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Mayes, Samuel Houston (1845-1927)
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Indian chief. Typescripts of newspaper articles (1882-1928) relating to Mayes's tenure as principal chief of the Cherokees and his negotiations with the Dawes Commission, the preparation of the tribal roll, and the assignment of lands.

Box M-50

1. Letter from S. H. Mayes to the National Council, regarding payment for collecting taxes as sheriff of Cooweescoowee District, Dec. 7, 1882.

2. Letter from Mayes to editor of the *Indian Chieftain* denying charge he offered D. W. Bushyhead the office of the treasurer in return for support of Downing ticket in coming election, from *Indian Chieftain*, June 30, 1887.

3. Editorial on Bob Ross and Mayes from the *Tulsa Review*, Jan. 4, 1895.

4. Editorial on Mayes from the *Tulsa Review*, March 8, 1895.

5. Editorial on election of Mayes as chief from the *Wagoner Record*, April 26, 1895.

6. Editorial on election of Mayes as chief from the *Fairland News*, Aug. 9, 1895.

7. Editorial on Mayes and Ross from the *Fairland News*, May 17, 1895.

8. Letter from J. F. Thomson, Cherokee delegate, to Hoke Smith, Secretary of Interior, regarding intruders on Cherokee lands, from the *Fairland News*, May 17, 1895.

9. Editorial on Mayes from the *Cherokee Champion*, May 22, 1895.

10. Ibid., May 29, 1895.

11. Ibid., June 5, 1895.

12. Letter from Mayes to Washington Swimmer accepting Downing party nomination for chief, from the *Indian Chieftain*, June 6, 1895.

13. Editorial on Mayes and Ross from the *Fairland News*, June 14, 1895.