Mr. A. B. Welch, Mendan, North Dakota.

My dear Mr. Welch:

You are a prince! I have the photostats, and shall be happy to use them, with full credit given you. Thanks also for your kindness in translation, and for the other data given. You may expect one of the first copies of my book (autographed) for your private library. I hope to have it off the press not later than the autumn of next year.

Prof. Smith and my young cousin both send their best wishes. We all wish we could visit your collection again, and hear all about your findings among the Mandans.

Yours very cordially,

W.S.CANPBELL