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The State of Kansas, To all who shall see these presents greeting
Know ye that I Thomas Carney Governor of the State of Kansas
reposing special trust & confidence in the integrity, patriotism
& abilities of Joseph E. Riggs on behalf & in the name of the
State do hereby appoint & commission him Notary Public in
& for the County of Douglas and do authorize & empower him to
discharge the duties of said office according to law.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my hand
& caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State.

Done at Topeka this Sixteenth day of January A.D. 1864.

E. S. O. 3 Thomas Carney

Countersigned by W. W. H. Lawrence, Secretary of State.

I do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the
United States & the Constitution of the State of Kansas and
faithfully & impartially and to the best of my ability demean
myself in the discharge of my duties as Notary Public.

Sworn to & subscribed before me Joseph E. Riggs.

This 2nd day of June A.D. 1864.

Wilson Shannon Jr. District Clerk.

Know all men by these Presents that we Joseph E. Riggs
Wesley H. Demcan & John B. Suttiff of the County of Douglas &
State of Kansas do hold & firmly bind unto the State of Kansas
in the penal sum of Ten thousand dollars to the payment of which
penal sum well and truly to be made we do bind ourselves our
heirs & executors & administrators by these presents, Sealed with our
seals & dated this First day of June A.D. 1864.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the said Joseph
E. Riggs has been by the Governor of the state of Kansas appointed a Notary
Public in & for the County of Douglas in said State, then if the said
Joseph E. Riggs shall faithfully discharge the duties of said Office of
Notary Public according to law, then this obligation to be void,
otherwise to remain in full force & intent.

Signed & Sealed in presence of
of Fred Eggert, James Stanley

Joseph E. Riggs (Seal)

Wesley H. Demcan (Seal)

John B. Suttiff (Seal)

U. S. Rev. Stamp 50cts)

Recorded June 1. 1864 at 12. M.

James C. Horton Reg. of Deeds
by S. S. Horton Deputy.