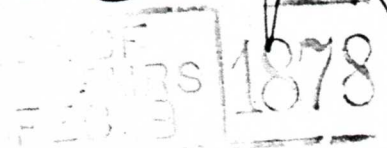
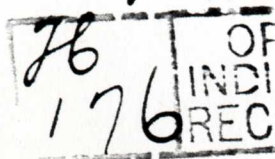


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Jan. 23, 1878.

Concerning
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July 23 1878

E. A. Haight Esq
Fed Court

Dear Sir I have
just had an interview with the Fed,
Agent Mr Bridgman and Dep. U. S.
Marshal Whitney, from Green Bay
relative to the newspapers being com-
mitted on the Ojibwa Reservation by
Indians and Whites. They report
unusual activity, and say that
at no time heretofore have the
depredations been so general.

I have just telegraphed for
instructions. In view of the recent
communication from your Dept
directing suspension of proceedings
against Menominee Indians for similar
newspapers I am in doubt as to the
course to pursue.

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It seems to me the Government
should either remove restrictions
or enforce the law.

Under existing circumstances
the cutting of timber is proceeding and
the reservation being stripped but the
purchasers of the timber require that
white men shall drive the teams and
make the sales so that they may
say they "do not know that the timber
comes from the reservation" - they do
not purchase of the Indians."

The middle men take from 33
to 50 per cent of receipts & give the
Indians the balance. If restrictions
were removed the Indians would
receive the money - and if the timber
is sold they ought to receive the
whole of it.

Respectfully

G. W. Hazleton
W. S. Eaton

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Millwaukee, Wis.

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SUBJECT.

In regard to
depredations by whites
and Indians on Ojibwa
reservation.

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See letter of April 19/1878

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