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Miss Laura Gilpin  
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Dear Miss Gilpin:

It is indeed good to be writing to you again. I was glad to learn that The Enduring Navaho is going into the second printing so soon.

As you can see by the enclosed Xerox copy, I have made the correction on page 214 and most of your changes on the Index. Some of the page numbers, however, were not correct when checked against a copy of the book, and some of the changes had apparently already been made, for they were not different than the book. You will see, also, that I have added some modifications so that more of the pictures will be listed, and I found a few more 119's that should be 118. Would you look over the whole Index one more time, please, and then let me know if any more changes need to be made.

Adding page numbers to the picture pages would be prohibitively expensive, for we would have to remake all those pages. I agree that there are several long gaps between numbered pages, but I think that the readers will not complain--none of the reviewers have commented on this situation.

A picture index would be difficult to work up because many of the pictures are without captions, which is fine of course since they are mainly illustrating a particular portion of the text. We decided not to have the usual list of illustrations because of this lack of captions. This is also the reason I have tried to list in the Index all the pictures in which people or places are identified.

I look forward to hearing from you about the final corrections for the Index and to seeing you in October. Best wishes.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure