Fort Wayne March 5th 1820

Mr. A. Lesie

Dear Sir,

Mr. Libbelle, Guardian of George Austin, has received your two letters and your bill. This last is all right except the 16 dollars which were due before he entered into his guardianship. He wants this circumstance explained on the bill. As for the fragment of said bill, he would lend you the money if he had it in his hands; but the ready money of his ward was disposed of and spent out and it is hard to get it back. But all these is some money due to George Austin by the estate of Chief Lafontaine; I will settle the bill of George Austin as soon as I will go to pay you a visit.

Mr. Libbelle positively requires his ward to remain at your establishment until the vacations, and wants him to submit to your direction in every thing.
You must begin to think that I have forgotten
Nootka Sound altogether; but I have been,
and I will be for some time yet, so situated
that I could not be absent from Fort William for
any length of time. Would you let—far or near,
I am the same, and in the absence of real means
you may rely on the best wishes of your devoted
friend.

P. Renoir