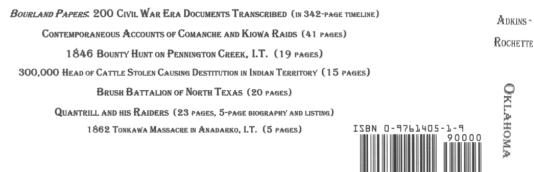


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Brig-Gen. Stand Watie's 1st Cherokee Regiment was attached to Col. Bourland's Regt. (8 pp, a listing).

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**Indictment of Bourland** in a scurrilous Oct. 15, 1864 a bill-of-particulars smeared Bourland in a proposed court martial -- never mind that it was never filed in any court. Careless historians have stated that 5 of Bourland's captains signed this document, which is not true since all 8 pages, including the 28 signatures, are in the same handwriting. Subsequently, Bourland represented the North Texas Sub-District in the Jun 2, 1865 Confederate surrender in Galveston, TX. (4 pp.)

**Buffalo Soldiers** were at Fort Arbuckle as part of the 10th U.S. Cavalry organized August 1866.

Maps. (4 maps, 3 of Indian Territory).