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Dear Mr. Vestal:

I have but recently finished perusing your very interesting biography of Kit Carson and liked it very much.

However, I think you cast some wrong reflections upon General CUSTER.

I think you are mistaken in assuming him as you apparently do.

The battle of Usherita was a decided success. Custer was sent to terminate the existence of Black Kettle's band and he did so, so completely that ever after