

CLAIMS

Convention signed at México January 30, 1843, supplementing convention of April 11, 1839

Ratified by Mexico February 7, 1843

Senate advice and consent to ratification March 2, 1843

Ratified by the President of the United States March 13, 1843

Ratifications exchanged at Washington March 29, 1843

Entered into force March 29, 1843

Proclaimed by the President of the United States March 30, 1843

*Terminated by treaty of February 2, 1848*¹

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CONVENTION FURTHER TO PROVIDE FOR THE PAYMENT OF AWARDS IN FAVOR OF CLAIMANTS UNDER THE CONVENTION BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND THE MEXICAN REPUBLIC OF THE 11th APRIL 1839

Whereas by the Convention between the United States and the Mexican Republic of the 11th of April 1839,³ it is stipulated that if it should not be convenient to the Mexican Government to pay at once the sums found to be due to the Claimants under that Convention,—that Government shall be at liberty to issue Treasury notes in satisfaction of those sums;—and whereas the Government of Mexico anxious to comply with the terms of said Convention and to pay those awards in full, but finds it inconvenient either to pay them in money or to issue the said Treasury notes, The President of the United States has, for the purpose of carrying into full effect the intentions of the said parties, conferred full powers on Waddy Thompson, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister of the United States to the Mexican Government, and the President of the Mexican Republic has conferred full powers on José M^a de Bocanegra, Minister of Foreign Relations and Government, and Manuel Eduardo de Gorostiza, Minister of Finances;

And the said Plenipotentiaries after having exchanged their full powers,—found to be in due form,—have agreed to and concluded the following articles.

¹ TS 207, *post*, p. 791. The 1848 treaty provides in art. XIII for payment of the awards rendered under the treaties of 1839 and 1843.

² For a detailed study of this convention, see 4 Miller 479.

³ TS 205, *ante*, p. 783.