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Dear Bill;

Thank you very much indeed for your last letter of about a month ago; I have been meaning to write to you all this time. Mr. Paul Katz has telephoned me and said he will be out sometime before too long. Of course, I am very pleased at this possible connection and I am grateful to you for suggesting it. Mr. Katz has sent me small monographs of Bernice Abbott, Bill Brandt and Avedon. And with adding you to that list, it will give certainly another large dimension and if he should take me on it would add still another far different from all the others.

I have been hoping to hear from you that you are headed this way, as you told me that you might be doing so in June. I want to take you up on that offer to fly me over the Canyon; this would be a very red-letter day for me if this were to happen. I want you to see all the remodelling for work-rooms I have as part of my house and it will be great for you to come by and we will have a good long talk as we did before. I think often of that day we spent at the University and how nice you were and the splendid work your students were doing, which speaks well for their teacher. It was a very red-letter day. In the meantime, my best wishes to you and Mrs. Garnett and hoping that you will be headed this way before too long.

Very truly yours,

Laura Gilpin