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Mr. M.L. Peterson, acting head curator,

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Smithsonian Institution, United States National Museum.

Dear Sir:

I am writing to ask your assistance.

A committee of the Yakima Nation has discussed with me the matter of publication of a Tre ty Centennial (Treaty with the Yakimas, June 9,1855). And in my capacity as city editor of the Yakima Daily Republic I agreed to cooperate with the committee by writing this material for them without charge.

I am writing now to obtain either photo negatives of 8 x 10 prints of the Gustav Schon drawings, pertinent to the subject.

These would include:

1- Kamiakin

2-Owhi

3-(Skloom if available or any other Yakima individuals)

4- Peo-Peo-Mox -Mox (Walla Walla) listed as Pupumoxmox perhaps.

5-(Photograph) Gov. Isaac I. Stevens

6-Any Sohon drawing of the Walla Walla council scene as made by the artist.

f these are not available in the Museum Library or through your facilities, would you be kind enough to expedite to me the source.

The committee only recently determined upon such a publication, and a marraid that time is running short.

Sincerely

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