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March 20, 1954

The Department of Justice,  
Room 2129 Department of Justice Building,  
Washington, 25, D.C.

Subject: Yakima Claims

Dear Sir:

Enclosed are the first typescripts I have sent of material to be found in Letter Record Books at the Yakima Indian Agency, Toppenish, Washington.

Much of the material appears to be of little interest to the pertinent claims, so it is omitted, but it is available if desired.

I note that I do not believe that this material, is microfilmed. I also note that I suspect that much of this material is not included in un-microfilmed material in the General Services National Archives.

The Letter Record Books are a series of books made up of pressed copies of old letters. None of the letters are available, but the pressed copies are exact duplicates of the original handwriting.

There are several references to the Tumwater Fishery in the enclosed, and more in transcripts of Letter Record Books that will be sent subsequently.

Besides, there are miscellaneous original letters, in loose form, pertaining to the Tumwater Fishery. These have not been transcribed. I intend to eventually transcribe these for my historical files relating to Port Simcoe and the Yakima Agency, although I have not scheduled that for the foreseeable future. I estimate it will require from 25 to 35 hours to accomplish this when I embark upon that project.

Sincerely

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