

HASTINGS HOUSE



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Miss Laura Gilpin
115 Camino Escondido
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Miss Gilpin:

In answer to your favor of the 2nd, which was on my desk when I returned from my vacation, we could take out a copyright in Mexico on the book, but inasmuch as it will be in gravure, I doubt whether it will be possible for anyone to reproduce our plates without tremendous cost, and they certainly would not be very satisfactory unless reproduced from the original photographs. We can, however, as mentioned, take out a copyright for Mexico. Part of our reason for publishing the book was an anticipation of a considerable sale in Mexico.

It is possible for us to publish postcards, but there must be at least 5,000 copies of each, and 30 on a sheet.

The three copies of the PUEBLOS were sent to you on October 4, 1945.

Cordially yours,

HASTINGS HOUSE

Walter Freese
per: *Mgm.*

Walter Freese

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