

That there are now in Iowa three hundred and sixty (360) Indians all of the Fox tribe, and of the same tribe there are twenty (20) in the Indian Territory.

There are of the Sac tribe of Indians only four hundred and twenty (420) all in the Indian Territory.

That the Fox tribe of Indians in Iowa understand and believe, that said apportionment was made under a misapprehension of the facts, and under a belief that most of said joint tribes of Indians were in the Indian Territory.

That the said Fox tribe of Indians have asked the Indian Commissioner to adjust the matter equitably, and pay them the amount justly due them, as their proportion of said fund, but he informs them that under existing laws, he is powerless and can do nothing while the law of 1860 is in force.

WHEREFORE, The general assembly of the state of Iowa, hereby respectfully ask congress, to pass such laws, in relation thereto as shall give to each tribe such portion of said annuities, as shall be equitable and just and we especially ask that the members thereof from this state may use their influence for the accomplishment of the same.

Resolved, That the secretary of state is directed to forward a copy of this memorial and joint resolution to the president of the United States senate, and the speaker of the house of representatives with the request that they be laid before both houses composing the congress.

Approved, February 16, 1884.

NUMBER 2.

IN RELATION TO DEATH OF GENERAL JAMES I. GILBERT.

Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

That we hereby express our sense of a public loss in the death of General James I. Gilbert, who was one of Iowa's most gallant soldiers, and for many years was one of her honored citizens.

That we place on public record a tribute to his generous and high-minded nature, his moral worth, his lofty sentiments of patriotism, and his brave leadership upon the battle fields of the country, for the preservation of the unity and integrity of our government.

That this resolution be spread upon the journals of the two houses, and that an engrossed copy thereof be forwarded to the bereaved family of the deceased, as a token of our sympathy and condolence in their irreparable loss.

Approved, February 21, 1884.