

TREATY WITH THE MIAMIES. 1834.

Ma-quagh-con-nong,	Kee-la-come-wa-quah,
Ma-ma-see-cha,	Yah-ka-cone-na,
Poqua,	Co-come-wah,
Wa-pa-co-cha,	Po-co-ga,
Sha-pon-to-saw,	Che-ke-no-quah,
Ne-pa-wa,	Kee-she-con-saw,
Sha-pon-to-saw,	Wa-pa-co-se-ah,
To-san-yah,	Ta-co-qua,
No-wa-co-paugh,	Ta-co-qua,
Sho-e-lin-chee,	Cot-tee-mon-gua,
Min-see-quah,	Long-guah,
Mi-a-que-ah,	Wa-pa-pe-taugh,
Fa-fa,	Go-ta-co-paugh,
Pa-pin-gee-she,	To-san-ne-ah,
Kee-mo-te-ah,	Captain Flour,
Wa-wa-saw-ma,	Go-ta-ca-puah,
Mun-gone-saw,	John B. Richardville,
O-wan-so-pe-ah,	Principal chief.

Allen Hamilton, Sect'y to the Commissioner. J. P. Taylor, Capt. U. S. army
Jesse Vermilya. Peter Langley, Interpreter.

To the Indian names are subjoined marks.

And whereas, ANDREW JACKSON, then President of the United States of America, not approving of said treaty, the principal Chiefs of said tribe of Indians assented to certain modifications thereof, as appears by the following agreement between said Chiefs and Jonathan Keller, Commissioner of the United States, viz :

ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT,

July 31, 1837.

Made and entered into, at the Forks of the Wabash, on the 31st day of July, 1837, between Jonathan Keller commissioner of the United States, and the principal chiefs of the Miami tribe of Indians, witnesseth:

Assent of the
Indians to cer-
tain modifica-
tions of the
treaty.

THAT it is agreed between the contracting parties, that certain articles of a treaty entered into between William Marshall commissioner of the United States and the Miami Indians on the 23d day of October 1834, (not being in conformity to the views of the President of the United States) and being submitted to us the head chiefs by direction of the President for modification, the undersigned hereby consents and agrees to the following modifications, to wit; From the second section strike out all that relates to the payment of goods to the Miamies, as a part consideration for the lands ceded, and insert money in lieu thereof—and all that relates to placing money in the hands of a white man to pay the debts of the Indians, to alter the 7th section, and to add the 8th section to the 6th, and strike from the treaty the 9th, 10th, 12th, 13th, and 15th sections.

The undersigned chiefs consenting to and confirming the entire cession made by the treaty above mentioned.

In testimony whereof, we have hereunto set our names the date above mentioned.

JONATHAN KELLER.

John B. Richardville,
Francis Godfroy,

Ma-gi-ne-ca.

WITNESSES PRESENT, Allen Hamilton. A. C. Pepper, Indian Agent.

To the Indian names are subjoined marks.

And whereas the said treaty with explanatory documents from the Department of War, having been submitted to the Senate for its advice in regard to the ratification of the original treaty, with the amendments proposed by the Secretary of War, the treaty, with the amendments, in the event of its ratification by the United States, to be again submitted to the Chiefs and Warriors of the Miami tribes for their sanction or rejection, the Senate did on the twelfth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven, resolve as follows, viz :

IN SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES,

Oct. 12, 1837.

October 12th, 1837.

Resolved, (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring,) That the Senate do advise and consent to the ratification of the treaty between the United States of America and the Miami tribe of Indians, concluded at the Forks of the Wabash, in the State of Indiana, on the twenty-third day of October, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four; with the following amendment; *Provided*, that the Chiefs and Warriors of the said tribe, shall in General Council, as on the occasion of concluding the aforesaid treaty, agree to and sign the same :

The Senate consent to the ratification, with the following amendment.

Proviso.

Attest,

ASBURY DICKINS,
Secretary.

AMENDMENT.

Strike out the whole of said treaty after the title and insert the following in lieu thereof:

ARTICLES OF A TREATY

Between the United States and the Miami tribe of Indians, concluded at the Forks of the Wabash, in the State of Indiana, on the 23d day of October, 1834, by and between William Marshall, commissioner of the United States, and the chiefs and warriors of said tribe.

Oct. 23, 1834.

Proclamation, Dec. 22, 1837. Assent of the Indians, Nov. 10, 1837.

The Indians cede the following tracts of land.

ARTICLE I. The Miami tribe of Indians agree to cede to the United States the following described tracts of land within the State of Indiana, being a part of reservations made to said tribe from former cessions, now conveyed for and in consideration of the payments stipulated to be made to them in the 2d article of this treaty of cession.

One tract of land, thirty-six sections, at Flat Belly's village, a reserve made by the treaty of Wabash of 1826.

Ante, p. 300.

Also, one tract of land, about twenty-three thousand acres more or less, a reserve made at Wabash treaty in 1826, of five miles in length on the Wabash river, extending back to Eel river.

Also, one other tract of ten sections at Racoon village, and a tract of ten sections at Mudd creek on Eel river, reserves made at Wabash treaty of 1826.

Also, one reserve of two miles square on the Salamany river at the mouth of At-che-pong-quaw creek, reserve made at the treaty of St. Mary's of 1818.

Ante, p. 189.

Also, one other tract being a portion of the ten mile square reserve, made at the treaty of St. Mary's of 1818, opposite the mouth of the river Aboutte, commencing at the northeast corner of said reserve, thence south with the eastern boundary of the same ten miles to the southeast corner of the reserve, thence west with the southern boundary one mile, thence north nine miles, thence west nine miles, thence north one mile to the northwest corner of said reserve, thence to the place of beginning.