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## Chapter 1 : List of Choctaw treaties - Wikipedia

*This treaty was a description of the rights and limitations between the Choctaw Nation and the United States Government. Treaty of Fort Confederation (PDF) In , The U.S. Government developed a treaty that would allow them to redraw old lines of Indian property.*

Providing for Appointment of Boundary Commissioners. Providing for an Agent. Reserving Lands to be sold for School Purposes. Providing an Annuity for Certain Purposes. Protecting the Present Rights Occupants. Providing for a compensation for improvements. Granting Right of Agent to Confiscate Whiskey. Granting Privilege for Corps of Light-Horse. Providing a Life Pension to Chief Mushulatubbee. Loosa to a small lake; thence a direct course, so as to strike the Mississippi one mite below the mouth of the Arkansas river; thence down the Mississippi to our boundary; thence round and along the same beginning. For and in consideration of the foregoing cession on the part of the Choctaw Nation, and in part satisfaction for the same, the commissioners of the United States, in behalf of the said States, do hereby cede to said Nation, a tract of country west of the Mississippi river, situated between the Arkansas and Red rivers, and bounded as follows: Beginning on the Arkansas river, where the lower boundary line of the Cherokees strikes the same; thence up the Arkansas to the Canadian Fork, and up the same to its source; thence due south to the Red river; thence down Red river, three miles below the mouth of Little river, which empties itself into the Red river on the north side, thence a direct line to the beginning. To prevent any dispute upon the subject of the boundaries mentioned in the first and second articles, it is hereby stipulated between the parties, that the same shall be ascertained and distinctly marked by a commissioner or commissioners, to be appointed by the United States, accompanied by such person as the Choctaw Nation may select; said Nation having thirty days previous notice of the time and place at which the operation will commence. The person so chosen by the Choctaws. The boundaries hereby established between the Choctaw Indians and the United States, on this side of the Mississippi river, shall remain without alteration until the period at which said Nation shall become so civilized and enlightened as to be made citizens of the United States, and Congress shall lay off a limited parcel of land for the benefit of each family or individual in the Nation. For the purpose of aiding and assisting the poor Indians who wish to remove to the country hereby ceded on the part of the United States, and to enable them to do well and support their families, the commissioners of the United States engage in behalf of said States, to give to each warrior a blanket, kettle, rifle gun, bullet molds and nippers, and ammunition sufficient for hunting and defense, for one year. Said warrior shall also be supplied with corn to support him and his family for the same period, and whilst traveling to the country above ceded to the Choctaw Nation. The commissioners of the United States further covenant and agree, on the part of the said States, that an agent shall be appointed in due time, for the benefit of the Choctaw Indians who may be permanently settled in the country ceded to them beyond the Mississippi river, and. A blacksmith shall also be settled amongst them, at a point most convenient to the population; and a faithful person appointed whose duty it shall be to use every reasonable exertion to collect all the wandering Indians belonging to the Choctaw Nation, upon the land hereby provided for their permanent settlement. Out of the lands ceded by the Choctaw Nation to the United States, the commissioners aforesaid, in behalf of said States, further covenant and agree, that fifty-four sections of one mile square shall be laid out in good land, by the President of the United States, and sold for the purpose of raising a fund, to be applied to the support of the Choctaw schools, on both sides of the Mississippi river. Three-fourths of the fund shall be appropriated for the benefit of the schools here, and the remaining fourth for the establishment of one or more beyond the Mississippi; the whole to be placed in the hands of the President of the United States, and to be applied by him, expressly and exclusively to this valuable object. And in order that exact justice may be done to the poor and distressed of said Nation, it shall be the duty of the agent to see that the wants of every deaf. All those who have separate settlements, and fall within the limits of the land ceded by the Choctaw Nation to the United States, and who desire to remain

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where they now reside, shall be secured on a tract or parcel of land one mile square, to include their improvements. Any one who prefers removing, if he does so within one year from the date of this treaty, shall be paid their full value, to be ascertained by two persons, to be appointed by the President of the United States. As there are some who have valuable buildings on the roads and elsewhere upon the lands hereby ceded, should they remove. Two Hundred Dollars; and to all persons who have comfortable houses, a compensation in the same proportion. It is also provided by the commissioners of the United States, and they agree in behalf of said States, that those Choctaw chiefs and warriors, who have not received compensation for their services during the campaign to Pensacola, in the late war, shall be paid, whatever is due them over and above the value of the blanket, skirt, flap and leggins, which have been delivered to them. In order to promote industry and sobriety amongst all classes of the red people. To enable the Mingo, Chiefs and head men of the Choctaw Nation, to raise and organize a corps of light-horse, consisting of ten in each district, so that good order may be maintained, and that men both white and red, may be compelled to pay their just debts, it is stipulated and agreed, that the sum of Two Hundred Dollars shall be appropriated by the United States, for each district, annually, and placed in the hands of the agent, to pay the expenses incurred in raising and establishing said corps; which is to act as executive officers, in maintaining good order, and compelling bad men to remove from the Nation, who are not authorized to live in it by a regular permit from the agent. Whereas, the father of the beloved Chief, Mushulatubbee of the lower town, for and during his life, did receive from the United States the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars annually,, it is hereby stipulated that his son and successor, Mushulatubbee, shall annually be paid the same amount during his natural life, to commence from the ratification of this treaty. The peace and harmony existing between the Choctaw Nation of Indians and the United States, are hereby renewed, continued and declared to be perpetual. These articles shall take effect and become obligatory on the contracting parties, so soon as the same shall be ratified by the president of the United States, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate of the United States. In testimony whereof, the commissioners plenipotentiary of the United States and the Mingo, head men, and warriors of the Choctaw Nation, have hereunto subscribed their names and affixed their seals, at the place above written, this eighteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Twenty, and of the independence of the United States the forty-fifth.

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## Chapter 2 : Treaty with The Chocktaw -

*TREATY WITH THE CHOCTAW. 7 Stat. 98, November 16, , Proclaimed February 25, A Treaty of Limits between the United States of America and the Chaktaw Nation of Indians.*

Great news on two interesting fronts. Commander of the Continental Army and 1st President of the U. Courtesy Library of Congress. Your banner or text ad can fill the space above. Click here to Sponsor the page and how to reserve your ad. Timeline Detail January 3, - The Treaty of Hopewell is signed between representatives of the Confederation Congress of the United States and the Indian nation of the Choctaw, originally located in the southeastern states of Mississippi, Alabama, and Louisiana and known as one of the five civilized tribes. There were three treaties at Hopewell Plantation between the tribes of the region, Cherokee, Choctaw, and Chickasaw at the end of and early between themselves and representatives of the United States. The second occurred on January 3, between Benjamin Hawkins, a former and future member of the Continental Congress and later Senator and General Superintendent for Indian Affairs, and representatives of the Choctaw nation. In and , Hawkins was working on behalf of the Continental Congress. The Choctaw treaty followed the format of the first Treaty of Hopewell between Hawkins and a gathering of Cherokee on November 28, , which among other tenants, established a western boundary for citizen settlement. It was already being breached. The treaties were signed on a plantation owned by Andrew Pickens known as Hopewell under the Treaty Oak. The oak is no longer there, replaced by the Treaty Oak Monument. Pickens himself had been a militia leader in the Continental Army during the American Revolution , hero at the Battle of Cowpens, and would serve in the House of Representatives from He would also, as with Benjamin Hawkins and Joseph Martin, witness the third treaty in the series between the Continental Congress and the Indian nation of the Chickasaw on January 10, How did the treaties work out for the Indian nations? Right off the bat there were claims that white settlers were already over the boundary lines. Soon afterwards, the Cherokee phrase, Talking Leaves, denoted that treaties with white settlers were only good as long as the Americans wanted them. After that they would blow away like talking leaves. Disputes continued, new treaties signed, and eventually a Trail of Tears would remove most of the tribes of the southeast to the Oklahoma and other western territories under the terms of the Indian Removal Act of This included all three of the tribes that signed the Treaties of Hopewell. Hopewell Plantation Today Owned by Clemson University atop a hill overlooking Hartwell Lake, it had been the home of Andrew Pickens from , and his son, two governors, and one U. In , Clemson took over the property. Today the home can be visited by appointment and the site of the marker and treaty is open daily, managed by the Clemson Experimental Forest. Full Text, Treaty With the Chocktaw: THE Commissioners Plenipotentiary of the United States of America give peace to all the Choctaw nation, and receive them into the favor and protection of the United States of America, on the following conditions: They shall also restore all the negroes, and all other property taken during the late war, from the citizens. Beginning at a point on the thirty-first degree of north latitude, where the Eastern boundary of the Natches district shall touch the same; thence east along the said thirty-first degree of north latitude, being the southern boundary of the United States of America, until it shall strike the eastern boundary of the lands on which the Indians of the said nation did live and hunt on the twenty-ninth of November, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-two, while they were under the protection of the King of Great-Britain; thence northerly along the said eastern boundary, until it shall meet the northern boundary of the said lands; thence westerly along the said northern boundary, until it shall meet the western boundary thereof; thence southerly along the same to the beginning: Provided, that the punishment shall not be greater than if the robbery or murder, or other capital crime, had been committed by a citizen on a citizen. In witness of all and every thing herein determined, between the United States of America and all the Choctaws, we, their underwritten commissioners, by virtue of our full powers, have signed this definitive treaty, and have caused our seals to be hereunto affixed. Done at Hopewell, on the Keowee, this third day of January, in the year of

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our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty-six. Benjamin Hawkins, Andrew Pickens, Jos. Martin, Yockenahoma, his x mark, Yorkehoopoie, his x mark, Mingohoopole, his x mark, Tobocoh, his x mark, Pooshemastuby, his x mark, Pooshahooma, his x mark, Tuseoonoohoopoie, his x mark, Shinshemastuby, his x mark, Yoopahooma, his x mark, Stoonokoohoopoie, his x mark, Tehakuhbay, his x mark, Pooshernastuby, his x mark, Tuskkahoommh, his x mark, Yoostenochla his x mark, Tootehooma, his x mark, Toobenohoomoch. Cshecoopohcomoch, his x mark, Stonakoohoopoie, his x mark, Tushkoheegohta, his x mark Teshuhenoehloeh, his x mark, Pooshonaltla, his x mark, Okaneonnooba, his x mark, Autoonachuba, his x mark Pangehooloch, his x mark, Steabee, his x mark, Tenetchenna, his x mark, Tushkementahock, his x mark, Tushtallay, his x mark, Cshnaangehabba, his x mark, Cunnopoie, his x mark. Blount, John Woods, Saml. Tavlор, Robert Anderson, Benj. John Pitchlynn, James Cole, Interpreters. Choctaw Village, , Francois Bernard. Ben Franklin, American statesman. George Washington and British at the surrender at Yorktown , Virginia.

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## Chapter 3 : INDIAN AFFAIRS: LAWS AND TREATIES. TREATY WITH THE CHOCTAW

*A treaty of friendship, limits, and accommodation, between the United States of America and the Choctaw nation of Indians, begun and concluded at the Treaty Ground, in said nation, near Doak's Stand, on the Natchez Road.*  
*PREAMBLE.*

Cherokee treaty terms[ edit ] The preamble begins with, THE Commissioners Plenipotentiary of the United States of America give peace to all the Cherokee nation, and receive them into the favor and protection of the United States of America, on the following conditions: Indians to restore prisoners who are U. Cherokees acknowledge protection provided by the United States. No citizen of United States shall settle on Indian lands and Indians may punish violators as they please. Indians to deliver criminals who commit robbery, murder, or capital crimes. Citizens of United States committing crimes against Indians to be punished. United States to regulate trade. Special provision for trade. Cherokees to give notice of any known designs against United States by tribes or any person. Peace and friendship perpetual. Choctaw treaty terms[ edit ] The preamble begins with, THE Commissioners Plenipotentiary of the United States of America give peace to all the Choctaw nation, and receive them into the favor and protection of the United States of America, on the following conditions: Choctaws acknowledge protection provided by the United States. Choctaws to give notice of any known designs against United States by tribes or any person. Chickasaw treaty terms[ edit ] The preamble begins with, THE Commissioners Plenipotentiary of the United States of America give peace to the Chickasaw People, and receive them into the favor and protection of the said States, on the following conditions: Indians to restore prisoners, slaves, and property. Acknowledge the protection of United States. No citizen of United States shall settle on Indian lands and Chickasaws may punish them as they please. Indians to deliver up criminals. Special provision for trade Indians to give notice of any known designs against United States.

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### Chapter 4 : Philadelphia, MS - Philadelphia, Mississippi Map & Directions - MapQuest

*A treaty of limits between the United States of America, and the Choctaw Nation of Indians: entered into at Mount Dexter, November 16th, [Choctaw Nation.; United States.*

This article needs additional citations for verification. Please help improve this article by adding citations to reliable sources. Unsourced material may be challenged and removed. April Learn how and when to remove this template message The entire Choctaw Nation divided up by treaty in relation to the U. Choctaw land was systematically obtained through treaties, legislation, and threats of warfare. Treaties were made with Great Britain, France, and Spain. Nine treaties were signed with the United States. The Choctaws considered European laws and diplomacy foreign and puzzling. The most confusing aspect of treaty making was writing which was impressive for a people who had not developed a written system. Choctaw history, as with many Native Americans, was passed orally from generation to generation. European cultural conventions require written treaties to prevent disputes about the contents of the agreement and to enable wider dissemination through copying. During treaty negotiations the three main Choctaw tribal areas Upper Towns, Six town, and Lower Towns had a "Miko" chief to represent them. Spain had the earliest claims to Choctaw country which was followed by French claims starting in the late 17th century. By the early 19th century pressure from U. The Treaty of Fort Adams was the first in a series of treaties that ceded Choctaw lands. The Choctaws were relocated from their homeland, now known as the Deep South , to lands west of the Mississippi River. Approximately 15, Choctaws made the move to what would be called Indian Territory and then later Oklahoma. There would be three waves of removals starting in After the final wave of removal in , nearly 6, Choctaws chose to stay in the newly formed state of Mississippi. Despite the grant of citizenship and land to Choctaws that chose to stay, the newly settled European-Americans persistently urged the Mississippi Choctaws to remove, but they refused. Although smaller Choctaw groups can be found throughout the U.

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## Chapter 5 : Treaty of Hopewell | Nations Wiki | FANDOM powered by Wikia

*A treaty of friendship, limits and accommodation between the United States of America and the Choctaw Nation of Indians. THOMAS JEFFERSON, President of the United States of America.*

WHEREAS it is an important object with the President of the United States, to promote the civilization of the Choctaw Indians, by the establishment of schools amongst them; and to perpetuate them as a nation, by exchanging, for a small part of their land here, a country beyond the Mississippi River, where all, who live by hunting and will not work, may be collected and settled together. To enable the President of the United States to carry into effect the above grand and humane objects, the Mingoës, Head Men, and Warriors, of the Choctaw nation, in full council assembled, in behalf of themselves and the said nation, do, by these presents, cede to the United States of America, all the land lying and being within the boundaries following, to wit: For and in consideration of the foregoing cession, on the part of the Choctaw nation, and in part satisfaction for the same, the Commissioners of the United States, in behalf of said States, do hereby cede to said nation, a tract of country west of the Mississippi River, situate between the Arkansas and Red River, and bounded as follows: To prevent any dispute upon the subject of the boundaries mentioned in the 1st and 2d articles, it is hereby stipulated between the parties, that the same shall be ascertained and distinctly marked by a Commissioner, or Commissioners, to be appointed by the United States, accompanied by such person as the Choctaw nation may select; said nation having thirty days previous notice of the time and place at which the operation will commence. The person so chosen by the Choctaws, shall act as a pilot or guide, for which the United States will pay him two dollars per day, whilst actually engaged in the performance of that duty. The boundaries hereby established between the Choctaw Indians and the United States, on this side of the Mississippi river, shall remain without alteration until the period at which said nation shall become so civilized and enlightened as to be made citizens of the United States, and Congress shall lay of a limited parcel of land for the benefit of each family or individual in the nation. For the purpose of aiding and assisting the poor Indians, who wish to remove to the country hereby ceded on the part of the United States, and to enable them to do well and support their families, the Commissioners of the United States engage, in behalf of said States, to give to each warrior a blanket, kettle, rifle gun, bullet moulds and nippers, and ammunition sufficient for hunting and defense, for one year. Said warrior shall also be supplied with corn to support him and his family, for the same period, and whilst traveling to the country above ceded to the Choctaw nation. The Commissioners of the United States further covenant and agree, on the part of said States, that an agent shall be appointed, in due time, for the benefit of the Choctaw Indians who may be permanently settled in the country ceded to them beyond the Mississippi river, and, at a convenient period, a factor shall be sent there with goods, to supply their wants. A Blacksmith shall also be settled amongst them, at a point most convenient to the population; and a faithful person appointed, whose duty it shall be to use every reasonable exertion to collect all the wandering Indians belonging to the Choctaw nation, upon the land hereby provided for their permanent settlement. Out of the lands ceded by the Choctaw nation to the United States, the Commissioners aforesaid, in behalf of said States, further covenant and agree, that fifty-four sections of one mile square shall be laid out in good land, by the President of the United States, and sold, for the purpose of raising a fund, to be applied to the support of the Choctaw schools, on both sides of the Mississippi river. Three-fourths of said fund shall be appropriated for the benefit of the schools here; and the remaining fourth for the establishment of one or more beyond the Mississippi; the whole to be placed in the hands of the President of the United States, and to be applied by him, expressly and exclusively, to this valuable object. To remove any discontent which may have arisen in the Choctaw Nation, in consequence of six thousand dollars of their annuity having been appropriated annually, for sixteen years, by some or the chiefs, for the support of their schools, the Commissioners of the United States oblige themselves, on the part of said States, to set apart an additional tract of good land, for raising a fund equal to that given by the said chiefs, so that the whole of the annuity may remain in the nation,

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and be divided amongst them. And in order that exact justice may be done to the poor and distressed of said nation, it shall be the duty of the agent to see that the wants of every deaf, dumb, blind, and distressed, Indian, shall be first supplied out of said annuity and the balance equally distributed amongst every individual of said nation. All those who have separate settlements, and fall within the limits of the land ceded by the Choctaw nation to the United States, and who desire to remain where they now reside, shall be secured in a tract or parcel of land one mile square, to include their improvements. Any one who prefers removing, if he does so within one year from the date of this treaty, shall be paid their full value, to be ascertained by two persons, to be appointed by the President of the United States. As there are some who have valuable buildings on the roads and elsewhere upon the lands hereby ceded, should they remove, it is further agreed by the aforesaid Commissioners, in behalf of the United States, that the inconvenience of doing so shall be considered, and such allowance made as will amount to an equivalent. In order to promote industry and sobriety amongst all classes of the Red people, in this nation, but particularly the poor, it is further provided by the parties, that the agent appointed to reside here, shall be, and he is hereby, vested with full power to seize and confiscate all the whiskey which may be introduced into said nation, except that used at public stands, or brought in by the permit of the agent, or the principal Chiefs of the three Districts. To enable the Mingoes, Chiefs, and Head Men, of the Choctaw nation, to raise and organize a corps of Light-Horse, consisting of ten in each District, so that good order may be maintained, and that all men, both white and red, may be compelled to pay their just debts, it is stipulated and agreed, that the sum of two hundred dollars shall be appropriated by the United States, for each district, annually, and placed in the hands of the agent, to pay the expenses incurred in raising and establishing said corps; which is to act as executive officers, in maintaining good order, and compelling bad men to remove from the nation, who are not authorized to live in it by a regular permit from the agent. Whereas the father of the beloved Chief Mushulatubbee, of the Lower Towns, for and during his life, did receive from the United States the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, annually; it is hereby stipulated, that his son and successor Mushulatubbee, shall annually be paid the same amount during his natural life, to commence from the ratification of this Treaty. The peace and harmony subsisting between the Choctaw Nation of Indians and the United States, are hereby renewed, continued, and declared to be perpetual. These articles shall take effect, and become obligatory on the contracting parties, so soon as the same shall be ratified by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate of the United States. In testimony whereof, the commissioners plenipotentiary of the United States and the Mingoes, head men, and warriors, of the Choctaw nation have hereunto subscribed their names and affixed their seals, at the place above written, this eighteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty, and of the independence of the United States the forty-fifth.

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## Chapter 6 : TREATY WITH THE CHOCTAW

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All three tiers will be legally binding. The Treaty Text and Protocol contain the basic rights and obligations of the Treaty. The Treaty also includes a standard withdrawal clause that states each Party has the right to withdraw from this Treaty if it decides that extraordinary events related to the subject matter of the Treaty have jeopardized its supreme interests. Treaty Obligations The aggregate limits of the Treaty restrict the United States and Russia to 1, deployed strategic warheads each. Within the aggregate limits, each State has the flexibility to determine the structure of its strategic forces. The Treaty does not place any constraints on the testing, development or deployment of current or planned U. Protocol to the Treaty The Protocol to the Treaty is organized into ten parts: Technical Annexes to the Protocol The Protocol contains three technical annexes. These measures include national technical means e. To increase transparency and confidence, the Treaty also provides for the annual exchange of telemetry data on a parity basis, for up to five ICBM and SLBM launches per year. The Treaty provides for 18 on-site inspections per year. These inspections are divided into two types. Type One inspections focus on sites with deployed and non-deployed strategic systems; Type Two inspections focus on sites with only non-deployed strategic systems. If the inspected Party covers its reentry vehicles, each must have its own cover. There will be no continuous perimeter and portal monitoring at missile production facilities, but Parties must provide notification within 48 hours of any treaty-limited item leaving a production facility. View an article by article analysis of the Treaty and its Protocol and annexes. On 12 January, the United States released its first quarterly report on the aggregate numbers of strategic offensive weapons possessed by the United States and Russia. Data from the first quarterly report of was current as of 1 September On 22 February, the United States released a report on the aggregate numbers of strategic offensive weapons possessed by the United States and Russia. The United States decreased the number of its deployed warheads from 1, to 1, Russia decreased its deployed warheads from 1, to 1, On 18 October, the delegations from the U. Russian President Vladimir Putin had indicated support for extending the treaty in an interview in July , but reports on U. Trump administration officials have signaled tepid support in U. Data in the first quarterly report of was current as of 1 September On 1 April, the United States released its quarterly report on the aggregate numbers of strategic offensive arms possessed by the United States and Russia. Since the January report, the United States increased its number of deployed warheads from 1, to 1, On 1 July, the United States released is quarterly report on the aggregate numbers of strategic offensive arms possessed by the United States and Russia. Since the April report, the United States remained at 1, deployed warheads. Russia remained with 1, deployed warheads. The conversation emphasized the need to create a long-term, bilateral agreement between the two countries. On 1 October, the United States released its quarterly report on the aggregate numbers of strategic offensive arms possessed by the United States and Russia. Since the July report, the United States decreased the number of its deployed warheads from 1, to 1, Delegations from the United States and Russia discussed practical implementations of the Treaty. The report contained data that was declared current as of September On 1 April, the United States released a report on the aggregate numbers of strategic offensive arms in the US and Russian arsenals. The number of United States deployed nuclear weapons and delivery vehicles continue to fall, whereas Russian stockpiles of warheads have increased by 87 since the January report. On 1 July, the US published its quarterly report on the aggregate numbers of strategic offensive arms possessed by the US and the Russian Federation. No changes were reported since the April quarterly report. On 1 October, the United States published its report on the aggregate numbers of strategic offensive arms in the US and Russian arsenals. The numbers of delivery vehicles decreased in both nations, but Russia shows an increase in warheads on its deployed arms, while the US numbers continue to fall. Held in Geneva, the delegations discussed the on-going practical implementation issues related to the treaty.

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Compared to numbers from 1 March, Russia increased strategic warheads and bombers from 1, to 1,; the U. On 1 April, the United States and Russia exchanged aggregate numbers of strategic offensive arms up to 1 March. On 1 July, the United States issued a report on the aggregate numbers of strategic offensive arms. The report contained data that was current as of March. On 1 October, the United States released the most recent numbers of strategic arms in relation to the New Start Treaty. This report shows that the US number of deployed strategic warheads, now, has dropped below the limit of, set by the Treaty. Conversely, the Russian Federation has increased its nuclear weapons stockpiles since the last report in July. The statement was a response to U. S. condemnation of the situation in Crimea. However, on 12 March White House coordinator for defense policy Elizabeth Sherwood-Randall defused this allegation, saying: Defense Department announced its planned reductions of deployed and non-deployed nuclear weapons. Scheduled cuts were declared for the Air Force, which will strip 30 B bombers of their nuclear weapons deployment capabilities and withdraw warheads from 50 of its ICGM launch silos. On 22 May, the U. On 23 May, ten U. On 19 June President Obama delivered a speech at Brandenburg Gate, Germany where he announced plans for the United States to unilaterally reduce its deployed nuclear arsenal by one-third. Such a reduction would lower the U. From November, the U. As of 1 March, as drawn from the data exchange by the Parties: The United States Deployed: She noted that the U. On 15 September, the U. Department of State issued a press release commemorating the 25th anniversary of Nuclear Risk Reduction Centers. On 3 October, the U. Department of State released data indicating that the United States cut its number of strategic nuclear weapons to 1, on active ICBMs, submarines, and bombers. Arsenal between March and September. The data indicates that the United States remains above the treaty limits for deployed nuclear warheads and delivery vehicles, while Russia is below the treaty limits. The Duma adopted a resolution of ratification with votes in favor, 57 against and 2 abstentions. The resolution contains 6 articles outlining the exclusive rights of the Russian executive and legislative branches for implementation of the treaty. Article 2 contains 9 conditions necessary for implementation of the treaty. Conditions stipulate that the Russian Federation will maintain its capacity of strategic forces and their combat readiness, while preserving, funding and developing the necessary research and development base and production capabilities. Condition 5 mandates taking into account the interrelationship between strategic offensive arms and strategic defensive arms. According to the Russian interpretation of the Treaty, U. On 2 February President Obama issued a series of assurances to the U. He affirmed that the U. From February, during the annual Munich Security Conference which took place, Russian Foreign Minister Sergei Lavrov expressed dissatisfaction that Russia had persistently been denied equal participation in the discussion of planned U. He asserted that development of the future ABM system without Moscow would force his country to review its participation in the treaty. Nonetheless, Foreign Minister Lavrov addressed the possibility of beginning talks on reductions of tactical nuclear weapons in the future. In addition, he urged the United States to return its tactical nuclear weapons from Europe to U. On 10 March U. Key issues on the agenda included missile defense, the practical implementation of the New START treaty, and the modernization of the European conventional weapons control regime. Undersecretary of State Ellen Tauscher presided over the talks. Maintaining the momentum of the reset and implementing deeper cuts in Russian and American strategic arsenals will be difficult without addressing the obstacle of missile defense. Moscow has warned that without Russia playing a role in European missile defense or limits on a Western missile shield, a renewed arms race may be unavoidable. Russia and NATO are exploring different alternatives for collaborative missile defense and favor different approaches. On 13 April, the State Department announced that a team of U. The United States and Russia discussed issues related to the implementation of the Treaty during these consultations. As of 1 September as drawn from the data exchange by the Parties: These three unilateral statements are not integral parts of the Treaty, nor are they legally binding. On 29 April, the Senate Foreign Relations Committee began a series of hearings with current and former administration officials. Secretaries of Defense, James R. Schlesinger and William J. Perry, made statements during the initial hearing. The package submitted to the Senate included a letter of transmittal from

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the President to the Senate, a letter of submittal from the Secretary of State to the President, the Text of the Treaty, Protocol, Annexes to the Protocol, a detailed report prepared by Department of State analyzing each provision of the Treaty, Protocol and Annexes, and unilateral statements issued by the United States and the Russian Federation at the time of signature these are provided to the Senate for its information and are not subject to advice and consent. On 13 May, the United States and the Russian Federation issued a joint statement declaring the early ratification of the Treaty a priority for both Parties. On 25 May, a further statement was delivered to the committee by former U. Secretary of State Henry Kissinger. This submission included a request that ratification occur simultaneously with the United States in order to ensure that Russia does not commit to a Treaty that is not able to gain support in the U.

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## Chapter 7 : Treaty of Dancing Rabbit Creek - Wikipedia

*treaty between the united states of america and the russian federation on measures for the further reduction and limitation of strategic offensive arms.*

WHEREAS it is an important object with the President of the United States, to promote the civilization of the Choctaw Indians, by the establishment of schools amongst them; and to perpetuate them as a nation, by exchanging, for a small part of their land here, a country beyond the Mississippi River, where all, who live by hunting and will not work, may be collected and settled together. And whereas it is desirable to the state of Mississippi, to obtain a small part of the land belonging to said nation; for the mutual accommodation of the parties, and for securing the happiness and protection of the whole Choctaw nation, as well as preserving that harmony and friendship which so happily subsists between them and the United States, James Monroe, President of the United States of America, by Andrew Jackson, of the State of Tennessee, Major General in the Army of the United States, and General Thomas Hinds, of the State of Mississippi, Commissioners Plenipotentiary of the United States, on the one part, and the Mingoes, Head Men, and Warriors, of the Choctaw nation, in full Council assembled, on the other part, have freely and voluntarily entered into the following articles, viz: To enable the President of the United States to carry into effect the above grand and humane objects, the Mingoes, Head Men, and Warriors, of the Choctaw nation, in full council assembled, in behalf of themselves and the said nation, do, by these presents, cede to the United States of America, all the land lying and being within the boundaries following, to wit: J and blazed, with two large pines and a black oak standing near thereto, and marked as pointers; thence a straight line to the head of Black Creek, or Bouge Loosa; thence down Black Creek or Bouge Loosa to a small Lake; thence a direct course, so as to strike the Mississippi one mile below the mouth of the Arkansas River; thence down the Mississippi to our boundary; thence around and along the same to the beginning. For and in consideration of the foregoing cession, on the part of the Choctaw nation, and in part satisfaction for the same, the Commissioners of the United States, in behalf of said States, do hereby cede to said nation, a tract of country west of the Mississippi River, situate between the Arkansas and Red River, and bounded as follows: To prevent any dispute upon the subject of the boundaries mentioned in the 1st and 2d articles, it is hereby stipulated between the parties, that the same shall be ascertained and distinctly marked by a Commissioner, or Commissioners, to be appointed by the United States, accompanied by such person as the Choctaw nation may select; said nation having thirty days previous notice of the time and place at which the operation will commence. The person so chosen by the Choctaws, shall act as a pilot or guide, for which the United States will pay him two dollars per day, whilst actually engaged in the performance of that duty. The boundaries hereby established between the Choctaw Indians and the United States, on this side of the Mississippi river, shall remain without alteration until the period at which said nation shall become so civilized and enlightened as to be made citizens of the United States, and Congress shall lay off a limited parcel of land for the benefit of each family or individual in the nation. For the purpose of aiding and assisting the poor Indians, who wish to remove to the country hereby ceded on the part of the United States, and to enable them to do well and support their families, the Commissioners of the United States engage, in behalf of said States, to give to each warrior a blanket, kettle, rifle gun, bullet moulds and nippers, and ammunition sufficient for hunting and defence, for one year. Said warrior shall also be supplied with corn to support him and his family, for the same period, and whilst traveling to the country above ceded to the Choctaw nation. The Commissioners of the United States further covenant and agree, on the part of said States, that an agent shall be appointed, in due time, for the benefit of the Choctaw Indians who may be permanently settled in the country ceded to them beyond the Mississippi river, and, at a convenient period, a factor shall be sent there with goods, to supply their wants. A Blacksmith shall also be settled amongst them, at a point most convenient to the population; and a faithful person appointed, whose duty it shall be to use every reasonable exertion to collect all the wandering Indians belonging to the Choctaw

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nation, upon the land hereby provided for their permanent settlement. Out of the lands ceded by the Choctaw nation to the United States, the Commissioners aforesaid, in behalf of said States, further covenant and agree, that fifty-four sections of one mile square shall be laid out in good land, by the President of the United States, and sold, for the purpose of raising a fund, to be applied to the support of the Choctaw schools, on both sides of the Mississippi river. Three-fourths of said fund shall be appropriated for the benefit of the schools here; and the remaining fourth for the establishment of one or more beyond the Mississippi; the whole to be placed in the hands of the President of the United States, and to be applied by him, expressly and exclusively, to this valuable object. To remove any discontent which may have arisen in the Choctaw Nation, in consequence of six thousand dollars of their annuity having been appropriated annually, for sixteen years, by some of the chiefs, for the support of their schools, the Commissioners of the United States oblige themselves, on the part of said States, to set apart an additional tract of good land, for raising a fund equal to that given by the said chiefs, so that the whole of the annuity may remain in the nation, and be divided amongst them. And in order that exact justice may be done to the poor and distressed of said nation, it shall be the duty of the agent to see that the wants of every deaf, dumb, blind, and distressed, Indian, shall be first supplied out of said annuity, and the balance equally distributed amongst every individual of said nation. All those who have separate settlements, and fall within the limits of the land ceded by the Choctaw nation to the United States, and who desire to remain where they now reside, shall be secured in a tract or parcel of land one mile square, to include their improvements. Any one who prefers removing, if he does so within one year from the date of this treaty, shall be paid their full value, to be ascertained by two persons, to be appointed by the President of the United States. As there are some who have valuable buildings on the roads and elsewhere upon the lands hereby ceded, should they remove, it is further agreed by the aforesaid Commissioners, in behalf of the United States, that the inconvenience of doing so shall be considered, and such allowance made as will amount to an equivalent. It is also provided by the Commissioners of the United States, and they agree in behalf of said states, that those Choctaw Chiefs and Warriors, who have not received compensation for their services during the campaign to Pensacola, in the late war, shall be paid whatever is due them over and above the value of the blanket, shirt, flap, and leggins, which have been delivered to them. In order to promote industry and sobriety amongst all classes of the Red people, in this nation, but particularly the poor, it is further provided by the parties, that the agent appointed to reside here, shall be, and he is hereby, vested with full power to seize and confiscate all the whiskey which may be introduced into said nation, except that used at public stands, or brought in by the permit of the agent, or the principal Chiefs of the three Districts. To enable the Mingoes, Chiefs, and Head Men of the Choctaw nation, to raise and organize a corps of Light-Horse, consisting of ten in each District, so that good order, may be maintained, and that all men, both white and red, may be compelled to pay their just debts, it is stipulated and agreed, that the sum of two hundred dollars shall be appropriated by the United States, for each district, annually, and placed in the hands of the agent, to pay the expenses incurred in raising and establishing said corps; which is to act as executive officers, in maintaining good order, and compelling bad men to remove from the nation, who are not authorized to live in it by a regular permit from the agent. Whereas the father of the beloved Chief Mushulatubbee, of the Lower Towns, for and during his life, did receive from the United States the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, annually; it is hereby stipulated, that his son and successor Mushulatubbee, shall annually be paid the same amount during his natural life, to commence from the ratification of this Treaty. The peace and harmony subsisting between the Choctaw Nation of Indians and the United States, are hereby renewed, continued, and declared to be perpetual. These articles shall take effect, and become obligatory on the contracting parties, so soon as the same shall be ratified by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate of the United States. In testimony whereof, the commissioners plenipotentiary of the United States and the Mingoes, head men, and warriors, of the Choctaw nation, have hereunto subscribed their names and affixed their seals, at the place above written, this eighteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty, and of the independence of the United States the forty-fifth.

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## Chapter 8 : CHOCTAW TREATY OF FORT ADAMS & HOPEWELL

*The United States, following the Treaty of San Lorenzo, laid claim to Choctaw country starting in By the early 19th century pressure from U.S. southern states, like Georgia, encouraged the procurement of Native American lands.*

Eaton , that the chiefs were fiercely opposed to attending. The Choctaw ceded their remaining traditional homeland to the United States. Article 14 allowed for some Choctaw to remain in the state of Mississippi, if they wanted to become citizens: Each Choctaw head of a family being desirous to remain and become a citizen of the States, shall be permitted to do so, by signifying his intention to the Agent within six months from the ratification of this Treaty, and he or she shall thereupon be entitled to a reservation of one section of six hundred and forty acres of land, to be bounded by sectional lines of survey; in like manner shall be entitled to one half that quantity for each unmarried child which is living with him over ten years of age; and a quarter section to such child as may be under 10 years of age, to adjoin the location of the parent. If they reside upon said lands intending to become citizens of the States for five years after the ratification of this Treaty, in that case a grant in fee simple shall issue; said reservation shall include the present improvement of the head of the family, or a portion of it. Persons who claim under this article shall not lose the privilege of a Choctaw citizen, but if they ever remove are not to be entitled to any portion of the Choctaw annuity. In , tens of thousands of Choctaw walked the kilometer journey to Oklahoma and many died. The Choctaw at this crucial time became two distinct groups: The nation retained its autonomy to regulate itself, but the tribe left in Mississippi had to submit to state and U. Terms[ edit ] Mosholatubbee sought to be elected to the Congress of the United States. The preamble begins with, A treaty of perpetual, friendship, cession and limits, entered into by John H. Perpetual peace and friendship. Lands east of the Mississippi River to be ceded and removal to begin in and end in Autonomy of the Choctaw Nation in Oklahoma and descendants to be secured from laws of U. Choctaw or party of Choctaws part of violent acts against the U. Offenses against Choctaws and their property by U. No harboring of U. Persons ordered from Choctaw Nation. Traders require a written permit. John Eaton was a close personal friend of Andrew Jackson. He was Secretary of War for the Jackson administration. Painted by Robert Weir. Navigable streams will be free for Choctaws, U. Intruders will be removed from the Choctaw Nation. Choctaws may become U. Lands granted to the Choctaw chiefs Greenwood LeFlore, Musholatubbee, and Nittucachee with annuities granted to each of them. Transportation in wagons and steamboats will be provided at the costs of the U. Ample food will be provided during the removal and 12 months after reaching the new homes. Reimbursements will be provided for cattle left in Mississippi Territory. Annuities to Choctaws to continue from other treaties. Additional payments after removal. Choctaw Country to be surveyed Lands granted to I. Improve the Choctaw condition with Education. Provide tools, weapons, and steel. Choctaw Warriors who marched and fought in the army of U. Choctaw delegate on the floor of the U. Unratified section[ edit ] The following paragraph of the treaty was not ratified: Nearly other signatures are on the treaty. Senate on February 25, , and the President was anxious to make it a model of removal. Harkins wrote a letter to the American people before the removals began. It is with considerable diffidence that I attempt to address the American people, knowing and feeling sensibly my incompetency; and believing that your highly and well improved minds would not be well entertained by the address of a Choctaw. But having determined to emigrate west of the Mississippi river this fall, I have thought proper in bidding you farewell to make a few remarks expressive of my views, and the feelings that actuate me on the subject of our removal We as Choctaws rather chose to suffer and be free, than live under the degrading influence of laws, which our voice could not be heard in their formation Much as the state of Mississippi has wronged us, I cannot find in my heart any other sentiment than an ardent wish for her prosperity and happiness. Late twentieth-century estimates are that between 5,â€”6, Choctaws remained in Mississippi in after the first removal. The Choctaw describe their situation in , we have had our habitations torn down and burned, our fences destroyed, cattle turned into our fields and we ourselves have been scourged, manacled, fettered and otherwise personally

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abused, until by such treatment some of our best men have died. The Choctaw and Chickasaw , the tribes he knew best, were beneath contempt, that is, even worse than black slaves. In , three hundred Mississippi Choctaws were persuaded to move to the Nation in Oklahoma. The Choctaw did not gain a delegate on the floor of the U. The Choctaw Nation continued to thrive until Oklahoma was created as a state. Their government was dismantled under the Curtis Act, along with those of other Native American nations in the former Indian Territory , in order to permit the admission of Oklahoma as a state. Their communal lands were divided and allotted to individual households under the Dawes Act to increase assimilation as American-style farmers. The US declared communal land remaining after allotment to be surplus and sold it to American settlers. In the twentieth century, the Choctaw reorganized and were recognized by the government as the Choctaw Nation. The descendants of the Choctaw who stayed in Mississippi reorganized themselves as the Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians in and gained federal recognition.

### Chapter 9 : Treaty of Hopewell - Wikipedia

*A treaty of friendship, limits and accommodation between the United States of America and the Chactaw nation of Indians. THOMAS JEFFERSON, President of the United States of America, by James.*