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Choctaw Nation  
Blue County

At a regular Term of  
of Circuit Court held  
in Blue County  
Choctaw Territory  
March Term 1880

We the Grand Jurors duly impaneled tried  
and sworn to inquire in and for the body of the  
County of Blue for all violation of law do  
find that two M. S. Deputy Marshalls by the  
Name of Stephens and C. E. Myers who did  
on the evening of the 17<sup>th</sup> day of February 1880  
between 8 and 9 O'clock P. M. purposely, willfully  
and wickedly shoot one David Folsom  
with Pistols in the Town of Casso and  
wound him in ~~in~~ three places to wit  
One bullet had entered the right side of his  
neck and passing near the right jaw bone in  
out - Another bullet had entered the right arm  
and passing into his right side cutting the  
right lobe of the lungs and passing near  
the back bone and under his shoulder blade  
and the third bullet had broken one of his  
legs just below the knee we find that  
David Folsom had died from the wounds  
made in his neck and his side as aforesaid  
between 2 and 3 O'clock A. M. the 18 day of February  
1880 From all the Evidence before the Grand

jurors it appears clear that said David  
Folson was not killed on account of  
resisting arrest or any legal process that  
he must have been murdered in Cold Blood  
March 6th A.D. 1880

Witnesses

B. J. Hampton

Dr McCoy

Dr Woods

Albert Garney

John Maddox

George Cutting

L. A. Morris

Shewart

David Perkins  
Foreman of the  
Grand Jury

Chukta Tamako

Choctaw Juror