

## **Exhibit Scavenger Hunt:**

### **Romancing the West Key**

Use your detective skills to find the answers to these questions in the Romancing the West exhibit in the Museum of World Treasures. You will have to read, look, and observe to find all of the answers!

1. How many states had banned saloons by 1916? (21/48)
2. What was the predecessor to the Pony Express? (Overland Trail)
3. Name 3 things that made being a cowboy difficult.
4. Who was the last homesteader to receive land under the 1862 Homestead Act? (Kenneth Deardorff)
5. What was Judge Isaac C. Parker's nickname? (The Hanging Judge)
6. Who from the Dalton gang survived their last battle and wrote a letter about his injuries? (Emmett Dalton)
7. Name 2 Kansas cow towns.
8. What kinds of herbs were used in a Native American "smudging ceremony?" (sage, cedar, sweet grass)
9. Name three tribes that fought U.S. land seizures. (varies)

10. Name 2 of the business cards on display.

11. Jesse Luther P. Cox was better known as **Wyoming Pete** .

12. What is your favorite Old West slang word? What does it mean?

13. Who lost the Battle of Little Big Horn? (Gen. George Custer)

14. What was the first rapid fire weapon used? (Gatling guns)

15. After the Civil War, the number of men in the army dropped from  
**1million** men to **30,000** men in the 1870s.

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