

Office Dept. Ind. Affairs  
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Sir

I am advised by the acting Comm  
of Indian Affairs at Washington, that  
a party of some 50 or 60 Indians of the  
Delaware, Shawnee, Iroquois, Cherokee and  
Seminole tribes, who have intruded themselves  
into the State of Texas have been recently  
dispatched from that State to their homes,  
in charge of George E. Brown, one of the  
Special Agents for the Indians in Texas.

I have been directed therefore to instruct  
the Agents within my Superintendency  
to receive such individuals, belonging to your  
respective Agencies, as may be turned over  
to you by the Special Agent, and to use all  
proper means to prevent their return to  
that State. So that, if your tribe returned,  
your attention will be given in accordance  
with these instructions.

Respectfully  
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Supt. Ind. Affairs.

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