

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

JANUARY 31, 1916.

Mr. Loub introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs and ordered to be printed.

A BILL

To amend an Act entitled "An Act for the relief of the Saginaw, Swan Creek, and Black River Band of Chippewa Indians in the State of Michigan, and for other purposes," approved June twenty-fifth, nineteen hundred and ten.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That section two of the Act of June twenty-fifth, nineteen
4 hundred and ten, entitled "An Act for the relief of the
5 Saginaw, Swan Creek, and Black River Band of Chippewa
6 Indians in the State of Michigan, and for other purposes,"
7 be, and hereby is, amended so as to read as follows:

8 "SEC. 2. That upon the final determination of such
9 suit or suits the Court of Claims shall decree such fees as the
10 court shall find to be reasonable upon a quantum meruit
11 for services performed, to be paid to the attorney or attor-
12 neys employed by the said band of Indians, and the same

1 shall be paid out of the sum found to be due said band of
2 Indians when an appropriation therefor shall have been
3 made by Congress: *Provided*, That in no case shall the
4 fees decreed by the court exceed in amount such sum or
5 sums as may have been fixed therefor under the terms of
6 any contract entered into between the Indians and their
7 attorney in conformity with section twenty-one hundred
8 and three and the following of the Revised Statutes of the
9 United States for the prosecution of their claims.

64th CONGRESS, }
1st Session. } **H. R. 10488.**

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By Mr. LODD.

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