

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF U. S. INDIAN INSPECTOR,
FOR
INDIAN TERRITORY,

Muscogee, Ind. T.,

Dec. 29, 1899.

Hon. Green McCurtain,
Principal Chief, Choctaw Nation,
Sans Bois, Indian Territory.

Sir:

Referring to your letter of the 22nd instant concerning the forwarding of all of the Acts of your National Council, I would respectfully state that the general appropriation Acts were not desired for the purpose of submitting them to the Department for executive action, but they are desired in order to check the warrants against them when they are submitted to the Indian Agent for approval, as required by the regulations of the Secretary of the Interior. I would also like to examine them in order that if there was any item which should be approved by the President you could be duly advised, for you will recall that last year the appropriation was made for the salary of the Mining Trustee, and not submitted, and afterwards the Secretary decided it should have been.

Very respectfully,

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J. Geo. Wright
U. S. Indian Inspector, for
the Indian Territory.