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Register of the Maurice S. Sullivan Papers on Jed Smith

Series 1: Correspondence re Jed Smith

This material is described fully on photocopies of individual library cards analyzing the contents of each letter see below:

MS 19

MSJS188

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to U.S. Forest Ranger,
Zion Nat. Park

MS is trying to find out what is the name of the
river is that JS called the LOST river when he
came through the area

MS Smith, Jedidiah, manuscript letter MSJS1
19 Jan. 1927

letter from Smith to Gen. William
Clark telling of exploration of land
west of Salt Lake City
made at the request of Francis Farguliar
from files of the Bureau of Indian Affairs,
Department of Interior, Washington, D. C.

MS 19

MSJS2

Fox, Helen, letter to Maurice Sullivan
Oct. 7, 1930

Miss Fox tells M.S. of material about
Smith in the Mansfield, Ohio public
library

MS 19

MSJS3

McDowell, Ethel, Librarian, letter to
Maurice Sullivan, Oct. 10, 1930

Miss McDowell tells MS that there is no
mention of JS in the Ashtabula public
library

MS 19

MSJS4

Kirby, Ralph, letter to Maurice Sullivan
Oct. 23, 1930

information of the origin of JS in
Bainbridge, N.Y.

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MSJS5

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Walter
Bacon, March 7, 1931

MS stating that he is planning to
write a book on JS and asks Mr. Bacon
for any helpful information

MS 19

MSJS7

Deadly, Mrs. Paul, letter to Mr. Sullivan
April 13, 1931

Mrs. Deadly tells MS all the infor-
mation she has gotten from her father
on JS

MS 19

MSJS6

Gillis Mabel, State Librarian
Cal. State Lib., letter to Maurice
Sullivan, Mar. 17, 1931

Miss Gillis refers to a letter of JS
discovering gold and also details of
his death. She states they are both
questionable

MS 19

MSJS9

Thompson, Robert, letter to Mr. Sullivan
April 21, 1931

MS asked Mr. Thompson for a pamphlet
which he did not have

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MSJS10

Sullivan, Maurice, Los Angeles Sunday
Times, May 24, 1931

an article by MS about JS titled
"The Man Who Opened the Gate"

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MSJS12

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Walter
Bacon, June 10, 1931

MS makes a rendez-vous with Mr. Bacon

MS 19

MSJS11

Bacon, Walter, letter to Mr. Sullivan
May 26, 1931

Mr. Bacon tells of his relation of his
wife to JS and he also tells of having
Jed's gun, snuff box, etc. and wants
to start a correspondence with MS

MS 19

MSJS13

Bacon, Walter, letter to Mr. Sullivan, June 12,
1931

Mr. Bacon acknowledges the meeting time
with MS and praises the work he has done thus
far

MS 19 MSJS14
Bacon, Walter, letter to Maurice Sullivan
June 23, 1931

Mr. Bacon is sending MS a package
that contains materials on JS
also he is beginning a correspondence
with Peter Smith, a descendant of JS

MS 19 MSJS16
Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mr. Bacon
July 2, 1931

MS tells Mr. Bacon that he feels that
E. D. Smith deserves more credit in
rediscovering than he received
also MS is now working with a Mrs.
Calhoun's bible of JS'S

MS 19 MSJS15
Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Walter Bacon
June 25, 1931

MS says that he has gone over the letters
of E. D. Smith and is now in the process
of studying the other material Mr. Bacon
has given him

MS 19 MSJS17
Bacon, Walter, letter to Maurice Sullivan
July 3, 1931

Mr. Bacon agrees with the injustice of
E.D. Smith and confirms the date of
July 16, when MS is visit him again

MS 19

MSJS18

Gillis Mabel, letter to Mr. Sullivan
July 10, 1931

Mrs. Gillis tells MS that they have no
record of a J.R. Thompson that he is
inquirinf about

MS 19

MSJS19

Roberts, David D., letter to Maurice
Sullivan, July 13, 1931

MS is inquiring about a Dr. Titus G. V.
Simons and his great grandson Mr. Roberts
tells MS all he knows about the man

MS 19

MSJS20

Fox, Lawrence K., letter to Mr. Sullivan
July 13, 1931

Mr. Fox is the supt. of the Dept. of his-
tory at the S. Dak. St. Lib. and he tells
MS that they have a painting of JS by
Charles Holloway of Chic. The picture
was created from a letter of E.D. Smith
in 1909 that contained JS'S discription

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MSJS21

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Allentown
public lib. July 15, 1931

MS asks if this lib. has a magazine
written in 1907 which is supposed to contain
material on JS and Dr. Simon

MS 19

MSJS22
Sullivan Maurice, letter to Mr. Bacon
July 16, 1931

MS tells Mr. Bacon that he has sillouettes
of Dr. Simon and his daughter and also one of
peter Smith JS'S Brother

MS also says the manuscript of E.D. Smith
as not been received by the Kan. His. Soc.
and doubts that JS expld -- red the west prior
to 1822 as stated in manuscript

MS 19

MSJS24
Turner, Isabel, Lib. Allentown Penn. Lib.
letter to Mr. Sullivan, July 20, 1931

She tells MS that the magazine or the
parties he inquired about in his July 15
letter is in the lib.

MS 19

MSJS23

Whittemore, L.D., Registrar, Washburn Coll.
letter to Mr. Sullivan, July 18, 1931

Whittemore tells MS that they do not have the
address of a Prof. F.W. Cragin, but might
be at Colo. Coll.

MS 19

MSJS25

Kincaid, Paula, Ref. Lib., Akron pub. lib.
letter to Mr. Sullivan, July 21, 1931

Miss Kincaid states that she searched the files
of Wayne, Ashland, and Ashtabula counties
and found no information on JS or Dr. Simon
or Ralph Smith

MS 19

MSJS26

Goembel, Pauline E., Ref. Lib. Binghampton
pub. lib. N.Y., letter to Mr. Sullivan
July 28, 1931

Miss Goembel says there is material of or on
JS in her lib.

MS 19

MSJS28

Farmum, Jessica, Sec. Lib. of Congress,
July 30, 1931 letter to Mr. Sullivan

She writes this letter and tells MS of the
memo on JS being sent to him

MS 19

MSJS27

Hellman, Florence, ACT. Chief Bibliographer
Lib. of Congress, memo. referring to letter of
Maurice Sullivan, July 28, 1931

This memo gives the account of JS and Dr. Simon
in the Nat. Intelligencer Wash. D. C. Nov. 1, 1930
It tells of their arrival in St. Louis from the
rockies

MS 19

MSJS29

Bondurant, Mrs. Albert, letter to Maurice
Sullivan, July 31, 1931

This lady says she is the daughter of a John Smith
and she has a pen sketch of JS. She also
refers MS to a Mrs. Lurah Jenkins, 163 N.W.
77 St., Miami Fla.

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MSJS30

Zephyrin, Rev. Fr., Santa Barbara Mission
letter to Maurice Sullivan, Aug. 7, 1931

He tells MS that he has no Record of JS and
the Mission of San Jose and a Father Narcisco
Duran. He guides MS to the Bandcroft Lib. where
all the notes on JS of the Missions are found

MS 19

MSJS32

Donovan, Ney, City Clerk, Santa Rosa, letter
to Mr. Sullivan Aug. 12, 1931

He tells MS that they have no records of a Mr.
Ross Davis.

MS 19

MSJS31

Duff, William, Publicity Ashland pub. lib.
letter to Mr. Sullivan Aug. 8, 1931

Duff tells MS that there is no record of Dr. Simon
being the first teacher in that county and
has no records at all of him

MS 19

MSJS33

Ulrich, A., Colt fire Arms Co., Letter to
Mr. Sullivan Aug. 13, 1931

They tell MS that there was no repeating rifle
as early as 1831 so a fur trader before 1837
could not carry a Colt weapon

MS 19

MSJS34

Farnum, Jessica, letter to Mr. Sullivan
Aug. 14, 1931

She confirms that MS received his July 30 letter
from them

MS 19

MSJS36

Bondurant, Mrs. Albert, letter to Mr. Sullivan
Aug. 19, 1931

She tells MS that she has no knowledge of the
Paddock Smith family but gives the names of the
ancestors of E. D. Smith and their whereabouts

MS 19

MSJS35

Foster, Mrs. R.N., Curator, Soc. of Cal.
Pioneers, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Aug. 15, 1931

Mrs Foster thinks that she has located a R. A.
Thompson for MS but must check some more

MS 19

MSJS37

Harrington, M.R., Curator S.W. Museum Hingland
Park Cal., letter to Mr. Sullivan, Aug. 25, 1931

He questions MS whether or not a cave he has
written about is the same one MS thinks JS
described in his journal

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MSJS38

Hall, Ruth Lib. , ~~See of California~~, letter
~~to~~, Santa Rosa Lib., letter to Mrs. Foster
Aug. 28, 1931

Mrs. Hall can not find anything on R.A.
Thompspn, but she gives the names of two of
his relatives: Mrs. Paul Deadly, his daughter
who lives in Palo Alto and Mrs. May Thompson
Whipple, who lives at 1285 Green St, San Fran.

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MSJS40

Deadly, Mary Thompson, letter to Mr. Sullivan,
Sept. 12, 1931

The daughter of R.A. Thompson says that she has the ~~the~~
letters MS is seeking and will gladly give them up

MS 19

MSJS39

Foster, Mrs. R. N., letter to Mr. Sullivan, Aug.
31, 1931

Mrs. Foster Thanks MS for his material on R.A.
Thompson and asks for any any additional infor-
mation and also offers help if needed

MS 19

MSJS42

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mrs. Deady,
Sept. 24, 1931

MS expresses a fear that the JS letters might
have burned in the San Fran. fire but asks
Mrs Deady to help him locate the Davis family

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MSJS41

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mrs. Foster,
Sept. 24, 1931

Ms is asking Mrs. Foster for help in finding
some letters of JS and wants her to help him
locate a Davis family who is believed to have the
letters

MS 19

MSJS44

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Walter Bacon
Oct. 2, 1931

MS sends Bacon a picture of a marker of the
old mohave trail where JS is supposed to
have traveled, MS still has not located the Davise:
or Ralph Smith, he asks Bacon how the Peter Smith
journal is going

MS 19

MSJS43

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Miss Ruth Hall,
Sept. 24, 1931

Ms asks Miss Hall as to the location of the Davis
family

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MSJS47

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Curator of Sutro
Lib., Oct. 7, 1931

MS asks the curator whether the burned letters
that Mrs Deady turned over to them had any
material on JS, if so could they be made avail-
able to him

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MSJS46

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mrs. C.F. Calhoun
Oct. 7, 1931

MS sends her a Picture of the ~~erecting~~ spot where JS crossed over to the Spanish settlements, also he tells her he has found the burial place of Dr. Simon, her great grandfather and also has a silloutte of him

MS 19

MSJS48

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Prof. F.W. Cragin,
Oct. 8, 1931

MS asks Prof. Cragin if he can verify several statements by E. D. Smith, if so, could MS have this ~~prec~~ proof

MS 19

MSJS46

Sullivan Maurice, letter to Postmaster of Jefferson,
Texas, Oct. 7, 1931

MS inquires about information of relatives of Paddock Smith JS'S brother

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MSJS50

Duff, William, letter to Mr, Sullivan, Oct.14,
1931

Duff tells MS that his best bet in obtaining information of this area, Ashland, Ohio, is to write Hon. David Eley at Funk, Ohio

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MSJS49
Bruner, Helen, Lib., Cal. St. Lib., Sacramento,
letter to Mr. Sullivan, Oct. 18, 1931

She tells MS that the Material given to them by
Mrs Deady contained no word of JS

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MSJS51

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Sec. of Chamber of
Commerce, San Antonio, Tex., Oct. 19, 1931

MS is inquiring about the whereabouts of any ~~not~~
relatives of Paddock Smith

MS 19

MSJS52
Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Hon. David Eley
Oct. 19, 1931

MS asks Mr. Eley as to the information concerning
Dr. Simon, JS, or Ralph Smith all whom resided in
that area at one time

MS 19

MSJS53

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to the Ed. of the Ashta-
bula Star Beacon, Oct. 21, 1931

MS gives the ed. a background of JS and asks him to
try and get the local people to send him any old
letters, etc. that they may dig up about JS

MS 19

MSJS55

Calhoun, C. F., letter to Mr. Sullivan, Oct. 22, 1931

Mrs. Calhoun acknowledges MS'S letter and asks him if a Dr. Simon she has seen in an old letter is the same one he is referring to

MS 19

MSJS56

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Henry Chateau, Oct. 24, 1931

MS asks Chateau whether his his relative could have made the sketch of JS he has and also does he have any records of correspondence between JS and his family

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MSJS54

Ellis, Arthur, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Oct 22, 1931

MS is seeking information on Will Money and Ellis has no information other than what is at Bancroft Lib.

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MSJS57

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mrs. Calhoun, Oct. 24, 1931

MS tells Mrs. Calhoun that Dr Simon's burial place is the same one she spoke of at Allen Chapel, Kendannville. He also tells her of his progress so far and asks for any help regarding the Smiths or Simons

MS 19

MSJS58

Haddock, Sylvia, letter to Mr. Sullivan,
Nov. 2, 1931

Mrs. Haddock tells MS what she knows of an
Eld Smith, who married her great aunt about
75 years ago

MS 19

MSJS59

Choteau, Henri, letter to Mr. Sullivan,
Nov. 21, 1931

Choteau says that he has no information on JS
and refers MS to the Mo. His. Soc.

MS 19

MSJS60

Foster, Mrs. R. N., letter to Mr. Sullivan,
Nov. 25, 1931

Mrs Foster tells MS that she has been unable to
locate any letters of JS'S in the Davis homes
either in Santa Rosa or Berkely

MS 19 Sullivan Maurice, letter to Mrs. R. D. Baker,
Mar. 27, 1932 MSJS61

MS tells Mrs. Baker of his interest in JS and asks her to relay to him any information that will help prove that JS was on the Santa Fe Trail before 1823 which is not believed by most historians but was written about by E. D. Smith JS's brother

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MSJS62

Baker, Helene, letter to Mr. Sullivan,
April 5, 1932

Mrs Baker has some letters of E. D. Smith's
and she gives MS the details of them, mostly
between 1918 and 1928

MSJS64

MS 19
Green Mrs. J. M., Letter to Mr. Sullivan, Oct 21, 1932

Mrs. Green tells MS that her sister has a letter
from JS to his parents written in 1929 along with
other material and is more than willing to give them
to him

MS 19

MSJS63

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mrs. Helene Baker,
April 8, 1932

MS is still looking for proof of E.D. Smith
Statements on JS passing along the Santa Fe,
also he inquires about a Gilbert and J.J. Ed
Smith, both who are descendants and live in
Alton. MS wants to contact them

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MSJS65

Bagstun, B. F., letter to Mr. Sullivan,
Oct, 25, 1932

He gives MS a few new names and addresses that
MS had inquired about, that are mostly in Texas

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MSJS66

Etter, Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Oct. 28, 1932

Mrs. Etter identifies herself to MS and offers assistance, also the address of her brother J. Earnest

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MSJS67

Farmer, R.R., letter to Mr. Sullivan, Nov. 2, 1932

He refers to MS'S letter of Oct. 15 and tells MS of all the descendants of the Paddock Smith family they know of

MS 19

MSJS68

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mrs. Kate Etter, Nov. 2, 1932

MS tells Mrs. Etter of his desire to write a book on JSand also his need to find out more on the Paddock Smith family to fill in some blank spaces in his material. He asks for any help she can give him

MS 19

MSJS69

Cambell, O.W., letter to Mr. Sullivan, Nov. 3, 1932

He tells MS that no record of Ernest Smith, postal clerk can be found, He is supt. of trans. for the Mo. Kan. Tex. R.R. co.

MS 19 MSJS70
Etter Mrs. Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan,
Nov. 13, 1932

She tells MS that he has found the sole descendants of Paddock Smith and then gives a brief geneology of JS and offspring, she also tells MS thar her brother has part of JS' S journal and she has an old bear claw

MS 19 MSJS72
Sullivan, Maurice, letter to J. Ernest Smith,
N v. 25, 1932

MS asks Mr. Smith for the Papers he has on JS

MS 19 MSJS71
Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Kate Etter,
Nov. 19, 1932

MS expresses thanks and an interest in the bear claw which was supposed to come from the onsmangled JS and also he tells her that the journal of JS was probably written by a sec., Harrison Rodgers

MS 19 MSJS73
Etter Mrs. Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan,
Dec. 29, 1932

Mrs. Etter tells MS that she is coping JS'S journal and also tells him about several old newspaper clippings of JS and his fur co. adventures

MSJS74
MS Etter Mrs. Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Dec. 29,
19 1932

She sends this letter with a copy of a news-
paper article about settling early Calif.,
by J.J. Warner of Los Angeles. It is about JS and
others

MSJS75
MS 19 Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Kate Etter, Dec.
30, 1932

MS asks Mrs. to send a copy of J. Ernest Smith's
notes which she has already started doing
He also encloses an article he did on JS

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MS 19 MSJS82
Etter, Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Jan. 4, 1933

Mrs. Etter tells MS that she is sending him the first part of the journal

MSJS77
Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Kate Etter,
Jan. 5, 1933

MS asks her about information of U.S. troops
above the mouth of the Platte in 1822

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MS 19 MSJS76
Etter, Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Jan. 3, 1933

She states that she is in the process of copying the journal and she tells MS some stories her grandfather related to her of JS

MS 19 MSJS78
Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Kate Etter,
Jan. 6, 1933

MS tells Mrs. Etter that E.D. Smith is dead and repeats a letter he has concerning the college of Peter and Ira, Two of JS's brothers

MS 19

MSJS79

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Kate Etter, Jan. 9,
1933

MS writes to Mrs. of the discrepancies of the
accounts of JS'S death, and also he clears her
up on the details of JS'S fur dealings

MS 19

MSJS81

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to LIB. of Congress,
Jan. 11 .1933

MS wants copies of a list he has enclosed
(list not in papers)

MS 19

MSJS80

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mrs. Helene Baker,
Jan. 10, 1933

MS acknowledges the last letter of Mrs. Baker
and mentions he is sorry to hear that she could
locate Jed or Gilbert Smith, He also mentions
"the Story of the, earl of Marx or Man" ? and
asks for any additional aid

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MSJS83

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Dr. Owem C. Coy,
U. of Cal., Jan. 14, 1933

MS asks Dr. Coy where he may obtain some materials
he wrote on JS

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MSJS84

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Kate Etter, Jan. 16, 1933

MS acknowledges the arrival of the first installment of JS'S journal and finds it quite valuable

MS 19

MSJS86

Coy, Owen C., Cal. ST. His. Assoc., letter to Mr. Sullivan, Jan. 19, 1933

Dr. Coy sends MS a magazine containing the articles he requested and also refers him to the Jan. and July issues of the Cal. His. Soc. Quarterly of 1924 which mention JS

MS 19

MSJS85

Etter, Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Jan. 17, 1933

Mrs. Etter is sending MS an article by Warner about early Cal. Trappers and will also ask her brother if the remains of JS were ever recovered

MS 19

MSJS87

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Kate Etter, Jan. 19, 1933

MS says he received the second installment of JS'S journal and returns the clipping she sent him

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MSJS88

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to the St Lib.,
Cal. St. Lib., Jan. 19, 1933

Ms asks for information concerning maps or
other papers of a APPELAMMING river that
may have been called that in Cal. about 100 years ago

MS 19

MSJS90

Supt. of Reading Room, Lib. of Congress, letter
and memo to Mr. Sullivan, Jan. 23, 1933

The memo contained the indicated pages of
publications requested by MS in the Lib.
of Congress

MS 19

MSJS89

Menchem, Kirke, Sec. Kan. St. His. Soc., letter
to Mr. Sullivan, Jan. 21, 1933

Menchem sends MS a biob. of JS in their possession
and refers him to a Mrs. Edith Clift, in
Lawton, Okla.

MS 19

MSJS234

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Pierce Butler, Jan. 23,
1933

MS thanks him for his constructive criticism
and tells him that his suggestions will help him
write a better book.

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MS 19

MSJS 90

Gillias, Mabel, letter to Maurice Sullivan,
Jan. 25, 1933

She regrets that they can not find any
mention of the Appeking river

MS 19

MSJS92

Smith J. Ernest, letter to Mr. Sullivan,
Jan, 28, 1933

Mr. Smith writes MS and offers all the information
he has on JS. He also refers MS to a Aliek Godey
for possible further material

MS 19

MSJS93

Priestly, Herbert. Libr. of Bancroft Lib., letter
to Mr. Sullivan, Jan. 28, 1933

Priestly sends MS the materials he desired at cost

MS 19

MSJS94

Farnum, Jessica, letter to Mr. Sillivan, Jan. 28,
1933

Farnum requests payment of MS for photostats
he received about JS from the Lib of Congress

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MSJS236

Coy, Owen C.. letter to Mr. Sullivan, Jan. 30, 1933

He tells MS that he has looked over the material he has been given of JSS journey in the Sacramento Valley and finds them without error

MS 19

MSJS98

Etter, Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Feb, 10, 1933

Mrs. Etter says she really enjoys coping the journal and was glad to here that her brother had wri ten MS

MSJS99

MS 19 Etter Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Feb. 18, 1933

Mrs. Etter gives the best discription she has obtained, she mentioned how hard it is to read the journal, she describes JS and Ben Paddock

MS 19

MSJS101

Smith, J. Ernest, letter to Kate Etter, Feb. 26, 1933

He tells his sister that the journal must have been copied from JS'S notes because it is so sketchy also included is a letter that he was going to send MS on the same subject

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MSJS238

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Dr. Owen C. Coy,
Feb. 3, 1933

MS thanks him for his help on deciphering the
JS journal and hopes to see him again soon

MS 19

MSJS97

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Kate Etter,
Feb. 7, 1933

MS acknowledges the arrival of the next
installment and tells Mrs. Etter an anecdote
from the journal

MS 19 Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Kate Etter,
Feb. 6, 1933

MSJS95

MS inquires about the next installment of
JS'S journal, fearing it lost in mail,
also he tells what he has pieced together
and wants to ask more questions later

MS 19

MSJS100

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Kate Etter,
Feb. 17, 1933

MS tells Mrs. Etter that he has all her records
to date and also tells her that he has a full
record of JS up to 1924-25 and tells her that
he hopes the records keep coming

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MS 19 Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Kate Etter,
Feb. 28, 1933

MSJS102

MS tells Mrs. thanks for the last installment of the journal and is surprised how quickly it ended. He also asks her to send him the scrapbook she has and tells her he will keep her posted on his progress

MS 19 Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mrs. Edith Clift,
Mar. 1, 1933

MSJS103

MS tells Mrs. Clint that the Smith family wants him to do JS'S biography and he asks her for help. once again looking for proof of some of E.D. Smith's statements. MS wants her to contact him or Ralph Smith

MS 19 Sullivan, Maurice, letter to J. Ernest Smith,
Feb. 7, 1933

MSJS96

MS says he written Mr. Godey and asks Smith certain questions about JS and his family

MS 19 Sullivan, Maurice, letter to J. Ernest Smith
Mar. 2, 1933

MSJS104

MS wants Mr. Smith to send him the journal and notes of JS so he read the part s Mrs Etter could not figure out so his eventual book will be completely accurate

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MS 19 MSJS105
Cole, Frank, postcard to Mr. Sullivan,
Mar. 6, 1933

It had the address of a Lois Carleton:
Weaver, c/o Fotte HOspital, Jackson, Mich.

MS 19 MSJS106
Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Herbert Priestly,
Libr. Bancroft, Mar. 9, 1933

MS is sending a list and 12 dollars to
Bancroft to have some materials looked and
copied for him

MS 19 MSJS108
Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mrs, Lois Carleton
Weaver, Mar. 10 1933

MS tells her that he is seeking information
on an ancestor of hers, Nelson Smith, he
asks for any help available from her

MS 19 MSJS107
Etter, Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan,
Mar. 10, 1933

Mrs. Etter tells MS of Uncle Ira and his wife
Aunt Mary, she tells Ms that she will give him the
answers to some questions he has as soon as her
brother writes her and that all the family
his. she has told him is completely reliable

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MSJS112

Etter, Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Mar. 18, 1933

She sends MS an article from "The Challenge"
a Baptist paper. She also mentions that she
is sad that JS does not receive the notoriety
that other less worthy have gotten

MS 19

MSJS110

Etter, Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Mar. 25, 1933

She is sending Ms a photp of her grandparents,
Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Smith and also tells of
some of JS'S famous relatives, R.B. Hayes, etc.

MS 19

MSJS109

Etter, Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Mar. 19,
1933

She tells MS that photp that he sent of of
Nelson Smith is a phony and then she goes on to
tell of her grandparents

MS 19

MSJS111

Sullivan Maurice, letter to Mrs. Irene Q. Campa,
Mar. 27, 1933

MS thanks her for preparing his materials at
Bancroft and asks her to send him some more
information on "JS and bad behavior" vol. VI p. 178

33 MS 19 MSJS113
Etter, Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Mar. 29,
1933

She tells MS that she has no pictures of her grandfather's sister but goes on to give a memory discription of the relatives she remembers.

MS 19 MSJS115
Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Kate Etter,
April 1, 1933

MS thanks her for sending the journal and can easily decipher most of the unclear words, MS has more quas. for another time and also he tells her that the idea that Will sublette was JS'S superior is false

MS 19 MSJS114
Bacon, J.S., letter to Evelyn, His Sec.
Mar. 31, 1933

He tells her who MS is and tells her to let him look at what papers he wants.

MS 19 MSJS116
Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mrs. Lois
Weaver, April 3, 1933

Ms is finishing up his work and wants her to verify the fact whether or not she is a descendant of Nelson Smith so as to have no loose ends

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MS 19 MSJS118
Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mr. John Gosidino,
April 3, 1933

Mr. Gosidino writes for Columbia Magazine
and MS asks him where he got his proof of
the Flathead indians came to St. Louis
because JS is said to have converted them
and this could mean verification

MS 19 MSJS119
Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Curator, Cal. His.
Soc., April 4, 1933

MS asks if they have a paper" in which R.A.
Thompson gave a history of JS'S overland
journeys in 1826 and 1827.
It appeared in a S. F. paper in Feb. 1891

MS 19 MSJS117
Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Miss May Davis,
April 3, 1933

MS tells her that he is writing a book on JS
and heard she has some material on him and
requests permission to see it, he also sends her
a sample of his work on JS

MS 19 MSJS120
Etter Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan, April 4, 1933

Mrs. Etter is sending MS the Narrative pages
of JS'S journal which is in scrapbook form

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MS 19

MSJS122

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mrs. May Thompson
Whipple, April 5, 1933

Ms is looking for Thompson's paper given to the
Cal. His. Soc. and asks aid

MS 19

MSJS123

Weaver, Lois Carleton, letter to Mr. Sullivan,
April 7, 1933

She tells MS that she is not a descendant of JS
and therefore can not help him

MS 19

MSJS121

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mrs. Paul Deadt,
April 5, 1933

Ms asks her if she happens to have a copy of
her father's address (Thompson) to the Cal.
His. Soc., and also if she will send him a copy
of "the conquest of Ca. and the settlement
of Santa Rosa" pamphlets

MSJS124

MS 19 Etter, Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan, April 8, 1933

She tells MS that she is sending the journal
in one piece and that he may keep the Sun. Sch.
papers, and also hopes his book will be
completely truthful

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MS 19

MSJS125

Haggins, Mrs. Dorothy, Corres. Sec., Cal. His. Soc.,
letter to Mr. Sullivan, April 11, 1933

She tells MS that they do not have the two
articles he requested in his Apr. 4 letter,
but refers him either to Thompson's sister in
S.F. or to check their Quarterly. She believes
the Records ~~were~~ destroyed in the S.F. 1906 fire

MS 19

MSJS127

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mrs. Dorothy Haggins,
April 12, 1933

MS regrets that they have no records and says
he will write Thompson's sister. also he gives
the name of the article so there is no mix-up
about what he is looking for

MS 19

MSJS126

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Miss Maud Carleton
April 12, 1933

MS asks her if she received a letter from her
sister Lois and whether she a descendant of
Nelson Smith and does she have any useful
material about him or JS for him

MS 19

MSJS128

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mrs. R.A. Thompson,
April 13, 1933

MS is inquiring about the paper that her
brother gave in 1906 and asks if she has
a copy

MS 19

MSJS131

Etter, Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan, April 14, 1933

She tells MS that he may keep the journal as long as he likes and that the Ben Smith signiture on the journal was put there by her and to disregard it

MS 19

MSJS129

The Tidings, newspaper, Fri. April 14, 1933

This paper carries an article concerning the book that MS is soon to write on JS

MS19

Haggins, Dorthy, letter to Mr. Sullivan, April, 17, 1933

MSJS132

She sends MS a typewritten copy of R.A. Thomson's sought after paper and also gives MS the names of all of JS'S relatives they have

MS 19

MSJS130

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Ref. libr., Boston Pub. Lib., April 15, 1933

MS is looking for information regarding New England ships that arrived in Cal. ports in the winter of 1827-1828

MS 19

MSJS137

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mrs Bacon,
April, 19, 1933

MS returns Mr. Bacon's newspapers and tells him
that he get a reprint of JS'S photo. He
also inquires whether or not he has seen
E.D. Smith's manuscript

MS 19

MSJS133

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mrs, Haggins,
April 19, 1933

MS thanks her for thē paper and told her that
he had contacted the list of people she sent
and also wants other verification than family
records that Ira Smith was the first sherrif of
Sacramento

MS 19

MSJS135

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mrs. Guy S. Carleton
April 19, 1933

MS gives her a background of himself and his
work and asks her if she can supply him with any
information on JS or Dr. Simon or Nelson Smith

MS 19

MSJS134

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Kate Etter,
April 19, 1933

MS tells her that JS probably wrote a sreies
of journals. He asks about Ira Smith's publishings
and also imforms her that the Baptist articles
were written as fiction

MS 19 MSJS138
 Etter Kate, Letter to Mr. Sullivan,
 April 22, 1933

She tells MS that she is writing songs and
 will ask her brother about the Prairie Farmer
 newspaper MS asks about

MS 19 MSJS139
 Smith, J. Ernest, letter to Mr. Sullivan,
 April 22, 1933

He writes MS and tells him that he will send him
 imfor. on the Prarie Farmer if he finds it

MS 19 MSJS142
 Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mr. Wilson G. Dalton,
 May 1, 1933

MS asks him for any records letters, etc of
 JS because he is almost completed the biog.
 and wants to be sure there are no loose ends

MS 19 MSJS140
 Nasatir, A.P., letter to MR. Sullivan, April 23,
 1933

He tells MS that he has not kept up on JS
 since he pub. his biblio. and refers MS to
 some articles in the Quarterly

MS 19

MSJS143

Dalton, Wilson S., letter to Mr. Sullivan,
May 4, 1933

Dalton gives MS a family record of JS
taken from the orig. family bible, now in the hands
of Eliza Smith in Springfield, Neb.

MSJS141

Haggins, Dorthy, letter to Mr. Sullivan,
May 1, 1933

She tells MS that she has no proof of Lra Smith
being Sacramento's first sherrif and gives him
imfor. on how they keep records preserved

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MS 19

MSJS144

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to H. L. Meneken,
May 5, 1933

MS tells him he is going to write a book on
JS and asks him if a few articles beforehand
in magazines would be advisable

He is conected with Mercury Magazine

MSJS145

MS 19

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mr. Dalton,
May 5, 1933

MS acknowlegges his letter and tells him what
he is working on and wants to find out more
about Cornelia Bennett

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MS 19

MSJS147

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Miss May Davis,
May 8, 1933

MS tells of his looking for other Davis's
families and asks her for any aid available on
Smith descendants in Corning and Atlantic, Iowa

MSJS146

MS 19 Etter Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan, May 6, 1933

Mrs. Etter fears MS did not get her April 22
letter

MS 19

MSJS148

Davis, May letter to Mr. Sullivan, May 8, 1933

She offers to send MS a copy of a Denver paper
about JS and asks him for any help he can
give her concerning the D.A.R.

MS 19

MSJS149

Dalton Wilson, letter to Mr. Sullivan May 8, 1933

He gives MS the address of Cornelia Bennett
and tells MS of the circumstances of JS's
death

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MS 19

MSJS153

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Kate Etter,
May 16, 1933

MS tells her he has sent back the scrapbook
and requests a photo of the baer claw that mangled o
old JS

MS 19

MSJS150

Olderog, Carl, Postmaster, Springfield, Neb.,
letter to Mr. Sullivan, May 15, 1933

Mr. Olderog has no record of the SSimon or
Beers parties

MS 19

MSJS152

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Hebert Priestly,
May 18, 1933

MS requests a photostat of of a bond that
a J.B.R. Cooper signed on behalf of JS

MS 19

MSJS151

Gillis, Mable, letter to Mr. Sullivan,
May 17, 1933

She says there is no record of Ira Smith
being the first sheiff of Sacramento

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MS 19

MSJS155
Sullivan, Maurice, letter to the War Dept.,
Wash. D.C., May 20, 1933

MS asks if another JS appears on there muster roll
as an officer in the War of 1812

MS 19

MSJS157
Sullivan, Maurice, letter to War Dept. Wash. D.C.,
May 20, 1933

on the bottom of this cppy is a note that
if he was born in 1767 he could not have been
the Rev. war

MS 19

MSJS154
Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Ed. of Notes and
Queries, Bos. Transcript, May 20, 1933

MS wants to the author of some lines that
were said in memory in 1830:
"How Sparkling Must Thy Summons Be...Leaving
Now No Longer Hers"

MS 19

MSJS156
Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Hal Evarts of
Sat. Evening Post, May 20, 1933

He asks him where he got some imfor. that
he wrote in an article several years ago
"about a fur trapping trip"

MS 19

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Etter, Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan, May 22, 1933

She received her scrapbook and is going to send
MS the bear claw

MS 19

MSJS160

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mr. Mencken,
May 22, 1933

MS thanks him for his help and would be glad
to write an article on JS in the Mercury if
he thinks the material is right for their
type of mag. MS will send him an example of his
work

MS 19

MSJS162

McKinley, James, Brig. Gen., Acting The Adj. Gen.,
letter to Mr. Sullivan, May 26, 1933

He says that there are many JS'S that served in
the Rev. War but none that fit MS'S location
or discription

MS 19

MSJS 161

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Kate Etter,
May 26, 1933

MS asks her if she has any infor. on JS'S father
before 1800,xxx also JS'S connections with
a great lakes vessel and how she came to think
that Ira was the first sheriff of Sacramento,

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MS 19 MSJS164
Etter, Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan, May 29, 1933

She is going to ask her brother about the ques.
MS wrote her on the 25th and mentions that she
has heard of their army relative and also that
Ira was constable of Sacramento not sheriff

MS 19 MSJS163
Meneken, H.L., letter to Mr. Sullivan,
May 29, 1933

He is very interested in MS'S articles but
agrees with MS that are not the type for a
general mag. like the Amer. Mercury

MS 19 MSJS168
Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Postmaster, Deerfield,
Mich., June 4, 1933

MS is looking for a Mr. Elliott J. Smith or
relatives of this area and asks for imfor.

MS 19 MSJS165
Priestly, Herbert, letter to Mr. Sullivan,
May 31, 1933

He acknowledges sending the document that MS
asked for on May 23

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MS 19

MSJS166

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Miss May Davis,
June 4, 1933

MS requests a bioblio. of Betsy Smith and decendants
also any old data she may have, and tells her
he may have some imfor. on JS and the D.A.R.

MS 19

MSJS167

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to J. ernest Smith,
June 4, 1933

MS asks him ques. that he had earlier sent
to Mrs Etter but now directs to him for lack of
time. 7 ques. about JS and family

MS 19

MSJS170

Beach. E.E., Postmaster, Deerfield, Mich., post-
card to Mr, Sullivan, June 10, 1933

E.J. Smith is deceased but MS can try a
Mrs. Sue Carson, a sister living at 130
Friends Ave. Whittier, Cal.

MS 19

MSJS169

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mr. M.R. Harrington,
Cur. of S.W. MUseum, L.A. Cal., June 6, 1933

MS is seeking to indentify a creek near the
salt cave that JS wrote about and asks for aid

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MS 19 MSJS171
Davis, May, letter to Mr. Sullivan, June 11, 1933

She tells MS all she has on Betsy Smith and gives him a list of names on the family bible with dates and further inquires about imfor. of JS and the D.A.R.

MS 19 MSJS172
Smith, J. Ernest, letter to Mr. Sullivan, June 11, 1933

He gives MS the IM for he has on JS's father and family and also what he has on JS and the great lakes idea

MS 19 MSJS174
Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Kate Etter, June 14, 1933

MS informs her of what he has been doing lately with his JS project

MS 19 MSJS173
Etter Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan, June 13, 1933

She tells MS that she is writing her biob. that he wanted and will forward her brother's answers to his ques. when she gets them

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MS 19

MSJS 178

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to MR. Smith, June 15, 1933

MS asks him for more info. about JS's rifle and pistol, whether he had them before 1831 or not, also to his knowledge did JS have light, sandt, or brown hair

MS 19

MSJS176

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Maj. A.M. Barton, ST. REclamation Board, June 14, 1933

MS wants an opinion on some explanation of some rivers in JS's journal: names and locations

MS 19

MSJS177

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Susan Cannon, June 15, 1933

MS wants to know if her ancestor JS is the same JS that is the famous explorer's father

MS 19

MSJS179

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Miss May Davis, June 15, 1933

MS tells her that her bible records differ than another account he has and he wants the date of hers so he can verify which one is more accurate, he also it is almost possitive that a JS did fight in the Rev. War

MS 19 Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Kate Etter , MSJS 180
June 16, 1933

MS is happy to receive her biob. and gives her hints on her poetry verse writing

MS 19

MSJS176

Harrington M.R. , letter to Mr. Sullivan,
June 15, 1933

He tells MS that in answer to his June 6 letter JS was writing either of Bitter Creek or the Virgin River

MS 19

Barton, A.M., letter to Mr. Sullivan, June 20, 1933 MSJS183

He sends MS a discription and a pencil sketch of the area sent in by MS and was discribed by JS in his journal

MS 19

MSJS181

Cannon, Susan, letter to Mr. Sullivan, June, 19, 1933

She tells MS that she is not of the same Smith or Strong family

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MS 19

MSJS184

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to M.R. Harrington,
June 26, 1933

MS thinks that Bitter Creek was the water
JS wrote about and is sending some sketches
of the area for his opinion of what the names of
the area is

MS 19

MSJS182

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Alfred A. Knopf,
June 24, 1933

MS introduces himself to him describes his
project on JS, the book, etc. and asks this
publisher for an advance of six or seven
hundred dollars

MS 19

MSJS187

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mr. Harrington,
June 28, 1933

MS asks him to try and identify the name of
the LOST river when JS came through the area
MS wants to know which river it is today

MS 19

MSJS185

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to A.M. Barton,
June 26, 1933

MS is sending him the original version of
JS'S cal. journey and asks him to try to identify
the rivers of the route

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MS 19

MSJS169

Smith, J. Ernest, letter to Mr. Sullivan,
July 2, 1933

Smith tells MS about all about JS'S pistol
and rifle but no accurate dates as to when he
got them except it was in St. Louis

MS 19

MSJS 186

Harrington, M.R., letter to Mr. Sullivan,
June 28, 1933

HE TELLS MS THAT HE CAN NOT MAKE OUT THE FIRST
PART OF THE TRIP BUT HE GIVES THE NAMES AND
LOCATIONS OF JS'S SOUTHERN PART OF THE TRIP

MS 19

MSJS191

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to H.L. Ried,
July 6, 1933

MS is sending the account of JS'S complete journal
that contains ~~XXXX~~ mention of the LOST River.
MS again Ried to Help indentify the rivers in the
area

MS 19

MSJS190

Ried, H.L., Ranger, Zion Nat. Park, letter to
Mr. Sullivan, July 5, 1933

He informs that he found no account of the LOST
river in JS'S journal but found in a map and
the river does not exist to his knowledge and
inquires as to MS'S sources

MS 19 Etter, Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan, July 9, 1933 MSJS193

She tells MS what she remembers of the newspaper Sentinel and also gives discription of her father

MS 19 Everts, Hal, letter to Mr. Sullivan, July 8, 1933 MSJS192

He tells MS that the source for his material was a book by a Mr. Robinson who was Sec. of the S. Dak. His. Soc. at the time he wrote the book

MS 19 Sullivan, Maurice, letter to A.M. Barton, July 12, 1933 MSJS195

MS is worried that his papers of JS's route did not reach him and is inquiring about it

MS 19 Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Dr. Charles Paullin, c/o Carnegie Inst., July 10, 1933 MSJS194

MS wants to know if a 1843 map they have could have made by JS and if so does it have the LOST river on it

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MS 19 Paullin, Charles, letter to Mr. Sullivan,
July 17, 1933 MSXS197

He states that the map they have is not by JS and refers him to a Dr. Newton Mereness of the Inst.

MS 19 Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mr. Smith,
July 13, 1933 MSJS196

MSx asks him more specific ques. about JS and tells him he is the closest person to JS, MS has corresponded with

MS 19 Parker, Clara, letter to Mr. Sullivan,
July 23, 1933 MSJS199

She gives the names of the ships and captains of the boats that went from Bos. to Cal. in the winter of 1820 1820's

MS 19 Barton, A.M., letter to Mr. Sullivan,
July 17, 1933 MSJS198

He gives his opinion of the route of JS MS sent him and shows discrepancies in the route and JS'S journal

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MS 19

MSJS201

Ried, H.L., letter to Mr. Sullivan, July 25, 1933

Ried has taken excerpts from JS'S journal that MS sent him and to the best of his knowledge he has mapped out the route he felt JS took through the Utah area. He is also interested in getting a copy of the book MS plans to write.

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MSJS200

Angle, Paul, Libr., Ill. ST. Lib., letter to Mr. Sullivan, July 25, 1933

He tells MS that he has no idea as to who made the statements he sent him.

MS 19

MSJS203

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Archivist, Pub. Archives of Canada, Aug. 2, 1933

MS is looking for letters from JS to Sir George Simpson and asks to have a copy of the Hudson Bay Co. correspondence in their archives.

MS 19

MSJS202

Smith, J. Ernest, letter to Mr. Sullivan, July 30, 1933

Mr. Smith answers some ques. MS asked him about JS'S Physical appearance, Ira Smith and Benj. Paddock.

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MS 19

MSJS205

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to The Rev. Fr. Zephyrin Engelhardt, C.F.M., C/o the Mission at Santa Barbara, Aug. 9, 1933

MS asks if the Chatagui or Chintache lake is now the Buenavista or Talare lake. Also, is the name of mayerdeme or overseer at Mission San Jose in 1827

MS 19

MSJS204

Tripp, George H., Libr., New Bedford, Mass. Lib., letter to Mr. Sullivan, Aug. 7, 1933

He tells MS that a ship Hesper, with a capt. named Smith was bought from Nantucket in 1825, but there is no reference to a William Chase that MS also inquired about

MS 19

MSJS207

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to R.J.C. Stead, Dept. of Nat. Resources, Canada, Aug. 23, 1933

MS asks him for a copy of JS'S letters to Sir George Simpson of the Hudson Bay Co.

MS 19

MSJS206

Calhoun, Mrs. E.F., letter to Mr. Sullivan, Aug. 20, 1933

He tells MS that the bible he has was published in 1834 and asks when the other bible MS was referring to was published

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MS 19

MSJS208

Calhoun, C.F.?, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Aug. 28, 1933

She tells MS that she was glad to hear Miss Davis has the other bible and also she will allow MS to give her address to anyone he feels could benefit by corresponding with her

MS 19

MSJS209

Stead, R.J.C., Dir. of Pub., Dept. of Immigr. and Coloniz., Canada, Aug. 28, 1933, letter to Mr. Sullivan

He tells MS that he is sending his letter to a high official in the archives and is sure he can aid MS. Also he refers MS to "The Beaver" a historical magazine written especially for the Hudson Bay Co.

MS 19

MSJS211

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Paget Literary Agency, Sept. 1, 1933

MS asks them if they would be interested in reading his for possible publication

MS 19

MSJS210

Auiblet, Francis J., letter to Mr. Sullivan, Aug. 29, 1933

As Chief of Imfor. for the Archives of Can., he informs MS that no original letter of JS are in their possession, but do have several references of JS in their lib.

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MS 19

MSJS213

Kelly, Charles, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Sept. 11, 1933

Mr. Kelly explains the route JS took over Nev. and Utah from the journal notes that Ms sent him. He asks where MS got the journal and would like to publish the route after MS gets his book out

MS 19

MSJS212

Lanclot, G., letter to Mr. Sullivan, Sept. 2, 1933

HE tells MS that he is returning his stamped envelope because another person in the Can. Archive Dept. has written to him already.

MS 19

MSJS215

Kelly Charles, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Sept. 21, 1933

He tells MS that there is some confusing details in JS'S journal and he tries to decipher them. That pertain to JS crossing the salt desert.

MS 19

MSJS214

Etter, Kate, letter to Maurice Sullivan, Sept. 17, 1933

She busy-talks with MS about her musoc and recent tornadoes

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MSJS217

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Dr. Newton D.
Mereness, Sept. 27, 1933

MS requests either the Map of U.S. and N. Amer.
by David Burr or his map of the N.W. coast,
Whichever better shows the region JS traveled

MS 19

MSJS216

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mrs. Virginia S.
Brewster, Sept. 26, 1933

He tries to sell the idea of his book to Miss
Brewster, who represents the Paget Literary
Agency, so in turn she will get a publisher
for his book and some money to take care of
expenses

MS 19

MSJS219

Dalton, William, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Sept. 29,
1933

He gives MS his address in L.A. in case he has a
chance to visit him sometime

MS 19

MSJS218

Cooley, Laura C., Asst. Dept. Libr. His. Dept.,
L.A. & Pub. Lib., letter to Mr. Sullivan, Sept.
27, 1933

She sent MS the book page numbers of the quotes
he requested.

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MS 19

MSJS221

Coy, Owen C., letter to Mr. Sullivan. Oct. 4, 1933

He sets an appointment with MS to Visit with him to talk about JS.

MS 19

MSJS220

Ried, H.L., letter to Mr. Sullivan, Oct. 1, 1933

He is still trying to help MS find out about the ~~LOST~~ river

MS 19

MSJS223

Torchiana, H.A. Van, letter to MR. Sullivan, Oct. 13, 1933

He thanks MS for the generous review of his book

MS 19

MSJS222

Kelly, Chrales, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Oct. 11, 1933

He talks of JS and his Nev., utah journey and assures MS that JS was the first man to come from the East in this location

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MS 19 Kelly, Charles, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Oct. 31, 1933 MSJS225

He tells MS of all the Historical finds in the Salt Lake area and tries to help MS find out anything more of JS'S travels in that area

MS 19 Etter, Kate, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Oct. 27, 1933 MSJS224

She writes him of her music, the weather and asks if he has found any great grand nephews of JS, and also if he has published his book yet.

MS 19 Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Kate Etter, Nov. 1, 1933 MSJS227

He tells her of finding a copy of JS'S land route that is accurately marked and also the book is in a New York agency with prospects of a publisher very good. Also he has found May Davis, a descendant of Betsy Smith

MS 19 Kelly, Charles, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Oct. 31, 1933 MSJS226

He speaks of the Ginn manuscript and asks MS if he could review his book and also have an autographed copy

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MS 19

MSJS229

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Grabhörn Press,
Dec. 11, 1933

MS is asking for one thousand dollars for his
efforts in organizing JS'S manuals and will
give his copy of his journal to them for publica-
tion

MS 19

MSJS228

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Literary Agency
(Paget), Nov. 1, 1933

MS tells the agency that he has found the map of JS
and ants to add it to the book

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MSJS231

Kelly, Charles, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Dec. 28, 1933

He asks MS how JS got to the Deep Creek Mts.
from the Salt Lake and hopes the finding of JS'S map
will tell the tale. Also he wants MS'S story publish-
ed in Utah if possible

MS 19

MSJS230

Coy, Owen C., letter to Mr. Sullivan, Dec. 19, 1933

He tells MS that the day he plans to come to the
Huntington Lib. to talk about JS there is a
luncheon planned and they would like him to attend
and give a brief account of JS

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MS 19

MSJS232

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Pierce Butler,
Jan. 5, 1934

MS asks Mr. Butler, who represents a publishing company looking at his ms., if he should add the whole journal to the appendix of the book. Also he asks for other hints that will help him revise his Manuscript.

MS 19

MSJS266

Sullivan, Maurice, application and documents to the J.S. Guggenheim Memorial Foundation. 1934

MS'S application for a grant to the foundation on the study of JS.

MS 19

MSJS236

Martin, Lawrence, Chief, Div. of Maps. Lib. of Congress, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Jan. 26, 1934

He informs MS of three maps that might be of some use to MS in studying explorations of early pioneers

MS 19

MSJS233

Smith, J. Ernest, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Jan. 9, 1934

He informs MA of the sudden and tragic death of his sister, Mrs. Kate Etter

MS 19

MSJS239

Farnum, Jessica, Sec. for the Libr., Lib. of Congress, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Feb. 6, 1934

She tells MS that she is sending the info. he requested of maps of early Amer.

MS 19

MSJS237

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Dr. Owen C. Coy, Jan. 31, 1934

MS asks for his material back from him and expresses a hope that he will be able to verify JS's route thru the Sacramento Valley

MS 19

MSJS241

Davidson, Winifred, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Mar. 31, 1934

He tells MS that JS definitely traveled the La Playa trail in late 1826 and late 1827. He gives all the sources of his evidence.

MS 19

MSJS240

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mrs. Winifred Davidson, Mar. 3, 1934

She has been recommended to him as the person who could tell him whether or not JS traveled the La Playa Trail during his travels

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MS 19 Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Thomas Williams,
May 15, 1934 MSJS243

MS tells this man from Fine Arts Press that he has been slowed up on his ms. because of new material and illness, Also he asks how he may get the best price for his work.

MS 19 Sullivan, Maurice, letter to J. Ernest Smith,
April 26, 1934 MSJS242

He tells him that as soon as he was about thru with his ms., a diary of a Scotchman, who traveled with JS showed up in Europe and now he has to dig even firther

MS 19 Pipes, Nellie B., letter to Mr. Sullivan, June 1,
1934 MSJS245

He asks MS if he could send him a copy of the JS journal so that he may be able to more closely the pre section of the journal in order to answer MS'S ques. She also being Ed. of the Ore. His. Soc. Quarterly and is interested in doing articles.

MS 19 Mangham, Herbert, letter to Mr. Sullivan, May 16,
1934 MSJS244

MA is asked to join the Cal. Writers Guild.

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MS 19 MSJS247
Luning, W.F., letter to Mr. Sullivan, June 4, 1934

He tells MS that he was not the first white man in Tehama County when he arrived in 1857.

MS 19 MSJS246
Williams, T.E., letter to Mr. Sullivan, June 1, 1934

He asks MS to come visit him and to bring his ms. so that he can see if he is interested in the possibility of a book

MS 19 MSJS249
Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Ref. Lib., San Jose Pub. Lib., June 11, 1934

MS wants to know if he is correct in assuming that three men, who traveled with JS were indeed the men he has dug up. He wants to know if there were any other Capt. John Burton's, William Welsh's, or William Garnier's, in San Jose at this same time

MS 19 MSJS248
Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Nellie B. Pipes, June 6, 1934

This is part of a letter to her asking ques. about the names of lakes and streams that JS named and have today been renamed. This is all necessary in tracing JS'S route. in Ore.

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MS 19

MSJS251

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mr. Thomas E. Williams.
June 18, 1934

MS writes that he has been given the okay to
print the journal and writes to him about
conditions under which the journal will be
printed

MS 19

MSJS250

Mc Arthur, Lewis, letter to Mr. Sullivan, June 18,
1934

He tells MS that he has done the best he can to
locate all the streams written about in JS'S journal
and may be able to do a better study if he had
more of journal

MS 19

MSJS253

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Lewis Mc Arthur,
June 26, 1934

MS feels that he will keep the journal in the
strictness of confidence and is going to send him
a copy so that he can more accurately trace JS'S
Ore. Journey

MS 19

Pipes, Nellie, letter to Mr. Sullivan, June 19,
1934

MSJS252

She tells MS of her conclusions as to the identi-
fication of landmarks mentioned in JS'S Ore. Jour-
nal

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MS 19

MSJS255

Francis, William, letter to Mr. Sullivan, July 24, 1934

He tells MS that his ms. is still at the artists and believes that it would be a good idea if MS did mark out journal matter for the book

MS 19

MSJS254

Mc Arthur, Lewis, letter to Mr. Sullivan, July 11, 1934

He tells MS that he feels that too much editing of the journal will only complicate his book and says he is working slowly, but surely.

MS 19

MSJS257

Smith, Rhoda, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Sept. 21, 1934

As Pres. of the Lugonia Parlor No. 241, Native Daughters of the Golden West, she thanks MS for making their Sreca celebration a success.

MS 19

MSJS256

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Lewis Mc Arthur, Sept. 18, 1934

He tells him he has a proven trail from N. Cal to Ore. and also he is sending a A.R. McLeod diary for him to look at and determine its accuracy.

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MS 19 MSJS259
Moe, Henry Allen, Sec., John Guggenheim Memorial
Foundation, Oct. 29, 1934, letter to Mr. Sullivan

He tells MS that his application for a grant has
been received and will be considered

MS 19 MSJS258
Taylor, C.W., Book ED. Dept., P.F. Collier and
Son Corp., Sept. 25, 1934

He tells MS thatt he may use the atricle about
JS in his book that appeared in Colliers, if he
obtains the correct permission.

MS 19 MSJS261
Finger, Charles J., letter to Fine Arts Press,
Nov. 10, 1934

He asks the press for the advance paperess so
he can put an atricle in the Dec. issue of
All's Well.

MS 19 MSJS260
Ried, H.L., letter to Mr. Sullivan, Nov. 2, 1934

He asks if he can get copy of MS'S book complete
with autograph.

MS 19 MSJS263
McCoy, Frank J., letter to Maurice Sullivan,
Nov. 16, 1934

He tells MS how much he enjoyed his first book and wants him to send him a copy of his next one. also he gives him info. on a Mr. William Bana, who probably appeared in MS'S book

MS 19 MSJS262
Green, J.M., letter to Maurice Sullivan, Nov. 15,
1934

She tells MS that she will be glad to give him a copy of a letter of JS'S, if her sister is willing to give it up.

MS 19 MSJS265
Camp, Charles S., letter to Mr. Sullivan, Dec. 19,
1934

He compliments MS on his book and asks if he can do an article on it in the next issue of "The Cal. His. Soc. Quarterly."

MS 19 MSJS264
Kelly, Charles, letter to Maurice Sullivan,
Dec. 1, 1934

He compliments MS on his excellent job of the JS book

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MS 19

MSJS268

Sawyer, Robert, letter to Maurice Sullivan,
Jan. 14, 1935

He thanks MS for his letter and tells him that he is going to ask a Mr. Hendricks for proof and evidence of JS'S relation with a Jason Lee.

MS 19

MSJS267

Sullivan, Maurice, letter to Mr. Robert Sawyer,
Ed. , the Bend Bulletin, Jan. 10, 1935

MS writes of the spelling of JS'S first name that he thinks is correct and also he states that he thinks that JS did influence the rel. of the flathead indians.

MS 19

MSJS270

Sawyer, Robert, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Jan. 19,
1935

He tells MS of the relation between JS and Jason Lee and refers him to an atticle by Mary Audentia for more imfor.

MS 19

MSJS269

Kansas City Star, Article on JS, Jan. 18, 1935

An article on JS called "A Forgotten Pathfinder of the West Found Ways for the Mountain Men."

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MS 19

MSJS272
Green, Mrs. J.M., letter to Mr. Sullivan, Jan. 24,
1935

She tells MS that her sister will give him a
letter of JS'S for fifteen dollars and a copy of
his book.

MS 19

MSJS271
Shurtleff, L.H., letter to Mr. Sullivan, Jan. 21,
1935

He tells MS what he knows of JS: that JS shaved
everyday, and that it was JS who brought the
bible to the flathead indians. He tells MS where he
got evidence for his statments.

MS 19

MSJS274
Beattie, G.W., letter to Mr. Thomas E. Williams,
Feb. 1, 1935

He informs him of the death of MS and tells
him Mrs. Sullivan does not want to make any
decisions about MS'S other book before consulting
him.

MS 19

MSJS273
Beattie, G.W., letter to Mrs. J.M. Green,
Feb. 1, 1935

He informs her that MS passed away the night
before, but Mrs. Sullivan wants to complete the
work her husband pursued to diligently, so she
still wants JS'S letter and is having Mr. Beattie
send the money and book.

MS 19 San Bernardino Daily, newspaper article, Feb. 2, 1935 MSJS276

This is an article recognising the great deeds that MS accomplished during his lifetime and notes that MS was at the zenith of his career when death overtook him.

MS 19 Barton, Clara, letter to Mr. Beattie, Feb. 2, 1935 MSJS277

She asks him to dedicate the ceremonies at Fort Benson and also tells how much she laments the passing of MS and how very much he helped her in her Historical work.

MS 19 Beattie, G.W.; letter to Miss Clara Barton, Feb. 4, 1935 MSJS278

He informs her that he will be honored to speak at the dedication of the Fort Benson Plaque.

MS 19 Beattie, G.W., letter to a Mr. Wagner, Feb. 2, 1935 MSJS275

He informs him of the death of MS.

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MS 19 Beattie, G.W., letter to Mr. H.L. Shuttlesworth,
Feb. 6, 1935 MSJS279

He is answering his Jan. 21, letter to MS and informs that MS has Passed away, but his second is finished and is being prepared for publication.

MSJS2 MS 19 Beattie, G.W., letter to Mr. George Hutchison,
Sec. Nat. Geo. Soc., Feb. 6, 1935

He notifies him that MS died Jan. 31, 1935.

MS 19 Beattie, G.W., letter to Charles Kelly, Feb. 7,
1935 MSJS282

He is answering H's last letter to MS at the request of Mrs. Sullivan. They pertain to ques. about three newspapers: The Los Angeles Star, Southern Cal., and Southern Vineyard.

MSJS280 MS 19 Beattie, G.W., letter to Robert W. Sawyer,
Feb. 6, 1935

He informs him of MS'S death and thanks him for Mrs. Sullivan for his correspondence and gives him the details MS had on the JS, Jason Lee relationship. He also refers him to the Cal. W. His. Soc. for imfor. on the Merriam Fletcher debat

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MS 19 Green, Mrs. J.M., letter to Mr. Beattie, Feb. 8, 1935 MSJS283

She expresses her shock of the death of MS, but mentions the fact that his book is a living tribute to MS.

MS 19

MSJS284
Beattie, G.W., letter to Mr. Joseph Grinnell, Museum of Vertebrate Zoo. U. of Cal. Feb. 8, 1935

He informs him that both Mrs. Sullivan and MS's publisher give him permission to quote from MS's book.

MS 19 Sengstacken, Mrs. Henry, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Oct. 28, 1935 MSJS286

She congratulates MS on his book and suggests that the word "Cahoose" JS uses in journal probably is the Indian word "Coos" and not "Cayuse" as MS believed. She will try to find out from the Indians in her area.

MS 19

MSJS285
Beattie, G.W. letter to Mr. Thomas Williams, Feb. 23, 1935

He tells him that permission has been granted by the late MS to have quotes from his book used and printed, therefore Mr. Masters may quote from MS's book.

MSJS288

19 Masaham, Eugene, letter to Mr. Sullivan, Aug. 1,
1936

He informs the late MS that he has created a statuette of JS and it is being placed in several museums and Nat. parks, and Zion Nat. Park hopes to some day erect a life size statue of JS.

MS 19

MSJS287

Fanich, Mrs. Ella, letter to Mrs. Sullivan, Apr. 4,
1936

She informs her that her Husband J. Ernest Smith passed away and she is sorry to hear that MS had also died. Then she asks about imfor. of a Smith relative living in the L A area.

MS 19

MSJS289

Goodman, John B., letter to Mrs. Sullivan, Dec. 13,
1936

He asks Mrs. Sullivan if she would care to sell JS'S original journal or other Western material she has.

MS 19 Priestly, Herbert I., letter to Mrs. Sullivan,
Jan. 15, 1937 MSJS290

He thanks her for sending him a letter and
photo of the material concerning the statuette
of JS. He returns the material after coping it.