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The Art Museum

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Mrs. Laura Gilpin
409 Camino del Monte Sol
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Gilpin:

Enclosed is another favorable review of the retrospective here. The show closed May 2, with a total attendance of about 4,500. It was, of course, a great pleasure and privilege to work with your photographs and exhibit them in our city.

If you haven't yet had a chance to correspond with Mr. Robert Bates (20 Walnut Lane, Dayton, Ohio 45419) about the "Still Life with Peaches" autochrome, you might also mention the "Narcissus" platinum (which struck me as a particularly lovely tabletop still life). I know Mr. Bates will appreciate any information you can offer.

Craig Subler returned from Santa Fe with glowing accounts of his afternoon with you. I'm very glad he had a chance to meet you, and likewise hope our paths may cross someday.

Sincerely,

Janice Queener
Curatorial Intern

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Enclosure

c.c: Mr. Robert Bates