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June 6. 1848.

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Burton A. James, Esq  
has been appointed Meshe  
Sub Agent in the place  
of Genl. J. S. Rains,

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War Department.

Office Indian Affairs.

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Sir,

I have the honor to inform you of the appointment of Justin A. James Esq, under date 1<sup>st</sup> instant, sub-agent for the Stocko sub-agency, to succeed the late incumbent James S. Raines Esq, who has been Commissioner agent for the Cuge River Agency. Should Mr. James accept the appointment, he will as required, execute his bond and report to you, and receive such instructions relative to the duties of his office, as you may see proper to give him.

Sam<sup>l</sup> M. Pufferford

Acting Sup<sup>t</sup> Western Dist.

Choctaw Agency

Dist of Arks.

Respectfully

Your Obed<sup>t</sup> Serv<sup>t</sup>

W. V. M. D. B.