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My dear Miss Gilpin:

I am writing to tell you how much your very beautiful photographs of the ruins of Chichen Itzá have been admired during the recent Exhibition of scientific work being done by the Staff members of the Carnegie Institution of Washington.

Mr. Gilbert, Administrative Secretary of the Institution, has asked me if he might keep your photographs on exhibit for a short time, in the Exhibit Hall of the Administration Building. We would be greatly obliged to you if you find it possible to extend this courtesy to us.

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Science Service has just telephoned me asking permission to use four of the photographs from our recent Exhibit in their publication. I have asked them to write you at Colorado Springs, stating that they were your private pictures, loaned to us only temporarily, and over which we have no say.

Again thanking you for the use of these photographs, and hoping you will find it possible to allow them to stay on exhibit for a short time longer, I am

Very truly yours,

Thos. D. Johnson
Secretary

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