Dear Friends,

A fantastic three-week trip in October was even more exciting than I had hoped. I visited St Louis, Kansas City (saw two quilt shows), Columbia (gave a workshop and a lecture) Columbus (gave two workshops) Evanston Ill (where I saw what is left of the Meckstroth collection) Rochester, NY, Ithaca, Pointed Post, Dallas and passed by Atlanta between each destination.

I met so many wonderful quilters and got so much information it just wouldn't fit in this Editor's Notes. Actually my notes aren't transcribed yet, but you will see the fruits of that travel in the issues to come.

I certainly want to thank all of you who worked so hard in each place to give me the opportunity to see so much and to meet so many people. I can't possible thank you all via this letter, but you know who you are.

I had one day home before going to the American Quilt Study Group which Sally Garoutte arranged so efficiently. The papers were stimulating, amusing and showed a wide variety of subjects. You really should join that group.

Then we had two days with Pine Eisfeller in Paradise CA. It was the first time she had ever seen all her quilts hanging and she was delighted to have so many of her family able to be with her. The quilts and her fabulous sense of humor will be remembered by all who came.

Since then it has been JOURNAL and grandchildren. Oh yes and Thanksgiving.



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## Notice

Last issue the gremlins took off the caption of the photo on the cover. It should have read "Emma Andres (right) talks with her good friend Florence Peto in Mrs Peto's front yard on their only face to face meeting." Miss Andres is approximately 5' 2".