

ARIZONA
Phoenix HIGHWAYS *Arizona*

October 22, 1952

Dear Laura Gilpin:

I have been away on a business trip through the southern part of the state and am just now catching up on my mail. I am dreadfully sorry that I was not here when your letter arrived, so that I could have sent you a note to Pine Springs Trading Post. I imagine by now that you have returned to New Mexico, so I am writing to you at your home address.

I regret very much that I did not have the opportunity of meeting you, but I hope that the next time you come to Arizona we can have you call at our office.

Incidentally, if you are ever in the state, never hesitate to call our office collect if you have any desire to communicate with us. Our phone number is ALpine 3-4171. Just call us collect and then, perhaps, oversights like this won't happen.

One of the pictures that we are using in the December issue is the picture you took from up on the mountain overlooking Shiprock, New Mexico. The other was that beautiful scene with the horses in the meadow. I haven't seen the proofs on these photographs yet, but I believe they are going to be extremely interesting.

Thank you for writing and please remember we are always looking for Arizona material or southwestern material and we would like to see anything that you would care to send along to us.

Sincerely,

Raymond Carlson