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January 4, 1953 (4)

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Dear Mr. Relander:

In reply to your inquiry, we would like to see the books listed in your letter. We will reply promptly on receipt of the books and if for any reason, our offer is not satisfactory, we will return to you promptly.

Mr. Glen Dawson is away on vacation and will be back next Monday about the time the books arrive. He no doubt, would be interested in some of the Athertons, John Muir, and the George Wheeler's Report, etc. etc., but it is best to wait until he returns.

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By *Eleanor Reed.*

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June 29, 1955

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Dear Mr. Relander:

Thanks very much for sending me the Yakima Tribe publication. I have ordered some additional copies.

I will also order some copies of DRUMMERS AND DREAMERS OF PRIEST RAPIDS from Caxton and would be glad to have 500 circulars printed with our name and address.

I see Doctor Hodge frequently and having his introduction will be of interest in this area.

Sincerely,



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July 7, 1955

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Dear Mr. Relander:

Glen Dawson is away for two weeks on vacation. He will read your clippings and letter with interest, I am sure, and will be answering you upon his return.

Sincerely,

Muir Dawson

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November 27, 1957

Enclosed is the announcement of Carl I. Wheat's
Mapping the Transmississippi West.

The first volume is ready for delivery. It
includes reproductions of fifty maps. Price \$60.00.

May we send you a copy entirely on approval for
your examination? Reply envelope enclosed.

Sincerely,

Glen Dawson

[Enclosure: 27 Nov 57]

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the Transmississippi

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By Carl I. Wheat

Volume One

The Spanish *Entrada* to the
Louisiana Purchase

1540-1804



*This Announcement Printed by The Grabborn Press
San Francisco, California, 1957*

The Institute of Historical Cartography

*Recently organized on a non-profit basis to foster significant research
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ANNOUNCES the first of what it hopes may become a distinguished series of scholarly studies—Carl I. Wheat's monumental, five-volume work on *Mapping the Transmississippi West, 1540-1861*. The Institute deems itself singularly fortunate to be able to present, as its initial publication, this notable contribution by one of the West's better known writers on historical subjects, magnificently printed and handsomely illustrated. The first volume is now ready.

Designed by Edwin and Robert Grabhorn of San Francisco, and printed by the Grabhorn Press in an edition limited to one thousand

copies, this opening volume contains a detailed discussion of the earliest attempts of European explorers and cartographers to picture, by means of maps, the vast and almost unbelievably complex region that has come to be known as the American West. The majestic sweep of these early achievements is here graphically recounted, beginning with Coronado's pioneer Spanish *entrada* in 1540, and continuing to the year 1804, when the Americans, Lewis and Clark, were poised for the take-off of their memorable expedition to the Pacific. In subsequent volumes the expansion of knowledge and understanding respecting this extraordinary area will be carried forward to the onset of the American Civil War, by which time reasonably accurate maps of large portions of the West were beginning to become available. A few maps subsequent to 1861 will be included in Volume 5.

In these studies the primary aim has been to avoid the production of a mere catalogue of what might seem to many a disorganized mass of unrelated documents. Instead, the author has consistently sought the basic correlation between the maps drawn or published over the more than three centuries in question and the plodding efforts of men of several nations to seek out, over the years, the mysteries of this remote region. No similar examination of the West's cartographic background has previously been undertaken, almost three hundred

maps being discussed and bibliographically considered in the opening volume of the series. Not only is a clear perception of historical developments and of the maps that illuminated them thus offered to both the casual reader and the cartographic enthusiast, but no less than fifty of these remarkable documents have been reproduced by a process that faithfully reflects their historic nature and their antique charm. Selected from the foremost collections and Archives of America and Europe, this array of reproductions brings together for visual inspection many important and little known documents not hitherto available as a group even to the specialists in this important field.

The extensive undertaking here announced is the result of almost a quarter century of research, and stems directly from the author's earlier examination of maps relating to the California Gold Rush (a book also produced by the Grabhorn Press, long out of print, and now a rare and much-sought-for item of *Californiana*). The present publication also represents an expansion of Mr. Wheat's preliminary discussion of Western mapping (likewise out of print and already difficult to obtain) published in 1954 by the American Antiquarian Society of Worcester, Massachusetts. That summary study contained no bibliocartography and dealt briefly with only about a fifth as many maps as are now to be discussed—though it was even then by far the

most extensive effort that had been undertaken to its date in this significant but strangely neglected area of Western history.

Carl I. Wheat has become well known for his numerous books and articles on Western historical subjects, especially those dealing with maps and mapping. A lawyer who has also written widely in the field of Administrative Law, he for years followed historical pursuits purely as an avocation, but of late has devoted more and more active attention to problems surrounding the cartographic background of the American West. The project here announced reflects many years of scholarly endeavor in this field, and amply discloses both the extent and scope of his researches into the widely scattered and hitherto imperfectly understood and uncorrelated documents now discussed in detail. This has been a pioneering and a time-consuming task, but we believe the result will be recognized as well worth waiting for.

Among Mr. Wheat's more notable historical contributions have been *Maps of the California Gold Region*, San Francisco, the Grabhorn Press, 1942; *Books of the California Gold Rush*, San Francisco, the Colt Press, 1949; *Mapping the American West, 1540-1857—A Preliminary Study*, Worcester, Massachusetts, The American Antiquarian Society, 1954, and (in collaboration with Dale L. Morgan) *The Maps of Jedediah Smith*, San Francisco, The California Historical Society, 1954. For several

years the editor of that Society's publications, he is also a Director of The Book Club of California, and a member of the official California State Historical Landmarks Advisory Committee, as well as of the Federal Advisory Board on National Parks, Historic Sites, Buildings and Monuments.

Each volume of this series will measure 10½ by 14½ inches, approximately the size of the author's earlier work on California Gold Region maps. The map reproductions are being executed in offset lithography by Charles R. Wood and Associates, of San Francisco, while the type in which the books are printed (the English Monotype Company's distinguished "Van Dijck," based on a Dutch type originally designed in 1640) has been set in its handsome 16-point size under Edwin Grabhorn's personal direction by the firm of Mackenzie & Harris, Inc., also of San Francisco, sole users of this typeface in the United States. The paper is Natural Wove Curtis Rag, identical with that of this Announcement, and the books will be sturdily and attractively bound, as befits their importance.

The price of the volume now announced is \$60.00 (net) per copy, and since the demand is already expected to exceed the edition, early orders (accompanied in all instances by payment in full) appear desirable. California residents should add 4% sales tax, and the enclosed

blank may be used, or orders may be placed through leading booksellers. The name of each purchaser of Volume One will be registered with the Institute in order to insure appropriate preference in obtaining subsequent volumes as they appear.

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Dear Mr. Relander:

Many thanks for your recent letter, and the interesting lot of books.

Volume 7 of the BANCROFT lacks the title page and the first two pages.

Remington is a good book but a rather poor copy. All that I should really pay for the lot is \$80.00, and if this were satisfactory, I would send you a check right away.

I don't believe that I can use the list that you mention, except if you still have the SULLIVAN - JEDEDIAH SMITH, 1936, I would pay \$6.00 for it delivered here and you could sell the rest of it locally.

I don't need a BANCROFT - NATIVE RACES, but I am interested in JOHN MUIR and I am interested in ALASKA.

For the lot that you sent down, I might let you know about how I figure: \$10.00 on the McWhorter; \$25.00 on the Bancroft; \$10.00 on the Fresno; \$10.00 on the Lakeside; \$5.00 on the Wheeler; \$5.00 on the Roughing It; \$5.00 on the Remington, and \$10.00 on the remainder.

Sincerely,

Her Dawson

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P. S. I do not want to high pressure you but since I note you are taking a trip, I am enclosing a check but feel entirely at liberty to return the check and I will be happy to ship them back to you.

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March 4, 1958

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Dear Mr. Relander:

Enclosed is check for \$18.00 in payment of the last box. I will not put these in stock for awhile in case you would care to reconsider.

The Lee - Alaska Indian Dictionary is one that I have had and do not consider it of much value; in fact if you would like it back, I would be glad to send it and still pay the \$18.00.

I would, however, be interested in JOHN CLAY - MY LIFE ON THE RANGE, and any Alaska pamphlets which relate to the Klondike Gold Rush, might be of interest.

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July 11, 1962

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Dear Mr. Relander:

My estimate on the first list came out almost exactly the same as yours and I enclose a check for \$75.00 in payment. The books will be held aside for a few days if this is not satisfactory. I especially liked the Latta and Tombstone.

The second lot listed in your letter of July 6th is worth \$35.00 to us. I am keeping this group separate. If agreeable to you let me know and I will send a check for the \$35.00. Thanks for giving me a chance at these.

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December 5, 1962

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Dear Mr. Relander:

Buying books without seeing them is always difficult. I have gone over your list which was included in your letter of December 3rd and have made notations. My totals would come to \$60.00 - delivered here. However, it might be that some one of the items that I do not particularly recognize from the list - when I see them - they will look better to me. If you want to send them down on the \$60.00 basis - please do so. Then if I find something of special value to me - that I do not see from the description - we will raise the amount of the check.

Sincerely,



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December 22, 1962

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Dear Mr. Relander:

Enclosed is our check for \$72.00 in payment for the three cartons of books. I was particularly pleased with the little group of letters to Colonel Stuart^{Eugene}, - these were most interesting. This helped to make up to make up for some disappointments on the main list - such as the Faulkner item not being a first edition. Several of the items were in rather poor condition. However, - we are glad to have these at the amount of \$72.00 and hope that this will meet with your approval.

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November 18, 1965

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Dear Mr. Relander:

Thank you for your letter of November 11th. Some time ago I made an offer on the 15 Caxton Special Edition's, but I have forgotten the man's name, so I don't know how to find it in the file. He did not respond.

I don't see anything on bronze arts other than the Charles Russell Western Bronze at \$100.00.

As to your want list of books, the only thing I have are some by Alexander Ross, "Adventures on the Oregon" at \$6.00, and "The Fur Hunters of the Far West, at \$6.00, both by The Lakeside Press. There is also "The Fur Hunters of the Far West" in the University of Oklahoma Press edition at \$5.00.

I am starting a new series of books on Baja California and planning to do a catalogue on Hawaii.

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November 19, 1966

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Dear Mr. Relander:

A number of early newspapers have been reprinted, the most common being the Ulster County Gazette of January 4th, 1800 and the New York Herald of April 15, 1865. The Periodical Division, Library of Congress, Washington D.C., publishes a special leaflet on this subject. The New York Herald's can usually be determined as a reprint when there is an illustration of Lincoln on the front, or when there is only one page, or when the inside pages advertise Kitchell's Liniment or some other patent medicine. Reprints of this kind have no real commercial value and even the original of the New York Herald, April 15, 1865 would not be of unusual value. I would certainly like to have one of the Ulster County Gazettes. An original would be quite valuable, but I would hardly believe it unless it were in a file. I am enclosing with my compliments one of the Ulster County Gazette reprints.

Sincerely,



GD/kc

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P.S. The Terrible Tragedy at Washington is listed in Monaghan's Lincoln Bibliography as #768. I would have to see it to give an idea of its value, but I would guess the retail value would be around \$25.00, depending on condition.

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Dear Mr. Relander:

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Sincerely,



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