

## THE ABORIGINES OF NORTH AMERICA.

## THE MISSISSAUGA.

The following Report, sent by Col. Bell, of Thurlow, to John Ferguson, Superintendent for Indian Affairs, Kingston, dated 3rd May, 1815, supplies a tolerably correct idea of the articles furnished by Government to the Indians :—

“Account of Indian goods, on the 7th March, 1815, remaining in store in the barn of Lieut.-Col. William Bell, at Thurlow, and forwarded on the 10th, 11th and 20th of the said month of March to the store of Captain W. McIntosh, at the mouth of the river Moira, viz :—

12	Bales Cloths,
9	do. do.,
7	do. do.,
1	do. Calicoes,
1	do. Scotch Sheetings,
1	do. Spotted Black Swanskin,
2	do. Serges,
2	do. Common Grey Coats,
11	do. Caddises,
5	Packs Deer Skins,
11	Bales Moltons,
6	Cases Saddles and Bridles,
1	do. Pistols,
25	do. Chiefs' and Common Guns,
5	Casks Tobacco,
20	Cases Shot and Ball,
7	do. Tomahawks,
4	do. Spears, &c.,
3	Bags Beef Saws,
22	Bales 3-feet Blankets,
27	do. 2½-feet do.,
7	do. 2-feet do.

“N.B.—The above Packages have been delivered into the Store of Captain John McIntosh, at the mouth of the river Moira, and his receipt taken for them and delivered to you at Kingston, and also the book in which all the marks and numbers were entered.”