RESOLUTION OF THE GENERAL COUNCIL OF THE CHOCTAW NATION IN JOINT SESSION ASSEMBLED:

TO HIS EXCELLENCY,

HON. GROVER CLEVELAND, PRESIDENT:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

WHEREAS, William M. Cravens, Esq., is an applicant for the position of Judge of the Central Judicial District of the Indian Territory; And,

WHEREAS, We recognize in Wm. M. Cravens, Esq., a great, good and noble man, an able lawyer, and identified with all the best interests of the Choctaw Nation, well acquainted with the situation of affairs, having been among us for the past twenty years, and the Choctaws know his friendship and rely upon his honesty and fairness, and believing him to be a man that will always do justice and will give perfect satisfaction to all the people of the Indian Territory;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: That we, the General Council of the Choctaw Nation, in joint session assembled, respectfully indorse William M. Cravens, Esq., for the position of Judge of the Central District of the Indian Territory, and we ask for his appointment because we believe him to be the best and proper man for the position.

Proposed by. Joe Eoxridge.
~~Member Council.~~

APPROVED--

On this the 11th day of October, A. D. 1895.

Jeff. Gardner
Principal Chief.

Read and Interpreted
pass the house
refered to chief.
this 11th day of oct 1895

A. B. James
Speaker

attest
R. S. Frazier
Clerk

Filed in my office
this the 11th day
of October A.D. 1895.

J. B. Jackson
Natl. Secty.
C. N.

Bill no 1.

RESOLUTION :

Of the General Council of the
Choctaw Nation assembled :

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Indorsing William M. Cravens Esq.
for Judge of the Central District
of the Indian Territory :

Read and Interpreted
and passed the Senate
October 9th 1895.

J. C. Folsom
President of
Senate

~~Read and interpreted~~
Said ~~and~~ ~~this resolution~~
~~on~~ consideration ~~on the~~
~~other day~~. Oct 10th 1895

attest
R. S. Frazier

A. B. James
Speaker