

Office Yakima Indian Agency, Ft. Simcoe, Dec. 13, 1878

Hon E.A. Hayt

Commissioner

Sir:

I have the honor to request indulgence in making up a report in making up a report or report of the doings of the police of this agency, since its organization. Said police was organized about the time I started for Washington last summer. On returning I was perplexed with the business that had accumulated while gone--had no clerk. Dr. Kuykendall who was in charge of the agency in my absence went away on account of the health of his wife and up to this time I have not been able to report for want of help.

Your obedient servant,

James H. Wilbur, U.S. Ind. Agent.

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