

[Letter from John A. Lomax to Harold Spivacke]

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Dear Mr. Spivacke:

I wish to make several trips from here over to the Rio Grande country in Southwest, Texas, about 150 miles away , probably following the River up as far as El Paso.

Later, when the weather is not so uncertain, I have in mind several places in Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Florida and South Carolina where Folk Songs abound. A trip to these places would bring me over a 2 serpentine route to Washington.

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You once mentioned that you had some places to suggest. Where? I'd like to go there also.

I can begin to use the machine as soon as you can get it down. Be sure that it is in first class repair. Radio experts are scarce in these parts.

I sympathize with you deeply in the loss of your mother.

Sincerely always, John A. Lomax