

HALIFAX, N.S., 30th September, 1886.

I certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a treaty made at Boston on the fifteenth day of December, A.D. 1725, with the delegates from the Indian tribes of Penobscott, Naridgwack, St. John, Cape Sable and other tribes, with the ratification on the back thereof at Annapolis Royal, dated the 30th day of May, A.D. 1728, now in possession of the Government of Nova Scotia.

THOMAS B. AKINS,

Commissioner of Public Records, Province of Nova Scotia.

ARTICLES OF SUBMISSION AND AGREEMENT made at Boston, in New England, by Sanguaaram *alias* Loron Arexus, François Xavier and Meganumbe, delegates from the tribes of Penobscott, Naridgwack, St. Johns, Cape Sables, and other tribes of the Indians inhabiting within His Majestie's territories of Nova Scotia and New England.

Whereas His Majestie King George, by the concession of the Most Christain King made at the Treaty of Utrecht, is become the rightful possessor of the Province of Nova Scotia or Accadie, according to its ancient boundaries: We, the said Sanguaaram *alias* Loron Arexus, François Xavier and Meganumbe, delegates from the said tribes of Penobscott, Naridgwack, St. Johns, Cape Sables and other tribes inhabiting within His Majestie's said territories of Nova Scotia or Accadie and New England, do, in the name and behalf of the said tribes we represent, acknowledge His said Majestie King George's jurisdiction and dominion over the territories of said Province of Nova Scotia or Accadie, and make our submission to His said Majestie in as ample a manner as we have formerly done to the Most Christian King.

And we further promise, in behalf of the said tribes we represent, that the Indians shall not molest any of His Majestie's subjects or their dependants in their settlements already or lawfully to be made, or in their carrying on their trade and other affairs within said Province.

That if there happens any robbery or outrage committed by any of the Indians the tribe or tribes they belong to shall cause satisfaction and restitution to be made to the parties injured.

That the Indians shall not help to convey away any soldiers belonging to His Majestie's forts, but on the contrary, shall bring back any soldier they shall find endeavouring to run away.

That in case of any misunderstanding, quarrell or injury between the English and the Indians no private revenge shall be taken, but application shall be made for redress according to His Majestie's laws.

That if the Indians have made any prisoners belonging to the Government of Nova Scotia or Accadie during the course of war they shall be released at or before the ratification of this treaty.

That this treaty shall be ratified at Annapolis Royall.

Dated at the Councill Chamber at Boston, in New England, this fifteenth day of December, *An. Dom.*, one thousand seven hundred and twenty-five. *Annog. Ri. Bis Georgy Mag., Britan, &c., Duodecimo.*

I, Joannes Pedousaghtigh, Chief of the Tribe of Chinecto Indians, for myself and in behalf of my Tribe, my heirs and their heirs for ever, and we, François Aurodowish, Simon Sactawino and Jean Battiste Maddouanhook * * * * * deputys from the Chiefs of the St. Johns Indians, and invested by them with full power for that purpose, do in the most solemn manner renew the above articles of agreement and submission, and every article thereof, with His Excellency Edward Cornwallis, Esquire, Capt. Gener'l and Governor in Chief in and over His Majestie's Province of Nova Scotia or Accadie, Vice-Admiral of the same, Colonel in His Majestie's service and one of His bed chamber. In wittness whereof, I, the said Joannes Pedousaghtigh, have subscribed this treaty and affixed my seal, and we, the said François Aurodowish, Simon Sactawino and Jean Battiste Maddouanhook *