

IN SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

APRIL 8, 1850.

Submitted, and ordered to be printed.

Mr. ATCHISON made the following

REPORT:

*The Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the memorial of the chiefs of the Menomonie Indians, praying the payment of a debt due by them to Robert Grignon, report:*

That in the first article of the treaty concluded at Cedar Point, on Fox river, in the Territory of Wisconsin, on the 3d day of September, 1836, between the United States, by their commissioner, Henry Dodge, governor of Wisconsin, and the chiefs and headmen of the Menomonie nation of Indians, the United States agreed to pay to Robert Grignon the sum of one thousand dollars each year during the term of twenty years. This stipulation was stricken from the treaty by the Senate of the United States, when the treaty was submitted to that body for its consideration. By this action of the Senate in 1836, the committee are of the opinion that the question submitted in the memorial was adjudicated and settled. Therefore, they report the following resolution:

*Resolved,* That the prayer of the petitioner ought not to be granted.