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Miss Victoria Smith
Englewood Hospital
Englewood, N.J.

Dear Miss Smith:

Thank you very much indeed for your lovely letter about the RIO GRANDE. I am very pleased that you like it and that it has brought back happy memories to you of your days in the San Luis Valley and in New Mexico.

The San Luis Valley is one of my very favorite places and I have known it for many many years.

It was kind of you to write me and I hope the book will continue to give you pleasure.

Very sincerely yours,