

1833. ✓



Treaty with the
Chippewa, Ottowa^{and} Potawatamie
Indian Nations.

Concluded Sept. 26. 1833.

Supplementary Articles added Sept 27. 1833.

Alterations proposed, Oct. 1. 1834.

Ratified February 21. 1835.

Andrew Jackson.

President of the United States of America.

To all and singular to whom these presents shall come. Greeting:

— Whereas a Treaty was made, at Chicago, in the State of Illinois, on the twenty sixth day of September one thousand eight hundred and thirty-three, between the United States, by their Commissioners George B. Porter, Thomas J. U. Owen, and William Weatherford, and the United Nation of Chippewas, Ottawa, and Potawatamie Indians; and whereas certain supplementary Articles were added thereto by the said parties on the twenty seventh day of September of the same year; and whereas an alteration in the foregoing was acceded to, by the Chiefs of the said Nation, on the first day of October one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four: which Treaty, supplementary articles, and the alteration proposed by the said Chiefs, are in the words following, to wit:



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Walker



Articles of a Treaty made at Chicago in the State of Illin. on the twenty sixth day of September in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and thirty three, between George B. Porter, Thomas J. Owen and Wm Weatherford, Commissioners on the Part of the United States of the one part and the United Nation of Chippewa, Ottawa and Potawatamie Indians of the other part, being fully represented by the Chiefs and Head men whose names are hereunto subscribed - Which Treaty is in the following words: to wit:

Article 1st - The said United Nation of Chippewa, Ottawa, and Potawatamie Indians cede to the United States all their land, along the western shore of Lake Michigan, and between this Lake and the land ceded to the United States by the Winnebago nation, at the Treaty of Fort Armstrong made on the 15th September 1832 - bounded on the North by the country lately ceded by the Menominee, and on the South by the country ceded at the Treaty of Prairie du Chien made on the 29th July, 1829 - supposed to contain about Five millions of Acres.

Article 2^d - In part consideration of the above cession it is hereby agreed, that the United States shall grant to the said United Nation of Indians to be held as other Indian Lands are held which have lately been assigned to emigrating Indians, a tract of Country west of the Mississippi River, to be assigned to them by the President of the United States - to be not less in quantity than Five millions of acres, and to be located as follows: Beginning at the mouth of Boyer's River on the East side of the Mississippi River, thence down the said river to the mouth of Vandaway River thence due East to the West line of the State of Missouri, thence along the said State line to the North West corner of the State, thence East along the said State line to the point where it is intersected by the Western boundary line of the Sac and Foxes - thence North along the said line of the Sac & Foxes, so far as that when a straight line shall be run therefrom to the mouth of Boyer's River (the place of Beginning) it shall include Five millions of acres. And as it is the wish of the Government of the United States that the said Nation of Indians should remove to the country thus assigned to them as soon as conveniently can be done; and it is deemed advisable on the part of their Chiefs and Head men that a deputation should visit the said Country West of the Mississippi

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and thus be assured that full justice has been done, it is hereby stipulated that the United States will defray the expenses of such deputation, to consist of not more than fifty persons, to be accompanied by not more than five individuals to be nominated by themselves, and the whole to be under the general direction of such officer of the United States Government as has been or shall be designated for the purpose. — And it is further agreed that as fast as the said Indians shall be prepared to emigrate, they shall be removed at the expense of the United States, and shall receive subsistence while upon the journey, and for one year after their arrival at their new homes. — It being understood, that the said Indians are to remove from all that part of the land now ceded, which is within the State of Illinois, immediately on the ratification of this Treaty, but to be permitted to retain possession of the Country North of the Boundary line of the said State, for the term of three years, without molestation or interruption and under the protection of the Laws of the United States. —

Article 3^d — And in further consideration of the above cession, it is agreed, that there shall be paid by the United States the sums of money hereinafter mentioned: to wit

One hundred thousand dollars to satisfy sundry Individuals, in behalf of whom reservations were asked, which the Commissioners refused to grant: and also to indemnify the Chippewa tribe who are parties to this Treaty for certain lands along the Shore of Lake Michigan, to which they make claim, which have been ceded to the United States by the Menominee Indians — The manner in which the same is to be paid is set forth in Schedule "A" hereunto annexed. —

One hundred and fifty thousand dollars to satisfy the claims made against the said United Nation which they have here admitted to be justly due, and directed to be paid, according to Schedule "B" hereunto annexed. —

One hundred thousand dollars to be paid in goods and provisions, a part to be delivered on the signing of this Treaty and the residue during the ensuing year. —

Two hundred and eighty thousand dollars to be paid in annuities of Fourteen thousand dollars a year, for twenty years. —

One hundred and fifty thousand dollars to be applied to the erection of



Mills, Farm houses, Indian houses and Blacksmith shops, to Agricultural improvements, to the purchase of Agricultural implements and stock, and for the support of such Physicians, Millers, Farmers, Blacksmiths and other mechanics, as the President of the United States shall think proper to appoint.

Seventy thousand dollars for purposes of education and the encouragement of the domestic arts, to be applied in such manner as the President of the United States may direct. — [The wish of the Indians being expressed to the Commissioners as follows: The United Nation of Chippewa, Ottawa and Potawatamie Indians being desirous to create a perpetual fund for the purposes of education and the encouragement of the domestic arts, wish to invest the sum of Seventy thousand dollars in some safe stock, the interest of which only is to be applied as may be necessary for the above purposes. — They therefore request the President of the United States to make such investment for the Nation as he may think best. If however at any time hereafter, the said Nation shall have made such advancement in civilization and have become so enlightened as in the opinion of the President and Senate of the United States they shall be capable of managing so large a fund with safety they may withdraw the whole or any part of it.]

Four hundred dollars a year to be paid to Billy Caldwell, and Three hundred dollars a year, to be paid to Alexander Robinson, for life, in addition to the annuities already granted them. Two hundred dollars a year to be paid to Joseph Lafromboise and Two hundred dollars a year to be paid to Shab. eh. nay, for life.

Two thousand dollars to be paid to Wau-pon-eh-see and his band, and Fifteen hundred dollars to Aon-kote and his band, as the consideration for Nine sections of land, granted to them by the 3^d Article of the Treaty of Prairie du Chien of the 29th of July 1829 which are hereby assigned and surrendered to the United States. —

Article 4th — A just proportion of the annuity money, secured as well by former treaties as the present, shall be paid West of the Mississippi to such portion of the Nation as shall have removed thither during the ensuing three years. — After which time, the whole amount of the annuities

shall be paid at their location West of the Mississippi:—

Meat Article 5th.— The Reservation of two sections of land to Shab-eh-nay by the 2^d Clause of the 3^d Article of the Treaty of Prairie du Chien of the 29th July 1829 shall be a grant in fee simple to him his heirs and assigns forever, & all the individual reservations of land in the Treaty concluded at Camp Tippecanoe, dated 20th October 1832, shall be considered as grants in fee simple to the persons to whom they are made, their heirs and assigns forever, and that the Reservations in the said last mentioned Treaty of one Section of land, to be located at Twelve mile Grove, or Na-be-na-qui-nong—"for Joseph Laughton, son of Waiske shaw," and of two sections of land "to include the small grove of timber on the River above Rock Village" for the children of Waiske shaw" shall be considered as grants in fee simple to their father David Laughton, his heirs and assigns forever:— that the reservation in said Treaty of one Section of land to be located at Soldiers village for Ma-w-te-no daughter of Francis Bourbonnois Jun^r shall be considered as a grant in fee simple to her father the said Francis Bourbonnois Jun^r, his heirs and assigns forever: and that the reservation in said Treaty of one Section of land to be located at Skunk Grove for the children of Joseph La Fromboise shall be considered as a grant in fee simple to the said Joseph La Fromboise his heirs and assigns forever.— Provided that no sale of any of the said Reservations shall be valid unless approved by the President of the United States.—

The 3rd Article has been inserted at the request of the said Chiefs who alledge that the provisions therein contained were agreed to at the time of the making of the said Treaty but were omitted to be inserted or erroneously put down.— It is however distinctly understood that the rejection of said Article by the President and Senate of the United States shall not vitiate this Treaty.

— This Treaty after the same shall have been ratified by the President and Senate of the United States, shall be binding on the contracting parties.

In Testimony whereof the said George B Potter
Thomas M Owen and William Weatherford, and the undersigned
Chiefs and Head men of the said Nation of Indians, have hereunto set their
hands at Chicago, the said day and year. -

In Presence of
Wm Dwing
Secretary to Commission

G. B. Potter
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E. A. Poush

T. M. Owen

Luther Rice Int.

William Weatherford

James Corner (Commer.)
Interp.

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John F Schermerhorn

Com. in ch. to West. Sam. Ho. Wash.

A. C. Pepper

S. A. R. P.

Che. Che. kin. gung + mark

G. M. Kuchwal
Sub. agt.

Joseph, his + mark

Geo. Bender
Major 5th Reg. Inf.

E. D. Dinn
Capt. 5th Reg.

D. Wilcox

Wah, mix. i. Co. his + mark

A. M. Pasley
Capt. 5th Reg.

D. Forsyth

Ob. wa. qua. unto his + mark



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L. T. Samson N' saw. wah. gult. his
St. U. S. A. +
marks

E. H. Smith Pat. guech. a. min. see his
St. 5th Inf. +
marks

D. Maywell
Apt. Louisiana

L. Allen Stah. Che. wine his
St. 5th Inf. +
marks

J. P. Simonton St. U. S. A. He. wase his
+
marks

Geo. J. Turner
Asst. Surgeon U. S. Army.

Richd. Hamilton Wah. bow. seh his
+
marks

Robert Mack Aug. e. sett. his
+
marks

James M. Coats
Daniel Johnson
of New York

Wm. H. Kinzie Saw. we. pant. his
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marks

Wm. A. Kinzie
G. S. Hubbard Sh. be. te. ke. zhu. his
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marks

J. L. Schwarz
Adjut. Genl. St. Pat. e. go. shuc. his
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J. M. Beaubien

James Kinzie
Jacob Beeson E. to. wov. cote. his
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marks

Samuel James Porter

Shim. e. nah his
+
marks

And^{ew} Porter

O. chee pwaise his
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Gabriel Godfrey

ke. mah. ze. win his
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marks

A. H. Arnold (A. H. Arnold)

Sauri Marsh Shaw. waw. mas. see. his
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Joseph Spencer

Shab. eh. may his
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John Watkins

B. B. Kercheval Mae. a. te. o. Shie his
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Ja. W. Berry

Squah. ke. ghie his
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marks

W. French

Mah. che. o. tab way his
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marks

Thomas French

Che. ke. te. ah his
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Pierre Menard jr.

Me. am. ese his
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Edm. Roberts

Shay. tee his
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C. Hunt

Wear Wash his
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Mix. e. maung his
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Ke. me. mah. wah his
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Ch. se. eo. quab her
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His. quab. o. no. quab her
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Wah. be. Kai his
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Ma. ca. ta. ke zhi his
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Sho. miw (Dnd) his
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She. mah. gab his
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O. Ke. mah. wah. ba. see his
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Na. mash his
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Chapter

Schedule "A"

(referred to in the Treaty, containing the sums payable to Individuals in lieu of Reservations.)

	Dollars	
Sepe Walker.	1500.	
Henry Cleveland	800.	
Rachel Hall	600.	
Sylvia Hall	600.	
Joseph Lafamboise & children	1000.	
Victoire Forthier & her children	700.	
Sean Pt Miranda	300	
Jane Miranda	} For each of whom John H Finzie. is Trustee.	
Rosetta Miranda		200.
Thomas Miranda		300.
		400.
Alexander Muller, (Gholson Hercheval Trustee.)	800.	
Paschal Muller, (D ^o D ^o)	800.	
Margaret Muller.	200.	
Socra Muller	200.	
Angelique Chevalier.	200.	
Suzette Chevallier	200.	
Joseph Chevalier	400.	
Fanny Leclaire, (Captain David Hunter, Trustee.)	400.	
Daniel Bourassa's children	600.	
Nancy Contraman	} For each of whom J. B. Campbell is Trustee.	
Sally Contraman		600
Betsy Contraman		
Alexis Lafamboise	800.	
Alexis Lafambois' children	1200.	
Mrs Mann's children	600.	
Mrs Mann, (daughter of Antoine Guilmet.)	400.	

Carried over. \$13800.

	Carried over	\$13.800
George Turkey's children (Hortier)	(The W. Brown Trustee)	500.
Jacques Chapeau's children	(do do)	600.
Antoine Roseum's children		750.
Francois Bourbonnais' Senr's children		400.
Francois Bourbonnais' Junr's children		300.
John St. Cloutier's children	(Robt A. Kinzie Trustee)	600.
Claude Lafambe's children		300.
Antoine Duilmet's children		200.
Suzette Duilmet. (John F. Kinzie Trustee)		200.
Mrs. Welsh (daughter of Antoine Duilmet)		200.
Alexander Robinson's children		400.
Billy Caldwell's children		600.
Mo-ah, way		200.
Medare B. Beaubien		300.
Charles Beaubien		300.
John A. Clark's Indian children (Richard J. Hamilton trustee)		400.
Suzette Juno & her children		1000.
Angelique Juno		300.
Suzette Beaubien's children		1000.
Mah, go, que's child	(James Kinzie Trustee)	300.
Esther, Rosine & Eleanor Bailly		500.
Sophia, Hortense & Therese Bailly		1000.
Rosa & Mary children of <u>Aoo, no, ni, gah</u> wife of Stephen Mack		600.
Jean St. Rabbu's children		400.
Francois Chevallier's children		800.
Mrs. Nancy Jamison & child		800.
Co. jah, son of Archange		250.
Martha Burnett (RA Forsythe Trustee)		1000.
Isadore Chabert's child (S. S. Hubbard Trustee)		400.
Cha, bee, quai or Mrs. Allen		500.
Luther Rice & children		2500.
John Jones		1000.



Pierre Carbonno's children	800.
Pierre Chalippeaux's Children	1000.
Phoebe Treat and children	1000.
Robert Forsyth of St Louis etc.	500.
Alexander Robinson	10000
Billy Caldwell	10000.
Joseph Laframboise	3000.
Nisinoan, see. - (B B Tercheval Trustee.)	200.
Margaret Hall	1000.
James, William, David and Sarah children of Margaret Hall	3200.
Margaret Ellen Miller - Montgomery Miller and Finty Miller - Grand children of Margaret Hall - - - - -	} For each of whom Richard L. Hamilton of Chicago, is Trustee.
Sean Letendre's children	200.
Bernard Grignon	100.
Isabelle Collier	100
Joseph Vieux - Jacques Vieux, Louis Vieux & Isosette Vieux Ea \$100	400
Angelique Hardwick's children.	1800.
Joseph Bourassa and Mark Bourassa	200.
Jude Bourassa and Therese Bourassa	200.
Stephen Bourassa and Gabriel Bourassa	200.
Alexander Bourassa and James Bourassa	200.
Elai Bourassa and Jerome Bourassa	200
M D Bourassa	100
Ann Rice and her son William M Rice & nephew John Leib	1000.
Agate Biddle & her Children	900.
Magdaline Laframboise and her son	400.
Therese Schandler	200.
Joseph Dailly's son and daughter Robert and Therese	500
Therese Lawe and George Lawe	200
David Lawe and Rachel Lawe	200
Rebecca Lawe and Eloria Lawe	200

Carried over. \$ 71,200.

Brought over.

Dollar
71.200

Polly Laws and Jane Laws	200.
Appotone Laws	100.
Angelique Vieux and Amable Vieux	200
Andre Vieux and Nicholas Vieux	200
Pierre Vieux and Maria Vieux	200
Madaline Thibeault	100.
Paul Vieux and Joseph Vieux	200
Susanne Vieux	100
Louis Grignon and his son Paul	200
Paul Grignon Senr. & Amable Grignon	200.
Perish and Robert Grignon	200
Catest Grignon and Elizabeth Grignon	200.
Ursul Grignon and Charlotte Grignon	200
Louise Grignon and Rachel Grignon	200
Agate Portier and George Grignon	200
Amable Grignon and Emily Grignon	200
Merese Grignon and Union Grignon	200.
William Burnett (B. B. Hercheval, Trustee)	1000.
Shan, na, nees	400.
Joseette Beaubien	500.
For the Chippewa, Ottawa and Potawatamie Students at the Choctaw Academy. The Hon Rell Johnson to be the Trustee	5000.
James & Richard Connor	700.
Pierre Duvernoy and Children	300.
Joshua Boyd's Children (George Boyd Esq. to be the Trustee.)	500.
Joseph Bailly	4000
R A Forsyth	3000
Gabriel Godfroy	2420.
Thomas R Covill	1300.
George Hunt	750
James Hingie	5000.
Joseph Chaumier	550.





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John and Clark Noble	180.
Alexis Provansalle	100.
One Hundred thousand dollars	<u>\$100.000.</u>



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Schedule "B"

(referred to in the Treaty containing the sums payable to Individuals, on claims admitted to be justly due, and directed to be paid.)

	Dollars
Brewster Hogan & Co.	348.
John S. C. Hogan	50.
Frederick H. Contramane	200.
Brookfield and Bertrand	100.
R. E. Keacock	100.
George W. M. Clave, U.S.A.	125.
David M. Kee	180.
Oliver Emmell	300.
George Kollenbeck	100.
Martha Gray	78.
Charles Taylor	187.
Joseph Naper	71.
John Mann	200.
James Walker	200.
John Blackstone	100.
Harris & M. Cord	175.
George W. Dole	133.
George Haverhill	60.
William Whistler, U.S.A.	1000.
Squire Thompson	100.
C. C. Snowbridge	2000.
Louis Duillard	350.
Abraham Francis	25.
D. R. Sears & Co.	250.
Dr. E. Winslow	150.
Nicholas Klinger	77.

Carried over \$ 6654

	Brought over	\$6654
Joseph Portlier		200.
Clark Wollenbeck		50.
Henry Enslin		75.
Robert A. Stinzie		1216
Joseph Ogee		200
Thomas Hartzell		400
Calvin Britain		46.
Benjamin Fry		400.
Pierre F. Favarre		100.
C. H. Chapman		30.
James Stinzie		300
G. S. Hubbard		125.
Jacque Senveaux		150.
John B. DuCharme		55.
John Wright		15.
James Galloway		200.
William Larquis		150.
Louis Chevallier, Admt of S. B. Chevallier dec ^d		112.
Solomon M ^r Bullough		100.
Joseph Curtis		50.
Edward C. Hunter		90.
Rachael Logg		25
Peter Lamseet		100.
Robert Beresford		200
G. W. & W. Laird		150
M. B. Beaubien		440
Jeduthan Smith		60.
Edmund Weed		100.
Philip Maxwell U.S.A.		35
Henry Gratiot		116.
Tyler H. Blodgett		50.
Nehemiah King		125.



J. J. Brady	188.
James Herrington	68
Samuel Collice	50
Peter Menard (Maumee)	500.
John W. Anderson	350.
David Bailey	50.
William G. Snaggs	100.
John Hively	150.
John B. Bertrand Senr.	50
Robert A. Forsyth	3000.
Maria Kercheval	3000.
Alice Hunt	3000.
Jane C. Forsyth	3000.
John H. Kinzie	5000.
Ellen M. Wolcott	5000.
Maria Hunter	5000.
Robert A. Kinzie	5000.
Samuel Godfrey	120.
John C. Schwarz	4800
Joseph Loranger	5000.
H. B. & G. W. Hoffman	358.
Phelps, and Wendell	660.
Henry Johns	270.
Benjamin C. Hoyt	20.
John H. Kinzie - In trust for the heirs of Joseph Kinzanda decd.	250.
Francis Bourbonnais Senr.	500
Francis Bourbonnais Junr.	200
R. A. Forsyth in trust for Catherine M. Kinzie	1000.
James Laird	50.
Montgomery Evans	250
Joseph Bertrand Junr.	300.
George Hunt	900

Carried over.

\$60303

	Brought over.	\$ 6030.3
Benjamin Sherman		150.
W. F. Brewster, Assignees of Joseph Bertrand Sen ^r		700.
John Forsyth, in trust for the heirs of Charles Peltier dec ^d .		900.
William Hazard		30
James Shirley		125.
Jacob Platter		25.
John B. Bourie		2500.
B. B. Kereval		1500.
Charles Lucier		75.
Mark Beaubien		500.
Catherine Stewart		82.
Francis Clouton		200.
Dr. William Brown		40.
R. A. Forsyth, in trust for Heirs of Charles Guion		200.
Joseph Bertrand Sen ^r .		652
Moses Rice		800.
James Connor		2250
John B. Du Charaine		250
Coquillard & Compagnie		5000.
Richard A. Hamilton		500.
Adolphus Chapin		80.
John Dixon		140.
William Huff		81
Stephen Black, in trust for the Heirs of Stephen Black dec ^d .		500.
Thomas Forsyth		1500.
Peter Fontaine		200.
Jacquette		200.
Francis Boucher		250.
Margaret Helm		2000.
O. A. Lacy		1000.
Henry & Richard A. Connor		1500.
James W. Craig		50



Slaves

Act Forsyth (Maumee)	1300.
Antoine Peltier Do	200
Act Forsyth in trust for Wau. se. on. s. quot. -	300.
John C. Hunt	1450.
Cayne C. Parker	70.
Isaac Hull	1000.
Foreman Evans	32
Horatio A. Curtis	300.
Isa Rice	250.
Thomas P. Quick	35.
George B. Woodcox	60.
John Woodcox	40
George B. Knaggs	1400.
Ebenezer Read	100.
George Pomeroy	150
Thomas A. Green	70.
William Elieure, in trust for Willis Fellows	500.
L. Bicott	1800.
John Johnson	100.
Antoine Antilla	100.
John Baldwin	500.
Isaac G. Bailey	100.
Agnes Cowen	35
Joseph D. Lane	50.
J. C. Phelps	250
Edmund Roberts	50.
Augustus Bona	60.
E. C. Winter & Co.	1850.
Charles W. Ewing	200.
Antoine Duilmett	800.

John St. Chandonai } \$1000. of this sum to be paid to Robert Stuart
 agent of American Fur Company, by
 the particular request of Dr. P. Chandonai. } 2500.

Carried over \$9935



Brought over. \$99935

Lowinell Marsh	3290.
Pt J Godfroy	2000.
David Hull	500.
Andrew Drouillard	500.
Jacob Beeson & Co.	220.
Jacob Beeson	900.
John Anderson	600.
John Green	100.
James B Campbell	600.
Pierre Menard Junr in right of J W Campbell	250.
George E Walker	1000.
Joseph Thebault	50.
Gideon Lowe U.S.A.	160.
Pierre Menard Junr	2000.
John Sharp	45.
Pierre Menard Junr in trust for Marie Tremble	500.
Henry B Stillman	300.
John Hamblin	500.
Francis Page	100.
George Brooks	20.
Franklin McMillan	100.
Lorance Shellhouse	30.
Martin G. Shellhouse	35.
Peter Bellair	150.
Joseph Morap	200.
John D Wendell	2000.
A. J. Hatch	300.
Stephen Downing	100.
Samuel Miller	100.
Moses Hardwick	75.
Margaret May	400.
Frances Felice	1100.



John B Bourie	500.
Harriet Ewing	500.
Nancy Hedges	500
David Bourie	500
Caroline Ferry	500.
Bourie & Clinie	500
Charles Clinie	600
Francis Clinie	700
David Bourie	150.
Henry Osburn Reed	200.
Francois Bezion	2500.
Dominique Rousseau	500.
Manana & Taylor	1570
John P Hedges	1000.
Francois Chobare	1000.
Isadore Chobare	600.
Jacob Leephart	700.
Amos & Amsden	400.
Nicholas Boilvin	350.
Archibald Glynburn	200.
William Conner (Michigan)	70.
Funis & Wendall	500.
Noel Vasseur	800
James Abbott, Agent of the American Fur Company.	2300.
Robert Stuart Agent of the American Fur Company	17000.
Solomon Beauneau	2100.
John Bt Beaubien	250.
Stephen Mack Jr.	350.
John Lawe	3000.
Alexis Larose	1000.
Daniel Whitney	1350.
P & A Grignon	650.
Carried over.	\$ 101,000

	Brought over.	\$161,000
Louis Grignon		2000.
Jacques Vieux		2000.
Laframboise & Bourcassa		1300.
Heirs of N Boilvin decd.		1000.
John Clark		400.
William G & G W Ewing		5000.
Rufus Hitchcock		400.
Reed and Coons		200.
B H Laughton		1000.
Rufus Downing		500.
Charles Reed		200.

One hundred & seventy five thousand dollars. ~~\$175,000.~~

The above Claims have been admitted, and directed to be paid, only in case they be accepted in full of all claims & demands up to the present date

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Agreeably to the Stipulations contained in the 3^d Article of the Treaty, there have been purchased and delivered at the request of the Indians, Goods, provisions and horses to the amount of Sixty five thousand dollars (leaving the Balance to be supplied in the year One thousand Eight Hundred and thirty four, thirty five thousand dollars.)

As evidence of the purchase and delivery as aforesaid under the direction of the said Commissioners, and that the whole of the same have been received by the said Indians, the said George S. Porter, Thomas J. W. Owen and William Weatherford, and the undersigned Chiefs and Head men on behalf of the said United Nation of Indians have hereunto set their hands the twenty seventh day of September in the year of Our Lord One thousand Eight hundred and thirty three.

G. S. Porter
" " "

In Presence of

Wm. Weatherford
James W. Owen

Wm. H. Murray
Secy to the Commission

John Forsyth
U. S. A.

And Mr. Abbott

James Porter

And Mr. Porter

Joseph Bertrand

Dr. H. Kinzie

James Connor
Interpreter

J. C. Schwarz

Adj. Genl. M. M.

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- Wai saw o ko ne aw his mark x
- Ne see waw bee tuck his mark x
- Kai kaw tai mon his mark x
- Sou Ha nosh
- Ishee Ishee chin be gray his + mark
- Joseph his + mark
- Shab. E. vai. his + mark
- Sh. be te ke glie his + mark
- E. to wou. eot his + mark
- Shab. y. a. tuck his + mark

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Shim. E. nah. his + marks
Me. in Co. his + marks



Chicago



Articles Supplementary, to the Treaty made at Chicago, in the State of Illinois, on the 26th day of September, One thousand Eight hundred and thirty three, between George B. Porter, Thomas M. Owen and William Weatherford, Commissioners on the part of the United States, of the one part, and the United Nation of Chippewa, Ottawa and Potawatamie Indians, of the other part, concluded at the same place on the twenty seventh day of September, One thousand eight hundred and thirty three, between the said Commissioners on the part of the United States of the one part, and the Chiefs and Head men of the said United Nation of Indians, residing upon the reservations of land situated in the Territory of Michigan, south of Grand River, of the other part. -

Article 1st - The said Chiefs and Head men cede to the United States, all their land situate in the Territory of Michigan south of Grand River, being the Reservation at Notawasepe of Four miles square contained in the 3^d clause of the 2^d Article of the Treaty made at Chicago, on the 29th day of August 1821, and the Ninety nine sections of land contained in the Treaty made at St Joseph on the 19th day of September 1827; - And also the Tract of land on St Joseph River opposite the town of Niles, and extending to the line of the State of Indiana, on which the villages of Co. ne. bee and Pokagon are situated, supposed to contain about Forty nine sections. -

Article 2^d - In consideration of the above cession, it is hereby agreed that the said Chiefs and Head men and their immediate tribes shall be considered as parties to the said Treaty to which this is supplementary, and be entitled to participate in all the provisions therein contained, as a part of the United Nation; and further, that there shall be paid by the United States, the sum of One hundred thousand dollars: to be applied as follows. -

Ten thousand dollars in addition to the general fund of One hundred thousand dollars, contained in the said Treaty to satisfy sundry Individuals in behalf of whom Reservations were asked which the Commissioners refused to grant; - The manner in which the same is to be paid being set forth in the Schedule "A" hereunto annexed. -



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Twenty five thousand dollars in addition to the sum of One hundred and fifty thousand dollars contained in the said Treaty, to satisfy the claims made against all composing the United Nation of Indians, which they have admitted to be justly due, and directed to be paid according to Schedule "B", to the Treaty annexed. -

Twenty five thousand dollars, to be paid in Goods, Provisions and Horses, in addition to the One hundred thousand dollars contained in the Treaty. -

And Forty thousand dollars to be paid in annuities of two thousand dollars a year for twenty years, in addition to the two hundred and eighty thousand dollars inserted in the Treaty, and divided into payments of fourteen thousand dollars a year.

Article 3^d. - All the Indians residing on the said Reservations in which-igan shall remove therefrom within three years from this date, during which time they shall not be disturbed in their possession, nor in hunting upon the lands as heretofore. - In the mean time no interruption shall be offered to the survey and sale of the same by the United States. - In case however the said Indians shall sooner remove the Government may take immediate possession thereof. -

Article 4th. - By the last clause of the 3^d Article of the Treaty of St. Joseph made on the 27th day of September 1828 there is granted to called-eline Bertrand, wife of Joseph Bertrand, one section of land; and as the same has not been located it is requested by the said Chief and Head men that it shall be purchased by the United States. - It is therefore agreed that the same shall be purchased by the United States if it can be done for the sum of eight hundred dollars. - Also, the reservation in the Treaty, concluded at Camp Tippecanoe dated the 20th of October 1832 to elle-saw, ke, qua and her children, of two sections of land at Waukus, kuck's village shall be considered as a grant in fee simple to the said elle, saw, ke, qua her heirs and assigns forever; provided that no sale of the same shall be valid unless approved by the President of the United States.

The 4th Article has been inserted at the request of the said Chiefs, and as the Individuals named are desirous of accompanying their friends on their removal to the West, it has been assented to by the Commissioners with the express understanding that the rejection of this article by the President and Senate of the United States shall not vitiate this Treaty.

These supplementary Articles after the same shall have been ratified by the President and Senate of the United States shall be binding on the contracting parties.

In Testimony whereof the said George B Porter, Thomas Owen and William Weatherford and the undersigned Chief and Head men of the said United Nation of Indians have hereunto set their hands at Chicago the said day and year.

In Presence of

Wm. L. Dwyer

Sec. to the Commission

E. A. Porush

Luther Rice Interpreter

James Leavenworth ^{Corner}
Joseph Beck ^{Interpreter}
Intepretor

M. Korchival

Sub. Ind. agt

Genl. Recorder
Major & Regt. Duffy

J. M. Wilcox

Capt. S. West

S. M. Wesley
Cap. S. H. H.

G. B. Porter (S)

Th. Owen (S)

William Weatherford (S)

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W. S. A.

L. J. Samson
U. S. A.

F. H. Smith
S. 5th Inf.

W. Thompson (J. L. Thompson)
S. 5th Inf.

J. Allen
S. 5th Inf.

P. Mayhew
S. 5th Inf.

Geo. F. Turner
Asst. Surg. U. S. Army

B. B. Kercheval

Thomas H. G. G. G.

Daniel Jackson
of New York

J. P. Schwarz

Adjut. Gen. G. G. G.

Robt. A. Kingie

G. S. Hubbard

S. M. Taylor

Pee chee ko hit mark (L)

Kai jaw guck hit mark (L)

Wag man kan so hit mark (L)

Mai go sai hit mark (L)

Kai chee wai hit mark (L)

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Kaw Kai maig hit mark (L)

Mans Kai sick hit mark (L)

Pam ko wuck hit mark (L)

No tauw gai hit mark (L)

Kank munk kisin hit mark (L)

Wee see mon hit mark (L)

Mo so ben net hit mark (L)

Kee o kum hit mark (L)

Maatch Kee hit mark (L)

Kaw bai mee sai hit mark (L)

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Pierre Menard fils

Jacob Beason

~~Andr^e Auguste Porter~~

Edm^d. Roberts

Jn. H. Kinzie

~~Lascelles Perry~~

Gabriel Godfrey Jr

~~Grant~~

A. F. Andt (A. F. Andt)

~~And^r Porter~~

Isaac Nash

Rich^d Hamilton

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Revised Schedule "A"

referred to in the Articles Supplementary to the Treaty, containing the sums payable to Individuals, in lieu of Reservations of Land.

	Dollars
Po. ka. gou	2000.
Rebecca Burnett } Edward Brooks Trustee for each.	500.
Mary Burnett }	250
Martha Burnett (R. A. Forsyth Trustee.)	250.
Madaline Bertrand	200.
Joseph Bertrand Junr.	200.
Luke Bertrand. Junr.	200
Benjamin Bertrand	200.
Lawrence Bertrand	200.
Theresa Bertrand	200.
Amable Bertrand	200.
Sulianne Bertrand	200.
Joseph St Bertrand	100.
Mary ell Bertrand	100.
ell S Bertrand	100.
John B Du Charne	200.
Elizabeth Du Charne (R. A. Forsyth Trustee.)	800.
George Henderson	400.
Mary Nado & Children	400.
John St Chandonai	1000.
Charles Chandonai } For each of whom R. A. Forsyth is trustee.	400.
Mary Chandonai }	400.
Mary St Comb & Children	300
Ta. gon. nai's daughter	200.
Me. chain daughter of Pecheco.	200
Alexis Rolan	200

Carried over. \$ 9400

Polly Neighbush.
Francis Page's wife and children.
Pierre F. Navarre's children.
Sarmont (Half breed.)
Ten thousand Dollars.

Brought over. \$ 9 400.

200.

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Agreeably to the Stipulations contained in the Articles supplementary to the Treaty, there have been purchased and delivered at the request of the Indians, Goods, Provisions and Horses to the amount of Fifteen thousand dollars (leaving the balance to be supplied hereafter Ten thousand dollars.)

As evidence of the purchase and delivery as aforesaid under the direction of the said Commissioners, and that the whole of the same have been received by the said Indians, the said George B. Porter, Thomas J. Owen and William Weatherford, and the Undersigned Chiefs and Head men on behalf of the said United Nation of Indians have hereunto set their hands the twenty seventh day of September in the year of Our Lord, One thousand, eight hundred and thirty three.

In Presence of

Wm. L. Daring
Secy to the Commission
R. Forsyth
U. S. A.

Mr. H. Kinzie
Mad. J. Abbott

Samuel James Porter

Joseph Bertrand
And Porter

J. C. Schwarz
Adj. Genl. U.S.A.
James Connor
Interp.

G. B. Porter

Th. J. Owen

William Weatherford

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Wai saw o ko ne aw his mark +
Ne see waw bee tuk his mark x
Kai kaw tai mou his mark x

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Joseph. his + mark
Shab. e nai. his + mark
Osh. be. te. zhi his + mark
E. to man. Cote his + mark
Shab. y. a. tuk his + mark
Mr. Sam. eve. his + mark

Meh. be. me. mee his x marks
Them. E. nah' his x marks
We. in. Co. his x marks

Supplementary



Starkweather



On behalf of the Chiefs and Head men of the United Nation of Indians who signed the Treaty to which these Articles are Supplementary. We hereby in evidence of our concurrence therein become parties thereto. -

And, as since the signing of the Treaty a part of the Band residing on the Reservations in the Territory of Michigan, have requested, on account of their religious creed, permission to remove to the Northern part of the Peninsula of Michigan, it is agreed that in case of such removal the just proportion of all annuities payable to them under former Treaties and that arising from the sale of the Reservation on which they now reside shall be paid to them at L'Arbre, Croche. -

Witness Our hands the said day and year.

In presence of

Wm. D. Lewis Secy
To the Commission
J. H. Kinzie.
Rich. Hamilton

Robert Stuart

R. Forsyth
N. S. A.

Samuel James Porter

J. C. Schwarz

Adj. Genl. M. J. J.
James Conner
Interp.

Sau. Wa. nook

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march 16

Sh. he. te. ke. zhe. ^{his} +
march 16

Shab. s. may ^{his} +
march 16

O'cheep. pucuse ^{his} +
march 16

Maug. E. bath. ^{his} +
march 16

Shin. E. nab. ^{his} +
march 16

Te. me. nah. wak ^{his} +
march 16



The Commissioners certify that when these Supplementary Articles were ready for signature, the original paper of which the annexed is a copy was presented by Messrs Peter and James Godfroy, and the due execution of it was made satisfactorily appear to the Commissioners, the subscribing Witnesses, R A Forsyth and Robert ettingie being present. — The Chiefs and Head men present recognizing this as a Reservation, it was agreed that it shall be considered in the same light as though the purport of the Instrument had been inserted in the body of the Treaty: — with the understanding that the rejection of it by the President and Senate of the United States shall not affect the validity of the Treaty. —

L. J. FORTER.
"D"
H. W. CURSON

William Matherford

Copy of the Instrument referred to in the above certificate. —

Know all men by these Presents that we the undersigned Chiefs and Youngmen of the Potawatamic tribe of Indians living at Cha, to, wa, ce, pe in the Territory of Michigan for and in consideration of the friendship and sundry services rendered to us by Peter and James Godfroy we do hereby by these presents give, grant, alien, transfer and convey unto the said Godfroy's their heirs and assigns forever one entire section of land situate lying and being on our reserve of Cha, to, wa, ce, pe in the Territory aforesaid to be located by said Godfroy's wherever on said reserve they shall think it more to their advantage & benefit. — It is moreover the wishes of the undersigned Chiefs and Youngmen as aforesaid, that so soon as there shall be a Treaty held between the United States and our said Tribe of Potawatamies that our Great Father the President confirm and make good this our grant unto them, the said Godfroy's by issuing a Patent therefor to them and to their heirs forever. — In so doing Our Great Father will accomplish the wishes of his children. — Done at Detroit this

eighteenth day of May A.D. One thousand, eight hundred and thirty. —
The witnesses whereof we have hereunto signed, sealed and set our hands &
seals the day and year last above written. —

Signed, sealed & delivered
in presence of us.

Robert Stungie
G. Godfroy

Witnesses to the signatures of
Pierre Clouin alias Perish &
Wa, say, gab

Richard Godfroy
Francis Clouin.

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Tho, paw, ka his X mark

Co, ce, baw his X mark


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Pierre Clouin alias Perish, his X mark

Wa, say, gab his X mark





Now Therefore, be it known, That I, Andrew Jackson, President of the United States of America, having seen and considered the said Treaty, as well as the articles supplementary thereto, and the alteration acceded to by the Chiefs of the said nation, do, in pursuance of the advice and consent of the Senate, as expressed by their resolutions of the twenty-second day of May, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four, and of the eleventh day of February one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five, accept, ratify, and confirm the same, upon the conditions expressed in the aforesaid resolutions of the Senate. - Which conditions as contained in the first named resolution, are as follows:

“ That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the Treaty, made on the 26th day of September 1833, at Chicago, by George B. Porter and others, Commissioners on behalf of the United States, and the United Nation of Chippewas, Ottawas, and Pottawatomis Indians, and the supplementary articles thereto, dated on the 27th day of September 1833, with the following amendments and provisions to wit. 1st: amend the third article in Schedule A, by striking out the word “ten” and inserting the word five as to each of the sums to be paid to Billy Caldwell and Alexander Robinson; so that the sum of five thousand dollars only will be paid to each of them, and the sum of ten thousand dollars, thus deducted, to be paid to the Indians. - 2d. All the debts mentioned in Schedule B, in the same article, and which are specified in exhibit E, to the report of the committee, to be examined by a commissioner to be appointed by the President, with the advice and consent of the Senate, and the individuals to be paid only the

sums

sums found by said commissioner, to have been justly due; in no instance increasing the sum agreed to be paid; and whatever sum is saved by deduction or disallowance of the debts in Exhibit E, to be paid to the Indians, and the residue to the claimants respectively.

3d. Strike out article 5th in the Treaty. 4th: Strike out article 4th in the supplementary articles: and provided, that the lands given to the said Indians, in exchange, in place of being bounded in the manner described in the Treaty be so changed, that the first line shall begin at the mouth of Boyer's river, and run down the river Mispouri to a point thereon from which a line running due east will strike the Northwestern corner of the State of Missouri; from that point due east till it strikes said north-west corner; then, along the northern boundary line of said State, till it strikes the line of the lands belonging to the Fox and Sac Indians; thence northwardly, so far as to make to the Indians full compensation for the quantity of land which will be thus taken from them on the South Western part of the tract allowed them by the boundaries as at present described in the Treaty; and provided, further, that this alteration of boundaries can be effected with the consent of the Indians. Also the said commissioner shall examine whether three thousand dollars, a part of the sum of seventeen thousand dollars, directed to be paid to Abut Stuart agent of the American Fur Company, was to be paid and received in full discharge of all claims and demands which said company had against Gordon S Hubbard and James Kinzie; and if he finds it was to be so paid, that then the sum of fourteen thousand dollars, only, be paid, until said agent of said company give a receipt of all debts due, and demands which said company had against said

Hubbard and Kinzie; and, upon giving such receipt, that then the said sum of three thousand dollars be likewise paid to said agent."

And those contained in the second named resolution are as follows:

"That the Senate do advise and consent to the alteration proposed by the Chiefs of the United Nation of, Chippewa, Ottawa and Pottawattamie Indians, concluded at Chicago, in the State of Illinois, on the first day of October 1834, to the treaty concluded between the Commissioners on the part of the United States and the Chiefs of the said United Nation on the 26th of September 1833:— it being expressly understood by the Senate that no other of the provisions of the resolution of the Senate of the 22nd ^{day} of May 1834, ratifying the said treaty, shall be affected, or in any manner changed, by the said proposed alteration of 1st October 1834, respecting the proposed alteration in the boundaries therein mentioned, and the sums of money therein stipulated to be paid."



In testimony whereof, I have caused the seal of the United States to be hereunto affixed, having signed the same with my hand. Done at the City of Washington, this twenty first day of February, in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five, and of the Independence of the United States the fifty-ninth.

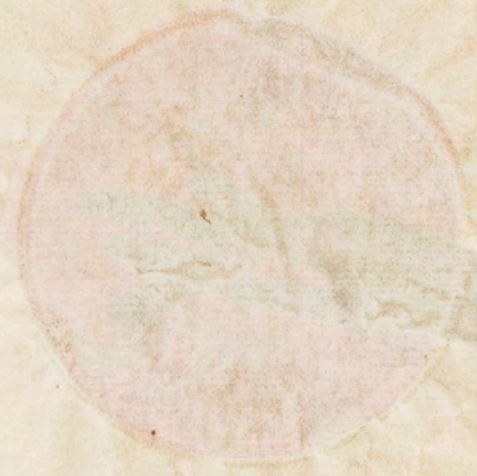
By the President: Andrew Jackson

Wm. B. Ewell

Secretary of State.

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Papers accompanying
the President's
message of the
15th Decr. 1834
showing the
Alteration desired
by the United
Chippewa & other
Indians to the
Treaty of 26th
Sept. 1833.



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Department of War,
December 10. 1834.

Sir,

The Senate having, at its last Session, by a Resolution dated 22nd of May 1834, ratified the treaty concluded with the united Nation of Chippewas, Ottawas and Potawatimies of 26th September 1833, with amendments and provisions, Col^o Owen, Indian Agent, was instructed to obtain the assent of these Indians thereto. I have the honor to lay before you, to be submitted to the Senate, a copy of the instructions given to the Agent, and his letter, accompanying a communication to him, signed by the Chief Caldwell and others, containing the terms upon which the Indians are willing to accede to the conditional ratification.

I am Sir,

Very respectfully,
Your Ob^t. Serv^t.

L. C. Chap

To
The President,



(Copy)

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Department of War
June 26th 1834.

Sir,

I enclose herewith a copy of the conditional part of the ratification by the Senate of the Treaty concluded with the Indians the last Autumn at Chicago.

You will perceive that the Senate propose an alteration in the bounds of the district assigned by that treaty to the Indians. The Map herewith sent shows distinctly the change which has become necessary. The interests of the Indians will not be at all affected by this course, because as much, as is taken from one side is given to them upon the other and is presumed to be quite as valuable. It is desirable that the Indians should be placed as much out of contact with our citizens as practicable, and it would be injurious to them to be located upon the comparatively narrow tract of country between the State of Missouri and the Missouri river. I do not therefore anticipate any objections on their part to the proposed arrangement, and you are desired to explain the matter fully to them, and to use your exertions to procure their assent.

The time and manner of effecting this is left to your own discretion. It is proper to remark, however, it is not anticipated that any expenditure further than a small supply of provisions will be necessary in carrying this object into effect.



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The circumstances do not seem to require that the Indians should be assembled in a body, especially for this purpose as that measure would be attended with a serious expense. Two modes of procedure suggested themselves to me, that you should call together some of the principal and most intelligent Chiefs who are recognized by the Indians as the proper persons for the transaction of their public business. And after fully explaining the matter to them, procure their written assent to the change, if they are willing to give it on behalf of their people.

The other mode, is to postpone the matter until the Indians assemble to receive their annuities and then submit the affair to their decision. You will adopt whichever mode you may think, under the circumstances, may be best for the Government and the Indians. As it is ~~an~~ only an equal exchange which is proposed, you are not at liberty to offer any consideration for it. But if you are not successful in this negotiation you will report to this Department the objections of the Indians together with any propositions which they may make on the subject.

As the duty to be performed upon this occasion will cause very little trouble to yourself it is not thought that any additional compensation will become necessary.

Very respectfully &c
Lewis Cass.

To Col.

Thomas S. Owen,
Chicago, Illinois.



Copy of Letter
To Col. Geo. S. V. Owen
June 26. 1834.



Chicago, Illinois, Oct. 1. 1834. ^{Sto}

The J. V. Owen Esq.
U.S. Indian agent.

Father!

Feeling a disposition to comply with the Resolution of Senate of the United States, and the views of the Government in relation to an alteration in the boundaries of the country ceded to the United nation of Chippewa, Ottawa and Potawatamie Indians at the Treaty at Chicago in the State of Illinois, concluded on the 26th 27th days of September 1833. We therefore propose as the Chiefs of the said United nation, and for and on their behalf that we will accept of the following alteration in the boundaries of the said tract of country viz: - Beginning at the mouth of Rogers River; thence down the Missouri river, to a point thereon; from which a due East line would strike the Northwest corner of the State of Missouri; thence along the said East line, to the north west corner of said State; then along the northern boundary line of the said State of Missouri, till it strikes the line of the lands of the Sac & Fox Indians; thence northwardly along

said line to a point from which a west line would strike the sources of the little Sioux river; thence along said west line, till it strikes the said sources of said river; then down said river to its mouth; thence down the Mipouri river, to the place of beginning: provided the said boundary shall contain five million of acres; but should it contain more, then said boundaries are to be reduced so as to contain the said five millions of acres.

And in consideration of the attua-
tion of said boundary we ask that Ten Thousand dollars should be paid to such Commissioners, as shall be designated by us to receive the same west of the Mississippi river, at such place on the Tract of Country ceded to the said United nation as we may designate, and to be applied, as we may direct for the use and benefit of the said nation. And the further sum of Two thousand dollars to be paid to Gholson Kercheval, of Chicago, Ill: for services rendered the said United nation of Indians during the late War, between the U.S. Government and the Sacs & Foxes; and the further sum of One thousand dollars to George E. Walker for services rendered the said United nation, in bringing

Indian prisoners, from West of the Mississippi river to Ottawa, LaSelle County, Ill., for whose appearance at the Circuit Court of said County, the said nation was bound.

The foregoing propositions are made with the expectation, that with the exception of the alteration in the proposed boundary, and the indemnity herein demanded as an equivalent for said exchange, the whole of the Treaty made and concluded at this place on the 26th & 27th days of September 1833, be ratified as made and concluded at that time, within the space of five months from the present date; otherwise it is our wish that the whole of the said Treaty should be considered as cancelled.

In witness whereof, We, the undersigned Chiefs of the said United Nation of Chippewa, Ottawa and Potawatamie Indians, being specially delegated with power and authority to effect this negotiation have hereto set our hands and seals at Chicago in the state of Illinois, on the first day of October, A.D. 1834. W. Caldwell

In presence of
Rich^d. Hamilton

In presence of
J. H. Kingie

his
Kee-tshee-zhing-ee-beh X Seal
mark

Dr. P. Maxwell
Ch. S. Linn
S. Vautour
[Signature]

his
Tshee-tshee-beeng-quay X Seal
mark

Joseph
his
X Seal
mark

J. M. Oakley
Cap. 5th Regt
[Signature]

his
O-ee-tah-kee-zhik' X Seal
mark

his
Wau-bon-see X Seal
mark

his
Kaj-kot-ee-mo X Seal
mark



Indian Agency Chicago.
Oct. 3rd. 1834

To The Honorable

Lewis Cap.

Secretary of War

Washington City

Sir,



After several efforts, I have at length succeeded in obtaining from Caldwell, & Robinson (or ~~Ishee~~ ~~Ishee~~, been quag) and other Chiefs of the United Tribes of Ottawa, ~~Shippewa~~ and Pottawatamies, something in the character of their agent, on behalf of said Tribes, to a change in the boundaries of the lands assigned them west of the Mississippi, the document is herewith enclosed and by reference thereto it will be seen, that they require the Little Sioux River to be their northern boundary, until their five millions of acres shall be regularly assigned them by the Government, to this I did not suppose there could be any reasonable objection, they have also required, as indemnification for what they conceive to be the difference in value between the tract relinquished by them, and that to be received in lieu of it, the sum of Thirteen thousand dollars in Cash, Ten thousand of which, is intended by them to be appropriated to the purchase of domestic animals, and Farming utensils, and the other three thousands to the objects specified in the agreement -

They assign no reasons for refusing their assent to an equal exchange, other than the supposed difference in the value of the two tracts, this difference is no doubt entirely imaginary, as they cannot possess sufficient knowledge of the country on which to base such an opinion, they have it is true been told by some of the Saes and Foxes that the country on the Missouri north of Boyer river is principally prairie,

I am decidedly of opinion that nothing better can be done for the interest of the Government, than to accept of the propositions contained in the enclosed paper, I endeavored to have the two thousand dollars which they propose to give to Mr. Kicheval either included in the ten thousand dollars, or struck out but they pertinaciously refused to do either, hence I was obliged to receive the proposition as it stands.

There is no probability that the payment of annuities can take place until near the last of the present month, for want of the funds, this is to be regretted, because it has created some dissatisfaction among some of the influential chiefs, and it will be too late to prevail on them to visit their new family this fall.

It is very desirable that the Treaty should be ratified at as early a period as possible, as it is difficult to prevent our people from intruding on the

lands ceded, I am not sure but it will yet become
necessary to resort to military force, besides so soon as
the Treaty shall be finally ratified a great number of the
Indians will migrate West. the moment means are
furnished them.

I have the honor to be
Very respectfully
Yr most ob. St.

Th. A. T. Owen



Chicago Oct 3rd 1834

Dear

Th. W. Town

Enclosed articles of
agreement with the
Ottawa, Chippewa &
Plover Indians —

Edward 27 Oct 1834

Warrick St.

October 29. 1834
Indian Office

Ex. 2. 2d. 12.
at Dep. of State.

5. Jones

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In the Senate of the U.S.
February 11, 1835.

Resolved (two thirds of the Senators present concurring) That ~~the~~ the Senate do advise and consent to the alteration proposed by the Chiefs of the United Nation of Chippewa, Ottawa and Pottawatamic Indians, concluded at Chicago, in the State of Illinois, on the first day of October 1834, to the treaty concluded between the Commissioners on the part of the United States, and the Chiefs of the said United Nation on the 26th of September 1833: It being expressly understood by the Senate that no other of the provisions of the Resolution of the Senate of the 22^d day of May 1834, ratifying the said treaty, shall be affected, or in any manner changed, by the said proposed alteration of first October 1834, excepting the proposed alteration in the boundaries therein mentioned, and the sums of money therein stipulated to be paid.

Attest,

Walter Lowrie Secy.



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In the Senate of the U. S.

May 22^o 1834

Resolved, two thirds of the Senators present concurring, That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the Treaty, made on the 26th day of September 1833, at Chicago, by George B. Porter and others, Commissioners on behalf of the United States, and the United Nation of Chippewas, Ottawas, and Pottawattamie, Indians, and the supplementary articles thereto, dated the 27th day of September 1833, with the following Amendments and provisions to wit. 1st Amend the third Article in Schedule A, by striking out the word "ten" and inserting the word five as to each of the sums to be paid to Billy Caldwell and Alexander Robinson; so that the sum of five thousand dollars only will be paid to each of them, and the sum of ten thousand dollars, thus deducted, to be paid to the Indians. —

2^o All the debts mentioned in Schedule B., in the same article, and which are specified in Exhibit **E** to the Report of the Committee, to be examined by a Commissioner to be appointed by the President, with the advice and consent of the Senate, and the individuals to be paid only the sums found by said Commissioner, to have been justly due; in no instance increasing the sum agreed



to be paid; and whatever sum is saved by deduction or disallowance of the debts in Exhibit E., to be paid to the Indians, and the residue to the claimants, respectively. 3^d Strike out Article 5th in the Treaty. 4th Strike out Article 4th in the supplementary articles: And provided, That the lands given to the said Indians, in exchange, in place of being bounded in the manner described in the Treaty be so changed, that the first line shall begin at the mouth of Boyers river, and run down the river Missouri to a point thereon from which a line running due East will strike the North Western Corner of the State of Missouri; from that point due East till it strikes said North West corner; then, along the northern boundary line of said State, till it strikes the line of the lands belonging to the Fox and Sac Indians; thence northwardly so far as to make to the Indians full compensation for the quantity of land which will be thus taken from them on the South Western part of the tract allowed them by the boundaries as at present described in the Treaty; and provided, further, that this alteration of boundaries, can be effected with the consent of the Indians.) Also the said Commissioner shall examine

whether three thousand dollars, a part of the sum of seventeen thousand dollars directed to be paid to Robert Stuart Agent of the American Fur Company, was to be paid and received in full discharge of all claims and demands which said Company had against Gordon S. Hubbard and James Kinzie; and if he finds it was to be so paid, that then the sum of fourteen thousand dollars, only, be paid, until said Agent of said Company give a receipt of all debts due, and demands which said Company had against said Hubbard and Kinzie; and, upon giving such receipt, that then the said sum of three thousand dollars be likewise paid to said Agent.

Attest,

Walter Lowrie Sewy

Senate U.S. May 22^o 1874.

~~For~~

Resolution

Ratifying Chicago
Treaty, conditionally.

26 Sep 1873

Chippewas
Ojibwas
Pottawattamies