

Creek Agency

January 16th, 1860.

To the Chiefs & Head Men

of the Creek Nation in council assembled

My Friends:

I have recently received from the office of the Superintendent of Indian Affairs the accompanying Letter from the Commissioner of Indian Affairs in relation to subdividing the lands of the several Indian Nation western this superintendency & which I know (sic) submit to you for your consideration upon this subject, known to me in writing, so that I may be enabled to communicate the same as instructed direct to the commissioner. Your early attention is desired.

Your Friend & Brother

Wm. H. Garratt

Creek Agent.

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Sir

From various reports that have been received at this office from the several officers of the Indian Department information is derived of the general approval by those tribes located upon reservation of the proposition made to them That their lands be surveyed, and so much thereof as may be necessary for