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DEPARTMENT
OF THE
INTERIOR
INDIAN DIVISION

JAN 23 1882

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Dated Jan 15 1882

From Standing Bear

(Ponca Chief)

Old Ponca Agency
Dak.

SUBJECT:

Wants Big Snakes for
sent home on vacation
from Carlisle.

Wants what is going
to be done for him in 1882.

Wrapper

Ans Jan 27/82

Costs

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[OVER.]

Jan 11/15

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Department of the Interior,

Jan 23 1882

Respectfully referred to the
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

W.P.C.

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Chief Clerk

DRAPER HOUSE,

MRS. S. E. WHIPPLE & SON, Proprietors.

Old Pauce Agency
D. T. Hughes Niobrara, Neb., June 15th 1882

Sirs,

We the Undersigned, two Set
You know that I want my Brother
Big Snake Sam Hux is staying school
at Carlisle School, Pa. Would you
give me the Privilege two send him
Home up at the Old Pauce Agency, D. T.
He has Bin Writing two me Ever Since
Last Spring. I wrote two Mrs Pratt
Lattin. & He answer me in his Letter
& said, he had Orders from the
Department. So I had nothing
two say about the Matter. till I
write two all your friends at the
White House & see if you could
send the Boy Home on Vacation
Days. He wants me two come
after him so after. But I told
him I cant come without Pass
from Washington if they set me
down. & Return two my Home. &
this is one thing I want two

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 Say, Before I Close My
 Letter,

I am Looking for your
 Letters Every Day. I See
 What Kind of Help you will
 Select me this fiscal year.

So I may Depend on all of
 you at the White House for
 this new year, 1852. I ask
 Major Lightner about some money
 He said he did not surtain if
 it would be couple month. Or
 immediately. Lord now, I said
 him, this town Niobrara will

See Me, if you Dont Send Her
 some Wealth, soon. This is
 all. My Obediant Friends at
 Washington. Arrive this Letter
 immediately, soon. I will look
 for it in an week or less. Send
 me couple of the Council fire Papers
 By Maile. I Have a man too write
 for Me. A too Read for Me. I Bid
 you all Good By - Your Friend
 Standing Bear Pauca Chief