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provides facts and information about the travels of meriwether lewis and william clark and their corps of discovery and its importance in relation to native americans and the westward expansion in the united states

recounts the story of the lewis and clark expedition to explore the uncharted western wilderness placing it in its historical context

annotation in may 1804 captain meriwether lewis william clark and the corps of discovery set off on a seven thousand mile journey to the pacific and back at the behest of president thomas jefferson to explore the newly acquired louisiana territory they spent five months in the st louis area preparing for the expedition that began with a six hundred mile ten week crossing of the future state of missouri prior to this however the explorers had already seen about two hundred miles of missouri landscape as they ascended the mississippi river to st louis in the autumn of 1803 in a practice run of their future voyage ann rogers s lewis and clark in missouri focuses on the missouri chapter of their grand expedition an important facet of history that has been slighted in other accounts by detailing the explorers journey across missouri rogers addresses this historical oversight her use of the journals kept by william clark letters written by members of the corps and other primary source materials provides a first hand perspective on what these undaunted explorers encountered on their trek rogers s in depth recounting of their expedition covers all facets of this voyage from the organization of the exploratory crew to the return back across missouri culminating in the safe arrival in st louis in between she touches on the people plants wildlife and landscapes the explorers encountered beautiful color photographs and illustrations enrich the text and provide a backdrop for the passages rogers quotes from the journals and letters brief biographies of the expedition s members including lewis clark sacagawea john colter and york as well as a look at the lewis and clark trail today and the sites along it round out this highly readable and accurate detailing of the missouri crossing written in a style accessible to all readers lewis and clark in missouri will be of great interest not only to

when president thomas jefferson dispatched captains meriwether lewis and william clark on their great exploratory expedition of the lands west of the mississippi the journey was destined to become the most famous and significant american land expedition in history

jefferson must have realized the timeless importance of the mission for he urged the captains to keep multiple records of all they saw and experienced during the journey those records dutifully kept from the departure of the expedition in 1803 to its conclusion in 1806 provided invaluable information about the wonders of the american west in the next 150 years the journals were published in several versions scrupulously authentic dubiously revised and complacently counterfeit this book is the first comprehensive account of the various versions and of the persons responsible for them it tells of the dedicated scholarship inspired judgment and exciting discovery of new materials as well as the misguided enthusiasm and journalistic skulduggery that marred the publishing history of the journals field notes and letters of members of the expedition the author breaks new ground in his use of previously unpublished letters written by the editors of the two major editions an appendix introduces a recently discovered manuscript version of the journal kept by one of the expedition members the book also includes an appraisal of books and articles written about the expedition and a resume of the illustrative materials sketches and maps that enriched the accounts a history of the lewis and clark journals is thus itself a significant expedition into a historic period in america s past

the journals of meriwether lewis and william clark remain the single most important document in the history of american exploration this compact volume of their journals compiled by american book award nominee landon y jones includes all of the most riveting tales of their adventure here is a concise breathtaking record of lewis and clark s legendary journey to the pacific written by the two captains under unspeakable stress and the threat of constant danger with an immediacy that startles to this day through these tales of adventure we see the great plains the rocky mountains and western rivers the way lewis and clark first observed them majestic pristine uncharted and awe inspiring we are in moccasins of lewis and clark as they witness other wonders no european americans had ever seen before new creatures such as antelope prairie dogs and most memorably grizzly bears also included are the explorers encounters with native americans featuring the amazing reunion between sacagawea and her brother a shoshone chief who secured the expedition s safe passage over the continental divide landon jones has selected the most memorable journal entries left behind by lewis and clark and then edited and annotated them for all readers those steeped in lore of the expedition and newcomers to this unforgettable journey from this raw material springs

every book ever written about lewis and clark

the journey of meriwether lewis and william clark across the newly acquired louisiana territory from 1804 to 1806 was truly extraordinary it s best explained using the journals of these two explorers in this book primary source materials were carefully chosen to highlight the most interesting and exciting parts of the adventure maps sidebars and fact boxes highlight many of the exploits of the corps of discovery

the lewis and clark expedition or the corps of discovery expedition was the first american expedition to cross what is now the western portion of the united states it began near st louis made its way westward and passed through the continental divide to reach the pacific coast the campaign s secondary objectives were scientific and economic to study the area s plants animal life and geography and to establish trade with local native american tribes with maps sketches and journals in hand the expedition returned to st louis to report its findings to jefferson

in twelve remarkable volumes gary e moulton has edited the journals of the lewis and clark expedition of 1804 6 thus making clear and accessible to all readers the plethora of maps and words with which meriwether lewis and william clark documented one of the greatest ventures of discovery in american history with the comprehensive index the thirteenth volume moulton completes his work and offers everyone who consults the journals a complete and detailed means of locating specific passages references and particular people or places within the larger work throughout the edition his guiding principles have been clarity and ease of use consequently the notes are indexed more thoroughly here than in most works and include modern place names modern denominations for indian nations and current popular and scientific names for various cited species this volume also contains a list of corrections for earlier volumes

join meriwether lewis and william clark s corps of discovery as they navigate the muddy missouri river and begin a great adventure set against the background of the vast north american continent lewis and clark for kids takes children from president jefferson s vision of an exploratory mission across a continent full of unique plants and animals through their dangerous and challenging journey into the unknown to the expedition s triumphant return to the frontier town of st louis twenty one activities bring to life the

native american tribes they encountered the plants and animals they discovered and the camping and navigating techniques they used a glossary of terms and listings of lewis and clark sites museums and related sites round out this comprehensive activity book

in lewis and clark william r lighton expertly navigates the historic expedition of the famed duo offering readers an intricate blend of meticulous research and narrative flair through a combination of vivid descriptions detailed accounts of challenges faced and insights into the explorers motivations lighton captures the essence of early 19th century america his literary style balances historical accuracy with engaging storytelling inviting readers into the trials and triumphs of the lewis and clark expedition while situating their journey within the broader context of american expansionism and the complexities of native american relations william r lighton a historian with a profound interest in american exploration draws upon a rich tapestry of primary sources and historical accounts to inform his writing his passion for the subject matter and expertise in early american history are evident as he meticulously reconstructs the expedition s narrative revealing the intricate dynamics that shaped this pivotal moment in u s history lighton s background in both literature and history informs his ability to weave engaging prose with scholarly insight allowing for a comprehensive understanding of the era this captivating examination of lewis and clark is essential for anyone interested in the adventurous spirit of early america the complexities of exploration or the impact on the nation s identity lighton s work serves not only as a compelling account of their journey but also as a critical reflection on the consequences of american expansion i highly recommend this book for scholars students and general readers alike

the journey of the corps of discovery under the command of captains meriwether lewis and william clark across the american west to the pacific ocean and back in the years 1804 1806 seems to me to have been our first really american adventure one that also produced our only really american epic the journals of the lewis and clark expedition now at last available in a superbly edited easily read edition in twelve volumes of an eventual thirteen almost two centuries after the corps of discovery set out this important text has not been fully appreciated for what it is because of two centuries of incomplete and inadequate editing all three editions previous to this excellent one from the university of nebraska were flawed by significant omission thus my gratitude to the present editor gary

moulton and his assistant editor thomas dunlay for bringing what i believe to be a national epic into plain view at last for almost two hundred years their lewis and clark s strong words waited there but not there printed but not read our silent epic but words can wait now the captains writings have at last spilled out and fully in this regal edition when the atlas of the lewis and clark expedition appeared in 1983 critics hailed it as a publishing landmark this eagerly awaited second volume of the new journals of the lewis and clark expedition begins the actual journals of those explorers whose epic expedition still enthralls americans instructed by president jefferson to keep meticulous records bearing on the geography ethnology and natural history of the trans mississippi west meriwether lewis and william clark and four of their men filled hundreds of notebook pages with observations during their expedition of 1804 6 the result was in is a national treasure a complete look at the great plains the rockies and the pacific northwest reported by men who were intelligent and well prepared at a time when almost nothing was known about those regions so newly acquired in the louisiana purchase volume 2 includes lewis s and clark s journals for the period from august 1803 when lewis left pittsburgh to join clark farther down the ohio river to august 1804 when the corps of discovery camped near the vermilion river in present south dakota the general introduction by gary e moulton discusses the history of the expedition the journal keeping methods of lewis and clark and the editing and publishing history of the journals from the time of lewis and clark s return superseding the last edition published early in this century the current edition brings together new materials discovered since then it greatly expands and updates the annotation to take account of the most recent scholarship on the many subjects touched on by the journals

most americans know that meriwether lewis and william clark led our nation s first trans continental exploratory expedition which was sent west by president thomas jefferson in 1803 their journey is one of the most celebrated events in american history and one of the most written about but most of us do not know any more than what the explorers told us or what they wanted readers of their voluminous journals to know or anything other than what they understood about themselves and their wilderness experiences exploring lewis and clark probes beneath the traditional narrative of the journey looking beyond the perspectives of the explorers themselves to those of the woman and the men who accompanied them as well as of the indians who met them along the way it reexamines

the journals and what they suggest about lewis s and clark s misinterpretations of the worlds they passed through and the people in them thomas slaughter portrays lewis and clark not as heroes but as men brave bound by cultural prejudices and blindly hell bent on achieving their goal he searches for the woman sacajawea rather than the icon that she has become he seeks the historical rather than the legendary york clark s slave he discovers what the various tribes made of the expedition including the notion that this multiracial multiethnic group was embarked on a search for spiritual meaning thomas slaughter shines an entirely new light on an event basic to our understanding of ourselves he has given us an important work of investigative history

the first five volumes of the new edition of the journals of the lewis and clark expedition have been widely heralded as a lasting achievement in the study of western exploration the sixth volume begins on november 2 1805 in the second year of meriwether lewis and william clark s epic journey it covers the last leg of the party s route from the cascades of the columbia river to the pacific coast and their stay at fort clatsop near the river s mouth until the spring of 1806 travel and exploration described in the early part were hampered by miserable weather and the enforced idleness in winter quarters permitted detailed record keeping the journals portray the party s interaction with the indians of the lower columbia river and the coast particularly the chinooks clatsops wahkiakums cathlamets and tillamooks no other volume in this edition has such a wealth of ethnographic and natural history materials most of it apparently written by lewis and copied by clark and accompanied by sketches of plants animals and indians and their canoes implements and clothing incorporating a wide range of new scholarship dealing with all aspects of the expedition from indian languages to plants and animals to geographical and historical contexts this new edition expands and updates the annotation of the last edition published early in the twentieth century

authoritative biography of two great explorers danger hardships indian customs and lore much more 29 illus 7 maps

this fascinating new book follows lewis and clark and the members of their 1804 corps of discovery expedition on their famous trek to chart the american west describing the effects of their encounters with various native nations along the way spectacular

illustrations photographs and a full color map of their routes allow young readers to follow in their footsteps an authentic recipe from life on the trail is included

particularly valuable for ronald s inclusion of pertinent background information about the various tribes and for his ethnological analysis an appendix also places the sacagawea myth in its proper perspective gracefully written the book bridges the gap between academic and general audiences oco choice

an indispensable guide to our nation s epic adventure the years 2003 2006 mark the bicentennial of meriwether lewis and william clark s famous transcontinental journey between the missouri and the columbia river systems they never did find the fabled northwest passage but over twenty eight months the corps of discovery traveled more than eight thousand miles through eleven future states named scores of places and rivers met with many native american tribes and wrote the first descriptions of heretofore unknown plants and animals by the end of their trip lewis and clark had navigated and named two thirds of the american continent they may have had undaunted courage but the sheer volume of information related to their expedition can be more than a little daunting to the armchair historian written by two highly regarded lewis and clark experts this book contains over five hundred lively and fascinating entries on everything from the members of the expedition and the places they went to the weapons and tools trade goods and medicines they carried along with the food and amusements that sustained them highly readable and informative it s the perfect introduction for the lewis and clark novice and the comprehensive guide no buff will want to be without this handy volume timed for publication as the bicentennial of the lewis and clark expedition opens has the virtue of teaching the student while helpfully reminding the scholar publishers weekly

lewis and clark meriwether lewis and william clark recounts one of the most pivotal expeditions in american history this meticulously prepared edition details the lewis and clark expedition 1804 1806 a journey of exploration that charted the vast and largely unknown american west william r lighton chronicles the experiences of meriwether lewis and william clark as they navigated treacherous landscapes encountered diverse native american tribes and documented the rich natural resources of the territory acquired in the louisiana purchase this historical narrative captures the spirit of adventure and the

unwavering determination of lewis and clark as they pushed the boundaries of knowledge and expanded the horizons of the young united states explore the challenges and triumphs of this legendary expedition a cornerstone of american history and westward expansion a compelling read for anyone interested in the history of exploration the american west and the enduring legacy of lewis and clark this work has been selected by scholars as being culturally important and is part of the knowledge base of civilization as we know it this work is in the public domain in the united states of america and possibly other nations within the united states you may freely copy and distribute this work as no entity individual or corporate has a copyright on the body of the work scholars believe and we concur that this work is important enough to be preserved reproduced and made generally available to the public we appreciate your support of the preservation process and thank you for being an important part of keeping this knowledge alive and relevant

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