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Miss Marianne Wentworth,
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Dear Miss Wentworth:-

It was very nice to receive your letter of April 2nd, and I await the arrival of the January issue of your magazine. When I see it, I can better tell what material to send you. Of-course I shall be happy to send in material to you. As a matter of fact, I promised some time ago to send to Miss Cahill some color interiors of Santa Fe residences, though this subject is somewhat different from what you have written about. Nevertheless I shall send them when I send other prints. Somewhat against my inclinations I seem to be getting more and more into color work. I still prefer black and white, but I have just done a portrait that somewhat convinces me that my thoughts on color portraiture are possible of achievement. The new color negative material with prints capable of much control is a wonderful new tool.

I appreciate very much hearing words of approval from your family as well as Margaret Owings. They were all wonderful to work with. Portraiture is essentially a cooperative affair! And needless to say my work is greatly simplified by such cooperation.

You will hear from me again just as soon as I ~~have~~ receive the magazine. In the meantime my best wishes to you and the hope that you may be out this way soon again and that I may have the pleasure of your acquaintance,

Cordially yours,