

Thompson S. Harris,	Seneca White,
Sah-go-en-toh, or Morris Halftown,	Gesh-u-aw, or James Shongo,
Ten-wan-ne-us, or Governor Black Snake,	Jarvis Spraing,
Doa-ne-pho-gah, or Little Johnson,	Ti-at-tah-co, or Adam Dextador,
Joh-nesh-ha-dih, or James Stevenson,	Moris B. Pierce,
Ho-wah-tan-eh-goh, or John Pierce,	So-gogh-quas, or John Tallchief,
Da-gon-on-de, or William Patterson,	Isaac Halftown,
Samuel Goudon,	David Snow,
Tunis Halftown,	John Bark,
Hau-sa-nea-nes, or White Seneca,	George Killbuck,
Gah-nang-ga-oot, or Young Chief,	George Dennis,
Thomas Jameson,	John Kennedy, sen.,
Moses Stevenson,	Abram John,
Jonah Armstrong,	Job Pierce,
Joseph Silverheels,	Saw-da-ne, or George Deer,
Da-o-as-sah-au, or Jo. Hunlock,	Ga-na-waw, or John Cook,
George Fox,	Jaw-ne-es, or John Dickey,
Yaw-sau-ge, or Peter Johnson,	George Big Deer,
Noh-sok-dah, or Jim Jonas,	Nah-joh-gau-eh, or Tall Peter,
Dih-no-se-du, or Jacob Shongo,	John Kennedy, jr.

Signed sealed and delivered in the presence of ———. The words "and Allegany" in the sixth page being interlined. A. Dixon, Commissioner on the part of New York. Benj. Ferris, Orlando Allen, Asher Wright, O. H. Marshall, Elam R. Jewett, Cortland B. Stebbins, Joseph S. Wasson.

To the Indian names are subjoined a mark and seal.

## ARTICLES OF A TREATY

*Made and concluded at La Pointe of Lake Superior, in the Territory of Wisconsin, between Robert Stuart commissioner on the part of the United States, and the Chippewa Indians of the Mississippi, and Lake Superior, by their chiefs and headmen.*

Oct. 4, 1842.

Proclamation,  
March 23, 1843.

### ARTICLE I.

THE Chippewa Indians of the Mississippi and Lake Superior, cede to the United States all the country within the following boundaries; viz: beginning at the mouth of Chocolate river of Lake Superior; thence northwardly across said lake to intersect the boundary line between the United States and the Province of Canada; thence up said Lake Superior, to the mouth of the St. Louis, or Fond du Lac river (including all the islands in said lake); thence up said river to the American Fur Company's trading post, at the southwardly bend thereof, about 22 miles from its mouth; thence south to intersect the line of the treaty of 29th July 1837, with the Chippewas of the Mississippi; thence along said line to its southeastwardly extremity, near the Plover portage on the Wisconsin river; thence northeastwardly, along the boundary line, between the Chippewas and Menomonees; to its eastern termination, (established by the treaty held with the Chippewas, Menomonees, and Winnebagoes, at Butte des Morts, August 11th 1827) on the Skonawby river of Green Bay; thence northwardly to the source of Chocolate river; thence down said river to its mouth, the place of beginning; it being the intention of the parties to this treaty, to include in this cession, all the Chippewa lands eastwardly of the aforesaid line

Land ceded to  
the U. S.

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running from the American Fur Company's trading post on the Fond du Lac river to the intersection of the line of the treaty made with the Chippewas of the Mississippi July 29th 1837.

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#### ARTICLE II.

Hunting ground.

The Indians stipulate for the right of hunting on the ceded territory, with the other usual privileges of occupancy, until required to remove by the President of the United States, and that the laws of the United States shall be continued in force, in respect to their trade and intercourse with the whites, until otherwise ordered by Congress.

#### ARTICLE III.

Unceded lands to be common property of the Indians.

It is agreed by the parties to this treaty, that whenever the Indians shall be required to remove from the ceded district, all the unceded lands belonging to the Indians of Fond du Lac, Sandy Lake, and Mississippi bands, shall be the common property and home of all the Indians, party to this treaty.

#### ARTICLE IV.

Sums to be paid by U. S. for cession.

In consideration of the foregoing cession, the United States, engage to pay to the Chippewa Indians of the Mississippi, and Lake Superior, annually, for twenty-five years, twelve thousand five hundred (12,500) dollars, in specie, ten thousand five hundred (10,500) dollars in goods, two thousand (2,000) dollars in provisions and tobacco, two thousand (2,000) dollars for the support of two blacksmiths shops, (including pay of smiths and assistants, and iron steel &c.) one thousand (1,000) dollars for pay of two farmers, twelve hundred (1,200) for pay of two carpenters, and two thousand (2,000) dollars for the support of schools for the Indians party to this treaty; and further the United States engage to pay the sum of five thousand (5,000) dollars as an agricultural fund, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of War. And also the sum of seventy-five thousand (75,000) dollars, shall be allowed for the full satisfaction of their debts within the ceded district, which shall be examined by the commissioner to this treaty, and the amount to be allowed decided upon by him, which shall appear in a schedule hereunto annexed. The United States shall pay the amount so allowed within three years.

Indian debts to be paid by U.S.

Provision for half-breeds.

Whereas the Indians have expressed a strong desire to have some provision made for their half breed relatives, therefore it is agreed, that fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars shall be paid to said Indians, next year, as a present, to be disposed of, as they, together with their agent, shall determine in council.

#### ARTICLE V.

Division of annuity.

Whereas the whole country between Lake Superior and the Mississippi, has always been understood as belonging in common to the Chippewas, party to this treaty; and whereas the bands bordering on Lake Superior, have not been allowed to participate in the annuity payments of the treaty made with the Chippewas of the Mississippi, at St. Peters July 29th 1837, and whereas all the unceded lands belonging to the aforesaid Indians, are hereafter to be held in common, therefore, to remove all occasion for jealousy and discontent, it is agreed that all the annuity due by the said treaty, as also the annuity due by the present treaty, shall henceforth be equally divided among the Chippewas of the Mississippi and Lake Superior, party to this treaty, so that every person shall receive an equal share.

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Indians on mineral districts subject to removal.

#### ARTICLE VI.

The Indians residing on the Mineral district, shall be subject to removal therefrom at the pleasure of the President of the United States.

## ARTICLE VII.

This treaty shall be obligatory upon the contracting parties, when ratified by the President and Senate of the United States. Obligatory  
when ratified

In testimony whereof, the said Robert Stuart commissioner, on the part of the United States, and the chiefs and headmen of the Chipewya Indians of the Mississippi and Lake Superior, have hereunto set their hands, at La Pointe of Lake Superior, Wisconsin Territory this fourth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-two.

ROBERT STUART, *Commissioner.*  
JNO. HULBERT, *Secretary.*

Crow-wing River,	Po go ne gi shik,	1st chief,
Do.	Son go com ick,	2d do.
Sandy Lake,	Ka non do ur uin zo,	1st do.
Do.	Na tum e gaw bon,	2d do.
Gull Lake,	Ua bo jig,	1st do.
Do.	Pay pe si gon de bay,	2d do.
Red Ceder Lake,	Kui ui sen shis,	1st do.
Do.	Ott taw wance,	2d do.
Po ke gom maw,	Bai ie jig,	1st do.
Do.	Show ne aw,	2d do.
Wisconsin River,	Ki uen zi,	1st do.
Do.	Wi aw bis ke kut te way,	2d do.
Lac de Flambeau,	A pish ka go gi,	1st do.
Do.	May tock cus e quay,	2d do.
Do.	She maw gon e,	2d do.
Lake Bands,	Ki ji ua be she shi,	1st do.
Do.	Ke kon o tum,	2d do.
Fond du Lac,	Shin goob,	1st do.
Do.	Na gan nab,	2d do.
Do.	Mong o zet,	2d do.
La Pointe,	Gitchi waisky,	1st do.
Do.	Mi zi,	2d do.
Do.	Ta qua gone e,	2d do.
Ononagan,	O kon di kan,	1st do.
Do.	Kis ke taw wac,	2d do.
Ancé,	Pe na shi,	1st do.
Do.	Guck we san sish,	2d do.
Vieux Desert,	Ka she osh e,	1st do.
Do.	Medge waw gwaw wot,	2d do.
Mille Lac,	Ne qua ne be,	1st do.
Do.	Ua shash ko kum,	2d do.
Do.	No din,	2d do.
St. Croix,	Be zhi ki,	1st do.
Do.	Ka bi na be,	2d do.
Do.	Ai aw bens,	2d do.
Snake River,	Sha go bi,	1st do.
Chippewa River,	Ua be she shi,	1st do.
	Que way zhan sis,	2d do.
Lac Courtalle,	Ne na nang eb,	1st do.
Do.	Be bo kon uen,	2d do.
Do.	Ki eun zi,	2d do.

In presence of Henry Blatchford, Interpreter. Samuel Ashmun, Interpreter. Justin Rice. Charles H. Oakes. William A. Aitkin. William Brewster. Charles M. Borup. Z. Platt. G. H. Beaulieu. L. T. Jamison. James P. Scott. Cyrus Mendenhall. L. M. Warren.

To the Indian names are subjoined marks.

## SCHEDULE OF CLAIMS

Schedule of  
debts of Indians  
to be paid.

*Examined and allowed by Robert Stuart, commissioner, under the treaty with the Chippewa Indians of the Mississippi and Lake Superior, concluded at La Pointe, October 4th 1842, setting forth the names of claimants, and their proportion of allowance of the seventy-five thousand dollars provided in the fourth article of the aforesaid treaty, for the full satisfaction of their debts, as follows:*

No. of claim.	Name of claimant.	Proportion of \$75,000, set apart in 4th article of treaty.
1	Edward F. Ely - - - - -	\$50 80
2	Z. Platt, esq., attorney for George Berkett - -	484 67
3	Cleveland North Lake Co. - - - - -	1,485 67
4	Abraham W. Williams - - - - -	75 03
5	William Brewster - - - - -	2,052 67
	This claim to be paid as follows, viz: William Brewster, or order - - - \$1,929 77	
	Charles W. Borup, or order - - - 122 90	
		<u>\$2,052 67</u>
6	George Copway - - - - -	61 67
7	John Kahbege - - - - -	57 55
8	Alixes Carpantier - - - - -	28 58
9	John W. Bell - - - - -	186 16
10	Antoine Picard - - - - -	6 46
11	Michael Brisette - - - - -	182 42
12	François Dejaddon - - - - -	301 48
13	Pierre C. Duvernay - - - - -	1,101 00
14	Jean Bts. Bazinet - - - - -	325 46
15	John Hotley - - - - -	69 00
16	François Charette - - - - -	234 92
17	Clement H. Beaulieu, agent for the estate of Bazil Beaulieu, dec'd - - - - -	596 84
18	François St. Jean and George Bonga - - - - -	306 84
19	Louis Ladebauche - - - - -	322 52
20	Peter Crebassa - - - - -	499 27
21	B. T. Kavanaugh - - - - -	516 82
22	Augustin Goslin - - - - -	169 05
23	American Fur Company - - - - -	13,365 30
	This claim to be paid as follows, viz: American Fur Company - - - 12,565 10	
	Charles W. Borup - - - 800 20	
		<u>\$13,365 30</u>
24	William A. Aitken - - - - -	935 67
25	James P. Scott - - - - -	73 41
26	Augustin Bellanger - - - - -	192 35
27	Louis Corbin - - - - -	12 57
28	Alexes Corbin - - - - -	596 03
	Carried forward,	\$24,350 21

## Schedule—Continued.

No. of claim.	Name of claimant.	Proportion of \$75,000, set apart in 4th article of treaty.
	Brought forward,	\$24,350 21
29	George Johnston - - - - -	35 24
30	Z. Platt, esq., attorney for Sam'l Ashman - - -	1,771 63
31	Z. Platt, esq., attorney for Wm. Johnson - - -	390 27
32	Z. Platt, esq., attorney for estate of Dan'l Dingley	1,991 62
33	Lyman M. Warren - - - - -	1,566 65
34	Estate of Michael Cadotte, <i>disallowed</i> .	
35	Z. Platt, esq., attorney for estate of E. Roussain	959 13
36	Joseph Dufault - - - - -	144 32
37	Z. Platt, esq., attorney for Antoine Mace - - -	170 35
38	Michael Cadotte - - - - -	205 60
39	Z. Platt, esq., att'y for François Gauthier - - -	167 05
40	Z. Platt, esq., att'y for Joseph Gauthier - - -	614 30
41	Z. Platt, esq., attorney for J. B. Uoulle - - -	64 78
42	Jean Bts. Corbin - - - - -	531 50
43	John Hulbert - - - - -	209 18
44	Jean Bts. Couvellion - - - - -	18 80
45	Nicholas Da Conteau; <i>withdrawn</i> .	
46	Pierre Cotté - - - - -	732 50
47	W. H. Brockway and Henry Holt, executors to the estate of John Holiday, dec'd - - -	3,157 10
48	John Jacob Astor - - - - -	27,994 98
	This claim to be paid as follows, viz :	
	Charles W. Borup - - - - -	1,676 90
	Z. Platt, esq. - - - - -	2,621 80
	John Jacob Astor - - - - -	23,696 28
	<u>\$27,994 98</u>	
49	Z. Platt, esq., attorney for Thos. Connor - - -	1,118 60
50	Charles H. Oakes - - - - -	4,309 21
51	Z. Platt, esq., attorney for Wm. Morrison - - -	1,074 70
52	Z. Platt, esq., att'y for Isaac Butterfield - - -	1,275 56
53	J. B. Van Rensselaer - - - - -	62 00
54	William Brewster and James W. Abbot - - -	2,067 10
	The parties to this claim request no payment be made to either without their joint consent, or until a decision of the case be had, in a court of justice.	
55	William Bell - - - - -	17 62
		<u>\$75,000 00</u>

ROBERT STUART, *Commissioner*.  
JNO. HULBERT, *Secretary*.

## ARTICLES OF A TREATY

Oct. 11, 1842.  
Proclamation,  
March 23, 1843.

*Made and concluded at the agency of the Sac and Fox Indians in the Territory of Iowa, between the United States of America, by John Chambers their commissioner thereto specially authorized by the President, and the confederated tribes of Sac and Fox Indians represented by their chiefs, headmen and braves:*

### ARTICLE I.

Lands ceded  
to U. S.

THE confederated tribes of Sacs and Foxes cede to the United States, forever, all the lands west of the Mississippi river, to which they have any claim or title, or in which they have any interest whatever; reserving a right to occupy for the term of three years from the time of signing this treaty, all that part of the land hereby ceded which lies west of a line running due north and south from the painted or red rocks on the White Breast fork of the Des Moines river, which rocks will be found about eight miles, when reduced to a straight line, from the junction of the White Breast with the Des Moines.

### ARTICLE II.

Payment by  
U. S. for ces-  
sion.

In consideration of the cession contained in the preceding article, the United States agree to pay annually to the Sacs and Foxes, an interest of five per centum upon the sum of eight hundred thousand dollars, and to pay their debts mentioned in the schedule annexed to and made part of this treaty, amounting to the sum of two hundred and fifty-eight thousand, five hundred and sixty-six dollars and thirty-four cents; and the United States also agree,

Lands to be  
assigned to In-  
dians for perma-  
nent residence.

*First.* That the President will as soon after this treaty is ratified on their part as may be convenient, assign a tract of land suitable and convenient for Indian purposes, to the Sacs and Foxes for a permanent and perpetual residence for them and their descendants, which tract of land shall be upon the Missouri river, or some of its waters.

Blacksmiths'  
and gunsmiths'  
shops, &c.

*Second.* That the United States will cause the blacksmiths and gunsmiths' tools, with the stock of iron and steel on hand at the present agency of the Sacs and Foxes, to be removed, as soon after their removal as convenient, to some suitable point at or near their residences west of the north and south line mentioned in the first article of this treaty; and will establish and maintain two blacksmiths and two gunsmiths' shops convenient to their agency, and will employ two blacksmiths, with necessary assistance, and two gunsmiths to carry on the said shops for the benefit of the Sacs and Foxes; one blacksmiths and one gunsmiths' shop to be employed exclusively for the Sacs, and one of each to be employed exclusively for the Foxes, and all expenses attending the removal of the tools, iron and steel, and the erection of new shops, and the purchase of iron and steel, and the support and maintenance of the shops, and wages of the smiths and their assistants, are to be paid by the tribe, except such portion thereof as they are now entitled to have paid by the United States, under the 4th article of the treaty made with them on the 4th of August 1824, and the 4th article of the treaty of the 21st of September 1832. And when the said tribes shall remove to the land to be assigned them by the President of the United States, under the provisions of this treaty, the smiths' shops

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& 374.