

And for the substantiation or proof  
in detail of the validity of the aforesaid  
claim's - The aforesaid "Shammaum"  
holds himself at the pleasure of the High  
Commissioners to answer and affirm all  
that he has said.

Furthermore the aforesaid "Sham-  
maum" would crave the attention of the  
High Commissioners to certain attested instruments  
in writing wherein it is made known the  
delegation of certain rights and au-  
thorities made to him by different  
nations and Bands of Indians  
as say the Sioux and the Tribe of  
the Assinibouin or Assinibouin  
- as also other papers from the author-  
ities on the Missouri River and would  
seek by these more than his own personal  
assertion to prove that in the conduct of  
their Indian affairs upon the Plains  
that he is in a position to render the  
Government essential service.

Finally he respectfully asks such  
employ. and upon the whole a favorable  
consideration to this his claim and  
memorial -

George <sup>his</sup> Rasette  
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