

may she long live to govern the great Empire
over which she bears rule.

May the great Spirit bless you our great
Father may you long be spared to ~~assist~~
to rule over your white and red children
in these Provinces for thus your petitioners
will ever pray. This is all we have to say.

Snake Island October 22nd 1845.

Joseph Snake ~~is~~)
James Snake ~~is~~) Chiefs
John Snake interpreter
Thomas Bigsail

James Esque
Jacob Charles
John Beatty
Benjamin Torrance County
John ^{his} Miller
Joseph ^{mark} Snake
James York
Peter Kesagoo
David Snake
George Goose
Paul Bigcanoe
Thomas Bigcanoe
John Wendegoo
John Sincere
John ^{his} Blackbird ^{Senior}
John ^{mark} Esque
Thomas Shilling
George McBue X
Peter Yak
John ^{his} Blackbird ^{Junior}
Joseph Esque
William Esque
James ^{his} Port
Richard Saur
William Johnson X
Notah Snake