

Mushulatubbe et al. to Richard Mentor Johnson

Chocktaw Nation Novr. 17. 1829

Friend & Brother,

This day we held a counsil at the house of Mushulatubbee, the communication from the Boys was interpreted & explained ~~all the head men~~ we ware all very much pleased to hear it, the time is drawing near when congress will meet, we request you as a friend & Brother to do all you can for us & our Nation. this day most of all the leading men in ~~my~~ our District ware present as also the head men of the coonshas in council assembled with one accord agreed to reinstate ~~me in~~ Mushulatubbee in the office of Cheif and gave good and sufficient reasons for so doing, the missionarys who reside in the Nation have received our money for about eleven years and have rendered no servises to our people—neither in point of civilization or education we are all for haveing the missionarys moved out of the nation if it could be done by goverment, your Friends & Brothers,

Hockhoontubbee his X mark

William Wade his X mark

Mushuletubbee his X mark

Tishomingo his X mark

Peturnah his X mark

*[The names of twenty-four additional signatories follow.]*

I Do Certify that the above is truely Interpreted by me

M Mackey US Intr.

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