

California 054
Hon. J. H. Denver
Sacramento city
Oct 8th 1859

Enquires what action
the office has taken
on the claim of J B
Williams, for lands re-
linquished to Govt. by
him

Recd Nov 10 1859

Answered Nov 15th 1859

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Nothing found

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Hon. A. B. Greenwood,
Comr. of Ind. Affairs,

Sir,

I have been requested to write to you in reference to a claim of Mr. J. B. Williams of Tehama County in this State. It seems that Mr. Williams had a preemption claim on what is now the Nome Lackee Reserve, and when that tract was selected it was agreed by Col. ^{on the part of the government} Henley, that he should receive (\$2,000) two thousand dollars for the improvements if he would abandon it for the use of the government. This money he has never received although he complied with his part of the agreement, and he now wishes to know what the Department will do or has done in the premises and also whether the vouchers he gave to Col. Henley is on file. The voucher

was given during the 2^d or 3rd yr. of
1856, or thereabouts.

Your early attention to this will
much oblige.

Your obt. servt.

J. W. Denver.