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61 Wall Street
New York

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Dear Porter:-

I have just sent in the letter in reference to your application for a Guggenheim fellowship. I am terribly sorry that it was inexplicably delayed and hope that the delay will not have a detrimental effect. I believe that Beaumont Newhall's letter did not go in until about a week or ten days ago. He showed me a copy yesterday, after I had drafted my letter, and I was glad to find that we were in complete accord. I do hope it works out for you.

I have heard, indirectly, of you and your doings from time to time. I hope you and Aileen are well and have enjoyed the autumn season in Santa Fe. I have made several attempts to get out there in the last two years, but have not yet succeeded.

With warmest regards and all best wishes,

Sincerely yours,

David H. McAdams

Dr. Eliot F. Porter,
c/o Peter Killam Iron Works,
Santa Fe, N. M.

P.S. Sometime, if possible, I'd like to be able to add a good print of the "little white house over the black water" to the prints of yours I have. Stieglitz showed me a copy one day some months ago. Do you know the one I mean? I thought it was swell—
M.E.A.