

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that we the undersigned Chiefs and Principal Men of the Band of Indians owning the Garden River Indian Reserve, in the Province of Ontario and Dominion of Canada, for and acting on behalf of our people, do hereby remise, release, surrender, quit claim and yield up unto Our Sovereign Lady the Queen, Her heirs and successors forever, all and singular those several portions of land forming part of said Garden River Indian Reserve, and which portions of the said Garden River Reserve may be known and described as follows—that is to say:

Firstly:—That parcel of land lying parallel with, and about a mile north of St. Mary River, and enclosed in the territory bounded on the east by Echo River and on the west by Garden River, containing four hundred acres, with right of way from the location to the banks of St. Mary River, together with reasonable dock and shipping privilege.

Secondly:—Commencing at a point about sixty chains north of the St. Mary River and on a line with the east line of fence of Chief Augustin's garden, and running north far enough to take in the first range of hills north of the St. Mary River, thence running due east, thence due south, thence due west to the place of beginning, containing four hundred acres.

Thirdly:—Commencing at a point fifty chains north of the St. Mary River, and running north on a line with the east line of the tract of land described.

Fourthly:—Thence due north far enough to take in the first range of hills north of the St. Mary River, thence due east, thence due south, thence due west to the place of beginning, containing four hundred acres.

To have and to hold the same unto Her said Majesty the Queen, Her heirs and successors forever, all and singular those certain parcels or tracts of land as above described, in trust to sell and convey the same, and upon such terms as the Government of the Dominion of Canada shall or may deem most conducive to the interest 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 expense of management, be placed at interest, and that the interest money so accruing from such investment shall be paid annually or semi-annually to us and our descendants in all time to come forever.

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 Government of this Dominion of Canada may do, or cause to be lawfully done, in connection with the disposal and sale of the said lands.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we the said Chiefs and Principal Men, have set our hand and have affixed our seals unto this Instrument at Garden River Indian Reserve, in the said Province of Ontario and Dominion of Canada aforesaid, this twenty-fifth day of November, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

AUGUSTIN	his x mark.	SHINGWACK,	[L.S.]	JOSEPH	his x mark.	BELL,	[L.S.]
PEQUETCHENENE	his x mark.		[L.S.]	FRANÇOIS	his x mark.	RECOLLECT,	[L.S.]
GEORGE	his x mark.	SHINGWACK,	[L.S.]	MICHELLE	his x mark.	CADOTTE,	[L.S.]
PETER	his x mark.	BELL,	[L.S.]	FRANK	his x mark.	PERRAULT,	[L.S.]