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Dear Miss Gilpin:

It has given me an extraordinary amount of pleasure to receive from your hand the beautiful book you have made as an illustrator of the Rio Grande from source to its very mouth.

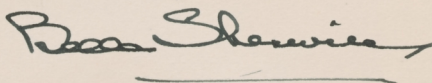
I must associate its coming from you with Anne Webster, who has just gone, to the great loss of many of us. She loved beautiful things and shared that feeling with me often.

I might tell you how much your gift has touched me as well as given pleasure. I

Would like you to know it in some tangible way and am therefore sending you my monthly subscription to the Magazine of Art which formerly I sent forward to Anne Webster from month to month.

Believe me, I wish I could thank you more personally,

Very sincerely yours,



Muss Laura Gilpin
Santa Fe
New Mexico

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