

Articles of a Treaty between the United States of America. and the Quapaw Nation of Indians.

ARTICLE 1st The Quapaw Nation of Indians, cede to the United States of America, in consideration of

the whole Territory of Arkansas: comprised in the following boundaries, to wit: "Beginning at a point

on the Arkansas river, opposite to the Post of Arkansas, and running thence, a due south-west course

to the Ouachita River, and thence up the same to the Saline Fork, and up the Saline Fork, to a {point from whence} a due north-east course will strike the Arkansas river at Little Rock, {and thence down

the south or right} bank of the Arkansas river to the place of beginning.

{Article. 2nd. In} consideration of the cession, made in the 1st Article of this Treaty, by the {aforesaid Chiefs and}

Warriors, the United States engage to pay to the four head chiefs of the Quapaw Nation, the {sum of}

five hundred dollars each, in consideration of the losses they will sustain by removing from their farms,

and improvements, the payment to be made at the time they receive their annuity for the year 1825.

And, also, to the said nation, the sum of Four Thousand Dollars, to be paid in goods, at the signing of this Treaty. And the United States engage to pay to the said Quapaw Nation, One Thousand

Dollars in specie annually, for the term of Eleven years, in addition to their present annuity.

{Article 3rd} The United States hereby guaranty to the said Nation of Indians, the same right to hunt {on the lands

by them hereby ceded, as} was guarantied to them by a Treaty, concluded at St. Louis, {on the 24th of August, 1818,

between the said Quapaw Nation} of Indians and WILLIAM CLARK and AUGUSTE {CHOTEAU, Commissioners

on the part of the United States.}

{Article 4th The} Quapaw {Tribe} of Indians will hereafter be concentrated and confined to the {district of} country {inhabited

by} the Caddo Indians, and form a part of said Tribe. The said nation of Indians are to commence removing to the {district}

allotted them, before the twentieth day of January, 1826.

Article 5th For the purpose of facilitating the removal of the said Tribe, to the district of country allotted them, and as a

compensation for the losses sustained, & the inconveniences to which they may be exposed by said removal, the

United States will furnish them with corn, meat, and salt, for six months, from the first day of January, 1826.

The United States further agree to furnish a sum not exceeding One thousand Dollars, to be expended by {their}

agent, to facilitate the transportation of the said Tribe to the district of country herein assigned them.

{An} Agent, Sub Agent, or Interpreter, shall be appointed to accompany said tribe, and to reside {among them.}

{Article 6th From} the cession aforesaid, there shall be reserved to James Scull, in consideration of a debt of {seven thousand five

hundred} dollars, due to him from the Quapaw Nation, and recognized in open Council, two {sections of land} commencing on

the Arkansas river, opposite to Mrs. Embree's, and running up and back from said {river} for quantity. And the United States

guaranty to the Quapaw Nation the payment of the said debt of seven thousand five hundred dollars, either by the ratification of the

grant made in this article, or by the payment of said amount in money, exclusive of the amount stipulated to be paid to the said

nation by this treaty.

Article 7th There shall be granted by the United States, to the following persons, being Indians by descent, the following

tract of Land. To Francois Imbeau, one quarter section of land, commencing at a point on the Arkansas

river, opposite the upper end of Wright Daniel's farm, and thence, up and back from said river, for

{quantity. To} Joseph Duchassien, one quarter section of land, commencing {at the} lower {corner of} the

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quarter section granted to Francois Imbeau, and running down and back from said river for quantity. To Saracen, a half breed Quapaw, eighty acres of land, to be laid off so as to include his, improvement, where he now resides, opposite Vaugine's.

To Batiste Socie, eighty acres of land, .laying above and adjoining Saracen's grant. To Joseph

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Bonne, eighty acres of land, lying above and adjoining Socie's grant. To Baptiste Bonne, eighty acres of land, lying above and adjoining Joseph Bonne's grant. To Lewis Bartelmi, eighty acres of land, lying above and adjoining Baptiste Bonne's grant. To Antoine Duchassin, eighty acres of land, lying above and adjoining Bartelmi's grant. To Baptiste Imbeau, eighty acres of land, lying above and adjoining A. Duchassin's grant. To Francois Coupot, eighty acres of land, lying above and adjoining Baptiste Imbeau's grant. To Joseph Valliere, eighty acres of land, lying above and adjoining. Francois Coupot's grant. All the said tracts of land shall be laid off, so as to conform to the lines of the United States' surveys, and binding On the Arkansas river.
{Article 8th This treaty} shall take effect, & be obligatory on the contracting parties, so soon as the same shall be, ratified by the Senate of the United {States.}

Col. 1

Signed, sealed, and witnessed in presence of-
Thomas W. Newton, secretary to the
commission,
Robert C. Oden, lieutenant colonel Second
Regiment Arkansas Militia,
T. Farrelly, adjutant-general of Arkansas
{Militia,}
{B. Harrington.}
{Edmund Hogan,}
{D. Barber, S. Agt. to the Osages,}
{Gordon Neill, }
{Thomas W. Johnston,}
Antoine Barrague,
Etienne Vaugine,
interpreter,
Joseph Duchassin,
interpreter.

Col. 2

Hackehton, his x mark, [L. S.]
Tononseka, his x mark, [L. S.]

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Kiahhacketady, his x mark, [L. S.]

Sarazen, his x mark, [L. S.]

Kakapah, his x mark, [L. S.]

Hunkahkee, his x mark, [L. S.]

Wahtonbeh, his x mark, [L. S.]

Hunkatugonee, his x mark, [L. S.]

Hepahdagonneh, his x mark, [L. S.,]

Wahehonjekah, his x mark, [L.S.]

Gratonjekah, his x mark, [L. S.]

Watuhtezka, his x mark, [L. S.]

Dohkuhnonjeshu, his x mark, [L. S.]

Kahtahkonku, his x mark, [L. S.]

Hahcrontenah, his x mark, [L. S.]

Col. 3

In testimony whereof, {the commissioner}
on the part of the United
States,{Robert Crittenden,} and the undersigned chiefs and warriors of
the {said nation,}
have hereunto subscribed their names and affixed
their
seals. Done at Harrington's, in the Territory
of Arkansas, On the fifteenth day of November,
A. D.1824, and of the independence of the United
States the 49th.
Robt. Crittenden, {Commisioner on the part of the
United States [L. S.]}

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