

on him, resulting in his death."

Chief Checote further says, "Isparhecher sent Daniel Childers to Washington, who with the aid of a lawyer, prepared a petition to Congress, praying for a division of lands and has now returned to have it signed."

He says likewise: "The majority of the loyal Creeks are loyal to our Government;" that the "Isparhecher party is composed of a few Southern and Northern Creeks, and all are outlaws and desperadoes in the country, such as the notorious Dick Glass."

Further on he says: "I am informed that some of the Isparhecher men have returned to the Cherokee Nation. I would therefore most respectfully request that you have all such Creeks, who are not citizens of your Nation, arrested and turned over to the Creek authorities."