

REPORT

OF

THE GOVERNOR OF OKLAHOMA.

TERRITORY OF OKLAHOMA, EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Guthrie, October 9, 1891.

Hon. JOHN W. NOBLE,
Secretary of the Interior,
Washington, D. C.:

DEAR SIR: I arrived in this city on May 22, 1890, after my appointment as governor on the 15th of the same month, and found county seats established without county boundaries which, under your instructions, I proceeded to define.

Finding no civil officers to carry out the provisions of the Nebraska law, under which we were to operate in pursuance of the organic act, I at once appointed the county officers for the various counties.

POPULATION 1890.

For the purpose of ascertaining the population, under the provisions of said act, I next selected and appointed enumerators, who, I think, very carefully performed their work, when the population of the Territory was ascertained to be 60,417, aside from Greer County, as follows:

First county (now Logan).....	14, 254
Second county (now Oklahoma).....	12, 794
Third county (now Cleveland).....	7, 011
Fourth county (now Canadian).....	7, 703
Fifth county (now Kingfisher).....	8, 837
Sixth county (now Payne).....	6, 836
Seventh county (now Beaver).....	2, 982

Divided as follows:

Whites	57, 117
Colored	3, 289
Chinese	11
Males.....	34, 464
Females	25, 953
Guthrie, county seat of Logan County.....	5, 884
Oklahoma City, county seat of Oklahoma County.....	5, 086
Stillwater, county seat of Payne County.....	625
El Reno, county seat of Canadian County.....	519
Norman, county seat of Cleveland County.....	764
Kingfisher, county seat of Kingfisher County.....	1, 278
Beaver City, county seat of Beaver County (not separately enumerated).....	