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CHICKASAW FUND.

LETTER

FROM

THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY,

TRANSMITTING

Statements in reference to the Chickasaw fund.

MARCH 3, 1851.

Ordered to be printed.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
February 12, 1851.

SIR: Complying 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," I have the honor herewith to transmit the statement required to "be annually laid before Congress," showing the operations in the respective trusts for the year 1850.

On the 1st January, 1850, the balance to the credit of the general fund (Ex. Doc. No. 58, 31st Congress, 1st session) was - \$32,889 89

Received in the year 1850, viz:

| | | |
|---|-------------|-------------------------|
| Interest on stocks - - - - | \$90,610 09 | |
| Proceeds of land sales - - - - | 7,045 00 | |
| Repayments - - - - | 58,161 85 | |
| | | <u>155,816 94</u> |
| | | 188,706 83 |
| Deduct disbursements - - - - | | <u>174,343 50</u> |
| Balance to the credit of the fund - - - - | | <u><u>14,363 33</u></u> |

The transactions in the trusts created by the 4th and 8th articles of the treaty of 1st July, 1834, are shown in exhibits numbered 2 and 3, for the year 1850; the former having a balance of \$1,048 45, and the latter remaining without change during the year.

The sales of land under the treaty stipulations, for the year 1850, amount to \$6,082 91, as will appear by reference to statement A.

The receiver at Pontotoc reported the sum of \$872 30 to be in his hands on the 31st December last.

The investments remain as before stated.
All which is respectfully submitted:

THOS. CORWIN,
Secretary of the Treasury.

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

THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY

MARCH 5, 1851

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
February 17, 1851

On the 1st January, 1850, the balance in the credit of the Treasury (P.L. Doc. No. 28, 31st Congress, 1st session) was \$1,015,000 00

Received in the year 1850, viz:

| |
|--------------|
| \$97,610 00 |
| 1,015 00 |
| 58,161 88 |
| <hr/> |
| 156,786 88 |
| 1,171,786 88 |
| <hr/> |
| 1,268,567 88 |

The Treasury in the above account of the 31st and 30th October of the year 1850; the former having a balance of \$1,015,000 and the latter \$1,268,567 88, the latter being the result of the operations of the Treasury during the year.

The sum of \$872 30, as reported by the receiver at Pontotoc on the 31st December last, is included in the above account.

No. 1.

Statement, from January 1 to December 31, 1850, carrying into effect the treaty with the Chickasaws of October 30, 1832, per act of April 20, 1836.

| DR. | | CR. | |
|------------------------|------------|------------------------|-------------|
| B. H. Epperson..... | \$1,000 00 | Balance..... | \$32,889 89 |
| W. A. Wheeler..... | 4 38 | Appropriation..... | 7,773 10 |
| W. Devereux..... | 386 00 | Do | 17,382 91 |
| B. H. Epperson..... | 4,000 00 | Do | 4,875 00 |
| W. Devereux..... | 386 00 | Do | 2,045 00 |
| W. C. Larrabee..... | 75 00 | Chickasaw nation | 58,124 14 |
| J. W. Lumpkin..... | 399 08 | Appropriation..... | 682 91 |
| W. Devereux..... | 15,000 00 | Do | 7,875 00 |
| Do | 7,740 00 | W. B. Waugh..... | 37 41 |
| Chickasaw nation | 56,021 49 | Appropriation..... | 1,020 00 |
| W. Devereux..... | 386 00 | Do | 12,500 00 |
| A. Bond..... | 861 38 | Do | 7,773 10 |
| W. Devereux..... | 1,230 00 | Do | 7,650 00 |
| W. Drennen..... | 4,440 00 | A. M. M. Upshaw..... | 30 |
| W. B. Waugh..... | 200 00 | Appropriation..... | 297 79 |
| W. Devereux..... | 386 00 | Do | 1,750 00 |
| W. Lowrie..... | 3,000 00 | Do | 5,000 00 |
| A. Holland..... | 100 00 | Do | 655 28 |
| W. Devereux..... | 386 00 | Do | 7,875 00 |
| Do | 386 00 | Do | 12,500 00 |
| A. Bond..... | 977 78 | | |
| G. Colbert..... | 938 00 | | |
| W. Devereux..... | 386 00 | | |
| Do | 386 00 | | |
| L. E. McKenney..... | 192 08 | | |
| J. Mattubby..... | 114 88 | | |
| U. Cunneubby..... | 57 44 | | |
| E. Pitchlynn..... | 57 44 | | |
| J. Bell..... | 108 83 | | |
| A. Holland..... | 171 23 | | |
| W. Devereux..... | 386 00 | | |
| A. Bond..... | 1,001 20 | | |
| J. Drennen..... | 65,000 00 | | |
| W. Devereux..... | 3-6 00 | | |
| H. Miller..... | 386 00 | | |
| E. W. Schon..... | 6,000 00 | | |
| W. C. Larrabee..... | 150 00 | | |
| A. Bond..... | 871 29 | | |
| J. J. Miller..... | 386 00 | | |
| Balance..... | 14,363 33 | | |
| | 188,706 83 | | 188,706 83 |

No. 2.

Statement, from January 1 to December 31, 1850, Chickasaw orphans, under the eighth article of the treaty of July 1, 1834.

| DR. | | CR. | |
|----------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Secretary of Interior..... | \$908 38 | Balance..... | \$979 36 |
| Surplus fund..... | 100 00 | Appropriation..... | 13 01 |
| Balance..... | 1,048 45 | Do | 23 75 |
| | | Do | 1,008 38 |
| | | Do | 32 33 |
| | <u>2,056 83</u> | | <u>2,056 83</u> |

No. 3.

Statement, from January 1 to December 31, 1850, incompetent Indians, under fourth article of the Chickasaw treaty, per act April 20, 1836.

| DR. | | CR. | |
|--------------|------------|--------------|------------|
| Balance..... | \$3,103 56 | Balance..... | \$3,103 56 |

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
Register's Office, February 5, 1851.

I certify the foregoing statements to be correct copies from the books in my office.

TOWNSEND HAINES,
Register.

A.

Exhibit of sales in the Chickasaw cession in 1850.

| | Acres. | Value. |
|----------------|------------------|-----------------|
| January..... | 5,962.89 | \$745 38 |
| February..... | 7,057.26 | 952 21 |
| March..... | 2,244.61 | 280 59 |
| April..... | 7,331.29 | 916 44 |
| May..... | 800.51 | 200 06 |
| June..... | 6,101.16 | 762 69 |
| July..... | 2,880.15 | 360 02 |
| August..... | 1,043.22 | 250 32 |
| September..... | 1,515.09 | 217 14 |
| October..... | 3,643.71 | 501 64 |
| November..... | 4,889.52 | 611 20 |
| December..... | 3,081.56 | 385 22 |
| | <u>46,550.97</u> | <u>6,052 91</u> |

GENERAL LAND OFFICE, February 8, 1851.