D. Sturtevant Actg Commr.
Sep. 23. 1841

The appointment of Price
M. Butler of S. Carolina
to be Agent for the Cherokees

Department of War.
Office Ind. Affairs
Sept. 23rd 1841.

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you that Vince M. Butler Esq. of South Carolina, has been appointed agent for the Cherokees, to reside at the Cherokee Agency. He has been instructed to report himself to you for such information & direction in reference to his duties as you may consider necessary.

It is not known at what time Mr. Butler will be at his post but he has been requested to avoid delay as much as possible.

I have this day written to M. Stokes Esq requesting him to turn over all the books papers, public money & public property in his hands, to Mr. Butler.

Very respectfully
your obt. Servant.
D Kurtz
Actg Secy

Maj. Wm. Armstrong
Choctaw Agency
West of Arkansas.