

Office Supt Ind Affairs  
 Fort Smith August 18<sup>th</sup> 1859

Sir:  
 Herewith I enclose the papers of Col James Logan in the case of a claim which he is prosecuting against the Creek Nation for the value of certain Negro Slaves, for the value of which he claims that the Nation is responsible to him,

You will at the earliest practicable period lay these papers before the Creek Council for their action, after which you will return the papers to this office with the action of the Council and your report on the same, which I wish as a basis of a report from you to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

Your early attention to this business is desired.

Very Respectfully  
 Yours obt Servt  
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Col W A Garrison  
 US Creek Agent  
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