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## George Sibley Report on Native Americans Near Fort Osage, November 30, 1813

George Champlin Sibley

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Report in obedience to the Instructions of his ExcCy. Wm. Clark Esquire

Public Property in my possession with which the U. S. Indian fund has been charged	Tribes of Indians within the bounds of my Agency	Number of	Dispostion toward the U. States
L Keel Boat & tackle 1 half worn Flag 1 Small Iron Pot.	Great Osages Chaniers or Osages of the	400	Friendly.
	Arkansaw	600	Friendly.
	Little Osage	250	Friendly.
	Kansas	220	Friendly.

## Remarks-

Ezekiel Williams a hunter of the Missouri Fur Company was on his way from the Rocky Mountains with a considerable quantity of Fine Furs- He Struck the Arkansaw below the mountains and descended that river to within about 150 miles of the Verdegris when a band of Kansas found him on the 23d. of June last, they robbed him of all he had with him, and very much abused him as he says, and kept him prisoner 'till about the 15. of Augt. when they released him, and Restored the greater part of his property- the Balce. I have this day caused the Kansas to refund and pay for, except a few articles which they deny having taken- I have also recovered Dr. Cool's Horse and the value of Durham's mare - and have compeled them to leave in my hands Sufficient Furs to pay the expense of feeding Said animals till their proper owners can Receive them.

Arrow Rock on the Missouri, Nov. 30th, 1813. G. C. S. Sub. Agt. of Indn. Affairs.