

Dick Penny →

bronze 12.50 + 1.00  
pewter 13.50 + 1.00

2837 Snowflake Drive  
Boise, Idaho 83706  
November 13, 1980

Harry Hodgdon, Field Director  
The Wildlife Society  
Suite 611  
7101 Wisconsin Ave., NW  
Washington, D.C. 20014

Dear Harry:

Enclosed find a sample belt buckle for review by TWS Washington, D.C. staff. Please return it to me after examination.

We told the Western Heritage Company to proceed with manufacture of the buckles. If you disagree with this decision, please notify me as soon as possible. Western Heritage will be far enough along with manufacturing so that we can take buckle orders at the Mid-West Wildlife Conference in early December.

We have tentatively decided to give Senator Frank Church the No. 1 pewter buckle. We plan to purchase as least four more low numbered buckles for Idaho chapter awards. How many low numbered bronze or pewter buckles does the TWS national office want to give as awards to special TWS friends? Does the national office want to purchase any sterling silver buckles for awards?

\$125.00

Yours truly,

Jim Nee

Enclosure

cc: Pat Lynch, Western Heritage Company (w/o enclosure)  
✓ Jay Gore, The Wildlife Society, Idaho Chapter (w/o enclosure)

JNee:tc

# 33 - Dick Penny will keep F  
Send Doc to western

Lowest 15  
1-4 - Id. Chap  
6-15 - Parent  
society office  
100  
200  
300  
400  
500

2837 Snowflake Drive  
Boise, ID 83706  
November 20, 1980

Pat Lynch  
Western Heritage Company  
P.O. Box 455  
Encampment, WY 82325

Dear Pat:

This confirms my telephone conversation with you of November 18.

Please send me The Wildlife Society buckles numbered 1 through 15, inclusive, and Society buckles numbered 100, 200, 300, 400, 500, and 1000. These 21 buckles should be made of polished pewter. Enclosed find a check from The Idaho Chapter for \$284.50 to cover the cost of these buckles, plus \$1.00 for postage and handling. Also, send me one sample bronze buckle. Finally, my personal check for \$12.50 is enclosed for a bronze Wildlife Society buckle, numbered 16. I understand number 16 will be the first bronze Society buckle made.

I understand that you will retain buckles numbered 17-29, inclusively, for future use by the Idaho Chapter.

Everyone that Jay Gore and I have talked to agrees that the Society buckles you produced are of excellent quality and design. We're very pleased with the buckles and the service you are providing. Thank you very much.

Sincerely yours,

James Nee  
Idaho Chapter  
Belt Buckle Chairman

Enclosure

cc: ✓ Jay Gore, w/o enclosure

JNee:tc

10658 Winterhawk  
Boise, ID 83709  
January 27, 1982

Harry Hodgkins  
The Wildlife Society  
5410 Grosvenor Lane  
~~Washington, D.C. 20014~~  
*Bethesda, Md. 20814*

Dear Harry:

The enclosed check for our Chapter goes to the building fund. At our 1981 business meeting, the members voted to donate  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the belt buckle proceeds for one year to this fund. Our royalties during 1981 was about \$200 \$200. Hope this will help out a little.

Sincerely yours,

James F. Gore, President

Hi.

1-27-82

Jim Nee has Special award

Buckles - to #15. He has a list

of who has received them. Frank

Church got #1, C. Andrews got #2

& I think Mo. Udall (Ariz) got #3

Jay

#4 Lynn Greenwalt