

Executive Office

MUSKOGEE NATION

P. PORTER, Principal Chief

Hon. G. W. Grayson,

Muskogee, Indian Territory,

June 22, 1907:

Eufaula, I. T.

Dear Sir:—

After some consultation with the Second Chief, we have thought best, as has always been the custom of the Creek Chiefs, to call a convention of some of the leading men of the Nation, whenever important issues are difficult to determine as to the course of action which should be taken by the Creek people. That occasion has arisen in this instance. The dissolution of tribal government consequent upon the completion of the allotting of lands belonging to the Creek people is near at hand, and questions have arisen regarding what course would be best to pursue as a people for their preservation. It is thought best that your advice should be sought and determined upon. For this reason we have thought it of the greatest public moment to be fully advised by your wishes and the sentiment of the people.

I therefore deem it necessary to call you, together with others in convention for the purpose of consultation at this instance.

You are earnestly requested to meet at Okmulgee, at the Council House, on the 1st day of July, 1907, at 9 O'Clock A. M. and at that time there will be laid before you matters upon which your advice is sought.

If it is convenient, you may invite other persons in your section to attend the convention.

Respectfully,


Principal Chief of Muskogee
(Creek) Nation.