

## No. 145.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that we the undersigned Chiefs and Principal Men of the Band of Chippewas and and Sauteux Indians, owning the reserve at St. Peter's, in the Province of Manitoba and Dominion of Canada, acting for and on behalf of our said Band, and with the free consent of a majority thereof, as expressed in council summoned for the purpose, in the presence of Joseph Alfred Norbert Provencher, Indian Commissioner, do hereby surrender and yield up unto Our Sovereign Lady the Queen, Her heirs and successors forever in trust, all that parcel or tract of land in that part of the reserve situated on the south end of the Parish of St. Peter's, on the east side of the Red River, comprising the lots as shown on the plan of the said Parish of St. Peter's, being numbers 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245 and 246, inclusive, according to the tracing annexed to the present transfer, or so much of the said tract of land that forms part of the said Reserve.

To have and to hold the same unto Her said Majesty, Her heirs and successors forever, all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land as above described, in trust, to be sold in such manner and on such terms as the Honourable the Superintendent-General of Indian Affairs shall or may deem to be most conducive to the interests of us, the said Chiefs and Principal Men, and our people in all time to come.

And upon the further condition that the monies received from the sale thereof shall, after deducting the usual proportion for expenses of management, be properly invested, and the interest money accruing therefrom shall be paid to us and our descendants in all time to come, in such a manner and at such times as the Superintendent-General of Indian Affairs may direct.

And we, the said Chiefs and Principal Men of the Band aforesaid do, on behalf of our people, and for ourselves, hereby ratify and confirm whatever the Honourable the Superintendent-General of Indian Affairs may do, or cause to be lawfully done in connection with the disposal and sale of the said above described lands.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we the said Chiefs and Principal Men have set our hands and seals unto this Instrument at the Parish of St. Peter's, in the said Province of Manitoba and Dominion of Canada, this seventh day of August, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

Executed and signed in presence of	}	HENRY PRINCE, Chief,	his	[L.S.]
J. A. N. PROVENCHER,			x	
<i>Indian Commissioner.</i>			mark.	
JAMES F. GRAHAM.	}	MA-KWA-KA-KE-KE-TOOK,	his	[L.S.]
			x	
			mark.	
		JOHN PRINCE,	his	[L.S.]
		x	mark.	
		MA-KE-ME-WE-KEM,	his	[L.S.]
		x	mark.	

And we, Joseph Alfred Norbert Provencher, Indian Commissioner, and Henry Prince, Chief, do hereby affirm and certify that the foregoing surrender was assented to by a majority of the Chiefs of the said Band of Indians, assembled at a meeting of the said Band summoned for that purpose.

J. A. N. PROVENCHER,  
*Indian Commissioner,*

Sworn before me at Winnipeg, in the District of Selkirk, and Province of Manitoba, this eleventh day of August, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

HENRY <sup>his</sup> PRINCE.  
mark.

J. DUBUC,

*A Commissioner for receiving Affidavits in and for the Courts of Manitoba.*