Agreement made this thirteenth day of March, eighteen hundred and twenty, by and between Francis Joseph, Governor of the Pocomoquity Tribe of Indians, with the advice and consent of the Lieutenant-Governor, the Captains & Council of said Tribe, for and in behalf of said Tribe of Indians, on one part; and Abner Hill and Stephen Hill, on the other part, as follows, to wit:

The said Francis Joseph, with the advice and consent of the Lieutenant-Governor, Captains and Council of said Tribe, for the consideration hereinafter mentioned, do hereby lease and let unto the said Abner and Stephen Hill, the whole and every part of the Township of land belonging to said Tribe, lying on the western side of Schoodic River, beginning at or near the mouth of Somers Stream, so called, with full liberty, leave and license, to cut all the way on said Township, and also to cut and haul all kinds of logs and timber thereon, to clear and make roads, and to do everything else necessary and convenient, to the full, free and entire occupations of said Township, for the term of two years from the first day of April next.

And the Abner Hill and Stephen Hill do hereby promise and agree to pay to said Francis Joseph, for the said Tribe of Indians, the sum of ten hundred and fifty dollars per annum, one half in cash and the other half in goods at current prices; the payments for the first year, to be made one third the first of July, another the first of September, and one third the first of November, eighteen hundred and twenty-one; and for the second year, one third the first of July, September and November, eighteen hundred and twenty-two.

Abner Hill
Stephen Hill

[Signatures]
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