

buy a drug-store - instead
he bought a photographic
studio - he'd become so
interested in photography.
So she planned to study
to be of assistance to him.
She never saw such
photographs as Mr. White's
& was so sincerely im-
pressed. She said her
brother could not come
East - so I told her of
you: that if he could
study with you he would
surely get the right kind
of instruction. She was
delighted to hear this, & I
think you will no
doubt hear from him.
Her name & address
follows:-

Miss Kate R. Walker,
Gunnison, Colorado.

460 W. 144th St.
N. Y. C.

Dear Miss Gilpin:-

It was certainly
by good of you to send me
those proofs - but my!
what a condition some
of those plates are in! Mr.
Horne was saying to-day
that where we have the
prints, a correct duplicate
might much more easily
be obtained by photographing
the print & getting a new
plate. Mr. White's methods
in so many instances
were as you know, entirely
his own, & he could work
them out.

I am enclosing a card
which shows you what
we are doing now. I re-
gret so much, that we

did not start these exhibi-
tions while you were here.
Just think what it would
have meant for people
to have seen these lovely
things of yours! But, coming
across a church, you ^{instructed} ~~instructed~~ ^{long} ~~long~~
ago the exhibit was - 50 minutes
- ^{last} very nice. We have
it in the large room on
the 1st floor. To-day, the
opening day, we have
had eight people - outside
of the students. We are try-
ing hard to interest
people.

at last Mr. Brew has
been up & the Art Center
& P.P.A. are planning
a memorial exhibition
for the middle of April.

Prof. Beck, formerly of Pratt
Institute, gave a very
fine talk here - on the
3rd. He is a man
with those sensitive quali-
ties of appreciation which
Mr. White had so strong-
ly.

A very nice lady called
here recently. She is an
instructor in the Colorado
State College & is here for
one semester of work at
Columbia. She came to
see if she could work
in some of our courses
& if she does not do it
now hopes to later.

She has a young brother,
just out of college - edu-
cated as a chemist - &
when through school
they expected him to

I hope you get him as a student.

How is the school work progressing? Well, I have some very promising material for next year - & I hope they come. I wish you were here now to see some of the very good work these students are doing.

Has the press reached you & was everything O. K.?

I often wish you were here. Seems like your place is here - & yet you are doing such wonderful work out there in the West.

You are a real pioneer - & knowing the diffi-

culties - I think you are a
marvel. It is such a
marvelous work - I wish
more people could realize
its joys.

We have had blizzards -
& such cold weather - &
coal shortage. It cost
me \$31.⁰⁰ for a ton of
coke last week. Such a
blessing that the strike is
over! Did you feel its
effect out there?

I hope soon, now to
get the Congregational collection
completed. It must be
just right - and re-
mounting every print -
& the many interruptions
have made it slow. I

am compiling a little
record to go with each
print, too.

I hope you are rested -
& feel well & strong. My
kind regards to your
family, & appreciation &
love to you.

Sincerely
Jane Felix White.

Feb. 15 - '26.