

Friend and Brother

Council ground. C. N.

August 11. 1830

We have received your talk by Map
Doubt, and after much thinking and consultation we
are sorry that we cannot comply with your request.
Although we know it is the talk of a friend, we
cannot go on the grounds that you wish us. The
warriors are violently opposed to any of the officers
going to meet you at Franklin for the purpose
of making a treaty. The lives of the Chiefs and head
men of the Nation would be in great danger if they
would comply with your request and go for the
purpose of selling the Country. Although we
should be very happy to see you and converse
with you face to face, but still we cannot
go, as the Nation is opposed to our going. There
has been a great deal of confusion in our Nation
since we made our proposition to the general
Government to sell our Country; in consequence
of the United States interpreters, reporting false
hoods, and poisoning the minds of our people.
They have been circulating and reporting false
hoods, until they came very near getting our
people to shedding each others blood. We cannot
expect to live in peace and harmony, without
those Interpreters are removed, or something
is done with them. We hope you will do
something with them, for we cannot meet
commissioners with the same satisfaction
of mind, that we could otherwise, if they
were removed and others put in their places.
We cannot portray to you in language sufficient

= 64

sufficiently on this paper to tell you how
mean and improper those Interpreters have
acted in our nation. By making Inquiries
of May Sonz, he will tell you of all the
particulars that appertain to the Confusion
in our nation.

- 1 George W. Hartkins
- 2 Anthony Turnbull
- 3 James Choat
- 4 Nicholas Buchanan
- 5 Robert Holson
- 6 Thomas Leftore
- 7 Jerry Holson
- 8 Lewis Surrant
- 9 David Sexton
- 10 William Hayes
- 11 Punnissan
- 12 Postubbee
- 13 Karharbee
- 14 Meety
- 15 Chartermatahau
- 16 Alfreda Wade
- 17 John Wade
- 18 Lumetah
- 19 Pullaha
- 20 George Laman
- 21 Kerchubbee
- 22 Orwaschubbee
- 23 Samuel Byington
- 24 Isaac Holson

- 25 Appullarter
- 26 Muttubbee
- 27 Pinnercha
- 28 Tuschertubbee
- 29 Appemastubbee
- 30 Pasontolerbee
- 31 Toker
- 32 Sigbonerbee
- 33 Richerpotubbee
- 34 Tunnupchuffen
- 35 Halbertubbee
- 36 Notarbee
- 37 Mpherteyen
- 38 Mussarverkeyen
- 39 Larpeter
- 40 Bullertubbee
- 41 Metubbee
- 42 Mason Williston
- 43 John I. Adams
- 44 Offahomah
- 45 Philotubbee
- 46 Cho chubbee
- 47 Tunnuphochen
- 48 Lissoway
- 49 Kershollenoah
- 50 Seenuubbee
- 51 James

52 Joshahomah
53 Mome tubbee
54 Otter chachy
55 Isteree
56 Ontotobubbee
57 Owachubbee
58 Shugperhomah
59 Istunnerharchen
60 Come hagen
61 Mar shahoprah
62 Chochy mingo
63 Ochizen
64 Toccolarchubbee
65 Micheley
66 Tuhomen
67 Loreal Riply
68 Lewis Perry
69 Chellaten
70 Thomas Wilson
71 Barna
72 Locisfacha
73 Erwantubbee
74 Orner chubbee
75 Moses Strarier
76 Benjamin Sflure
77 Benatubbee
78 Jack Hays
79 George erlson
80 Levi McAfee
81 Lerwatubbee
82 David Bell

83 Fishsho
84 Silas Bacon
85 Easman Comen
86 Lewis Strarier
87 Kolubbee
88 Sunny
89 Metubbee
90 Onner tubbee
91 Sherhognubbee
92 Posterbee
93 Cheyer
94 Onnocilla
95 Tunnup
96 Istertubbee
97 Octocubbee
98 Bauschestubbee
99 Olertubbee
100 Erthapen
101 Shobolchomen
David Holson

Approved Augt 10. 1830
Greenwood. S. Lore. Chief

Choctaw Nation Aug. 11th 1830

I do certify that a Council were ordered by me
at this place (Wetzel's land) at the request of Major
Dowdy, I have Recd. a written note from the Southern
Chief that he would not attend. and that he had
ordered a Council in his district on the same
Subject to meet in about five days from this
date. — Given under my hand at the request
of the Northern District chiefs ~~request~~
J. Ward A. G. B. A.

Received
Nov 20 1830

Wm. John P. Eaton
Secretary of War

By May doing

