

Office Supt Ind Affairs
Fort Smith August 27th 1854

Sir:

Since writing on yesterday I have examined
again your letter of 2^d July both in regard to feeding
of Indians to be located in the "Luna District". And also
of the opinion that your instructions respecting
for advertising and publishing a contract for feeding
Indians include the Dixon Reserve Indians the Wichita
and aff. & other bands. And I have accordingly
this day advertised to let a contract for furnishing
daily rations to those Indians for one year on the
10th September next. herewith you will find a
copy of the advertisement cut from the "Fort Smith Times".

If I am in error in regard to the views of the
Department I wish to be notified at once that I
may make the correction before the day of letting.

Yours A B Gouvenor

Commissioner

Washington Oct 26

Very Respectfully &c

Edwin Repton

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