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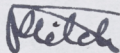
Mitchell A. Wilder, Director

Dear Laura:

Many thanks for the information on the enlarger, I shall work out from here through Shewmaker. Am glad to hear about Agi Sim's exhibition. At the moment we are pretty well booked up but I would like to have your recommendations regarding another inquiry which has recently come from Dorothy Morang. She has been most helpful with offers of exhibitions from the Santa Fe Women Artists Exhibition Group, could you give me any idea of what type of work is being done by these people and whether it merits an exhibition. If so, we might consider it, but I am a little leary of activities of this sort which do not come recommended by one who has more than a passing eye for criticism. Let me have your boldest statements please!

Might be interested in Irene Emery's textiles. What sort of thing is she doing and does she have it in sufficient quantity to manage a gallery? Decorative arts are hard to find and good ones would be most acceptable. Thanks for thinking about our problems when you view the Santa Fe scene.

Sincerely yours,



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