

JOINT RESOLUTION

OF

THE LEGISLATURE OF KANSAS,

IN FAVOR OF

Allowing settlers on the Osage Diminished Reserve to enter and prove their claims in any shape in which they may have claimed them by legal subdivisions.

JANUARY 23, 1871.—Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs and ordered to be printed.

Be it resolved by the house of representatives of Kansas, (the Senate concurring,) That our congressional delegation be instructed to introduce and urge the passage of amendments to the act of Congress of July 15, 1870, entitled "An act making appropriations for the current contingent expenses of the Indian Department, and for fulfilling treaty stipulations with various Indian tribes, for the year ending June 30, 1871, and for other purposes," which shall allow settlers on the Osage Diminished Reserve to enter and prove up their claims in any shape in which they may have claimed them by legal subdivisions; also that the said settlers may be allowed two years from date of actual survey by the Government to prove up and pay for their claims.

Resolved, That the secretary of state be instructed to forward a copy of this resolution to the members of our congressional delegation at Washington.

Adopted by the house, January 18, 1871.

ALEX. R. BANKS,
Chief Clerk.

Concurred in by the senate, January 18, 1871.

GEO. C. CROWTHER,
Secretary Senate.

I, W. H. Smallwood, secretary state of Kansas, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original resolution now on file in my office.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused to be affixed the great seal of the State, at Topeka, this 18th day of January, A. D. 1871.

[SEAL.]

W. H. SMALLWOOD,
Secretary of State.