

O. K. Chandler

January 29, 1945

Mr. O. K. Chandler
34 "G" Street, N. E.
Miami, Oklahoma

Dear O. K.:

I have your letter of the 25th instant, congratulating me upon my assignment to membership on the House Committees on Indian Affairs and Mines and Mining including oil and gas. I appreciate very much this letter from you.

As time goes on I shall be glad to hear from you with such suggestions as you think may be for the best interests of the Indians generally and particularly in our district. Likewise, I wish you would let me know when you are ready to begin work on those claims that you are interested in and concerning which you have spoken to me only casually. Sometime when you find it convenient, let me have a resume' of the nature of these claims and whatever else you want to tell me about them.

With best wishes, I am

Your friend,

George B. Schwabe, M. C.

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34 G STREET N. E.
MIAMI, OKLAHOMA

January 25, 1945.

Hon. George B. Schwabe, M. C.,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Congressman:

I congratulate you on your committee assignments. Indian affairs and mine and mining (including oil and gas) are directly in line.

A place on the Indian committee was coveted by Oklahoma members of the Congress in the early days of Statehood. It is equally important now in the part its members play in exposing and destroying the Indian bureau racket of self-perpetuation, with mounting bureau cost to the taxpayer and no lasting benefit to the Indian, who has long since outgrown its segregating race-prejudice program.

With kind personal regards and best wishes,

Sincerely,

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