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NEWS ITEM OF J. F. BROWN

Members of the Dawes Commission visited three of the national capitals last week and are now at the Chickasaw and Choctaw. The result has been the calling of the Cherokee council for August 3 and the Creek upon the fourth. Governor Brown, of the Seminoles, did not take like action, but with him it is much of a family affair, with himself at the head. The Seminoles, negroes and all, number but 2,800, or 2,900 and no serious differences ever arise to prolong or delay action. Governor Brown stated to the commission that he recognized that grave and important changes in this country were not far off. As the Seminoles were less than any other nation responsible for the condition that is to bring these changes about or make them necessary, he bespoke for his people the especial consideration of the