

80TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 1372

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 2 (legislative day, APRIL 21), 1947

Mr. THOMAS of Oklahoma introduced the following bill; which was read twice
and referred to the Committee on Public Lands

A BILL

Authorizing the Wyandotte Tribe of Oklahoma to sell tribal
cemetery.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That the Wyandotte Tribe of Oklahoma is hereby authorized
4 to sell and convey, through its business committee, subject
5 to the approval of the Secretary of the Interior, the tract of
6 land located in Kansas City, Kansas, reserved for a public
7 burial ground under article 2 of a treaty made and concluded
8 with the Wyandotte Tribe of Indians on the 31st day of
9 January 1855, more particularly described as follows:

10 Commencing twenty-eight poles south of northeast
11 corner northwest quarter of northwest quarter, section 10,

1 township 11, range 25 east, south one-half degree, west thirty-
2 three poles and fifteen links, east eleven and one-half poles,
3 north eighteen and one-half degrees, east twenty-eight poles,
4 north seventy-one degrees, west ten poles and eighteen links
5 to beginning, containing two acres.

6 And authority is likewise conferred upon said tribe to provide
7 for the removal of the remains of persons interred in said
8 burial ground and their reinterment in a suitable cemetery,
9 and to purchase and put in place appropriate monuments
10 over the remains reinterred.

11 SEC. 2. After the payment of the costs of such removal
12 as above specified, and the costs incident to the sale of said
13 land, the residue of the money derived from said sale shall
14 be, by the Secretary of the Interior, paid, per capita, to the
15 members of the Wyandotte Tribe of Oklahoma who were
16 parties to said treaty, their heirs, or legal representatives.