

Mr. W.G. McIlvanie,  
McIlvanie Machine Works,  
12 South Sixth Ave.

April 16, 1953

Dear Mr. McIlvanie:

I admire a man that stands by his convictions. I am glad to know you feel the same as you have felt, long past, about the treaty rights of our friends. Hence, I am enclosing the petition copies I mentioned when I telephoned you tonight.

I admire the gallant fight, against odds, the Yakimas and their kindred are making to preserve their religion, their culture and their rights. That is why I am helping them to the best of my humble ability.

Your assistance is appreciated. Please return these, in enclosed, addressed envelope, within a week or ten days.

Sincerely

Cliff Kelander