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James D. Burke
2006 Yale Station
New Haven, Conn. 06520

Dear Mr. Burke;

It has been a very long time since you were here and took with you not only the Gertrude Casebier print, but also the 4 prints of mine. About 10 days ago I sent you the other 2 prints of mine you wanted, as well as a print of "The Aspens", which Ms. Troy wanted. I had not realized that it was all part of the same purchase until I received a letter from her. I am sorry to bother you about it, and I have written her telling her where the print is, as it had all gone off before I received this letter from her. Enclosed is a bill for the whole lot and it pleases me very much to know that this many of my prints are in the possession of the Yale Art Gallery. I know that I received the loan agreement on the 3 color prints, but at this moment I cannot remember whether they have been returned or not. In any event, I am sure you will check on this for me.

Since you were here, the little house attached to my house has been purchased by a cousin of mine, who has remodelled it to my specifications for work rooms. I am renting it from him, as long as I am able to work. It has been a lot of moving and sorting and so forth; that always has to go with it. I am now esconced and am very excited about it.

I hope that you will be coming this way
and stop by, as I have a small gallery where
I can show about 20 prints. This letter brings
my best wishes and I hope that you will come
this way again.

Very truly yours,

Laura Gilpin

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