

Office of Indian Affairs,  
Fort Smith, Arkansas,  
January 31, 1857.

Sir:-

I have with pleasure seen the notice published by yourself on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January 1856, to Messrs O. Stangor, etc. of Knoxville, to take for the title of a map, of that town, as also of the Outlet, Simpson's and Red River, and the proximity of the Indians, with the said title of Indians, - the same having been approved by the Indian Office December 15, 1856.

Very Respectfully,  
S. W. Mason  
Capt. va.

By Order of the Secy.  
U. S. Indian Agent,  
Fort Smith,  
C. N.

