

Treaties

(1) Minutes of the following treaty councils with the Sioux (Dakota) Indians, as given in Kappler, Laws & Treaties, Vol II. Official minutes, including speeches of Indian chiefs.

(a) Fort Laramie Treaty with the Dakotahs, etc. Signed Sept. 17, 1851.

(I am informed that a journalist's account of this council is to be found in the files of the Missouri Republican (newspaper) in the issues from October 6th to November 30th, 1851, by B. Gratz Brown). Is there a copy of this paper in any form available for library loans?

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(b) General Harney's treaty, Fort Pierre, 1856, March 8th.

(c) "Fort Laramie" treaty (actually held at Ft. Rice) 1868. (April 29th?). Rat. Feb. 16, 1869.

(d) Unratified treaty made at Standing Rock Agency (Oct 17, 1882 to Jan 3, 1883)

(e) Fort Sully Treaty, signed October 20, 1865. (Ratified Mch 5, 1866. Proclaimed Mar 17, 1866). With Onkpahpah (Hunkpapa) Sioux.

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(f) Standing Rock negotiations (Commission consisting of Capt. R.H. Pratt, Judge J.V. Wright, Rev. Wm J. Cleveland) 32 days fruitless counselling. 1888.

(g) Treaty negotiated summer of 1889 at Standing Rock by commission appointed under act of Mch 2, 1889, and consisting of Gen. Chas. Foster, Maj. Gen. Geo. Crook, U.S.A., Maj. Wm Warner. July-August? 1889.

(h) Black Hills council, 1876. For negotiations and cession of the Black Hills

Sen. 1883

(2) Report of Senate Committee appointed 1883 (Sen K.L. Dawes, John A. Logan, Angus Cameron, J.T. Morgan, Geo. G. Vest) on Sioux & land cessions.

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(3) Report (and minority report) of the Sioux delegation at Washington (Secretary Vilas' office) October 19, 1888.

(4) Life of the Roman Catholic Bishop Marty, who served the church in Dakota in the 80s, and visited Sitting Bull in Canada.