

GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION



National Archives and Records Service
Washington 25, D. C.

October 20, 1952

Mr. Click Relander
Route 3, Box 146
Yakima, Washington

Dear Mr. Relander:

This is in reply to your letter of October 2, 1952, requesting estimates for the reproduction of journals and photographs of 17 officers stationed in the Pacific Northwest during the period of the Indian Wars (dates not stated).

Photographs are available of the following persons listed: James J. Archer, Robert Selden Garnett, Frederick Dent, Edward J. Steptoe, Pinkney Lugenbeel, Henry M. Black, Henry M. Judah, and Henry D. Wallen, and of the following places: Fort Colville and Fort Simcoe.

The cost of photographic reproductions, furnished by the National Archives, is 55 cents for each glossy or matte print up to 8 x 10 inches in size.

Remittance should be made to the National Archives by check or money order payable to the Treasurer of the United States.

If by "journal" you have in mind the private diary, this type of record is not often found among the records of the War Department in the National Archives which is the depository of official records of the War Department. There is on file, however, a diary for part of 1856 of Lt. Col. J. Withers but he is not on your list. If, however, you mean the official correspondence of the 17 officers which consists of letters and reports, then these can be found. Unfortunately, the records of the above men are not segregated but are to be found in the correspondence of the Department of the Pacific and the records of The Adjutant General's Office. Our staff is too limited to list all the records pertaining to all the wars in the Pacific Northwest. Indeed, those investigators who have examined the records on this subject in our search room have spent at least a month in their researches. We shall be able, on the other hand, to undertake a limited search on a specified subject.

Very truly yours,

Richard G. Wood
Richard G. Wood
For Dallas Irvine
Chief Archivist
War Records Branch

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GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

Date of Communication: Jan. 15, 1953

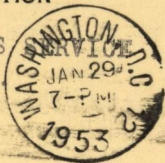
Jan. 29, 1953

Subject: Pictures of Army Forts

- ☒ Receipt of your above-dated communication is acknowledged. You will receive an answer as promptly as possible.
- ☐ A prompt reply to our communication of above date will be appreciated.
- ☐ Material requested is out of stock. If the number of requests is sufficient to permit a rerun, copy will be sent.
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National Archives and Records Service
Washington 25, D. C.

February 26, 1953

Mr. Click Relander
Route 3, Box 146
Yakima, Washington

Dear Mr. Relander:

This is in reply to your letter of January 15, 1953, in which you requested copies of specified photographs and also information concerning Fort Simcoe, Washington Territory.

A search of the records of the War Department in the National Archives has not revealed any ground plans or elevations of Fort Simcoe, Washington. This post had only a brief existence, 1856-1859. The only separable records are the post returns. By using these for names of commanding officers, you will be able to trace correspondence when you come to the National Archives.

The photographs you requested are being sent to you under separate cover.

Very truly yours,

W. Neil Franklin, Chief
General Reference Section

By Kathryn Murphy
Kathryn Murphy

GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

Re your communication dated: May 1953

May 19, 1953

Subject:

- ☒ Receipt of your above-dated communication is acknowledged. You will receive an answer as promptly as possible.
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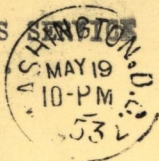
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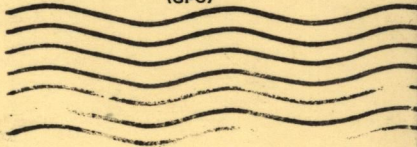
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National Archives and Records Service
Washington 25, D. C.

May 22, 1953

REFERENCE SERVICE REPORT

INQUIRY: Information about the cost of reproducing certain Fortification Map File maps of Washington Territory, and about Fort Simcoe

Report: The cartographic records of the Office of the Chief of Engineers (Record Group 77) include the following maps, filed as Drawer 144; Sheet 23, plates 17, 18, 19, 20, and 21. The cost of a negative photostat of any one sheet is 25 cents, or \$1.25 for all five sheets.

The cartographic records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs (Record Group 75) include an undated negative photostat of a "plan of the Post of Fort Simcoe, Yakama Country . . ." filed as CA 566. The plan indicates the location of the various buildings in outline, some being identified as to their use. A positive photostat (made from the negative) is 50 cents.

Joseph F. Winkler

Joseph F. Winkler
Cartographic Records Branch

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GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION



National Archives and Records Service

Washington 25, D. C.

June 17, 1953

Mr. Click Relander
Route 3, Box 146
Yakima, Washington

Dear Mr. Relander:

This is in reply to your letter of May 9, 1953, in which you requested microfilms of certain Territorial papers of Washington, records of the Office of Indian Affairs, and also designated cartographic records, enclosing a postal note in the amount of \$13.25.

The microfilm of the records of the Office of Indian Affairs and the microfilm publication of Territorial Papers of Washington are being sent to you under separate cover.

Enclosed is a reference service report relating to certain fortification map files of Washington Territory and to Fort Simcoe.

Since your estimates of the cost of photostating the maps you listed were incorrect, that portion of your inquiry was not serviced and, therefore you are due a refund of \$2.25 constituting the unused portion of your remittance. You should receive a check for that amount from the Department of the Treasury in due course.

Positive microfilm of the records of the Oregon Superintendency of Indian Affairs, 1848-73, and of the records of the Washington Superintendency of Indian Affairs, 1853-74, can be furnished for \$104.00 and \$90.00, respectively. The records of the Oregon Superintendency comprise 30 rolls with 1,303 feet. Those of the Washington Superintendency comprise 26 rolls with 1,131 feet. The costs just cited are based on the rate of \$4.00 for each 50 feet of film to the nearest 50 feet. To order the microfilm, remittance should be sent to the National Archives and Records Service by check or postal money order payable to the Treasurer of the United States.

Very truly yours,

W. Neil Franklin, Chief
General Reference Section

By Kathryn Murphy
Kathryn Murphy

Enclosure

GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

National Archives - Cartographic Records Branch

Re your communication dated: June 24, 1953 July 3, 1953

Subject: Forts Colville, Dalles, Walla Walla, Taylor
and Henrietta and White Bluffs Depot



Receipt of your above dated communication is acknowledged. You will receive an answer as promptly as possible.



Material requested is out of stock. If the number of requests is sufficient to permit a rerun, copy will be sent.



Your communication of the above date has been referred for reply to

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Mr. Click Relander

Drawer 154, sheet 44-68. "Fort Walla Walla, W. T., October 1877." Scale 1 inch to 450 feet. Published map on paper. Dimensions 4 x 6 inches. A negative photostat, on one 8-1/2 x 11 inch sheet, will cost 30 cents.

The following items are from Record Group 153, Records of the Judge Advocate General's Office.

"U. S. Military Reservation for Fort Walla Walla." An undated blueprint. Scale 1 inch to 330 feet. Dimensions 26 x 23 inches. A positive copy, on two overlapping 17 x 23 inch sheets, will cost \$1.10; a reduction to one 17 x 23 inch sheet will cost 55 cents.

"Reservation, Fort Walla Walla, Washington." An undated blueprint similar to but not as detailed as the above map. Scale 1 inch to 330 feet. Dimensions 29-1/2 x 24 inches. A positive copy, on two overlapping 17 x 23 inch sheets, will cost \$1.10; a reduction to one 17 x 23 inch sheet will cost 55 cents.

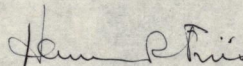
"Map of the Military Reserve Fort Walla Walla, W. T. with plans of public buildings at post." No date. Scale of map 1 inch to 330 feet; scale of plans of buildings 1 inch to 25 feet. Manuscript map on paper. Dimensions 37 x 23 inches. A negative photostat, to scale, on three overlapping 17 x 23 inch sheets will cost \$1.65.

"Site of Military Reservation, Fort Colville, Washn. Ter. Sketched by 2nd Lieut. Fredk. S. Foltz 1st. Covy," 1880 together with a ground plan of the fort. No scale for the map. Scale for the ground plan 1 inch to 100 feet. Manuscript map on paper. Overall dimensions 26 x 40 inches. A negative photostat of the entire sheet, on four overlapping 17 x 23 inch sheets, will cost \$2.20. A negative photostat of the map, reduced slightly to two 17 x 23 inch sheets, will cost \$1.10. A negative photostat of the ground plan, reduced slightly to one 17 x 23 inch sheet, will cost 55 cents.

"Skeleton Map of the Military and Wood Reservations, Fort Colville, W. T.," by Lieutenant C. B. Sears, 1880. Scale 1 inch to 300 feet. Manuscript map on paper. Dimensions 12 x 19 inches. A negative photostat, on one 17 x 23 inch sheet, will cost 50 cents.

Remittance in the proper amount should be sent to the National Archives by check or postal money order made payable to the Treasurer of the United States.

Sincerely,



Herman R. Friis
Chief Archivist
Cartographic Records Branch

GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION



National Archives and Records Service

Washington 25, D. C.

July 15, 1953

Mr. Click Relander
Route 3, Box 146
Yakima, Washington

Dear Mr. Relander:

This is in reply to that part of your letter of June 24 requesting information about materials concerning Forts Colville, Dalles, Walla Walla, Taylor and Henrietta, and White Bluffs Depot in Washington Territory.

Among the cartographic records of the Office of the Chief of Engineers are the following maps and plans which may be of interest to you.

Drawer No. 144, sheet no. 5. "Map of the U. S. Reservation at the Dalles of the Columbia River Oregon by Geo. C. Bomford, Surveyor; October 1852." Scale 1 inch to $\frac{2}{3}$ mile. Manuscript map on paper. Dimensions 20 x 32 inches. A negative photostat, on two overlapping 17 x 23 inch sheets, will cost \$1.10.

Drawer No. 144, sheet no. 6. "Map of the United States Reservation at Fort Dalles, Oregon surveyed and delineated by Maj'r. G. I. Rains." Dated 1880. Scale 1 inch to $\frac{1}{6}$ mile. Manuscript map on tracing cloth. Dimensions $21\frac{1}{2}$ x $17\frac{1}{2}$ inches. A negative photostat, to scale, on one 17 x 23 inch sheet will cost 50 cents.

Drawer 154, sheet 44-68. "Military Reserve, Fort Walla Walla, W. T., October 1877." Scale 1 inch to about 13 chains. Published map on paper. Dimensions 4 x 6 inches. A negative photostat on one $8\frac{1}{2}$ x 11 inch sheet will cost 30 cents.

Drawer 154, sheet 44-68. "Military Reserve, Fort Colville, W. T." No date. Scale 1 inch to 20 chains. Published map on paper. Dimensions 4 x 6 inches. A negative photostat, on one $8\frac{1}{2}$ x 11 inch sheet, will cost 30 cents.

Drawer 154, sheet 44-68. "Fort Colville, W. T.," a ground plan. No date. Scale 1 inch to 300 feet. Published map on paper. Dimensions 4 x 6 inches. A negative photostat, on one $8\frac{1}{2}$ x 11 inch sheet, will cost 30 cents.

GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION



National Archives and Records Service
Washington 25, D.C.

May 22, 1961

IN REPLY REFER TO: NNSE

Mr. Click Relander
1212 North 32nd Avenue
Yakima, Washington

Dear Mr. Relander:

A revision of the List of National Archives Microfilm Publications is now in press. A copy of it will be sent to you within a month.

I am enclosing for your information, copies of our special lists numbered 6: List of Documents Concerning the Negotiation of Ratified Indian Treaties, and 13: List of Cartographic Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

Sincerely yours

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Albert H. Reisinger, Jr.", is written over the typed name.

Albert H. Reisinger, Jr., Chief
Exhibits and Publications Branch

Enclosures - 2

GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION



National Archives and Records Service

Washington, D.C. 20408

October 23, 1964

IN REPLY REFER TO: NCRC

•Mr. Click Relander
3701 Commonwealth Road
Yakima, Washington

Dear Mr. Relander:

A copy of your letter of October 6, 1964, was referred to this Branch for information about possible maps accompanying a report on the Yakima Expedition. Our Army and Air Corps Branch is replying to the other questions raised in your letter.

The following maps, which are in a small booklet entitled "Topographical Maps Memoir and Report Department of the Pacific" by Capt. T. J. Cram, U. S. Topographical Engineers, may be of interest. This booklet is filed as Dr. 144, sheet 23, in the Fortifications Map File of the Office of the Chief of Engineers (RG 77):

Sketch XVII: "Yakama Indian Country 1856." Manuscript.
Scale 1 inch to about 12 miles. Dimensions 10 x 17 inches. A negative photostat will cost 40 cents; a xerox copy will cost 20 cents.

Sketch XIX: "Yakama Indian Country. Reconnaissance in part by Lt. Mendell Top. Eng. In the command of Majr. Rains against the Yakamas and in part by Capt. Cram Top. Eng. Nov. 1855." Manuscript. No scale. Dimensions 10 x 7 inches. A negative photostat will cost 40 cents; a xerox copy will cost 20 cents.

Remittance by check or postal money order payable to the General Services Administration (NCRC) should be sent to the following address: Collections Officer, National Archives and Records Service, General Services Administration, 8th and Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D. C. 20408.

Sincerely yours

A. P. Muntz
Chief, Cartographic Branch

GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION



National Archives and Records Service
Washington 25, D.C.

November 2, 1964

IN REPLY REFER TO:

NMRA 694

Mr. Click Relander
3701 Commonwealth Road
Yakima, Washington

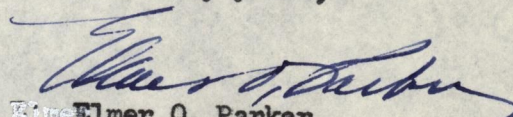
Dear Mr. Relander:

Your letter of October 16 has been received.

The tabular statement referred to in file "A.G. 2076239" has not been found.

There undoubtedly is considerable information pertaining to the Yakima Expedition scattered among War Department records in the National Archives but our staff is too small to undertake the research necessary to locate and assemble all pertinent documents for reproduction. These records can be made available to you or your agent in one of our research rooms. You may be interested in the enclosed list of organizations and institutions in the Washington area that have agreed to furnish the names of persons who do research for a fee.

Sincerely yours,


Elmer O. Parker
for Victor Gondos, Jr.
Chief, Army and
Air Corps Branch

Enclosure