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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

Cheyenne River Agency Cheyenne Agency, South Dakota October 15, 1947

Mr. Norman Campbell Department of English University of Oklahoma Norman, Oklahoma

Dear Mr. Campbell:

A few months' ago Joseph Lazy White Bull died on this reservation at the age of 104 years. He was a full blood Cheyenne River Sioux Indian. I understand that it was from him that Mr. Stanley Vestal got the information from which he wrote the book "War Path". Now that the old man is dead and his estate is to be settled, I am anxious to learn anything you may know about the royalties which we understand were to have been paid to Joseph Lazy White Bull.

If you have any information whatever regarding the matter, I should be very pleased to hear from you.

Sincerely yours

G. W. Spaulding

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