

Commr. Ind. Affs
Nov. 13th 1841

In relation to fur-
nishing stock cattle
building houses for
the chiefs & erection
of mills for Osage

Recd Dec. 7th 1841

Department of War
Office Indian Affairs
November 13. 1841

Sir,

I have received from R. A. Calloway, Sub
agent for the Osages, the copy of a letter which he
addressed to you on the 10th ulto, recommending that
the cows, calves, hogs &c should not be furnished to
the Osages until after they had made some progress
in agriculture. The reasons assigned by Mr
Calloway are entirely satisfactory and I have
therefore to request that you will withhold the
issue of the stock until otherwise directed.

With respect to the agricultural implements
&c, the buildings for the chiefs and the Mills,
instructions will be given to you, so soon as they
can be prepared, to carry out the stipulations
of the treaty relating to them.

Very respectfully

Yours etc

Wm. B. Ewing

Major W. Armstrong

Choctaw Agency

West of Ark.