

No. 189. The State of Kansas, to all who shall see these presents
 greeting, Know ye that I Samuel J. Crawford Governor of the
 State of Kansas reposing especial trust & confidence in the integ-
 rity, patriotism & abilities of Charles A. Farris on behalf & in the name
 of the State do hereby appoint & commission him Notary Public for
 Douglas County, Kansas & 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 13 day of November
 AD 1865.

S. J. Crawford
 D. S.
 Countersigned by R. A. Barber, Secretary of State.

State of Kansas
 County of Douglas I, Charles A. Farris upon my oath do say
 that I will support the Constitution of the
 United States, the constitution of the State of Kansas & that I will
 faithfully & to the best of my ability discharge the duties of a Notary
 Public within & for the County of Douglas in the State of Kansas.
 So help me God.

Subscribed & sworn to before me this Charles A. Farris.
 15th day of December AD 1865

D. S. Osborn Shannon Notary Public
 5 ct. rev. Stamp. Douglas Co. Kansas.

Know all men by these Presents that we Charles A. Farris as
 principal of Sawner, Douglas County, Kansas & James Christian &
 George W. Sibert of the same place as sureties acknowledge ourselves
 to be indebted to the State of Kansas in the sum of five hundred dol-
 lars for the payment of which we & truly to be made on severally &
 jointly bind ourselves our heirs executors or administrators by these
 presents; The condition of the above obligation is such that if the said
 Charles Farris shall well faithfully discharge the duties of a Notary
 Public within & for the County of Douglas & State of Kansas then the above
 obligation shall be null & void otherwise to be & remain in full force &
 effect.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands & seals this
 15th day of December AD 1865.

Charles A. Farris
 James Christian
 Geo. W. Sibert
 (Rev. Stamp \$1.00)

Recorded December 26. 1865 at 9 o'clock A.M.

James C. Norton Register of Deeds
 By C. S. Norton Deputy