Refer in reply to the following: L. 30844-1890.

## Department of the Interior,

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

Washington, November 17,1890.

Webster L.Stabler, Esq.,

U.S. Indian Agent,

Yakama Agency,

Fort Simcoe, Washington.

Sir:

I am in receipt, by Department reference, of a letter dated September 29,1890, from Franklin P.Olney, Yakama City, Washington, stating that he is a half-breed Indian; that he has settled upon and improved "quite a farm" within the Yakama reservation in that State; that he has resided thereon for the last 15 years with the consent of the Indians and by the permission of former Agents of that reservation; that he is advised from a reliable source that you have determined to remove him therefrom for the reason that he has incurred your displeasure; and, that you have already ejected from that reservation an inoffensive old white man whom he (Olney) had employed as hired help on his farm.

Mr.Olney requests that his case receive a fair and impartial consideration, before final action is taken by you in the premises.

You will report all the facts of the matter above refer-

red to, to this office for consideration, and await instructions before final action thereon.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

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