



*Pasco*

## CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

P. O. BOX 550

PHONE LI 7-4411

PASCO, WASHINGTON

April 13, 1956

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

Dear Mr. Relander:

Reference is made to your letter of February 13, 1955, written to Paul Busselle, Associate Editor of the Columbia Basin News, relative to the State Historical Society Award of Merit made to the Columbia Basin News and Ted Van Arsdoll.

As indicated in previous correspondence between you and Mr. Busselle, The Chamber of Commerce would like to recognize this award in suitable fashion and feels that it merits something more than a brief announcement squeezed in between other items on an unrelated agenda.

The suggestion made in your letter relative to a possible thirty-minute program dealing with the Indian History of the Pasco region as background for the award presentation interests us very much and we would be most happy to set aside a meeting for this purpose.

Presently, we have as our two earliest open dates May 21 and 28. Our regular Membership Luncheons are held each Monday at noon in the Pasco Elks in downtown Pasco. It is customary to tape-record 28 minutes of the featured presentation for broadcast over K.P.K.W. at 7 P.M. the same evening. A large percentage of our Membership and the local citizenry is composed of relative newcomers to this area and both programs are certain to stimulate much interest.

If you will confirm this arrangement and designate the date best for you, we will make the necessary arrangements for this presentation. We will welcome this opportunity to officially recognize the distinctive honor which has come to Ted Van Arsdoll and the Columbia Basin News.

Incidentally, may we wish you every success in your forthcoming publication of Drummers and Dreamers.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Sincerely,

*H. Leith Loder*

H. Leith Loder, Manager

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May 16, 1956

Mr. Click Relander  
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Dear Mr. Relander:

Just a reminder that we are expecting you to address the membership of the Pasco Chamber of Commerce at its next regular luncheon meeting at the Pasco Elks, Monday noon, May 21.

We will contact the Columbia Basin News and Ted Van Arsdol to insure their presence at this meeting.

We have announced this meeting through our bulletins and considerable interest has been evident. I'm sure you will have an interested and receptive audience.

If there is anything we can do to facilitate the presentation at this end do let us know.

Cordially,

*H. Leith Loder*

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