


Poultungusine 23 August 1845

Dear Brother

This few Lines is to let you know the news of this place, I wish to mention to you that I have had talk with Anderson and on the same time I mentioned to him about you being a Chief at least he enquired of me how you came to be Chief, as I was not at a loss I told him every thing and in the same time I mentioned some other Indians that could tell him the same that were living in the States, I told him that they was one the name of Satt that was living with you that could tell him the same - Anderson answer of I had told him how things was - I am very glad to hear all this. I am going to make it my duty - to have all the right Chiefs as they ought to be I understand that there is a good many of these Indians that pretend to be Chiefs, I will have all them excluded, and right Chiefs more however, to not give for

downward, them that will not be interested - and
them that will not obey their Chiefs - I have to inform
you that I have a few days ago forwarded my petition
to His Excellency the Governor General I enclosed your
certificate and the map you made out for my share of
land, the reason I have sent your paper, is to give an
information to the Governor, how these lands his our
property from our grand Father - I suppose you
will be questioned about this business about my land
you will not say any thing against what is right
I have done for you - we Habicht will take your
example and do the same - I have nothing more to
to say

I wish you well and all your
family - we are all well here
Thank god - I hope god
all mighty will keep you in good
health

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