

# Treaty with the Ottawa and Chippewa, July 6, 1820.

Articles of a treaty, made and concluded at L'Arbre Croche and Michilimackinac, in the territory of Michigan, between the United States of America, by their Commissioner Lewis Cass, and the Ottawa and Chippewa nations of Indians.

**Article I.** The Ottawa and Chippewa nations of Indians cede to the United States the Saint Martin Islands in Lake Huron, containing plaster of Paris, and to be located under the direction of the United States.

**Article II.** The Ottawa and Chippewa nations of Indians acknowledge to have this day received a quantity of goods in full satisfaction of the above cession.

**Article III.** This treaty shall be obligatory on the contracting parties after the same shall be ratified by the President of the United States, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate thereof.

In testimony whereof, the said Lewis Cass, commissioner as aforesaid, and the chiefs and warriors of the Ottawa and Chippewa nations of Indians, have hereunto set their hands, at Michilimackinac and L'Arbre Croche, in the territory of Michigan, this 6th day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty.

Lewis Cass

Skahjenini, his x mark

Pahquesegun, or Smoking Weed, his x mark

Chemogueman, or Big Knife, his x mark

Misesonguay, his x mark

Papametaby, his x mark

Ceitawa, his x mark

Shawanoe, his x mark

Oninjuega, or Wing, Ottawa chief, his x mark

Cuddimalmese, or Black Hawk, Ottawa chief, his mark

Dionesau, his x mark

Kojenoikoose, or Long, his x mark

## **Ottawa chiefs.**

Kenojekum, or Pike, his x mark

Cachetokee, his x mark

Gimoewon, or Rain, his x mark

Chiboisquisegun, or Big Gun, his x mark

Skubinesse, or Red Bird, his x mark

Weashe, his x mark

Nebaguam, his x mark

Ainse, his x mark

Shaganash, or Englishman, his x mark

## **Chippewa chiefs.**

### **Witnesses present:**

Jed. Morse, D. D.

Gilbert Knapp

Richard C. Morse

H. G. Gravenant, Sworn Interpreter

George Boyd, Indian Agent