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J. S. Henley
San Francisco Jan 18, 59
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One copy of letter from
S. Stebbins re. to a dispute
only between the citi-
zens and the Indians
at Yerba

~~Dec 14, 59~~

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San Francisco

Office Supt. Ind Affs
January 18th 1859

J. W. Denver Esq
Commissioner Ind. Affs

Sir

I have the honor to enclose a copy of a letter addressed to this office in relation to the Indians in Scotts Valley and vicinity. There are but a small number of Indians (say one hundred & fifty) in Scotts Valley which being now entirely settled, leaves them no means of obtaining a living. There is no longer either grass seed, roots, acorns, or fish. All has been appropriated to their own use by the white people.

These Indians should be removed to the Klamath, or Nome Laker Reservation

Very Respectfully Yours
Thos. J. Henley
Supt IC

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Yreka Sept 20 Cal
Nov. 19th 59

Mr J. J. Mulley

Dr Sir

There has been two quite serious difficulties between our white Citizens and the Indians within two weeks last past, caused by the starving condition of the Indians and resulting in the shooting the Chief Jack through the mouth parting the left side of the lower jaw. also shooting a Squaw. grazing the skull. but not serious, to quit the war like feeling of the Indians. I have provided for Jack and procured the attention of Doct. Nearn and am making an effort to save his life with some probability of success. The Indians had been furnished with whiskey by a white man and a Chinaman. The Chinaman by my efforts was arrested and convicted the white man escaped to Oregon. The man that shot the Indians is

is useful to prosecute as there were no
witnesses but Indians. I call your attention
to these facts both that you may be advised
and that you may have an opportunity
of releasing me of the bill for medical
attendance ^{should you charge} in as much as I am broke
up pecuniarily it would fall heavy
up on me

Very Respectfully Yours
Signe J. Stule