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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS THAT,

WHEREAS the Chippewa band of Indians of the Thames were the original owners of what is now known as the Caradoc Indian reserve, in the County of Middlesex, in the Province of Ontario, and,

WHEREAS certain Muncey Indians from the Six Nation reserve came to reside opposite the Caradoc reserve, and afterwards with the consent of the said Chippewas settled on the Caradoc reserve, and,

WHEREAS in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty the said Chippewas agreed in Council to allow the said Muncceys to occupy a certain tract of land fronting on the River Thames, and bounded on one side by what is known as Dolson creek, and on the other side by Hog creek, containing about one thousand acres, as shown on plan attached Incl. hereto;

WHEREAS the said Muncceys from time to time began to acquire land outside of this tract by taking up lots and purchasing individual claims of members of the Chippewa band until they had possession of 2051 acres side of the tract that had been allowed them by the was, and which said 2051 acres the Chippewas of the have always claimed as the property of the Chippewas

AND WHEREAS the Chippewa band of the assembled on the first day of June, 1896, in the Alex. S. McDougall, Esq., representing the Superintendent General, at a meeting composed of a majority of members of the band, called according to their the purpose of considering the settlement of the said band against the Government of Canada to what is known as the Muncey trespass, did in full satisfaction of all claims against

Indian Affairs. (RG 10, Volume 8010, File 471/3-11-1, pt. 2)

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