

Name

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Written Document Analysis Worksheet

(1) Type of document (check one):

☐ Newspaper

☐ Memorandum

☐ Map

☐ Telegram

☒ Letter

☐ Press release

☐ Advertisement

☐ Report

☐ Patent

☐ Congressional record

☐ Census report

☐ Other

(2) Unique physical characteristics of the document (check one or more):

☒ Handwritten

☐ Interesting letterhead

☐ Typed

☐ Seals

☐ Notations

☐ "Received" stamp

☐ Other

(3) Date(s) of document:

May 1867

(4) Author or creator of document:

The Chief of the Flatheads, Victor

Title or position of author:

Victor is a chief

(5) For what audience was the document written?

The document was written for the whites.

(6) List three things the author said that you think are important.

a.

It says that horses were stolen and

b.

It ^{how many} also says what type of person stole them

c.

The letter says what the chief begs for

(7) Why do you think this document was written?

I think the document was written to make peace with the whites

(8) What evidence in the document helps you to know why it was written? Quote from the document.

"Now I address myself to you the Great Chief of the Whites of this country"

(9) List two things the document tells you about life in the United States at the time it was written.

a.

It says that ~~the~~ kids drank whiskey

b.

it says that they send horses for payment

(10) Write a question to the author that is left unanswered by the document.

What were the five other chiefs that signed it