

August 15, 1963

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Mr. Frank Mahan
Fairfax, Oklahoma 74637

Dear Frank:

Thank you for your letter in behalf of Franklin D. Shannon, an employee of the Bureau of Indian Affairs whom you would like to see appointed Superintendent of the Osage Agency in the event a vacancy occurs.

I was recently in touch with the Bureau of Indian Affairs in behalf of Mr. Shannon. I was told that there is no vacancy in the Superintendent's office at this time, but was assured that in the event a vacancy occurs, Mr. Shannon's qualifications would be given careful consideration. The Bureau did not comment on whether a vacancy is anticipated at the Osage Agency.

Your interest in Mr. Shannon is appreciated, and I want to thank you once again for writing in his behalf.

With best personal regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

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Hon. Mike Monroney
United States Senator
Senate Office Building
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mike:

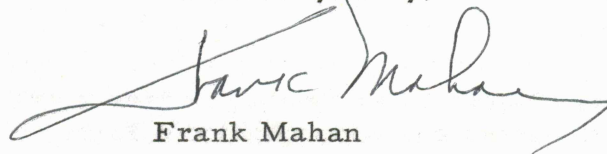
It has come to my attention recently that Mr. Thomas H. Dodge plans to retire as Superintendent of the Osage Indian Agency, at Pawhuska, Oklahoma.

It is also my understanding that Mr. Franklin Dudley Shannon, who is head of the Land and Realty Division of the United Pueblos Agency at Albuquerque, New Mexico, is being considered for the position. I personally know Mr. Shannon has a host of friends and relatives in Oklahoma, who would be pleased to know that you have been of assistance in helping him obtain this position. I also know that Mr. Shannon is well qualified for the job and holds the necessary civil service rating, and you would be in no wise embarrassed by recommending him.

I strongly recommend Mr. Shannon to you and assure you that any effort on your part in assisting him would be greatly appreciated by me and his other friends.

With best personal regards, I am

Yours very truly,



Frank Mahan

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