

Siletz Ind Agency May 24 th 1872

Mr George May

Hubberds Station Marion Co

Dear Sir

Some time since I received a letter from W & Richards asking a position for you upon the Siletz Ind Reservation. There is now a vacancy - we require a blacksmith - and it is often the case that we want one mechanic to do different kinds of work, especially in mending plows, harness, Wages etc.

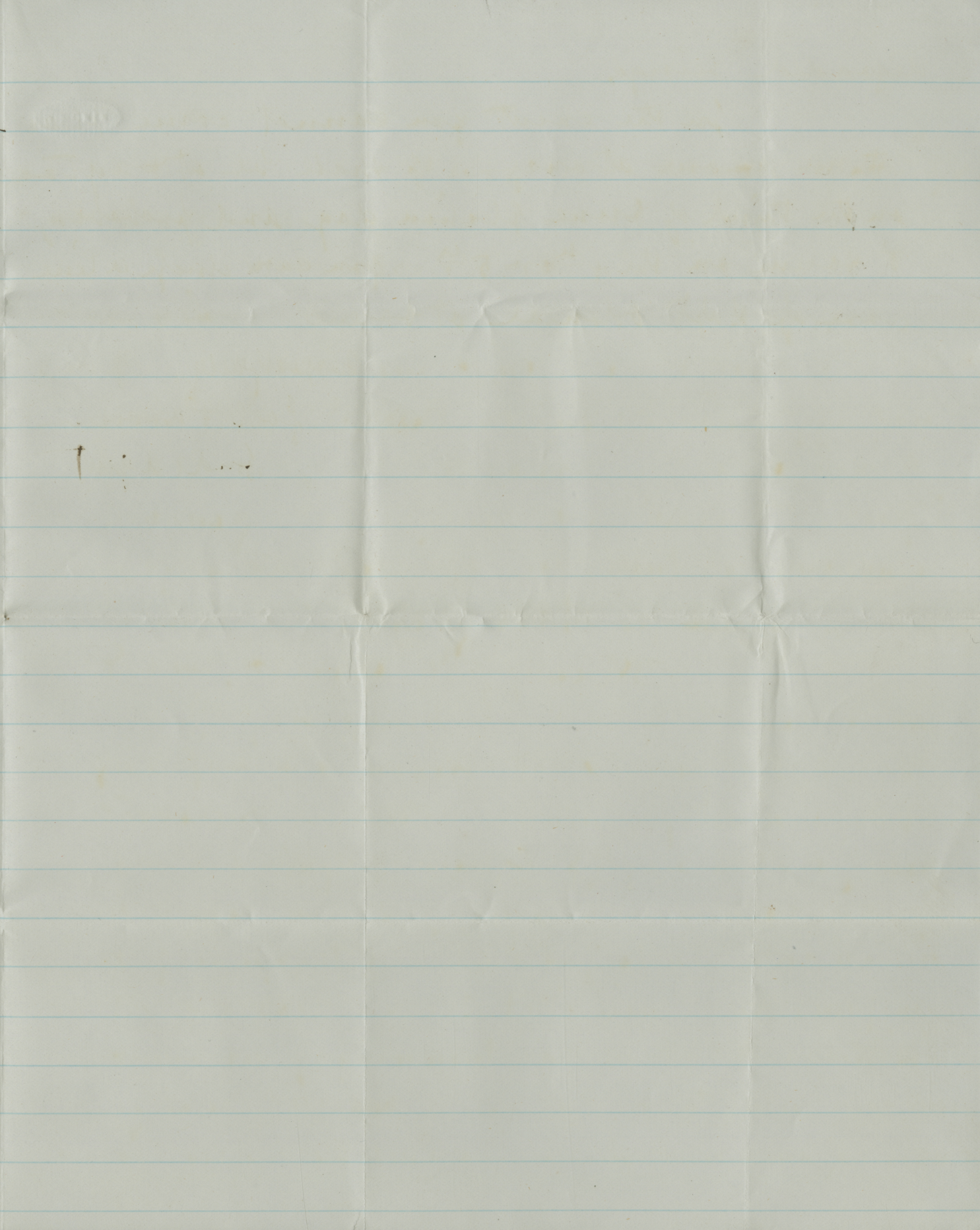
If you could come over at once I can give you a situation. The salary will be one thousand dollars per annum payable in legal tenders you boarding yourself - if you have a family a house will be furnished and a cow to milk a garden & potatoe - We expect all who are in the service to devote their time and energies to serve the government and better the condition of these Indians - and we want men who will set proper examples, restrain their own passions and labour to lift up these poor miserable

degraded beings.

In the event you cannot come please
let me know at once. I shall be at Dayton
on the third of June Election day and probably
at Salem on the 4th or 5th. You can drop a line
care of Capt. Adenaal at Salem

Respectfully yours
Joel Palmer
Sud Agent

Made other arrangements
and not best



Aug 24
1858

Letter to George
Mary
not sent