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

Dear Mr. Campbell:

A copy of your book Warpath and Council Fire has been received, and I want you to know that I am highly appreciative. This book will be of great value to me in the course of present investigation work in connection with Missouri River Basin reservoir areas. As you know, the creation of reservoirs on an unprecedented scale will be particularly wide-spread and destructive of historic and archeologic features in the Great Plains states.

Enclosed herewith I am pleased to send you reprints of the following articles, which may be of interest to you:

- "The Sutler's Store at Fort Laramie," Annals of Wyoming
- "Fort Laramie, Guardian of the Oregon Trail," Annals of Wyoming
- "Jackson Hole, Crossroads of the Western Fur Trade, 1807-1829,"
Pacific Northwest Quarterly.

You may also be interested in the study of historic sites in the Fort Randall Reservoir area which will appear in Vol. 24, South Dakota Collections; "Robidoux's Trading Post at Scott's Bluffs," which will appear in an early issue of Nebraska History; and "Fort Laramie Centennial," presented to the Chicago Westerners in March, and which I presume will turn up in the Brand Book.

Sincerely yours,

Merrill J. Mattes

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