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W. W. KEELER
CHAIRMAN OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Mr. Click Relander
1212 N. 32nd Ave.
Yakima, Washington

Dear Mr. Relander:

I was certainly happy to receive a copy of "Strangers on the Land", and appreciate your thoughtfulness in sending it to me. This is the first I had heard of the Yakima story and I had no idea they had all those trials and tribulations. I particularly appreciate getting a copy in which the Yakima Tribal Council autographed their pictures. I have personally known Alex Saluskin for quite some time, and always admired him as an individual and an Indian leader.

My only comment is that I feel there are a great number of the Indian people who have suffered greatly in this transition from the Red Man's world to the White Man's world; but I do hope we will have the courage to look to the future, and the heart and compassion to forgive the wrongs, because I don't think any man can carry hate in his heart without eventually warping his character.

Thank you very much for the booklet.

Yours sincerely,



W. W. Keeler

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