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Mr. Click Relander

July 3,1951

Mr. Click Relander Route 3, Box 149 Yakima, Washington

Dear Mr. Relander:

In checking our collection for materials on Smohalla, we find two major references which we felt you might not have in your collection of Northwest books. One is "Feather cult of the middle Columbia", by Cora Du Bois, Banta, 1938; the other, "Prophet Dance of the Northwest and its derivatives: the source of the Ghost dance", by Leslie Spier, Banta, 1935. The latter particularly has an excellent bibliography on the subject and in checking it, we find that we have many of the sources and references in our collection.

You may not have access to the Oregon Historical quarterly. We have a complete set of the publication and there are some references to Smohalla in various issues of the quarterly.

We should be very happy to help you all that we can. If you can come to Spokane, please let us know when you will arrive and we shall have the material ready for you. We sincerely hope that our Northwest history department lives up to your expectations.

Sincerely yours,

Reference Librarian

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SPOKANE PUBLIC LIBRARY SPOKANE 9. WASHINGTON June 19, 1954 GLADYS S. PUCKETT LIBRARIAN Mr. Click Relander 1212 N. 32nd Avenue Yakima, Washington Dear Mr. Relander: Congratulations! I am so pleased to know of your good fortune in having your manuscript accepted. We'll follow its progress with interest, for of course we want a copy. We were lucky enough to find the Spokesman-Review reference it is in the Inland Empire Magazine for January 24, 1954., entitled "Butterflies Invaded Cedar Valley", written by Donald H. Clark. Thank you too, for the clippings, all of them were interesting, but especially the Indians, as I have not read too extensively about the River Indians. Again, I'll be so interested in the progress of your manuscript, it's wonderful to be looking forward to seeing one's name in print! If we can help you anytime, do write us. Sincerely. Reference Librarian ESG/jme

July 29,1955

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

Dear Mr. Relander:

Thanks so much for the clippings and you may be sure we are ordering your book.

Miss Anderson, Order Head, is on vacation, but I shall have a note for her.

We were quite pleased with the Historical Conference, especially the weather! That week end was the only nice one that we had for five weeks!

Thanks again for the clippings and we shall be watching for your book.

Sincerely,

(Mrs.) Elizabeth S. Gilbert

Reference Librarian

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