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Dear Wally:-

It was a great disappointment not to see Mary again before she left, but I just didn't get back in time to run up. I trust that she quickly recovered from the fall and that they all had a grand summer.

I am off again Wednesday for another lap at Navaho. Material is beginning to accumulate and after this next trip I hope to have something to send in for you to see.

A letter has just come from Mr. Hurndon acknowledging the receipt of another order I sent in. The Potomac School in Washington D.C. is putting in the Rio Grande in the history department. Thought you might be interested to hear that. The order is going through me as they want them all autographed. The heads of the school were here a short time ago. Mr. Hurndon also tells me that the second edition is finished. He was expecting it Sept. 9. This surprises me greatly as I have expected proofs on the changes. I trust that they all went in O.K. and above all that the final page and picture have been changed according to our plan when we discussed it. I feel sure it will. I have watched many people look through the book and when they come to the end they just don't see the "finale" and eyes are caught by the light-house. Had I known you were ready to go to press I would have dropped Otto Meers (the questionable point brought up by the lady from California). Of-course I should have sent in the corrected page and that was my negligence.

Here is hoping we have a good Christmas sale. I wrote Mr. Hurndon also, that my RIO show is at the Santa Barbara Art Museum this month. Hope that will stimulate sales there.

Two things I want. One the address of the European firm for color, and particularly color cards (post). The other a dummy for the new book. I want to build this new one to fit.

The best of wishes to all, and by the way it was so nice to see Jan and Neil up at the Ghost ranch. I was up doing color for Earl Vance.

Most sincerely