

## K.

*Extracts from evidence by John Garlow, Farmer.*

It would be a great benefit if two magistrates were appointed in the Reserve. Indians should be made to pay their debts the same as white men.

## L.

*Thomas Payne, M. D. :—*

Has known the Six Nation Indians for nine years ; thinks they have improved very much in their mode of agriculture during that time ; they have also made considerable progress in Christianity, has attended churches amongst them, and has never seen more attentive congregations anywhere.

There is not more suffering or destitution among them now than amongst white people.

Many of the Indians have deserved enfranchisement, and many of them are well fitted for it.

Cannot give any reason why Indians should not in time take their place among the rest of the population of the country. It is a question requiring a great deal of consideration.

## M.

*John Cayuga, Chief and Farmer :—*

The Indians are led to believe that their chiefs can at any time sell the timber on the reserve without their consent, and are anxious to get the benefit of it for themselves ; and do thus cut and sell more than they would otherwise do, did they know that there would be no interference with them. They would be more saving of it.

There have been none enfranchised under the Act of 1869 ; it is not satisfactory, many would desire to be enfranchised if there were suitable enactments.

## N.

*Wm. McCargow, Physician :—*

Has had acquaintance with the Six Nations for over thirty-one years. Has noticed a very marked improvement in their moral character and habits of industry during that time.

There is not much timber left on the Reserve, but there is a good deal of firewood, which with care would last fifty years or more. There is a very great deal of fallen timber—too much ; it ought, without loss of time, to be cut up and sold. Thinks the Indians are not unwilling to assume the position of whites in the eye of the law, but would be unwilling to surrender their lands and move away.

Known many Indians who are fit for enfranchisement.

## O.

*James W. Osborne, M.D. —*

Has had partial acquaintance with the Six Nation Indians for a quarter of a century.

Those of mixed blood constitute both the best and the worst of the tribes. The native Indians are more quiet, harmless and inoffensive, and also less enterprising and intelligent than the mixed breeds.

Cannot state any reason why the Indians should *not* in time take their place among the white population. Could state many reasons why they should, and the sooner the better.