

76TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 6314

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 15, 1939

Mr. DISNEY introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs

## A BILL

Authorizing an appropriation for payment to the Osage Tribe of Indians on account of their lands sold by the United States.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

That there is hereby authorized to be appropriated the sum of \$776,742.03, being the net amount received by the United States from the sale of land of the Osage Tribe of Indians in the State of Kansas under article I of the treaty of September 29, 1865 (14 Stat. L. 687), credited to the "Civilization fund" on the books of the Treasury of the United States and used for the benefit of Indian tribes other than the Osage, said Osage Tribe of Indians referred to herein now residing in the State of Oklahoma, as found by the Court

1 of Claims in its opinion of May 28, 1928 (66 Ct. Cl. 64),  
 2 in a case known as B-38 entitled "Osage Nation of Indians  
 3 against the United States of America" instituted under Act  
 4 of February 6, 1921 (41 Stat. L. 1097).

5 SEC. 2. Said amount, when appropriated, shall be placed  
 6 in the Treasury of the United States to the credit of the  
 7 Osage Tribe of Indians and distributed in accordance with  
 8 the rules and regulations governing payment of moneys  
 9 accruing to members of the Osage Tribe of Indians.

10 SEC. 3. Said appropriation shall be in full, complete, and  
 11 final settlement of the claim of the Osage Tribe of Indians  
 12 against the United States arising under the treaty of 1865,  
 13 above cited.

14 SEC. 4. The Secretary of the Interior is hereby author-  
 15 ized and directed to pay, out of said appropriation when  
 16 made to the attorneys of record not to exceed 5 per centum  
 17 of the amount thereof in full and final payment of all fees  
 18 and expenses provided for in their contract with the Osage  
 19 Tribe of Indians approved by the Secretary of the Interior  
 20 May 5, 1931.

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