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CHICKASAW INDIANS.

LETTER

FROM

THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY,

TRANSMITTING

The annual statement of the Register of the Treasury, showing the amounts credited to, and expenditures made on account of, the Chickasaw tribe of Indians, under the acts of October, 1832, and May, 1834.

MARCH 19, 1850.

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means, and ordered to be printed.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
March 4, 1850.

SIR: In compliance with the third section of the act entitled "An act to carry into effect the treaties concluded by the Chickasaw tribe of Indians on the 20th October, 1832, and 24th May, 1834," which provides that "a special account of the funds, under the said treaty, shall be kept at the treasury, and a statement thereof shall be annually laid before Congress," I have the honor to transmit, herewith, detailed statements from the Register of the Treasury, numbered 1, 2, and 3, showing the amounts credited to, and the expenditures made on account of, the respective trusts during the past year.

By the report of my predecessor, dated March 3, 1849, (Ex. Doc. No. 66, House of Representatives, thirtieth Congress, second session,) the balance to the credit of the general fund was - - - \$36, 143 49

Receipts in the year 1849, viz:

| | | |
|---|---------------|-------------|
| Interest on stocks - - - - - | \$121, 373 55 | |
| Repayments - - - - - | 299 55 | |
| | <hr/> | 121, 673 10 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | 157 816 59 |
| Deduct disbursements for the year - - - - - | | 124, 926 70 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Balance to the credit of the fund - - - - - | | 32, 889 89 |
| | | <hr/> <hr/> |

As will appear by statement No. 1.

Exhibits numbered 2 and 3 show the transactions in the trusts created by the fourth and eighth articles of the treaty of 1st July, 1834, for the year

1849; the former showing a balance of \$979 36, and the latter a balance of \$3,103 56, to the credit of the respective trusts.

The sales of land under the treaty stipulations during the year 1849, amount to the sum of \$6,161 40; statements marked A and B show, in detail, the sales for each month and the amount of incidental expenses for each quarter.

The receiver at Pontotoc reported the sum of \$2,689 88 to be in his hands on the 31st December last.

The investments made by this department in State stocks remain as reported by my predecessor in the document herein before referred to.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. M. MEREDITH,
Secretary of the Treasury.

Hon. HOWELL COBB,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

No. 1.

Statement from January 1 to December 31, 1849, inclusive, carrying into effect treaty with Chickasaws October 30, 1832, per act April 20, 1836.

| | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------|---|---|---|------------|-----------------|---|---|---|------------|
| W. Devereux | - | - | - | \$382 00 | Balance | - | - | - | 36,143 49 |
| Same | - | - | - | 1,000 00 | Appropriation | - | - | - | 510 00 |
| Same | - | - | - | 260 00 | Same | - | - | - | 8,710 10 |
| L. E. McKinney | - | - | - | 210 00 | Same | - | - | - | 1,020 00 |
| M. McGee | - | - | - | 30 00 | Same | - | - | - | 4,875 00 |
| P. M. Fletcher | - | - | - | 150 00 | Same | - | - | - | 3,225 92 |
| W. Devereux | - | - | - | 382 00 | R. Love | - | - | - | 254 55 |
| Same | - | - | - | 2,000 00 | Appropriation | - | - | - | 7,875 00 |
| P. P. Pitchlynn | - | - | - | 500 00 | M. McGee | - | - | - | 30 00 |
| Same | - | - | - | 186 00 | Appropriation | - | - | - | 12,500 00 |
| W. Devereux | - | - | - | 3,100 00 | Same | - | - | - | 45,949 53 |
| A. Bond | - | - | - | 550 58 | Same | - | - | - | 12,293 10 |
| S. M. Rutherford | - | - | - | 3,520 00 | Same | - | - | - | 4,875 00 |
| W. Devereux | - | - | - | 526 00 | Same | - | - | - | 11,004 62 |
| R. Love | - | - | - | 500 00 | A. M. M. Upshaw | - | - | - | 15 00 |
| J. P. Wilson | - | - | - | 113 29 | Appropriation | - | - | - | 655 28 |
| Same | - | - | - | 132 00 | Same | - | - | - | 7,875 00 |
| W. Devereux | - | - | - | 462 60 | | | | | |
| W. C. Larrabee | - | - | - | 243 76 | | | | | |
| A. Bond | - | - | - | 148 17 | | | | | |
| Same | - | - | - | 671 86 | | | | | |
| Nah-nubbee | - | - | - | 164 00 | | | | | |
| Malenda Kin-hi-cha | - | - | - | 164 00 | | | | | |
| W. Devereux | - | - | - | 461 00 | | | | | |
| W. C. Larrabee | - | - | - | 118 65 | | | | | |
| J. P. Wilson | - | - | - | 133 50 | | | | | |
| Same | - | - | - | 112 50 | | | | | |
| W. Devereux | - | - | - | 453 00 | | | | | |
| J. Drennen | - | - | - | 74,500 00 | | | | | |
| W. Devereux | - | - | - | 464 00 | | | | | |
| B. Reynolds | - | - | - | 766 90 | | | | | |
| W. C. Larrabee | - | - | - | 79 68 | | | | | |
| Surplus fund | - | - | - | 23,629 86 | | | | | |
| R. Love | - | - | - | 743 13 | | | | | |
| W. Devereux | - | - | - | 461 00 | | | | | |
| M. McGee | - | - | - | 30 00 | | | | | |
| E. Pickins | - | - | - | 500 00 | | | | | |
| J. McLaughlin | - | - | - | 500 00 | | | | | |
| Sha-pow-way | - | - | - | 500 00 | | | | | |
| P. Colbert | - | - | - | 500 00 | | | | | |
| J. Gamble | - | - | - | 500 00 | | | | | |
| D. James | - | - | - | 500 00 | | | | | |
| J. Alberson, jr. | - | - | - | 500 00 | | | | | |
| J. McGilvery | - | - | - | 500 00 | | | | | |
| A. Bond | - | - | - | 901 91 | | | | | |
| W. Devereux | - | - | - | 459 60 | | | | | |
| J. P. Wilson | - | - | - | 180 09 | | | | | |
| W. Devereux | - | - | - | 382 00 | | | | | |
| Same | - | - | - | 386 00 | | | | | |
| W. C. Larrabee | - | - | - | 75 00 | | | | | |
| A. Bond | - | - | - | 993 22 | | | | | |
| Balance | - | - | - | 32,889 89 | | | | | |
| | | | | 157,816 59 | | | | | 157,816 59 |

No. 2.

Statement from January 1 to December 31, 1849, inclusive—Chickasaw orphans.

| | | | | | | | |
|------------------|---|---|-----------------|---|---|---|-----------------|
| S. Love, et al. | - | - | \$4 75 | Balance | - | - | \$397 00 |
| Secretary of War | - | - | 1,298 93 | Secretary of War | - | - | 13 01 |
| Surplus fund | - | - | 1,198 93 | Same | - | - | 34 44 |
| H. R. Pitchlynn | - | - | 99 36 | Appropriation | - | - | 1,800 00 |
| Balance | - | - | 979 36 | Same | - | - | 13 01 |
| | | | | Same | - | - | 24 94 |
| | | | | Transfer to interest, &c., reimbursable | - | - | 1,298 93 |
| | | | <u>3,581 33</u> | | | | <u>3,581 33</u> |

No. 3.

Statement from January 1 to December 31, 1849, inclusive—incompetent Indians.

| | | | | | | | |
|-----------------|---|---|-----------------|---------------|---|---|-----------------|
| A. M. M. Upshaw | - | - | \$33 49 | Balance | - | - | \$3,052 05 |
| Same | - | - | 15 00 | Appropriation | - | - | 50 00 |
| Balance | - | - | 3,103 56 | Same | - | - | 50 00 |
| | | | <u>3,152 05</u> | | | | <u>3,152 05</u> |

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
Register's Office, February 7, 1850.

I certify that the foregoing statements, exhibiting the condition of the Chickasaw trust fund account on the 31st December, 1849, are correct.

M. NOURSE, Register ad interim.

A.

Statement of sales in Chickasaw cession for the year 1849.

| | Acres. | Amount. |
|-------------------|-----------|----------|
| January - - - - | 5,383.69 | \$672 99 |
| February - - - - | 2,078.81 | 259 85 |
| March - - - - | 3,473.25 | 434 16 |
| April - - - - | 3,203.06 | 400 40 |
| May - - - - | 1,575.03 | 196 88 |
| June - - - - | 2,191.72 | 273 97 |
| July - - - - | 1,069.38 | 133 65 |
| August - - - - | 5,357.18 | 1,856 31 |
| September - - - - | 2,358.43 | 294 81 |
| October - - - - | 2,785.49 | 454 55 |
| November - - - - | 4,484.82 | 699 92 |
| December - - - - | 2,466.48 | 483 91 |
| | 36,427 34 | 6,161 40 |

GENERAL LAND OFFICE,
February 7, 1850.

B.

Statement of sales at the land office in the Chickasaw cession in 1849; also the incidental expenses, including salaries, for same year.

| 1849. | Amount of sales. | Amount of incidental expenses. |
|------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|
| First quarter - - - - | \$1,367 00 | \$600 00 |
| Second quarter - - - - | 871 25 | 746 14 |
| Third quarter - - - - | 2,284 77 | 625 65 |
| Fourth quarter - - - - | 1,638 38 | 607 50 |
| | 6,161 40 | 2,579 29 |

Amount of deposit made August 15, 1849, to the credit of the Treasurer of the United States, as shown by covering warrant, dated February 16, 1850, \$2,045.

J. BUTTERFIELD,
Commissioner.

GENERAL LAND OFFICE,
February 27, 1850.