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AIR MAIL



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Miss Laura Gilpin 614 Alameda Road Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Miss Gilpin:

I just returned back from a six week's trip to Arizona and California to find your letter of the 25th on my desk. I am so glad to hear that the Chichen material seems to be complete, and that you are putting it into shape.

I doubt very much whether it will be possible to get this book out for Christmas this year. Production problems are worse than they have ever been during the war. However, I will look into this matter and the matter of number of pages possible, and will write to you again in the near future.

The PUEBLO book is definitely not out of print, but we are in quite a jam for binding. I understand, however, that the second part of the edition will be bound in the very near future, so that all of the accounts can have them soon.

We've never done any business with the Beck Engraving Company. We have, however, with the Photogravure & Color Company, 207 West 25th Street. Mr. George T. Bailey, the President, is a good friend of mine.

With every good wish, I am,

Cordially yours,

HASTINGS HOUSE, PUBLISHERS, INC.

Walter Frese

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