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Dear Dr. Stewart:

The review copy of Custer's Luck was waiting for me upon my return from a needed vacation in California. Now I can conscientiously say I am reading through it and thoroughly enjoying the so entirely complete and comprehensive presentation of the Indian subject.

My review will be ready to whack out before long, and while I realize it should have been earlier because of the timing, I think you have had a good promotion and this might help the cause along a little for the Christmas trade in our area. I have rated it highly for the local dealers.

You have done an outstanding bit of history there covering such a large field as you have so thoroughly and entertainingly. It will surely have a part in historical class presentation far outside of the Custer field. Frankly I envy you with such a broad historical background.

I am sending you under separate cover, and to the same address, the hurriedly written Treaty Centennial publication authorized by the Yakima Nation. They asked me to write several sections and edit it which had to be done in 12 nights of working time (besides I worked at my regular job at the paper by day) so the printer's deadline could be met. But it may be interesting to you from the fact that it was authorized by the very aloof and still skeptical Yakimas, and they seem to like it.

I enclose too a couple of advance circulars of my book that is due out next spring.

Kind regards      Click Relander