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Letter from Thomas McKenney to George Sibley, January 12, 1825

Thomas McKenney
Office of Indian Affairs

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George C. Sibley, Esq.
Fort Osage
Missouri

Tho. L. Mc Kenney

War Department

Off: Ind; Affairs

12th Jany. 1825

Sir,

I enclose to you an address of Samuel S. Conant of New York, and request, with the view of promoting the views of this Gentleman which I deem to be highly praiseworthy, that you will transmit to him, under cover to the Secretary of War, (writing on the communication Indian Affairs) such specimens of Indian Oratory as you may be able to collect, and may deem worthy a place in the work which he proposes to publish.

I am,

Very Respectfully,

Yr Obt. St.

Tho. L. Mc Kenney

I could not furnish any thing for Mr. Conant's publication in time, without much inconvenience, & therefore sent nothing

G. C. S.