

LESSON #1:

LEWIS & CLARK – *Meeting the Indians of the Northwest*



Captain William Clark of the Lewis and Clark Expedition Meeting with the Indians of the Northwest, by Charles M. Russell, 1897, Oil on Canvas
Sid Richardson Museum, Fort Worth, Texas

Indian Presents

12 Pipe Tomahawks	8 3/4				18
6 1/2 doz. Straps Steel Iron	6 1/2				1 62
1 Piece flannel 4 7/8 yds.	12 3/4	5	12	0	14 94
11 1/2 doz. Glanchochup ap ^s	13 1/2	22	8	9	59 33
1 doz Ivory Combs	30y	1	5	0	3 33
2 Gatty and S. Silks	7 1/2	1	5	1 1/2	3 75
21 th Tread ap ^s	21 1/2	8	13	9	23 17
1 1/2 doz. Scarlet Cloth 22 yds	28 3/4	21	15	9	53 50
3 doz. Jam. Hdy	6 3/4	7	1	6	15 37
6 doz. Binding	9 1/4	4	3	5	11 79
2 doz. Bands	1 3/4	1	8	6	3 50
4 doz. Dutch Knives	8 1/4	2	0	0	5 33
12 doz. Pocket Looking Glasses	12 1/4				5 19
15 doz. Buttons 8 1/2	3 1/2				3 99
8 doz. Buttons 3 1/2	11 1/4				12
2 doz. Nonpareils	2 3/4				2 94
2 doz. Red Straps laces	1 1/4				2 50
72 doz. Straps with Ribbons	3 1/4				39 62
3 doz. Bands	3 1/2				2 01
6 Papers small Bells	1 1/4				4 02
1 box with 100 larger do	1 3/4				2 25
75 Buttons Bands ap ^s	2 0				41
3 doz. Tinsel Bands ap ^s	9 3/4				3 75
1 th Thread					30
1 doz. Needle Cases	5 1/2				3 56
2 1/2 doz. Locket	5 1/2				25 50
8 1/2 doz. Red Bands	8 1/2				1 67
2 doz. Earrings	2 0	4	0	0	70 1/4
8 Brass Knives	10 1/2	2	11	0	6 80
12 doz. Brass Straps	12 1/4				62 07
500 Broaches	1 1/2				6 00
72 Rings	3 1/4				20 00
2 Green Mills	1 1/4				8 72
15 doz. Suspenders	1 1/4				18 97
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					53
					507 35

List of Indian presents purchased by Meriwether Lewis in preparation for the expedition to the West, 1803; Records of the War Department Office of the Quartermaster General, Record Group 92; Old Military and Civil Records LICON, Textual Archives Services Division (NWCTB), National Archives Building, Washington, DC. Online version on November 2, 2006, available at: <http://www.archives.gov/education/lessons/lewis-clark/images/present-list.gif> ARC Identifier: 300353