

David W. Haley to Andrew Jackson

Doaks Stand Mi
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Sir

You will learn all the perticulars respecting the choctaws by Major Donly. should you sende commissioners to hold a Treaty with them, they will stand in nead of some articles from Vicksburge. I would also recommend to you to have three or four thousand pounds of bacon and about one of coffee and three of sugar hauled up and delivered out to the indians at the Treaty. they want the bacon to cook with their beef. if you conclude to give them the above mentioned articles I will have them on the Treaty ground by having a few days notis will furnis the beef at three cents pr pound. You must order the Treaty to be held at or near Mr Wilsons, on the Robinson road.

It will be all important that Major Eaton should attend the Treaty. I hope you will prove by your acts that your are the true friend of the Choctaws Majr. Donly can informe you what is neaded to satisfy them on this point. Your friend & obd. servt. in hast

D. W. Haley

PS. there will have to be 10 or 12 sacks of salt furnished. the whole amount I have proposed can be delivered for four thousand dollars or thereabouts—

D. W. H

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