United States versus James Pennington for stealing Indian horses

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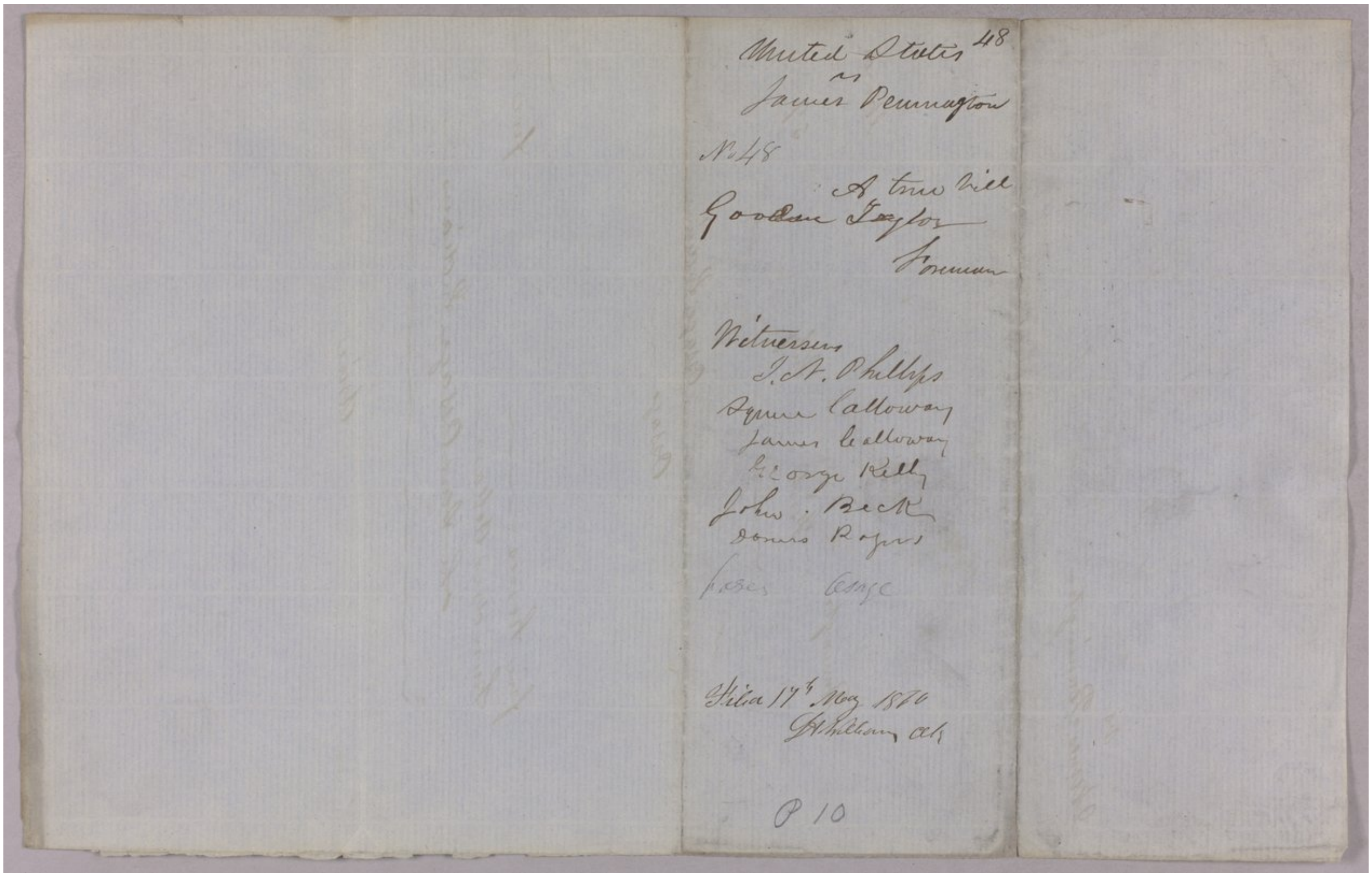
United States of America }
Territory of Kansas }

The United States
vs
James Pennington

In the District Court of the United States within and for the First Judicial District of Kansas Territory sitting for the trial of causes arising under the Constitution and Laws of the United States,

The Grand Jurors of the United States duly impanneled, sworn and charged to inquire within and for the body of the First Judicial District of the Territory aforesaid upon their oath present that James Pennington late of the district and territory aforesaid on the First day of July A.D. 1859 at the County of ____ in the District and Territory aforesaid and at and within the Indian Country known as the Ossage Indian Country inhabited by the Ossage ____ tribe of Indians said Indian Country being under the sole and exclusive jurisdiction of the United States and within the jurisdiction of this Court — five horses — of the value of five — hundred dollars of the chattels and property of ~~the Said~~ Ossage Indians — a person to the jurors aforesaid unknown — then and there being found feloniously did take, steal and drive away contrary to the form of the Acts of the Congress of the United States in such case made and provided and against the peace and dignity of the said United States.

Alson C. Davis
U.S. Dist Attorney K.T.



United States 48
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No 48

A true bill
Gooden Taylor
Foreman

Witnesses
I. A. Phillips
Squire Calloway
James Calloway
George Kelly
John Beck
Dennis Rogers
Moses Osage

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