

apart the same for their use, the President of the United States is authorized, whenever in his opinion any such reservation or any part thereof is advantageous for agricultural and grazing purposes, to cause said reservation, or any part thereof, to be surveyed or resurveyed if necessary, and to allot the lands in said reservation in severalty to any Indians located therein, in quantities from one-quarter to one-sixteenth of a section," from which, to an impartial or disinterested observer, the cloven foot is plainly discernible, and the sordid avarice of the thievish designer already discovered.

The advantages of these lands for grazing or for agricultural purposes have long been sufficiently known to their rightful owners, who have never complained, nor questioned their title, guaranteed to them under the most solemn promises of the United States government; nor can they be bamboozled into the belief that they require the aid and superior intelligence of a Democratic administration to discover to them the moment their lands become still more valuable than ever, even too much so for their own good and safety, and they must part with the greater portion of them forever, the moment the President has thus