

Green Bay Wis. Territory
December 15, 1838 -

Hon. J. H. Crawford,
Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington City -

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you, that on the
3^d. November, last, I received from his Excellency Henry Dodge,
Governor & Superintendent of Indian Affairs for this Territory -
the appointment of Commissioner under the provisions of
the Onondaga Treaty of February 3, 1838; by the Instructions
issued from your office, & also by the letter of His Excellency,
I am directed to draw upon the Office of Indian Affairs
"for the necessary funds to pay expenses" - I have accordingly this
day drawn a draft, in favor of Messrs W. H. Bruce & Co.
of this place, for the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, that

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being the amount appropriated to defray the expenses for
"surveying, marking &c," the land reserved to the two parties,
under the above treaty.

The survey of the land is completed; the examination
of the claim closed, and the result declared to the Indians;
all to their perfect satisfaction - and the report of my proceed-
ings will be forwarded through Governor Dodge, to your Office,
as soon as the necessary documents and report can be prepared
by me -

Very Respectfully, I have the
Honor to be, Your Obedient
Servant. Henry S. Baird