

Lincoln, Nebr., February 28th, 1916.

Mr. Harry L. George,
St. Joseph, Mo.,

Dear sir:-

I am sending you by Amer. Exp. today several articles in which I thought you would be interested for your collection as they are all good pieces namely.

One Tobacco pouch and pipe bag with indian on horseback design on both sides, this is a rare design to find on a pipe bag, although they are found on vests and coats some times, this is the first one I ever had with the design on a pipe bag, the design work on this bag is very fine, and the figures well shaped-\$9.00.

One beaded pipe bag with red back ground and other designs in other colored beads, this is about the largest sized bag I ever had, in fact unusually large and striking design work-\$9.00.

One deer skin pipe bag with porcupine embroidery work instead of bead work, very nice work and of the old type which is seldom seen \$6.50.

One Otter medicine pouch or bag, Winnebago tribe, very old and rare Otter is now extinct in Nebraska where this piece originated. Same was used in a society similar to the Omaha shell society, you will find this piece in excellent condition-\$30.00.

One Sioux hair braid, from an Ogallala Sioux many years old, having been collected by a Rev. Cleveland, a missionary among the Sioux years ago and handed down to his son, also now a Minister, and procured by me from him. This was collected by the same party as the effigy spoon I sold you recently and is equally as old, it would be considered a museum specimen-\$4.50.

One old bone handled Winnebago scalping knife with carved handle very old and rare piece at \$3.50.

Will allow you to keep these and pay for them in the way that we have arranged on the other pieces.

Would you not want to consider the purchase of my Osage bundle on that basis?

Yours truly,

Wm Thompson
of Beatrice Dry Co

These prices are net to me as they represent cost prices to me and I can not pay charges either way.

P.S. You wont find any thing more valuable from either a stand point of having in your collection or for trading purposes, the Otter fur medicine bag for they are scarce and rare pieces and seldom seen in a collection or for sale, in fact there are few of them in existence.

62.50
32.50
30.00