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Miss Laura Gilpin
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Dear Laura:

Thank you for your letter.

A second printing of your book is not quite as imminent as I may have led you to believe but I think that next year we will probably have to reprint it.

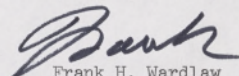
All copies of the book have now been bound but we will try to latch on to a damaged copy to send you so that you may tear it apart if you like.

Changing the position of those color prints would involve considerable problems and rather heavy expense. I wonder if it would be worth it. I don't believe the present arrangement bothers other people although I agree that it would be nice if all the color plates could fall at the most appropriate spots.

We will be happy to welcome you to Austin while the color plates are being run. It is difficult, however, to tell much about the inking until all four colors have been run and then it is too late. Still and all, you may be able to explain the areas of dissatisfaction to the pressmen in such a way that they can bring the finished product more nearly in line with your wishes.

Anyhow, we will watch sales closely and will let you know of the decision to reprint as soon as it has been made.

Merry Christmas,


Frank H. Wardlaw
Director

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