, worth \$20; one bay mare, four years old, worth \$40; one red and white cow, four years old, worth \$15, one two-years-old black and white, worth \$10; all of the value of \$195; none of which property has ever been recovered by this affiant, nor has he ever received any pay for the same or any part thereof, nor does this affiant know where said property is or who took it.

his
PETER + BEARSKIN,

STATE OF KANSAS, Wyandott County, ss:

At Wyandott, this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861, the foregoing affidavit subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY:

James Pescoe, being duly sworn, deposes that he is a Wyandott Indian and is well acquainted with Peter Bearskin, whose affidavit is on this sheet, which has this day been carefully read to him, and that there was stolen from the said Peter Bearskin in the spring of this year, 1861, the animals mentioned in the affidavit of the said Peter Bearskin,

and that the several animals were worth the sum stated in said affidavit.

^{his}
JAMES + PEACOCK,
^{mark.}

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 15th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas:* [§330.

Jesse Geimce, being first duly sworn, says that he is a Wyandott Indian; that in the month of April, A. D. 1859, he had stolen from him one black horse, eight years old, worth \$100, and at same time one cream-colored horse, nine years old, worth \$100; both of said horses supposed to be stolen by Pike's Peak emigrants; that in July, A. D. 1859, he had stolen from him one red three-years-old mare, worth \$25, and also in same month one black three-years-old mare, worth \$50; that in September, A. D. 1859, he had stolen from him one bay colt, one year old, worth \$25; that in the month of October, A. D. 1859, he had stolen from him six hogs worth \$3 each, in all worth \$18. Affiant says that all of said horses, cow, colt, and hogs were stolen from him at the times above-stated, and all taken by persons unknown to affiant except as above stated, and affiant has not seen or heard anything of any of said creatures since the times stated in this affidavit as their having been stolen. Affiant further says that he has never received any compensation for any of said horses, hogs, cows, or colt, and that the whole value of them was \$330.

^{his}
JESSE + GEIMCE,
^{mark.}

Sworn to before me, and subscribed to in my presence, this 19th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas:*

William Johnson, being first duly sworn, says that he is a Wyandott Indian; that he is acquainted with the above-named deponent, Jesse Geimce; that the foregoing affidavit of the said Jesse Geimce has been carefully read in the hearing of affiant. Affiant further saith that said Jesse Geimce was known by affiant to be the owner of said black and cream-colored horse, also of said red cow and black mare, set forth in said Jesse Geimce's affidavit, and that all of said stock was worth \$330. Affiant further saith that said horses, cow, and hogs and colt, were stolen from said Jesse Geimce, as stated in his said affidavit, as this affiant believes.

^{his}
WILLIAM + JOHNSON,
^{mark.}

Sworn to before me, and subscribed to in my presence, this 19th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas:* [§277.

Mary Kayraboo, 3d, being duly sworn, says she is a Wyandott Indian, and that she is a sister and only heir of James Kayraboo, deceased, and that the said James Kayraboo, deceased, had stolen from him by persons unknown in August, 1860, one roan horse, five years old, worth \$125, and at the same time one saddle worth \$20, and one bridle worth \$7, in all \$157; also, in the summer of 1858, one iron-gray horse, six years old, worth \$120, in all \$277. And deponent further says that the said James Kayraboo, deceased, never did, as she verily believes, ever recover any of the above-described property, nor receive any compensation therefor.

^{her}
MARY + KAYRABOO, 3d,
^{mark.}
Heir to James Kayraboo, deceased.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19th day of November, 1861.
JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas:*

Mary Kayraboo, sr., being sworn, says that she was acquainted with the James Kayraboo, deceased, mentioned in the above affidavit, and that she knew him to be the owner of the property described in the above affidavit of Mary Kayraboo, 3d, and that the said property was stolen as therein stated, as she verily believes; and affiant further says she is acquainted with Mary Kayraboo, 3d, the above affiant, and that she knows her to be the sister and only heir of James Kayraboo, deceased, mentioned in the above affidavit.

^{her}
MARY + KAYRABOO, SR.
^{mark.}

Sworn to before me, and subscribed to in my presence, this 19th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas, Wyandott, sr.:* [§418.

Silas M. Greyeyes, being first duly sworn, says that he is a Wyandott Indian; that in the month of June, 1856, there was clandestinely taken or stolen from him, by some person or persons to him unknown, one dark gray horse, four years old, of the value of \$80; one sorrel mare, five years old, valued at \$70; one fine black pony, seven years old, of the value of \$80; one gray mare, five years old, of the value of \$20; one bay pony, three years old, of the value of \$40; and in the month of May, A. D. 1859, there was also taken from him as aforesaid one bay mare, eight years old, of the value of \$80; one dapple-gray pony, four years old, of the value of \$80; one bay mare, three years old, of the value of \$30; and that A. D. 1857, there was also taken or stolen from him as above one brindle ox and one white ox, both valued at \$80; also one pair or yoke of oxen, five years old, one red, the other red with white spots, of the value of \$80; one cow, and with white spots, of the value of \$20; one three-years-old red heifer, of the value of \$15;

and that in October, A. D. 1857, there was stolen or taken from him as aforesaid twenty hogs of the value of \$5 each; and in November, A. D. 1858, there was also taken or stolen as aforesaid fifteen hogs, of the value of \$75; and that in October, 1859, there was taken or stolen from him as above stated twelve hogs of the value of \$48; all of the value of \$918; that he has not seen or heard of anything from said stock since taken, nor has he ever in any way received any pay for the same or any part thereof.

SILAS M. GREYEVES.
his mark.

At Wyandott, this 14th day of December, 1861, the foregoing affidavit subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

STATE OF KANSAS, Wyandott, ss:

I, Mary P. Munton, depose and say that I am acquainted with Silas M. Greeyes and his property; that the affidavit of said Greeyes hereto attached has been carefully read to this deponent; and I further say that said Silas M. Greeyes was, in 1856, owner of a dark-gray horse, a sorrel mare, a black pony, a gray mare, one bay pony; and that in 1859 he had two bay mares, one was a young one, and a young pony, dapple gray; and that in 1857 he owned a yoke of oxen, one brindle, one white; also a yoke of oxen, one red, the other red with white spots; one cow of the same color, and a red heifer; and that he had, in 1857, a large drove of hogs, as many as twenty; and, in 1858, another drove, as many as fifteen; and that, in 1859, he had a drove of a dozen hogs or more; and that all of said property was stolen from said Greeyes, as stated in his affidavit; and that the valuation, as stated in the affidavit of said Greeyes, is a fair valuation of said property.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Nancy Garrett, being sworn, says she is a Wyandott Indian; that about the first of May, 1855, there was stolen from her, by persons unknown, one two-years-old colt, worth \$25; in September, 1858, one large bay horse, nine years old, worth \$80; in August, 1861, one large black horse, worth \$150; in December, 1861, one black horse, six years old, worth \$80; in March, 1860, two large sows worth \$10 each, \$20, and nine large hogs worth \$5 each, \$72; in October, 1861, twenty-five hogs worth \$5 each, \$125; and in October, 1859, one large red ox, five years old, worth \$40, in all, \$592; and affiant further says she never recovered any of said property, nor received any compensation for it.

NANCY GARRETT.

Sworn to and subscribed before this 14th December, 1861,

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Edward Garrett, being sworn, says he is acquainted with Nancy Garrett, the above-named affiant, and that he has heard her affidavit care-

fully read, and that the statements therein contained are true, to the best of his knowledge and belief.

EDWARD GARRETT.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14th December, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[§150.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Mary Littlechief, being duly sworn, says she is a Wyandott Indian; that about the month of September, 1858, there was stolen from her, by persons unknown, one bay horse, eight years old, worth \$80; and in the summer of 1860, one bay pony, four years old, worth \$40; and in the winter of 1858, one side-saddle, worth \$30, stolen from her house by persons unknown to her, in all \$150. And deponent further says that she never recovered any of the above described property, nor received any compensation therefor.

MARY + LITTLECHIEF.
her mark.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19th day of November, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Mary Cook, being sworn, says she is acquainted with Mary Littlechief, the above-named affiant, and that she knows her to have been the owner of the property described in her affidavit, and that it was worth \$150, and that it was stolen as stated by said affiant, as she verily believes.

MARY + COOK.
her mark.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19th day of November, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[§495.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Sassannah Robertaille, being sworn, says she is a Wyandott Indian; that there was stolen from her, by persons unknown, in November, 1857, one brindle steer, one and a half year old, worth \$10; and one brindle cow, four or five years old, worth \$30; in the summer of 1857, one sorrel horse, age unknown, worth \$30; in June, 1859, one sorrel horse, white face, two years old, worth \$70; in the summer of 1859, one sorrel mare, two and a half years old, worth \$0; also, in the summer of 1857, one bay horse, six years old, worth \$80, stolen, as she believes, by a man named Todd; in January, 1856, one bay horse, seven years old, worth \$125; and in the summer of 1859, two sows, and fifteen fine shoats, worth \$80, in all \$495. And she says further that she never recovered any of said property, nor received any compensation for it.

SUSANNAH + ROBERTAILLE.
her mark.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 12th December, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas* :

Eliza Brown, being sworn, says she has heard the above affidavit carefully read; that she is acquainted with the affiant, Susannah Hobertallie, and that she knows the said Susannah was the owner of the property therein described, and that it was of the value therein stated, and was stolen as stated in the above affidavit.

ELIZA BROWN,
her mark.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th December, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY,

State of Kansas, Wyandott, ss:

[§612.]

James Barnett, being duly sworn, says that he is a Wyandott Indian; that in September, A. D. 1856, there was clandestinely taken or stolen from him, by some person or persons to him unknown, one chestnut sorrel horse, with a blaze in his face, five years old, of the value of \$125; and in February, A. D. 1858, one extra light sorrel horse, white face, four years old, of the value of \$125; and in September, A. D. 1859, one brown mare, fifteen years old, of the value of \$40; in April, A. D. 1861, one three-years-old dark brown horse pony, of the value of \$45; at same time, one sorrel mare pony, three years old, of the value of \$40; and A. D. 1858, in November, one black mare, two years old, of the value of \$50; and in April, A. D. 1859, one white and black spotted cow, eight years old, of the value of \$25; and during the summer of 1859, one brown cow, five years old, valued at \$25; and one red cow, three years old, valued at \$20; one black cow, three years old, valued at \$20; one red and white ox, five years old, valued at \$30; one two-years-old steer, black and white, valued at \$12; and in October, A. D. 1857, ten hogs, valued at \$50; and in September, A. D. 1858, five hogs, valued at \$25; one saddle and bridle, taken from a horse in Wyandott City in October, A. D. 1860, valued at \$20. All of said property stolen from affiant at the time above stated. None of said property has ever been recovered, nor has this affiant ever received any compensation for the same, or any part thereof, or heard from the same since taken, and all of the value of §612.

JAMES BARNETT.

At Wyandott, this 30th day of November, A. D. 1861; the foregoing affidavit subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

STATE OF KANSAS, Wyandott, ss:

Hannah Armstrong depose and say that I am a Wyandott Indian; that I am acquainted with James Barnett and his property; that James Barnett's affidavit has been carefully read to me, and that I know the said James Barnett owned, and had stolen from him at the times stated in his affidavit, one chestnut-sorrel horse, of the value of \$125; one light sorrel horse, of the value of \$40; one black mare, two years old, valued at \$50; one black and white cow, eight years old, valued at \$25; one brown, five-

years-old cow, valued at \$25; one red cow, three years old, valued at \$20; one black cow, three years old, worth \$20; one odd ox, worth \$30; one two-years-old steer, worth \$12; ten hogs, worth \$50, and five hogs, worth \$25; one saddle and bridle, worth \$20; one dark brown pony, worth \$45; in all §630, as she verily believes.

HANNAH ARMSTRONG,
her mark.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 30th day of November, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY,

State of Kansas, Wyandott County:

[§382.]

John Barnett, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is a Wyandott Indian, and that in the month of June, A. D. 1858, there was stolen from him, by a person or persons unknown, one dark bay horse, eight years old, worth \$100; one two-years-old steer, black, with white spots, worth \$18; one red and white cow, six years old, worth \$20; one red cow, eight years old, worth \$18. In the month of July, A. D. 1859, one red cow, eight years old, worth \$25; one white cow, five years old, and calf, worth \$30; one yearling steer, red, white face, worth \$10; one red and white bull, seven years old, worth \$30; one bay horse, six years old, stolen in August, A. D. 1860, worth \$125. I further depose that I have no knowledge when said property went, though I suspect some was stolen by Pike's Peak emigrants, and some by bushwhackers in this region, and that I have never received anything for any of said property, and that the aggregate value thereof is §382.

JOHN BARNETT.

STATE OF KANSAS, Wyandott, ss:

At Wyandott, this 19th day of November, A. D. 1861, the foregoing affidavit subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas* :

Hannah Armstrong, being duly sworn, deposes that she is a Wyandott Indian, and is acquainted with John Barnett and his property, and that A. D. 1858, in June, said Barnett lost by theft one dark bay horse, eight years old, worth \$100; and in August, A. D. 1860, one other fine dark bay horse, worth \$125; in June, A. D. 1858, one two-years-old steer, black and white, worth \$18; one white two-years-old steer, worth \$15; one red and white cow, worth \$20; in July, A. D. 1859, one red cow, worth \$25; one white cow and calf, worth \$30; one yearling steer, worth \$10; one red and white bull, worth \$30; all of said property stolen at the dates mentioned in said John Barnett's affidavit, which has been carefully read to me this day, and in which statements I concur.

HANNAH ARMSTRONG,
her mark.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 19th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

[§430.

Sarah Armstrong, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that in the month of September, A. D. 1858, she had stolen from her one five-years-old lay mare, worth \$90; in the month of May, A. D. 1859, she had stolen from her one black mare, seven years old, worth \$50, and one two-years-old bay colt, worth \$40, and one yearling colt, worth \$20, and one sorrel horse, four years old, worth \$100; in the month of September, A. D. 1861, she had stolen from her one bay bold-faced horse, five years old, worth \$100, and one cow and calf, both spotted; red and white cow, five years old, together worth \$30. And affiant says that all of said horses, and cow and calf, were stolen from her at the times and as stated above in this affidavit, and all stolen by persons unknown to this affiant; and affiant says that she has not seen or heard anything of said horses, of said cow and calf, since the times stated above as their having been stolen. Affiant further says that the entire value of said horses and cow and calf was \$430.

SARAH ^{her} + ARMSTRONG.
_{mark.}

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
*United States Indian Agent.*SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Margaret Punch, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that she is acquainted with Sarah Armstrong, the foregoing affiant; that she said foregoing affidavit of Sarah Armstrong has been carefully read to her in her hearing, and its contents made known to her. Affiant further says that she knows that the said Sarah Armstrong was the owner of the said bay mare, black mare, bay colt, yearling colt, sorrel horse, bay bold-faced horse, and cow and calf, at the times and as stated in said Sarah's affidavit; and that all of said stock was stolen from said Sarah Armstrong at the times and as stated in said Sarah's affidavit. Affiant further says that the entire value of said property was \$430.

MARGARET ^{her} + PUNCH.
_{mark.}

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
*United States Indian Agent.*SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

[§435.

Susan White, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that in the month of June, A. D. 1858, she had stolen from her one dun horse, eight years old, worth \$100; in October, A. D. 1858, she had stolen from her one gray horse, three years old, worth \$50; in May, 1859, she had stolen one sorrel mare, four years old, worth \$30; in

June, A. D. 1858, she had stolen one red cow, three years old, worth \$25; in October, A. D. 1858, she had stolen six hogs, worth \$5 each, in all worth \$30; in November, A. D. 1859, she had stolen four hogs, worth \$5 each, in all worth \$20; and one saddle and bridle, worth \$30. All of said property was stolen by persons unknown to affiant; and affiant has never received any compensation for any of said property, nor has affiant seen or heard from any of said property since the times stated above as its having been stolen. Affiant further says that the entire value of said property was \$363.

SUSAN ^{her} + WHITE.
_{mark.}

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
*United States Indian Agent.*SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Susan G. Zane, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that she is acquainted with the foregoing affiant, Susan White, and that said affidavit has been carefully read in the hearing of affiant, and its contents made known to affiant. Affiant further says that she knows that the said Susan White was the owner of said dun horse, gray horse, sorrel mare, red cow, six hogs, four hogs, and saddle and bridle, worth altogether \$363; and that all of said property was stolen from said Susan White at the times and as stated in said Susan's affidavit.

SUSAN G. ^{her} + ZANE.
_{mark.}

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
*United States Indian Agent.*SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

[§439.

Isaac B. Zane, being sworn, says he is a Wyandott Indian; that in March, 1857, there was stolen from him, by persons unknown, one white cow, 7 years old, worth \$15, and at the same time, one yearling calf, worth \$10; in May, 1858, eight hogs, worth \$5 each, \$40; in October, 1857, one red and white steer, three years old, worth \$30, and at the same time, one red heifer, three years old, worth \$15; in August, 1857, twenty-one hogs, worth \$10 each, \$210; in November, 1858, one speckled part Durham cow, six years old, worth \$75; in September, 1859, ten hogs, worth \$5 each, \$50; in November, 1859, one red heifer, nearly three years old, worth \$10; in October, 1861, one large hog, worth \$15, in all \$460. And affiant further says that he has never recovered any of said property, nor received any compensation therefor.

I. R. ZANE.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 20th November, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Ebenzer O. Zane, being sworn, says he is acquainted with the above-named affiant, Isaac H. Zane, and that he knows the said affiant was the owner of the property described in his affidavit, and that it was worth \$500; and that it was stolen as stated in said affidavit, as he verily believes.

E. O. ZANE.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th November, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[§80.

William Walker, a member of the Wyandott tribe of Indians, in the State of Kansas, after being duly sworn, deposes and says, that some time in May, 1855, a mare and colt were stolen from him under the following circumstances: The mare and colt were taken from their usual range by white people, as deponent has reason to believe, and taken as far as the Delaware Indian settlement, on a stream called the Stranger, and there either abandoned, or they got away. The said mare and colt were afterward taken up as strays by a Delaware Indian, name not recollected now, and deceased. But before deponent could send a messenger and the proof of ownership, in order to recover the said mare and colt, the latter were stolen from the Delaware by a company of emigrant Mormons, as the said Delaware stated; and from the known character of the latter for strict integrity and honesty, deponent verily believes they were stolen as stated by the Delaware; deponent mare was a strawberry roan, heavily and stoutly built, seven years old; the colt value, \$75. The colt was two years old, the sire of blooded stock, valued at \$30, making \$80. Deponent further declares that he has never seen nor heard of said animals since, nor has he ever received any compensation or indemnity for the said lost property.

WIL. WALKER.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 19th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY,

State of Kansas, Wyandott County, as:

Amelia and Lucy Charloe, being duly sworn, depose and say that in October, A. D. 1855, there were stolen from them of their joint property, by some person or persons to them and each of them unknown, ten hogs of the value of \$30; and that in January, A. D. 1856, they had their dwelling house and its contents destroyed by fire, which dwelling house was of the value of \$800. The furniture in said house and consumed with the house was worth \$300, and the wearing apparel of these affiants also consumed in said house was worth the sum of \$100.

We further depose that we are Indians, members of the Wyandott nation, and that said house, furniture, and clothing were, as we and each of us severally believe, consumed by a fire, which fire was set and lighted, as we believe, by one Anthony Hat, now deceased, and one Silas

[§1,250.

McGregory. We further depose and say that we neither of us have ever received any pay or compensation for said hogs stolen from us, nor have we any knowledge of them since they were taken, nor for the house and goods, except \$181 which was collected of the Indians, and that the aggregate value of all of said property is \$1,250.

AMELIA + CHARLOE.

LUCY A. CHARLOE.

STATE OF KANSAS, Wyandott, as:

At Wyandott, this 30th day of November, A. D. 1861, the foregoing affidavit subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
*United States Indian Agent.*SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Elizabeth Peacock, being first duly sworn, says that she is Wyandott; that she is acquainted with the above named Amelia and Lucy Charloe, and their property; and that in October, A. D. 1855, the said Amelia and Lucy Charloe lost ten hogs that were worth in the aggregate \$50, which were stolen.

That in January, A. D. 1856, their house and its contents were burned, and must have been set on fire by some wicked and evil-disposed person. That said house was worth \$800, and that the furniture consumed in the house was worth \$300, and that the clothing consumed in the said fire was worth \$100, as this affiant verily believes.

ELIZABETH + PEACOCK.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th November, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[§2,163.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

John D. Brown, being sworn, says he is a Wyandott Indian; that there were stolen from him by persons unknown, in October, 1856, one brown mare, four years old, and colt, worth \$40; one three-year-old dun colored colt in August, 1857, worth \$60; in May, 1857, one bay pony, six years old, worth \$40; in September, 1857, twenty hogs, worth eight dollars each, \$160; in September, 1858, twenty-nine hogs, worth eight dollars each, \$231; in September, 1859, seventy-seven hogs, worth four dollars each, \$308; in November, 1858, two speckled steers, two years old, worth \$30; and at the same time one yearling heifer, red color, with white face, worth \$4; in January, 1859, one rifle gun, worth \$30; in August, 1858, \$1,100 in gold stolen from my safe, as I believe, by a grocery-keeper in Wyandott City; in all \$2,163; and affiant further says he has never recovered any of said property, nor received any compensation therefor.

JOHN D. BROWN.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of November, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas* :

[§173.]

Isaac Z. Long, being first duly sworn, says that he is a Wyandott Indian; that in the month of October, A. D. 1839, he had stolen from him one seven-year-old sorrel mare, worth \$180. In the month of November, of the same year, he had stolen from him one dark bay horse, nine years old, worth \$75—both said mare and horse taken by persons unknown to affiant; and affiant says that he has never seen or heard anything from said mare or horse since October and November, A. D. 1839, and that he has never received any compensation whatever for either said mare or said horse, and that the mare and horse together were worth \$175.

ISAAC Z. LONG.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this — day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas* :

Noah Zane, being first duly sworn, says he is a Wyandott Indian; that he is acquainted with the foregoing affiant, Isaac Long; that he knows that in October, A. D. 1839, said Isaac was the owner of one seven-year-old sorrel mare, worth \$180, and that during said October said mare was stolen from said Isaac by some unknown person. Affiant further says that in November, A. D. 1839, said Isaac was the owner of one dark bay nine-year-old horse, worth \$75; and during said November said horse was stolen from said Isaac by some person unknown to this affiant. Affiant has never seen or heard from said horses since stolen as aforesaid, as he verily believes.

NOAH ZANE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this — day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas* :

[§640.]

Ebenezer O. Zane, being sworn, says he is a Wyandott Indian; that in September, 1857, there were stolen from him by one Thomas Robinson, as he believes, two four-year-old steers, and in the same month three five-year-old red steers, worth on an average about \$25 each; in October, 1857, by persons unknown, two red steers, four years old, worth \$25 each; at the same time, two white spotted cows, three years old, worth \$30 each; in June, 1859, one red and white spotted cow, seven years old, worth \$20; in December, 1859, one brindle heifer, three years old, worth \$15; in November, 1868, one sorrel horse, five years old, worth \$100; in December, 1839, one black mare pony, three years old, worth \$40; in September, 1868, twenty hogs, worth \$6 each; during the summer and fall of 1859, twenty-four hogs, worth \$5 each; and on the 27th of March, 1860, one fine bear, worth \$15—in all \$640; and affiant further

says he never recovered any of said property nor received compensation for any of it.

E. O. ZANE.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14th day of November, 1861.
JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT INDIAN AGENCY, *State of Kansas* :

Isaac E. Zane, being sworn, says he is acquainted with Ebenezer O. Zane, the above-named affiant; that he has heard his affidavit carefully read, and that the statements therein contained are true, as he verily believes.

I. E. ZANE.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14th day of December, 1861.
JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas* :

[§190.]

Jane Jackson, being first duly sworn, deposes that she is a Wyandott Indian; and that in April, A. D. 1863, there were stolen from her, by some person or persons unknown, one iron-gray mare, three years old, worth \$80; and one gray colt, worth \$20—all of the value of \$100; and that she has no knowledge what became of said animals, nor has she ever recovered them or received any pay or compensation for them from any quarter.

JANE + JACKSON.
mark.

STATE OF KANSAS, *Wyoosung, ss* :

At Wyandott, this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861, the foregoing affidavit subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas* :

Susan G. Zane, being sworn, says she is acquainted with Jane Jackson, the above-named affiant, and she knows the said affiant to have been the owner of the property described in her affidavit, and that it was of the value therein stated, and that it was stolen at the times named, and that the said affiant never recovered or received any compensation therefor, as she verily believes.

SUSAN G. ZANE.

Sworn to and subscribed in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas* :

Elizabeth Catter, being sworn, says she is a Wyandott Indian; that she is the guardian of Mary Jane Williams, an orphan and a Wyandott

Indian; that the said Mary Jane Williams was heir to one bay mare, seven years old, worth \$80; one brown pony, five years old, worth \$70, and one dark chestnut horse, seven years old, worth \$75; that the two animals first named were stolen, as this affiant believes, by a man named Eaton, in September, 1860, and the third described animal was stolen by persons unknown about the 1st of November, 1861, and that none of the above-described property (valued in all at \$225) has been recovered or any compensation therefor received.

ELIZABETH ^{her} COTTER.
_{mark.}

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of November, 1861.
JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Peter Charloe, being sworn, says he is acquainted with the above named affiant, Elizabeth Cotter, and with her ward, Mary Jane Williams, named in the above affidavit, and that he knows the said Mary Jane Williams was the heir to and owner of the property described in the above affidavit, and that it was of the value therein stated, and was stolen as stated in said affidavit, as he verily believes.

PETER ^{his} CHARLOE.
_{mark.}

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of November, 1861.
JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Peter Charloe, being first duly sworn, says he is a Wyandott Indian, and that in the spring of 1859 he had stolen from him one dark bay horse, seven years old; said horse was very fine, and cost him \$150, and was worth that sum when he was stolen; and he says, further, that in the spring of 1858 he had stolen from him one white and black cow, seven years old, worth \$25; and the same spring he had stolen one colt, three years old, worth \$25; and that the whole amounted to \$200; and that he has never recovered any of the above property, nor received any pay for any part of it.

PETER ^{his} CHARLOE.
_{mark.}

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 30th day of November, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Susan G. Zane, being first duly sworn, deposes that she is a Wyandott Indian, and that in the month of July, A. D. 1857, there were stolen from her by some person or persons unknown, one bay horse, three years

old, worth \$125; and in the month of June, A. D. 1858, one black horse, six years old, worth \$160, one brown horse, six years old, worth \$110; one saddle and bridle, worth \$35—all of the value of \$370; that she has never recovered any of said property, or received any pay for the same, or any part thereof, and has no knowledge where the same went.

SUSAN G. ZANE.

STATE OF KANSAS, Wyandott County, ss:

At Wyandott, this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861, the foregoing affidavit subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[8675.]

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas, ss:

Mary Kayraho, Jr., being duly sworn, says she is a Wyandott Indian; that there were stolen from her in March, 1858, by persons unknown, one iron gray horse, five years old, worth \$120; in September, of the same year, one bay mare, four years old, worth \$80; and at the same time one bay mare colt, two years old, worth \$50; at the same time, one black mare, three years old, worth \$90; and one sorrel colt, two years old, worth \$20; in January, 1861, one black mare, four years old, worth \$70; in March, 1861, one pale sorrel, white faced horse, three years old, worth \$60; and one white horse, four years old, worth \$85; stolen, as she believes, by a soldier in the service of the United States; also, in July, 1860, one red, white faced cow, six years old, worth \$30, stolen, as she believes, by a butcher in Wyandott City; one red cow, five years old, worth \$25; one black brindle cow, three years old, worth \$20; all the cattle were stolen, as she believes, by the butcher before mentioned. And one new side saddle, worth \$25, stolen by some person not known. And deponent says she has never seen or heard of any of said property since it was stolen, nor received any compensation therefor—in all \$675.

MARY ^{her} + KAYRAHO, JR.
_{mark.}

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of November, 1861.
JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Mary Kayraho, Sr., being sworn, says she is a Wyandott Indian, and that she is acquainted with the within named affiant, and that she was the owner of the property described in her affidavit at the times therein specified, and that it was stolen, as therein set forth, as she verily believes.

MARY ^{her} + KAYRAHO.
_{mark.}

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 13th day of December, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

[§155.]

Harriet W. McMullen, being sworn, says she is a Wyandott Indian; that there was stolen from her, by persons unknown, in February, 1838, one dark bay mare, worth \$75; one sorrel colt, three years old, worth \$50; and one yearling colt, worth \$30—in all \$155. And affiant further says she never recovered any of above property, nor received any compensation therefor.

HARRIET W. McMULLEN,

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of November, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

David P. Clement, being sworn, says he is acquainted with the above-named affiant, Harriet W. McMullen, and knows her to have been the owner of the property described in her affidavit about the time that it is therein stated to have been stolen, and that it is worth \$155, and that it was stolen, as stated by said affidavit, as he verily believes.

D. P. CLEMENT.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th November, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

[§169 50.]

James Peacock, being sworn, says he is a Wyandott Indian; that there was stolen from him, by persons unknown, in October, 1860, one sorrel, half faced horse, six years old, worth \$150; at same time, one saddle, worth \$15, and one bridle, worth \$1 50—in all \$169 50. And affiant further says he never recovered said horse, saddle, or bridle, nor received any compensation therefor.

JAMES^{his}
+ PEACOCK.^{mark}

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19th day of November, 1861.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Catherine Johnson, being sworn, says she is acquainted with James Peacock, the above-named affiant; and that she knows her to have been the owner of the horse, saddle, and bridle mentioned in his affidavit, and that they were of the value as therein stated; and that they were stolen, as stated in the affidavit, as she verily believes.

CATHERINE^{her}
+ JOHNSON.^{mark}

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 19th day of November, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

[§140.]

Hannah Zane, jr., being sworn, says she is a member of the late tribe of Wyandott Indians; that there were stolen from her, by persons unknown, in August, 1838, one bay mare colt, with one glass eye, two and a half years old, worth \$50; in October, 1838, one sorrel white-faced horse colt, two and a half years old, worth \$60; and in September, 1837, one large red steer, four years old, worth \$30—in all, \$140; and affiant further says she never recovered any of said property, nor received any compensation therefor.

HANNAH^{her}
+ ZANE, JR.^{mark}

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th November, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Isaac B. Zane, being sworn, says he is acquainted with the above-named affiant, Hannah Zane, jr., and that he knows she was the owner of the property described in her affidavit, and that it was worth \$140, and was stolen, as set forth in the above affidavit.

ISAAC B. ZANE.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th November, 1861.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

[§150.]

Hannah Zane, sr., being sworn, says she is a member of the late tribe of Wyandott Indians; that in October, 1850, there was stolen from her, by persons unknown, one roan mare, age forgotten, worth \$30; in July, 1857, one black horse, ten years old, worth \$50; and in August, 1853, one bay horse, seven years old, worth \$50, and in the month of August, 1861, she had \$100 stolen out of her trunk; and affiant further says she never recovered any of said property, nor received compensation for it.

HANNAH^{her}
+ ZANE.^{mark}

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of December, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, *State of Kansas*:

Isaac W. Zane, being sworn, says he is acquainted with Hannah Zane, sr., the above-named affiant, and that he knows her to have been the owner of one roan mare, worth \$50, in October, 1856; in July, 1857, of one black horse, worth \$50; in August, 1855, of one bay horse, seven years old, worth \$50; in all, \$150; and that the horses before described were stolen from the said Hannah Zane, sr., in the months of October, 1856, July, 1857, and August, 1855, respectively, by persons unknown, as he verily believes.

ISAAC W. + ZANE.^{his}
^{mark}Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of December, 1861.
JAS. B. ABBOTT.

SHAWNEE AGENCY, State of Kansas:

George Spybuck, being first duly sworn, says that he is a Wyandott Indian, and that, in the summer of 1856, he had stolen from him one fine gray horse, worth \$100, and that he has no knowledge who stole it, nor has he ever received any pay for him.

SHAWNEE AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Margaret D. Solomon, being first duly sworn, says that, during the year 1856, she lived near the house of George Spybuck, the above claimant, and knew the gray horse mentioned in said Spybuck's affidavit, and knows him to have been stolen, and that he was worth \$100, and that he, Spybuck, never found said horse, nor ever received any pay for him, as she verily believes.

MARGARET D. ^{her} SOLOMON.
_{mark.}

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 13th day of December, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Sarah Bigtree, being first duly sworn, deposes that she is a Wyandott Indian, and that in December, A. D. 1857, there were stolen from her, by some person or persons unknown, one red cow, three years old, worth \$20; one red and white steer, three years old, worth \$25; nine head of hogs, worth \$30; also, in March, A. D. 1858, there were stolen from this affiant one fine sorrel horse, four years old, worth \$70; and in May, of the same year, one bay horse, six years old, worth \$100; and in October, A. D. 1861, there were stolen from this affiant one gray horse, seven years old, worth \$70; and one gray pony, three years old, worth \$30; amounting in value, in the aggregate, to \$351. And this affiant has no knowledge of what became of said property since it was stolen, nor has she ever received any compensation for the same, or been able to recover it, or any part thereof.

SARAH ^{her} BIGTREE.
_{mark.}

STATE OF KANSAS, Wyandott County, ss:

At Wyandott, this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861, the foregoing affidavit subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me,

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Mary Moore, being sworn, says she is acquainted with Sarah Bigtree, the within named affiant, and that she knows her to have been the owner of the property described in the within affidavit, and that it was worth \$351, and that it was stolen as within stated, as she verily believes.

MARY MOORE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 19th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Elizabeth Peacock, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that in the month of May, A. D. 1858, she had stolen from her one four-year-old black mare, worth \$20; one bay pony, five years old, worth \$30; that in the month of January, A. D. 1865, she had \$80 worth of clothing burned in Mrs. Amelia and Lucy Charloe's house. Affiant further says that the said mare and pony were stolen by persons unknown to affiant, and that she has never seen or heard from either of them since May, A. D. 1858, nor has she seen or heard of her said clothing since the burning of said house of Amelia and Lucy Charloe in January, A. D. 1865; said clothing was left at said house by affiant. Affiant further says that she has never received any compensation for either said pony or said mare, or for said clothing. The whole value of said pony, mare, and clothing was \$190.

ELIZABETH ^{her} PEACOCK.
_{mark.}

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 13th day of December, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Mary Kayraho, Jr., being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that she is acquainted with Elizabeth Peacock, the foregoing affiant; that she knows that said Elizabeth Peacock was the owner of one four-year-old black mare, worth \$30; and one five-year-old bay pony, worth \$50, in May, A. D. 1858, during which month said mare and pony were stolen from said Elizabeth. Affiant further says that said Elizabeth owned \$80 worth of clothing that was in the dwelling house of affiant and Lucy Charloe, which was burned in January, A. D. 1865, and that said clothing was all burned with said house, every effort being made to save said clothing to no purpose.

MARY ^{her} KAYRAHO.
_{mark.}

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 13th day of December, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

[205.]

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Tabitha N. Pedder, now Mrs. Pedder, being sworn, says she is a Wyandott Indian; that in May, 1857, there were stolen from her by persons unknown, one red cow, six years old, and calf, worth \$20; in June, 1847, one sorrel horse, with one white hind foot, worth \$150; and one new light-colored cloth cloak, stolen from the house, worth \$25; in all \$205; and affiant further says she has never received any of said property, nor received compensation for it.

TABITHA N. PEDDER.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14th day of December, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Henry Clay Long, being sworn, says he is acquainted with Tobitha N. Armstrong, nee Mrs. Paddler, the above-named affiant, and that he knows her to have been the owner, in May, 1857, of one red cow, six years old, and calf, worth \$39; in June, 1857, of one sorrel horse, worth \$150; and one new light-colored cloth cloak, worth \$25, and that all of said property was stolen from said affiant by persons unknown, about the times herein stated as belonging to her, as he verily believes.

HENRY C. LONG.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of December, 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

[§1,022.]

Teresa Long, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that in the month of May, A. D. 1850, she had stolen from her one two-years-old sorrel mare, worth \$40; in the month of July, A. D. 1857, she had stolen from her one sorrel mare, eight years old, worth \$100; one dark bay, five-years-old horse, worth \$60; one light sorrel, three-years-old mare, worth \$50; one yearling colt, bay, worth \$20; in the month of June, A. D. 1858, she had stolen from her one brown mare, five years old, worth \$50; one two-years-old mare colt, sorrel, worth \$40; one snickling-horse colt, worth \$5; in the month of December, A. D. 1858, she had stolen from her one brindle two-years-old heifer, worth \$15; in the month of June, A. D. 1859, she had stolen from her one five-years-old red cow, worth \$20; one two-years-old red heifer, worth \$15; one red yearling steer, worth \$5; in the month of September, A. D. 1859, she had stolen from her one large bay mare, nine years old, worth \$100; in October, A. D. 1856, she had stolen from her thirty fattening hogs, worth \$5 each, making \$150; in the month of November, A. D. 1857, she had stolen from her twenty-five hogs, worth \$5 each, in all worth \$125; in the month of October, A. D. 1858, she had stolen from her twenty-five head of hogs, worth \$5 each, making in all \$125; in September, A. D. 1859, she had stolen from her eighteen hogs, worth \$1 each, in all worth \$18; in the month of October, A. D. 1859, she had stolen from her fifteen head of hogs, worth \$4 each, in all worth \$60. All the above property was stolen by persons unknown to affiant, and affiant has never seen or heard from any of said property since the time stated as their having been stolen. Affiant further says that she has never received any compensation for any of the aforesaid property, and that its entire value was \$1,022.

TERESA + LONG.
mark.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

SHAWNEE AND WYANDOTT AGENCY, State of Kansas:

Margaret Pipe, being first duly sworn, says that she is a Wyandott Indian; that she is acquainted with the foregoing affiant, Teresa Long;

that the foregoing affidavit of the said Teresa Long has been carefully read in affiant's hearing, and its contents made known to her; that she knows that said Teresa Long was the owner of said two-years-old sorrel mare and eight-years-old sorrel mare, dark bay five-years-old horse, light sorrel five-years-old horse, light sorrel three-years-old mare, bay yearling colt, brown mare, two-years-old sorrel colt, snickling horse colt, brindle heifer, red cow, red two-years-old heifer, red yearling steer, large bay mare, thirty fattening hogs, twenty-five hogs, and twenty-five hogs, eighteen hogs, and fifteen hogs, at the times and as stated in said Teresa Long's affidavit, and that all of said property was stolen, as stated in said affidavit, and that the entire value of said property was \$1,022.

MARGARET + PIPE.
mark.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to in my presence this 18th day of November, A. D. 1861.

JAS. B. ABBOTT,
United States Indian Agent.

