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Dear Sir:

Dr. Fisher asked me if I would write to you about the Dog Soldiers.

There is a special paper on these societies for the Plains; Anthropological Papers, this Museum, Volume 11. The whole volume is given over to a discussion of these Societies. The volumes by Edward S. Curtis, Volume 6, gives some good information, especially for the Cheyenne. Again George Bird Grinnell, The Cheyenne Indians, 2 volumes, gives good information, and Mooney, The Cheyenne Indians, Memoirs American Anthropological Association, Volume 1. This Museum has good collections for the societies of many tribes but not the Cheyenne. The Field Museum may have sets of the regalia.

I hope this will help you.

Very truly yours,

Dr. Clark Wissler

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