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Miss Laura Gilpin
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Dear Miss Gilpin:

Donald Bear is trying to get a few days vacation, so this is just to let you know the prints, maps., etc., have arrived. The show goes up tomorrow.

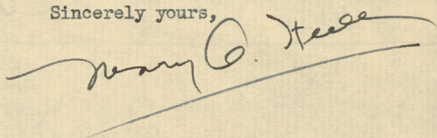
We have noted the changes and replacements to be made and will follow your instructions about returning the old prints and maps to you.

I was at the opening night of your exhibit in Colorado Springs and loved every bit of it. We are all thrilled to have it here. We have called the local book stores about exhibits of the book also; they have not so far heard from the publishers.

One of your photographs of the gateway rocks in the moonlight has been a joy to this expatriate for nigh onto thirty years.

We will also send on any newspaper articles on the exhibit.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Mary O. Steele", is written over a horizontal line. The signature is fluid and cursive.