

Aug. 3, 1955

Mr. George H. Gannon,  
Care: Yakima Chief Ranch,  
Mabton, Washington.

Dear Mr. Gannon:

Your check, No. 1069 for two copies of the forthcoming Drummers and Dreamers has been received. It is being deposited in the book account.

The publication, as noted in my letter is scheduled for spring of 1956.

One of the two copies will be inscribed to you and the nephew of the famous prophet will affix his "X" or thumb print. Besides there will be two lithographs of the cover, painted by E.B. Quigley who you may know. They will be wide margin and without the title, on good paper. Mr. Quigley painted the Indian horse race scene on the spot at Priest Rapids on the site where the lower dam is to be built. In my estimation he is as good as Remington or Russell were. He has painted considerably in Yakima Valley and his paintings are in much demand.

I am sending you two of the Treaty Centennial items instead of one. You may have a friend you wish to present one of them to.

You will see, I believe, as Priest Rapids goes forward as a hydroelectric project, stories about these unusual Wanapums. On occasion I may drop a clipping in the mail to acquaint you with interesting historical developments.

Thank you for the order.

Sincerely Yours

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