

proceeded to council upon the various claims that had been presented.

The council having again assembled on this morning of the 11th of October, the treaty was publicly read by the Secretary after which it was duly signed by the Commissioner and Indians. This done, Governor Chambers remarked: "My friends, this business on which we have been engaged, being now concluded, I take pleasure in saying to you that you have acted nobly and generously. I shall so inform your great father who I am sure will feel much kindness towards you. The step you have taken is an important one. I believe it will insure your greater comfort and happiness.

"In conclusion, I implore that the Great Spirit above will always watch over and protect you. I bid you now farewell."

And the Indians, having taken the Governor by the hand, the council dissolved.

I certify that the foregoing record is correct.

JOHN BEACH, *Secretary.*

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#### NORTHERN BOUNDARY SURVEY.

The steamer, *Lamartine*, left this city on Thursday evening last for Lansing, in Allamakee county, having on board most of the party to be employed in establishing the Northern Boundary line of this State this season. The work will be done under instructions from the surveyor general of Wisconsin and Iowa. Capt. Andrew Talcott will have particular direction of the field and astronomical operations. Isaac W. Smith, late of the Creek and Cherokee boundary survey, is assistant surveyor, and George R. Stuntz and John S. Sheller, second assistants.

Active field operations will be entered upon immediately. The place of beginning will be at a monument heretofore established by Captain Lee a few miles from Lansing. The party is provisioned for six months, and great exertions will be made to complete the work the present season.

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