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Mrs. Barbara Spielman,
University of Texas Press,
Austin, Texas.

Dear Mrs. Spielman:-

Thank you for your letter of Aug. first which came yesterday. Indeed I am grateful to you for any changes in the Index, and any corrections etc. you have made are fine with me. And thanks for the information on capitalization. But I am sorry to tell you that you are wrong about Shiprock. It is a core, a throat, of an ancient volcano. The cone eroded away many thousands of years ago. I have this from the National Park Service Geologist, two other geologists and you will find it in Peter Farb's Face of North America, last paragraph on page 150. However, I have always been told a different height.

In my book there are pictures of two different old ladies. One Old Lady Long Salt, the picture where she is spinning, No. pl 97, also in the summer hogan, pl. 51. Old Lady Grey Salt is pl. 34. They are members of the same clan at Navaho Mountain.

I telephoned over to Don Watson's Trading Post yesterday when I was unable to get Charles Dickens in Shiprock, and he told me that Mr. Carlos Stolworthy is still living. He went back to Salt Lake City and is a custodian in the University. Someone else here in town also thought he had died. Perhaps his wife had died and we were misinformed. What a strange coincidence which brought this to light. Thank you very much. The other "lates", are all O.K. What was the trader's name whose daughter is a member of your staff?