

MESSAGE OF SAMUEL CHECOTE

Executive office

Okmulgee, C. N.

October 5th, 1875

To the Hon. Houses  
of Kings and Warriors  
In Council Assembled

Gentlemen:

As required by the Constitution of the Muskogee Nation.  
I now submit to your Hon. body my last annual Message informing you of such matters of National importance as have been brought to the attention of the Executive during the past year and at the same time suggesting such measures for your consideration as a legislative body as in my opinion bear on the present and future interests and prosperity of the Muskogee Nation.

As a Nation we have profound reason to be thankful to the Giver of all Good and the supreme Ruler of all Nations and peoples for the many blessings we enjoy for an abundant harvest and its cheering promises of plenty and comfort to every house hold of our people we are thankfull for that peace and good will which Exist amongst us as a happy and united people- the relations we sustain towards Neighboring Nations are of the most fraternal character and our treaty