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Mr. Co. ad  
Cool Secretary

Place & Date

Fort York Dec 22 1865

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Sir

I beg leave to inform you that  
I believe I am to be discharged on the first of  
the year I have held the office of Constable  
nearly six years and always done my duty  
without any fault whatever My duty was  
heavy through this vast district the Records  
of this Court will show what I have done for the  
government there are Constables there recently  
appointed one at Fort Hope and one here that  
let a prisoner and a murderer escape from  
them such men are retained they are getting  
cheerful in Swains the Court is broken up  
I hope you will excuse me for writing a  
line about this matter I could not keep silent  
truth is truth and I shall prevail

I am Sir

Your most obedtly

Edmund Coffee  
Constable

