

Sums Due by France to the United States

The President of the United States of America and the First
Council of the French Republic in the name of the French
People desiring to remove all source of misunderstanding
relative to objects of discussion mentioned in the second
and fifth articles of the Convention of the 30th September 1798
relative to the rights claimed by the United States in virtue of
the Treaty concluded at Madrid the 27 of October 1763 between
His Catholic Majesty & the said United States, & willing to
strengthen the union and friendship which at the time of
the said Convention was happily reestablished between the two
nations have respectively named their Plenipotentiaries to wit
The President of the United States, by and with the advice
and consent of the Senate of the said State; Robert R.
Livingston Minister Plenipotentiary of the United States
and James Monroe Minister Plenipotentiary and lawyer
extraordinary of the said State near the Government of the
French Republic; And the First Council in the name
of the French people, Citizen Francis Barbé, Marbois
Minister of the public treasury who after having respective-
ly exchanged their full powers have agreed to the following
articles



The Louisiana Purchase Treaty are three separate agreements between the U.S and France (one cession and two for payment). Shown are documents for the payment of monies by the U.S. to France.

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