

Head Qrs. Fort Dodge Kansas
July 18th 1868

Bvt Major E. A. Belger
Dist upper Ark

Major

I have the honor to report the following relative to the movements of Indians since last report.

"Silver Sleeve's" band of Apaches numbering thirty m m and stragglers of the Kiowas tribe to the number of eighteen, passed through this post on the 14th en route from Fort Larned going southwest for wild horses.

On the 15th "Stauta and "Kicking Bird" bands of Kiowas arrived at this Post from the upper Arkansas, they having been on the war path against the mules and left on the 16th en route to Fort Larned Kansas.

(Signed)

I am very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. Douglas
Major 3rd Infantry
Commdg Post

Head Qrs Fort Dodge Kans.
July 24, 1868

Mr. John E. Tappen
Post Trader

Sir:

I am directed by the Commanding officer to inform you that no citizens will be allowed to enter the room set apart in your store for the use of officers, except those in your employ as clerks or such as are specially invited by officers.

I am Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
S. Schmborn
2nd Lieut 3rd Indantry