

Dec. 16, 1979

Mr. Fred White
Frontier America Corporation
P. O. Box 3698
Bryan, Texas 77801

Dear Fred:

It is with great sadness that I am writing to tell you that Laura died on Nov. 30th, of heart failure.

In regard to the seven platins that you put on layaway here, Sept. 17, the policy of the estate is as follows:

All layaways must be honored and payment received within six months from the date of Laura's death. The purchasing party may cancel the layaway and receive a refund of the initial deposit if he or she wishes. The payments should be sent to:

Personal representative of the Estate of
Laura Gilpin
Gerald B. Richardson, attn. at Law
703 Don Felix
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

The platins are not signed, except for the one of Nova Scotia, with the fishing shacks and the water. I discovered today that the Nova Scotia platinum has a 1/2" tear on one side of it, which I was not aware of when you chose it. It is not particularly noticeable, and could be repaired, but you are not obligated to purchase it. I apologize for my oversight.

If you do not want to complete the sale, we will send the platins to the Amon Carter Museum, with the rest of the estate. If you do want to complete the sale, we will give you a letter of certification for each print to assure that they are works of Laura's.

Please advise me of your decision as soon as possible. You can continue to write to me at this address. My best wishes to you for an enjoyable holiday season.

Yours truly,

Mary Sue Walsh
secretary to the estate of Laura Gilpin

List of Platinums purchased by Fred White
on layaway plan Sept. 17, 1979

1. Bryce Canyon, 1930
2. Playground at Dayschool, Colo. Springs
3. Sleeping Ute, Mesa Verde 1930
4. Zion Canyon, 1930
5. Grand Canyon
6. The Prelude, 1917
7. In Nova Scotia

To be purchased at \$500.00 each