Shawnee Town Nov the 23 1838

Major Mayfield

after my respects I can say to you that I think this man is an honest fellow and he caught two horses and has deliver one of them to Capt Smith the other the Muscogees has taken from him and I understand he given him up the money and this man wants pay for his trouble with the horse I think he deserves pay myself there is a good many of the Shawnees coming in to day for the good of our country pay him as nothing as the other horse was taken from him forcilly Now be kind enough to return yours respectfully

Leo Williams

To Maj Mayfield

Mr Mayfield being absent I have paid to the bearer of this a Shawnee fifteen Dollars

C. A. Sims

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