

Copy of stipulation made and entered into
the 1st day of January, A.D. One thousand
Eight hundred and Sixty Five - And
A. C. Mathews and W. H. Lander, A.S. & C.
Commissioners appointed by the Indian
Authorities of the United States, and C. C.
Pechlivan, Lawyer and Counselor at Law
of the Choctaw Nation, on the part of said
Nation as follows to wit -

Article II

All acts of Hostilities on the part of both
parties having ceased / by virtue of
a convention entered into on the 26th day
of May 1865 between Major Genl C. C. S.
Candy, M. R. A. Comdg Philizay Division
West Mich and Genl C. C. Lander Comdt C. S. A.
Army Trans Mich Department, the Indians
of the Choctaw Nation here represented -
plainly allied with the Confederate States
in acts of hostility against the Government
of the United States, do agree at once
to abstain from any further hostilities and

There remain at least with the United States, and offer no inducement to hostilities, or commit any act of hostility against the white, or Indians of the various tribes who have been friendly to or engaged in the service of the United States during the war.

Article third

It is stipulated by the undersigned Commissioners on the part of the United States that so long as the Indians agree to observe the provisions of article first of this agreement they shall be protected by the United States authorities, in their person and property, not only from encroachments on the part of the white but also from the Indians who have been engaged in the service of the United States.

Article fourth

The above article of agreement to remain and be in full force, and effect until the meeting of the

Grand Council to meet at Armstrong
Academy Choctaw Nation, on the
first day of September ~~AD~~ 1865, and
until such time as the proceeding
of said Grand Council, shall be
ratified by the proper authorities, both
of the Choctaw Nation and the United
States.

In testimony whereof the said Lieut Col
H. C. Matthews and adjutant William H. Vance
Commissioners on part of the United States and
R. R. Ratchlynn Governor and Principal Chief
of the Choctaw Nation, have hereunto set
their hands and seals.

-- A. L. Matthews Lieut Col
W. H. Vance Adj't. M. S.
Commissioners
R. R. Ratchlynn
Principal Chief
Choctaw Nation