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ELECTION OF JNO. F. BROWN

Last Saturday the Seminole election for chief occured at Wewoka and resulted in the re election of Gov. Jno. F. Brown for principal chief and the election of Nutchup Harjo for second chief. The vote was as follows:

Jno. F. Brown, principal chief, 251.

Okchan Harjo, principal chief, 146.

Gilber Johnson, second chief, 61.

Nutchup Harjo, second Chief, 275.

The total vote cast for principal chief was 397 and for second chief the total vote was 336. In the election of their chief the Seminoles displayed good judgment in re-electing Gov. Brown. During his many years in the executive chair his dealings with his people have in point of ability and honesty been in marked contrast with that of other chiefs of the territory in Washington, and this is a great item when it is considered that the seat of the Indian government is now practically in Washington. On the tenth of August band