

## TREATY WITH THE CADDOES. 1835.

D. M. Heard, M. D. act. assis. Surgn. U. S. A. Isaac C. Williamson. Henry Queen.  
John W Edwards, Interpreter.

To the Indian names are subjoined a mark and seal.

July 3, 1835.

Agreeably to the stipulations in the third article of the treaty there have been purchased at the request of the Caddo Indians, and delivered to them, goods and horses to the amount of thirty thousand dollars.

As evidence of the purchase and delivery as aforesaid, under the direction of the commissioner and that the whole of the same have been received by the said Indians the said commissioner, Jehiel Brooks, and the undersigned chiefs and head men of the whole Caddo nation of Indians, have hereunto set their hands, and affixed their seals the third day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five.

J. BROOKS.

Tarshar,  
Tsauninot,  
Satiownhown,  
Oat,

Ossinse,  
Tiohtow,  
Chowawanow.

In presence of Larkin Edwards. Henry Queen. John W. Edwards, Interpreter.  
James Finnerty.

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## ARTICLES SUPPLEMENTARY

July 1, 1835.

*To the treaty made at the agency house in the Caddo nation and State of Louisiana on the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five between Jehiel Brooks Commissioner on the part of the United States, and the Chiefs head men and Warriors of the Caddo nation of Indians concluded at the same place, and on the same day between the said Commissioner on the part of the United States and the Chiefs Head men and Warriors of the said nation of Indians, to wit—*

Preamble.

WHEREAS the said nation of Indians did in the year one thousand eight hundred and one, give to one François Grappe and to his three sons then born and still living, named Jacques, Dominique and Belthazar, for reasons stated at the time and repeated in a memorial which the said nation addressed to the President of the United States in the month of January last, one league of land to each, in accordance with the Spanish custom of granting land to individuals. That the chiefs and head men, with the knowledge and approbation of the whole Caddo people did go with the said François Grappe, accompanied by a number of white men, who were invited by the said chiefs and head men to be present as witnesses, before the Spanish authority at Natchitoches, and then and there did declare their wishes touching the said donation of land to the said Grappe and his three sons, and did request the same to be written out in form and ratified and confirmed by the proper authorities agreeably to law.

And WHEREAS Larkin Edwards has resided for many years to the present time in the Caddo Nation—was a long time their true and faithful interpreter, and though poor he has never sent the Red man away from his door hungry. He is now old and unable to support himself by manual labor, and since his employment as their interpreter has ceased possesses no adequate means by which to live: Now therefore—

ARTICLE I. It is agreed that the legal representatives of the said François Grappe deceased and his three sons Jacques, Dominique, and Belthazar Grappe, shall have their right to the said four leagues of land reserved to them and their heirs and assigns for ever. The said land to be taken out of the lands ceded to the United States by the said Caddo Nation of Indians as expressed in the treaty to which this article is supplementary. And the said four leagues of land shall be laid off in one body in the southeast corner of their lands ceded as aforesaid, and bounded by the Red river four leagues and by the Pascagoula bayou one league, running back for quantity from each, so as to contain four square leagues of land, in conformity with the boundaries established and expressed in the original Deed of Gift made by the said Caddo nation of Indians to the said François Grappe and his three sons Jacques, Dominique, and Belthazar Grappe.

Grant by Indians to F. Grappe, confirmed.

ARTICLE II. And it is further agreed that there shall be reserved to Larkin Edwards his heirs and assigns for ever one section of land to be selected out of the lands ceded to the United States by the said nation of Indians as expressed in the treaty to which this article is supplementary in any part thereof not otherwise appropriated by the provisions contained in these supplementary articles.

Reservation for Larkin Edwards.

ARTICLE III. These supplementary articles, or either of them, after the same shall have been ratified and confirmed by the President and Senate of the United States, shall be binding on the contracting parties, otherwise to be void and of no effect upon the validity of the original treaty to which they are supplementary.

Articles binding when ratified.

In testimony whereof the said Jehiel Brooks Commissioner as aforesaid and the Chiefs Head men and Warriors of the said nation of Indians have hereunto set their hands and affixed their seals at the place and on the day and year above written.

J. BROOKS.

Tarshar,  
Tsanninot,  
Satiownhown,  
Tinnechinan,  
Oat,  
Tinnowin,  
Chowabah,  
Kianhoon,  
Tiatesun,  
Tehowawinow,  
Tewinnun,  
Kardy,  
Tiohtow,

Tehawahinno,  
Toackkooch,  
Tehowainin,  
Sanninow,  
Sauninot,  
Hiashidock,  
Mattan,  
Towahinneke,  
Aach,  
Soakiantow,  
Sohone,  
Ossinse.

In presence of T. J. Harrison, Capt. 3d reg't. com'g detach't. J. Bonnell, 1st Lieut. 3d reg't. U. S. infy. G. P. Fife, Bvt. 2d Lieut. 3d reg. U. S. inf. D. M. Heard, M. D. Act. ast. Surgn. U. S. A. Isaac C. Williamson. Henry Queen. John W. Edwards, Interpreter.

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