

of bankruptcy on account of the  
disappointment.

Very respectfully

Your obt. Servt

Jas S. Henley

Sept 2nd - 1859

California 91450  
Jas S. Henley  
San Francisco May 5, 59

Reports his return from  
a visit to the Humboldt  
and Mono Co. Territo-  
ries, the condition of af-  
fairs there, Indian  
hostilities, killing of stock  
&c. - Detection of Mr. Wm.  
Duffie on the Esthomas his  
arrival and his receipt for  
indebtedness of the agents &c.

~~Rec'd May 29, '59~~

~~See letter 4 June  
to appt. to make  
return~~

27 - Finance

Office Supt Indian Affairs  
San Fran<sup>co</sup> Cal<sup>a</sup>  
May 5<sup>th</sup> 1859

C. E. Mix Esq.  
Acting Com<sup>r</sup> Ind<sup>ian</sup> Affos  
Washington D.C.

Sir:

I have the honor to report my return from a visit to Home Lacker and Home Cult Reservations. At Home Lacker the sowing of the crop is completed, and the prospects for a good return are very promising. The Indians are some what discontented, and some of them have left, but I presume they will be induced to return. There is but little work being done at present. The Employes are, having received no pay for nine months, discontented and not inclined to do their duty, until some provision is made for their payment.

Crossing the Mountains to Home Cult was a very severe and perillous trip, and would not have been ~~made~~ undertaken if its

dangers had been known or anticipated. Two horses were lost upon the trip, by slipping upon the ice and falling into a "Cañon"; and two of the men escaped almost by a miracle. The remaining horses had to be abandoned and sent back to Sacramento Valley, and the main summit was crossed on foot by means of Snow Shoes. The emergency which made this trip imperative was the existence of general hostilities between the Settlers and Indians at Nome Cult, and the indisposition of the Military there to give the necessary protection to property. I found that a large amount of stock had been killed during the winter, in which the stock of the Government suffered equally with that of the Settlers. The value of the stock destroyed is estimated at \$30,000. It is not strange that the worst feeling, on the part of the Settlers exist towards the Indians, and a strong determination for their extermination prevails. This however I have been enabled to allay for the present, and I am of opinion, affairs there will remain quiet during the Summer. The Employes at Nome Cult have been very industrious in putting in the crop.

About 300 Acres have been sown in small grain which looks well, and as the season for planting Corn will continue until June a large crop of this grain will be planted. The crop this year will be abundant to feed all the Indians in the valley. Due notice was given to the settlers in obedience to my instructions of the intention of the Government, to include the entire Valley of Rome Cult within the Reservation.

Returning, and within a short distance of the Valley, I had the misfortune to receive a severe injury by a kick from a horse, and was only enabled to reach this City, by traveling a portion of the way in a litter borne by Indians.

Mr. McDuffie the newly appointed Superintendent was I am informed detained on the Isthmus. His arrival here is anxiously looked for, as it is confidently expected that he is authorized to pay off the indebtedness of the Agents. Many persons have suffered seriously on account of not having received the amounts due them for supplies furnished and services rendered - some of them on the verge of

of bankruptcy on account of the  
disappointment.

Very respectfully  
Your obt Servt  
Thos J Stanley

Supt Ind - Affs

Colpinned 8/14/50  
Wm J. Stanley  
San Francisco Aug 5, 50

Rebore's his returns from  
a visit to the Homeopathic  
and Home Aesthetics  
terms, the original of my  
John Turner, San Francisco  
written, telling of the  
re - Relation of the  
Apply in the Baltimore  
original answers by the  
mastering of the report

~~Re J. Stanley, Jr  
San Francisco  
to send the money  
rewards~~

27 - Success