

I, George Ford do solemnly swear that I will sup-
port the constitution of the United States, the act
organizing the Territories of Kansas and Nebraska
and faithfully perform the duties of Chair-
man of the Board of Supervisors of Lawrence
Township, Douglas County, Kansas Territory
to the best of my ability according to law
So help me God George Ford

Sworn to and subscribed before
me this 14th day of October
A.D. 1855

Walter S. Pratt
Clerk of Board
of County Supervisors
Douglas County K.T.

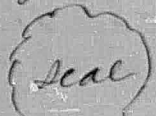
United States of America }
Territory of Kansas

The Governor of the Territory of Kansas, hall to
whom these presents shall come greeting Know
ye that an election held on the 4th day of Oct.
ber 1855 in the Township of Seecompton County of
Douglas Territory of Kansas S. C. Hemmeway was
duly elected to the office of Chairman of the Board
of Supervisors for said Township in said County
and Territory

Now therefore I, Hugh S. Walsh Secretary
and acting Governor of the Territory of Kansas
by virtue of the authority in me vested, do hereby
Commission the said S. C. Hemmeway as Chair-
man of the Board of Supervisors for said Township
in said County and Territory for and during the
term prescribed by law

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto sub-
scribed my hand and caused to be affixed the Seal
of the Territory aforesaid Done at the City of
Seecompton, this 15th day of October in the year
of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty
eight

Hugh S. Walsh



By the Governor