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EXTINGUISHMENT OF INDIAN TITLES.

RESOLUTIONS

OF

THE COUNCIL AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OF

THE TERRITORY OF WISCONSIN,

RELATIVE TO

The extinguishment of the Indian title to certain lands.

FEBRUARY 19, 1846.

Read, and laid upon the table.

Resolved by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Wisconsin, That the rapidity of settlement of the lands bordering on and lying south of the Fox river, as well as the importance of the section of country lying north of the same, demands the early extinguishment of the Indian title to all the lands along said river.

Resolved, That the Hon. Morgan L. Martin, delegate in Congress, be hereby requested to urge upon Congress the necessity of making an appropriation, at the present session, for the purpose of holding a treaty with the Menomonic tribe of Indians, for the extinguishment of the Indian title to the lands lying north of the Fox river, in said Territory, and between the Wolf and Wisconsin rivers.

Resolved, That his excellency the governor be requested to forward copies of these resolutions to the presiding officers of both Houses of Congress, and to the honorable delegate of the Territory.

MASON C. DURLING,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

NELSON DEWEY,
President of Council.

Approved, February 3, 1846.

HENRY DODGE.