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My dear Mr. Ayers:

The inscribed copy of your book which you were good enough to send the President has been received and I beg to thank you in his behalf for your courtesy. I am sure he will enjoy looking through the volume at a favorable opportunity.

With an expression of the President's appreciation of your thoughtfulness, I am

Very sincerely yours,

STEPHEN EARLY  
Assistant Secretary to the  
President.

M. Ayers, Esq.,  
Hotel Berkley,  
170 West 74th St.,  
New York, N.Y.

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August 4, 1933.

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My dear Mr. Anthis:

In the absence of the President, I wish to acknowledge your letter of July twenty-eighth and to thank you for writing and for the fine carving which you were good enough to send him.

I am sure he will be deeply grateful for your interest in writing and will be glad to have your carving.

Very sincerely yours,

STEPHEN EARLY  
Assistant Secretary to the  
President.

M. I. Anthis, Esq.,  
933 Hamilton Street,  
Springfield,  
Missouri.

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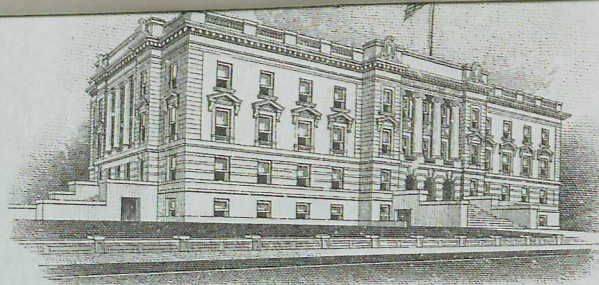
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DEPUTIES:  
ENA W. WALSTRAND  
MILDRED T. FIRESTONE

GREENE COUNTY COURT HOUSE

## GREENE COUNTY

SPRINGFIELD, MISSOURI  
July 28, 1933.

*Paco*

President Roosevelt,  
White House,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear President:

Here I come again to bother you with an emblem of your recovery plan, the greatest piece of work known to the History of our Country, a Moses to lead us out of bondage.

We stayed with the Republicans until we found ourselves gripped in a fist of steel, till we feel the weight of the shackles that bind our bodies to the wall of corporations who are moulded into a kind of a political insane asylum without a keeper whose knees are too stiff to bough to the will of God and the jingle of money pierces their ears deeper than the cries of the needy, but still we have a type of tumble bug politicians who are trying to roll it to us, and if we are fool enough to swallow it, we will be filled with the filth of the Nation and when we get sick enough to vommit we will doubt the scripture where a dog will return to his vommit, we are heartily in sympathy with your plan, eager to wear a badge of the N. R. A. type in the interest of all the people.

I am sending you a carving of the badge appearing in the paper, and in my humble and feeble petition I am proud of the fact that we have a man of your type, who has the back-bone to put the screws on these corporations.

From a meek and lolly friend who lives by the sweat of the brow when he can get it to do.

Address: M. I. Anthis,  
933 Hamilton Street,  
Springfield, Missouri

August 4, 1933.

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My dear Mr. Armstrong:

The inscribed copy of your book "Hitlers' Reich" which you were good enough to send the President, has been received, and I beg to thank you in his behalf for your courtesy. I am sure he will enjoy looking through the volume at a favorable opportunity.

With an expression of the President's appreciation for your thoughtfulness, I am

Very sincerely yours,

STEPHEN EARLY  
Assistant Secretary to the  
President

H. F. Armstrong, Esq.,  
45 East 65th St.,  
New York City, N.Y.

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P.P. 7.  
9-a

August 5, 1933.

My dear August:

Your letter of recent date has been received, together with the painting, and the President requests me to thank you heartily for your courtesy. He is pleased to have this product of your art, and deeply appreciates this evidence of your friendly interest and good will.

Very sincerely yours,

STEPHEN EARLY  
Assistant Secretary to the  
President.

August Avara,  
609 Beaufait Street,  
Detroit,  
Michigan.

8/5/33  
Dear Mr. President Roosevelt  
I am a young boy  
of thirteen.

New York  
1933

P.P.S.  
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I have been interested  
in woodcraft and painting  
for the last four years.  
I have entered my work  
in many contests and  
won first prize several  
times.

I saw your picture  
in, "The Detroit News,"  
newspaper and so  
thought I would try my  
luck in painting it. I  
think I did a pretty  
good job, so thought I  
would send it to you  
as a gift.

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Hope you like it.

Yours truly

August Zvara

609 Beaufait Street

Detroit, Michigan

Hyde Park, New York  
August 7, 1933

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Gentlemen:

The President asks me to tell you  
how much he appreciates your courtesy in send-  
ing him the "N. I. R. A." banner.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHAND  
Private Secretary

The Athletic Specialty Company,  
243 North High Street,  
Columbus,  
Ohio.

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August 10, 1933

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My dear Harlee:

I have acknowledge the box of cigars  
sent by Honorable Allie J. Angle on the President's  
behalf.

Very sincerely yours,

STEPHEN EARLY  
Assistant Secretary to the  
President

Honorable Harlee Branch, <sup>x 19</sup>  
Assistant to the Postmaster General,  
Washington, D. C.

Honorable Allie J. Angle,  
Collector of Customs,  
Tampa, Florida.

August 10, 1933

My dear Mr. Angle:

Mr. Harlee Branch has presented the box of fine Havana cigars to the President and I have been asked to thank you, in his behalf, for your thoughtfulness and courtesy. The cigars will be greatly enjoyed by the President, I know.

Very sincerely yours,

STEPHEN EARLY  
Assistant Secretary to the  
President

Honorable Allie J. Angle,  
Collector of Customs,  
Tampa, Florida.

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ALLIE J. ANGLE  
COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS

DISTRICT NO. 18 (FLORIDA)

TAMPA, FLA

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TER GENERAL

August 8, 1933.

Hon. Stephen Early,  
Secretary to the President,  
The White House.

My dear Steve:

Mr. Allie J. Angle, Collector of Customs, of  
Tampa, Florida, has asked me to transmit to the  
President this box of choice Havana cigars, with  
his compliments.

Sincerely,

*Harold Branch*

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ALLIE J. ANGLE  
COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS  
DISTRICT NO. 18 (FLORIDA)  
TAMPA, FLA.  
Washington  
Agent  
MASTER GENERAL

August 8, 1933.

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Secretary to the President,  
The White House.

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Tampa, Florida, has asked me to transmit to the  
President this box of choice Havana cigars, with  
his compliments.

Sincerely,

*Harold Branch*

8-14-33

To be thanked for and thrown away.

P.P.F.

August 8/33

P.P.F.  
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President Franklin Roosevelt  
Poughkeepsie, N. Y.,  
With Compliments August 11, 1933.  
Mrs. Chew Atkins

My dear Mr. Atkins:

The President asks me to express his sincere thanks for the basket of delicious cherries.

He appreciates your thoughtfulness.

The entire family enjoyed them very much.

Sincerely yours,

M. H. McIntyre,  
Assistant Secretary  
to the President.

George Chew Atkins, Esq.,  
The Woodlands,  
Bronte, Ontario, Canada.

BRONTE, ONT.

To President Franklin D Roosevelt  
With Compliments and best wishes  
Geo. Chew Atkins  
The Woodlands  
Bronte, Ontario

very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHend  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Alexander H. Abrahams, Esq.,  
303 Hall Street, East.  
Savannah,  
Georgia.

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8-14-33

To be thanked for and thrown away.

*7/19/33  
- 2 letters -*

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My dear Mr. Abrahams:

The President is in receipt of the book  
which you and Mr. Claude B. Moats were good enough  
to send him and he requests me <sup>X</sup> to convey to you his  
heartly appreciation of your courtesy. He is grate-  
ful for your thought of him in this connection.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Alexander H. Abrahams, Esq.  
303 Hall Street, East.  
Savannah,  
Georgia.

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AUGUST 15, 1933.

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*Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt*

My dear Mr. Abrahams:

The President is in receipt of the book  
which you and Mr. Claude B. Moats were good enough  
to send him and he requests me <sup>x</sup> to convey to you his  
heartly appreciation of your courtesy. He is grate-  
ful for your thought of him in this connection.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHend  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Alexander H. Abrahams, Esq.  
303 Hall Street, East.  
Savannah,  
Georgia.

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ALEXANDER H. ABRAHAMS  
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT (GEORGIA)  
AUDITING AND INCOME TAXES

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303 Hall St East  
Javannah Ga  
Mrs Franklin D. Roosevelt

Compliments

Alexander H. Abrahams C.P.A. Inc.  
Claude B. Moats

Authors.

July 25 1933.

August 14, 1933.

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My dear Mr. Andreas:

Let me thank you heartily in behalf of Mrs. Roosevelt and myself for the delicious grapefruit and oranges which you were good enough to send us. They arrived in fine condition and you may be sure that we greatly enjoyed the fruit.

With cordial appreciation of your thought of us, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Godfrey A. Andreas, Esq.,  
Upland,  
California.

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8-14-33

Grapefruit and oranges to be thanked  
for.

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1 Box grape fruit  
1 = 1 oranges

M. A. LeHAND  
Private Secretary

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Guy Alsap, Esq.,  
Donofrio Confectionery Company, X  
30 North Central Avenue,  
Phoenix,  
Arizona.

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Godfrey A. Andreas  
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Private Secretary

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Guy Alsap, Esq.,  
Donofrio Confectionery Company, X  
30 North Central Avenue,  
Phoenix,  
Arizona.

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ust 18, 1933

me to tell  
the cactus can-

dy which you were good enough to send him.

It is being enjoyed by all the family.

Sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHAND  
Private Secretary

Guy Alsap, Esq.,  
Donofrio Confectionery Company, X  
30 North Central Avenue,  
Phoenix,  
Arizona.

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Handwritten note on a separate piece of paper, partially obscured by a yellow sticky note.

August 18, 1933

My dear Mr. Alsap:

The President asks me to tell you how much he appreciates the cactus candy which you were good enough to send him. It is being enjoyed by all the family.

Sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHAND  
Private Secretary

Guy Alsap, Esq.,  
Donofrio Confectionery Company, ✕  
30 North Central Avenue,  
Phoenix,  
Arizona.

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*Call your  
with the President  
Wm. J. Alsap*

SECRETARY AND TREASURER  
THE DONOFRIO CONFECTIONERY CO.  
PHOENIX, ARIZONA

*Recd  
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8-16-33

Douglas's in Phoenix, Arizona, asked him to  
a cactus candy to the President.

in order that you may take care of it as you  
do the regular mail.

Mr. Alsap's address is:

Mr. Guy Alsap  
Donofrio Confectionery Co.  
30 North Central Ave.  
Phoenix, Arizona

*Robert R. Strand  
Secy to L. W. Douglas*

Washington, you will see what a valuable thing  
it is. Many thanks for your thoughtfulness.

Very sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE  
Secretary to the President tmb

Abe April, Esq.,  
202 West 30th Street,  
New York, New York.

Very respectfully yours,

*Abe April*  
ABE APRIL

*Miss Le Hunt*

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8-16-33

Mail Room  
The White House

Mr. Guy Alsap, a friend of Mr. Douglas's in Phoenix, Arizona, asked him to hand the attached box of Arizona cactus candy to the President.

It is handed to you ~~from~~ in order that you may take care of it as you do the regular mail.

Mr. Alsap's address is:

Mr. Guy Alsap  
Donofrio Confectionery Co.  
30 North Central Ave.  
Phoenix, Arizona

*Robert R. Strand  
Secy to L. W. Douglas*

cigarette lighter, does seem

appreciate it. However, on your next trip to Washington, you will see what a valuable thing it is. Many thanks for your thoughtfulness.

Very sincerely yours,

*cover a little gift which I hope you will accept with my compliments.*

LOUIS McH. HOWE  
Secretary to the President in the tmb

Abe April, Esq.,  
202 West 30th Street,  
New York, New York.

Very respectfully yours,

*Abe April*  
ABE APRIL

*Handwritten mark*

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Mr. S. Mudd  
Mail Room  
The White House

Mr. Guy Alford, a friend of Mr. Douglas's in Phoenix, Arizona, asked him to  
hand the attached box of Arizona cactus candy to the President.  
It is handed to you from in care of the  
Director of the Budget,  
Washington, D. C. care of it as you  
do the regular mail.  
Mr. Alford's address Mr. Lewis Douglas,

Mr. Guy Alford  
Domestic Confectionery Co.  
30 North Central Ave.  
Phoenix, Arizona



W. S. MUDD  
924 ESSEX ROAD  
BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

ABE APRIL  
202 WEST 30th STREET  
NEW YORK CITY  
L.A. 100-1000

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August 22, 1933

Aug. 1st, 1933.

My dear April:

To thank you at such a late date for the cigarette lighter, does seem as though I do not appreciate it. However, on your next trip to Washington, you will see what a valuable thing it is. Many thanks for your thoughtfulness.

Very sincerely yours,

I have enclosed a separate cover a little gift which I hope you will accept with my compliments.

LOUIS McH. HOWE  
Secretary to the President tmb

Abe April, Esq.,  
202 West 30th Street,  
New York, New York.

Very respectfully yours,

*Abe April*  
ABE APRIL

*Handwritten initials*

ABE APRIL  
202 WEST 30<sup>TH</sup> STREET  
NEW YORK CITY  
LACKAWANNA 4-8323

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Aug. 1st, 1933.

Hon. Louis McHenry Howe  
White House,  
Washington, D. C.

cigarette  
lighter

Dear Colonel:

I am sending to you under separate  
cover a little gift which I hope you will accept  
with my compliments.

Hoping this letter finds you in the  
best of health, I am

Very respectfully yours,

*Abe April*

ABE APRIL

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*Thank*



Poughkeepsie, N. Y.,  
August 25, 1933.

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My dear Mr. April:

The President has asked me to  
thank you very much for the beautiful  
lighter.

It was very kind of you to send  
this to him, and he wishes me particu-  
larly to express his appreciation for  
your thoughtfulness in having an inset  
of his mother's photograph.

Sincerely yours,

Stephen Early  
Assistant Secretary  
to the President.

Abe April, Esq.,  
202 West 30th St.,  
New York City.

Very cordially,  
*Abe*

ABE APRIL  
202 WEST 30<sup>TH</sup> STREET  
NEW YORK CITY  
LACKAWANNA 4-8323

August  
Eighteenth,  
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My dear President Roosevelt,

I have taken the liberty of sending you a slight memento of my high esteem for you.

I could not help thinking of that wonderful lady whom your marvelous accomplishments are filling with joy, and I know that your thoughts are ever of her, to justify her pardonable pride. With that thought in mind, I had her photograph inset in a cigarette lighter which I am sending under separate cover and which I know you will accept in the same spirit it is offered.

With warmest personal regards, I am,

Most cordially,

*Abe*

The President  
Hyde Park,  
New York.

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Personal

To Hon. Pres. Franklin D. Roosevelt.  
White House.  
Washington,  
D. C.

P.P. 7-1-a

My dear Mr. Abrahams:

Your letter of August twenty-fourth  
has been received, and I want to thank you in  
the President's behalf for your thoughtful  
courtesy in sending the N.R.A. emblem to him.

I shall be glad to bring it to his  
attention promptly upon his return to the City,  
and know he will be most appreciative of your  
thoughtfulness.

Very sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE  
Secretary to the President

J. Abrahams, Esq.,  
Philadelphia Badge Company,  
942 Market Street,  
Philadelphia,  
Pennsylvania.

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PHILADELPHIA BADGE COMPANY

PHILADELPHIA, PA.

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August 29, 1933.

My dear Mr. Abrahams:

Your letter of August twenty-fourth has been received, and I want to thank you in the President's behalf for your thoughtful courtesy in sending the N.R.A. emblem to him.

I shall be glad to bring it to his attention promptly upon his return to the City, and know he will be most appreciative of your thoughtfulness.

Very sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE  
Secretary to the President

J. Abrahams, Esq.,  
Philadelphia Badge Company,  
942 Market Street,  
Philadelphia,  
Pennsylvania.

Yours very truly,

PHILADELPHIA BADGE COMPANY

BY: J. Abrahams

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BADGES AND  
MEDALS  
SOUVENIRS  
COLLEGE  
AND  
SCHOOL  
JEWELRY

# PHILADELPHIA BADGE COMPANY

942 MARKET STREET

PHILADELPHIA, PA.

SEWED FELT  
PENNANTS  
AND BANNERS  
FELT EMBLEMS  
COLLEGE  
BOOK STORE  
SUPPLIES

August 24th, 1933.

Franklin D. Roosevelt,  
President of the U.S.  
White House, Washington, D.C.

*Checked  
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Honorable Sir:

It gives us a great deal of pleasure to send you the enclosed NRA emblem, the first struck from the Press, of what we believe to be the smallest NRA insignia yet produced.

We wish this little gift to express to you, in a small way, our very great enthusiasm over the concrete results which we are feeling personally of the NRA movement.

We believe we are expressing the almost universal feeling of the general public of this nation today, when we wish you, Sir, God speed in one of the bravest, most courageous moves conceived and intelligently executed during the past century.

Yours very truly,

PHILADELPHIA BADGE COMPANY

BY:

*J. Abrahams*

JA:GB.  
PRESIDENT.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

608 - E. 15th St.

Brooklyn N.Y.

To the President of U. S. <sup>acted</sup> Sept. 1, 1933.  
% Mr. Stephen Early, <sup>9/18</sup> ~~Mr. Foster~~

My dear Mr. Early,

I have taken the suggestion  
you gave me in your letter of the 26, of  
August in sending the gift to our President.

In order that the President may get the  
full meaning, allow me to translate it from  
the Greek. The words over each symbol  
are love, country, hope, and faith  
corresponding with the heart, the flag, the anchor  
and the cross, and the poems are praises to  
the President for his love, and his great work.

Might I suggest that you answer me,  
upon presenting this picture to the President  
as to his liking.

Sincerely yours

Miss Kanila Alexander.

Stephen Early  
Assistant Secretary  
to the President.

Miss Kanila Alexander,  
608 E. 15th St., X  
Brooklyn, N. Y.

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Poughkeepsie, N. Y.,

August 26, 1933.

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My dear Miss Alexander:

The President asks me to acknowledge receipt of your letter of August 23rd.

In order to conserve the time and energy of the President for his very important official duties, it has been the custom since the beginning of the Administration for his secretary, acting on his behalf, to receive all gifts, etc.

Might I suggest as a matter of convenience, that you forward the picture by mail, and I will be sure to see that the President receives it.

Sincerely yours,

Stephen Early  
Assistant Secretary  
to the President.

Miss Kanila Alexander,  
608 E. 15th St., x  
Brooklyn, N. Y.

August, 23, 1933.

My dear Mr. President,

Allow me to inform you that I have painted by hand, and worded in the Greek language a picture which I wish to present to you, if you grant me the honor.

It is a small token of admiration for your great heart, and your devotion to the people, symbolizing your love, your patriotism, and your faith and hope in God Almighty.

Hoping you will pardon the liberty I have taken in writing this letter, I beg you to grant me an interview, while you are staying at Hyde Park, where I may present you with it, I remain,

most respectfully yours,  
Miss. Kanela Alexander.

608 East 15th Street,  
Brooklyn,  
New York.

September 8, 1933.

My dear Miss Alexander:

Your letter of September first has been received and the President requests me to thank you heartily for the beautiful gift which you were good enough to send to him. He is pleased to have it and accepts it with much pleasure.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Leland,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Miss Kanela Alexander,  
608 East 15th Street,  
Brooklyn,  
New York.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
STATE OF OKLAHOMA  
FOURTEENTH LEGISLATIVE SESSION

P.P. 7,  
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September 5, 1933.

My dear Mr. Armstrong:

Your letter of August twenty-second has been received and the President asks me to thank you heartily for writing and for the first pound of coffee packed by your company which you were good enough to send him. He deeply appreciates your friendly expressions of confidence and good will.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Honorable Luther D. Armstrong,  
House of Representatives State of Oklahoma,  
Fairview,  
Oklahoma.

*Luther D. Armstrong*  
Luther D. Armstrong



LUTHER D. ARMSTRONG  
MAJOR COUNTY  
FAIRVIEW, OKLAHOMA

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

FOURTEENTH LEGISLATIVE SESSION

August 23 1933.

MEMBER COMMITTEES ON:  
ELEEMOSYNARY INSTITUTIONS  
FEES AND SALARIES  
FISH AND GAME  
PUBLIC HEALTH AND SANITATION  
SOLDIERS' RELIEF

The President  
Washington, D.C.  
Your Excellency:

Some years ago I started a coffee roasting and packing business. I called my brands the "Square Deal" Coffee. The first pound I roasted and packed I sent to that great American, Your Cousin, who coined the word "Square Deal" Not only coined the word but gave America a "Square Deal"

Some four years ago I together with others throughout this country was handed a "Dirty Deal". Within a short time my business was destroyed, Even my home and everything went.

To day we are starting again in a small way, on a side street. We are calling our brands this time the New Deal brands. And sending the President the first pound packed.

The writer is a veteran of the Spanish American war also the World War, whose small pension was cut off. However we are not sore. We will get by if the "New Deal" is also a "Square Deal" We believe it is. The Blue Eagle. decorates our window. The principle for which it stands will dominate our business. We are going to help, although in a small way, the President give America the "New Deal"

Sincerely

*Luther D. Armstrong*  
Luther D. Armstrong

August 29th 1933  
September 7, 1933.

Franklin D. Roosevelt,  
President U. S. A.,  
Hyde Park, New York.

P.P.F.  
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My dear Mr. Cobb:

Your letter of August twenty-ninth has been received and the President requests me to convey to you, and through you to the Abercrombie & Fitch Company, his cordial thanks ~~for~~ the courtesy extended to him in sending him the fine gift to which you refer. He deeply appreciates this evidence of your good will.

Assuring you that the President is indeed grateful for your expression of confidence, I am

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Le Hand,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

J. H. Cobb, Esq.,  
~~Madison Avenue at 45th Street,~~  
New York, N.Y.

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↓  
with best wishes from the  
President, I am yours very truly,

MADISON AVENUE AT FORTY-FIFTH STREET  
NEW YORK

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*Rec'd one dozen*

August 29th, 1933.

Franklin D. Roosevelt,  
President U. S. A.,  
Hyde Park, New York.

P.O.F.  
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Dear Mr. President:

It is a pleasure for me to tell you of our sincere belief in the N.R.A. and our implicit confidence that out of it will come a new era of prosperity and contentment for America.

It is destined to be a conspicuous land-mark in the industrial progress of our country -- perhaps the most significant symbol dividing a worn-out past from a better future.

We are sending you some steins bearing the insignia of the N.R.A. as a slight personal token of our faith in it. While the N.R.A. will never be forgotten in the story of our country, we hope that by visualizing the Blue Eagle in this small way, we are creating souvenirs that eventually will be treasured family heirlooms.

Respectfully yours,  
ABERCROMBIE & FITCH CO.

*[Signature]*  
President.

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*Large in today -  
With best wishes from the  
President, I am yours very truly,*

MADISON AVENUE AT FORTY-FIFTH STREET  
NEW YORK

August 29th, 1933.

Franklin D. Roosevelt,  
President U. S. A.,  
Hyde Park, New York.

Dear Mr. President:

It is a pleasure for me to tell you of our sincere belief in the N.R.A. and our implicit confidence that out of it will come a new era of prosperity and contentment for America.

It is destined to be a conspicuous land-mark in the industrial progress of our country -- perhaps the most significant symbol dividing a worn-out past from a better future.

We are sending you some steins bearing the insignia of the N.R.A. as a slight personal token of our faith in it. While the N.R.A. will never be forgotten in the story of our country, we hope that by visualizing the Blue Eagle in this small way, we are creating souvenirs that eventually will be treasured family heirlooms.

Respectfully yours,  
ABERCROMBIE & FITCH CO.

*Robert*  
President.

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*Large in tone -  
With best wishes from the  
President, I am yours very truly,*

September 12, 1933.

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My dear Mr. Aycock:

*-John G.*

My dear Representative McSwain has been good enough to bring me the photograph which you sent him for me and I want to thank you warmly for your kind thought in sending it. The Congressman has told me of your friendly interest in my Administration and I am deeply appreciative.

Very sincerely yours,

John W. Aycock, Esq.,  
Greenville,  
South Carolina.

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*Large in today -  
With best wishes from the  
President, I am yours very truly,*

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

COMMITTEE ON MILITARY AFFAIRS

WASHINGTON, D. C.

September 12, 1933.

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Very sincerely yours,

John W. Aycock, Esq.,  
Greenville,  
South Carolina.

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Large in body -  
With best wishes from the  
President, I am yours very truly,

CONGRESS  
MAN  
FRANK JAMES, MICH.  
HARRY C. RANSLEY, PA.  
THOMAS C. COCHRAN, PA.  
EDWARD W. GOSS, CONN.  
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RICK, N. Y.  
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MONTET, LA.  
DREW J. MAY, KY.  
R. EWING THOMASON, TEX.  
WM. N. ROGERS, N. H.  
T. C. COFFIN, IDAHO  
CHESTER THOMPSON, ILL.  
DOW W. HARTER, OHIO  
WESLEY LLOYD, WASH.  
CHARLES I. FADDIS, PA.  
CLARENCE W. TURNER, TENN.  
R. M. DUNCAN, MO.  
THEO. A. PEYSER, N. Y.  
PAUL J. KVALE, MINN.

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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J. B. KNIGHT, CLERK  
FRANCES MARTIN, ASSISTANT CLERK

Mr. John W. Aycock  
Greenville, S.C.

Dear Mr. Aycock: I am directed by Pres. Roosevelt to acknowledge receipt of your photograph sent by hand of Congressman McSwain, and to thank you for same. Since you have led all your associate agents in writing life insurance for the last five years, you must be steady in mind as well as large in body. With best wishes from the President, I am yours very truly,

September 13, 1933.

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My dear Mrs. Anthos:

Your letter of September fifth has been received and the President requests me to thank you warmly for writing and for the beautiful NRA flag which you were good enough to send him. He is pleased to have this product of your handiwork, and greatly appreciates the spirit which prompted your act.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. Marina Anthos,  
9 Lafayette Street,  
Riverside,  
New Jersey.

Yours very truly  
(Mrs.) Marina Anthos  
9 Lafayette St.,  
Riverside N.J.

*Thank*  
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9 Lafayette St.,  
Riverside N.J.  
September 5, 1933.

Hon. Franklin Delano Roosevelt  
White House  
Washington D.C.

Hon. President:

I will be very glad indeed if you will accept my little gift which I am sending you. It was a great pleasure doing something for a wonderful President like you and also showing that we are doing our part. I am a little Greek lady and have done it by myself all hand made. MR. Roosevelt I hope you will be satisfied with the N.R.A. flag which was done especially for our great President. Please don't mind if I send the directions for washing the flag when it gets dirty.

First take some boiling water and then add some lux flakes into a pan, than gradually all some cold water to make enough suds. The person who does the washing does not have to be afraid of the color's fading because it is the best thread D.M.C. When they iron it please iron the Flag on the wrong side. The person must know how to iron very good because if they don't the flag will not look very nice.

I am also sending MRS. Roosevelt a little gift which I hope she will like because it will make me very happy.

Yours very truly

(Mrs.) Marina Anthos

9 Lafayette St.,  
Riverside N.J.

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September 14, 1933.

My dear Mr. Armistead:

The President is in receipt of the NRA  
novelty which you were good enough to send him, and  
requests me to thank you warmly for your courtesy.  
He deeply appreciates this evidence of your interest  
and good will.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Leland,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Ike F. Armistead, Esq.,  
Tuscumbia,  
Alabama.

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MISSY: PREPARE LETTER AS TO  
WHY I CANNOT ACCEPT THIS.

F.D.R.

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in offering to present to him a little doe fawn.

However, I am sorry to say that as he has no facilities for caring for the fawn, the President finds it impossible to accept it.

Conveying the President's cordial thanks for your kindness, I am

Very sincerely yours,

*M. A. LeHand,*  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Adams,  
Rt. F.B., Box 44,  
Mason,  
Texas.

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Letter from Mr & Mrs. Thomas Frankin Adams, Box 44,  
Mason, Texas, Sept 4 to the Pres.

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Feels that the Pres. is doing more for the  
country than any other. He and his wife voted for  
Roosevelt and Garner whom he knows personally. Wants  
Pres. to accept a gift from them---a little "doe" fawn  
about 4 months old. Thinks she would be quite an  
interesting pet for him and his family.

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However, I am sorry to say that as he has no facili-  
ties for caring for the fawn, the President finds it  
impossible to accept it.

Conveying the President's cordial thanks  
for your kindness, I am

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Adams,  
Rt. F.B., Box 44,  
Mason,  
Texas.

September 22, 1933.

My dear Mr. Adams:

The President has received your letter of September fourth and he wishes me to tell you how much he appreciates your friendly thought of him in offering to present to him a little doe fawn. However, I am sorry to say that as he has no facilities for caring for the fawn, the President finds it impossible to accept it.

Conveying the President's cordial thanks for your kindness, I am

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Adams,  
Rt. F.B., Box 44,  
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Mason,  
Texas,

Sept 4 1933.

Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt.  
Washington, D.C.

"Dear Sir,"

No doubt you will be quite  
surprised to hear from us away  
down here in Texas. But "we"  
people of Texas, wish to also  
congratulate you in your mighty  
efforts to establish our Government  
on normal bases once more,  
and we feel you are doing  
more for our Country than  
any other President before you.  
We and I cast our votes for  
you and your Vice President

Mr. Garner, I have the honor  
of being personal acquainted with  
a few old men Jack. Jess & John  
his sons. when they lived in  
Red River County when I was just  
a boy. Mr. Roosevelt I am writing  
you this letter asking you if  
you would accept a gift from  
us a little "Doe" Fawn about  
4 months old she would be  
quite a entrancing Pet for you  
and family. of course I realize  
you dont have very much  
time to devote to Pets. But  
she would be quite a nice  
Pet for you & take you aside  
off all our Business and give  
you the rest you need each

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day she will stay in house go  
up stairs or most any place you  
could want her to go. is most  
amick in her plays. I dont guess  
you have such a pit on your place  
she eats anything a cow would eat  
elso drink milk. Now Mr—  
Roasult please be Frank with  
me in telling me if you really  
wanned like to have her or not  
I would like to present it to you  
as just a gift or if you please  
a Xmas gift. I will have it  
and have about the last of Oct  
some time. as our hunting season  
opens on Sat Nov. 16 and she  
is running outside she would be  
subject to getting killed—

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With Best Regards to  
our "hon<sup>or</sup>ed" President and Family  
Cisrly.—

Mr & Mrs. Thomas Franklin Adams  
Rt 3. B Box 44  
Mason  
Texas

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*Circleville, Ohio*  
*September 22, 1933*

September 22, 1933.

My dear Mr. Alkire:

Your letter of September eighteenth has been received and the President requests me to thank you heartily for writing and for the lucky charm which you were good enough to send him. He is glad to accept this souvenir and greatly appreciates this evidence of your interest and good will.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Harry F. Alkire, Esq.,  
Circleville,  
Ohio.

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Circleville Ohio  
Sep., 18-1933.

President Franklin D. Roosevelt  
Washington D. C.

Sir: I am sending you in this mailing  
case a lucky Watch Charm. In behalf of  
the N.R.A. I hope you will like it.  
If not you can pass it on to one of your  
Grand Children. they can keep it for a  
pet. I carved it from a peach seed.  
I am Mr. President yours faithfully

Harry F. Alkire  
(always a Democrat)

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yours,

HOWE  
President

September 25, 1933.

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My dear Mr. Ambruster:

I am in receipt of the beautifully  
framed photograph of President Theodore Roosevelt  
which you were good enough to send me and want to  
thank you heartily for your courtesy. I am indeed  
glad to have this fine gift and greatly appreciate  
the spirit which prompted your act.

Very sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE  
Secretary to the President

H. W. Ambruster, Esq.,  
597 Highland Avenue,  
Westfield,  
New Jersey.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

Washington,

September 6, 1933.

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My dear Mr. Ambrose:

My dear Mr. Ambrose:

Thank you very much, indeed, for the N. R. A. Navajo blanket, which has just reached me. I am very glad to have this. I thank you for the thought that prompted the gift, and I would appreciate it if you will convey to the weaver my compliments on her work and my thanks.

Sincerely yours,

Very sincerely yours,

H. A. Leland,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mr. J. L. Ambrose,  
Crownpoint Trading Co., Inc.,  
Thoreau, New Mexico.

CROWNPOINT TRADING COMPANY

INDIAN TRADING COMPANY

September 7, 1933.

THOREAU, NEW MEXICO

AUGUST 31, 1933.

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My dear Mr. Ambrose:

The President has received your letter of August thirty-first and has noted it with interest. He requests me to thank you warmly for writing and for the fine piece of hand weaving made by a Navajo woman. He is indeed pleased to accept this gift and deeply appreciates the spirit which prompted your sending it.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

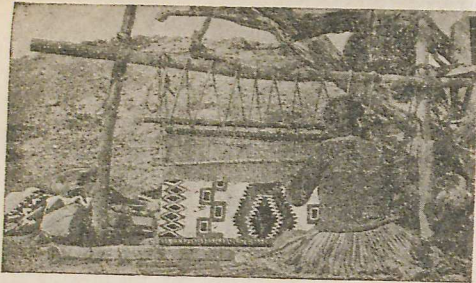
J.L. Ambrose, Esq.,  
Thoreau,  
New Mexico.

*Handwritten notes:*  
... a woman to make the ...  
... will be sent to ...  
... collection ...

Posts at Crownpoint and Chaco Canyon

Red Arrow Trading Company, Thoreau, New Mexico

Red Arrow Cottage Camp, Thoreau, New Mexico



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INDIAN TRADERS

Specializing in Navajo Rugs and Silverware

THOREAU, NEW MEXICO

August 31, 1933.

E. B. Neumann Simm  
J. E. Matchin  
J. L. Ambrose  
H. Boardman

President Franklin D. Roosevelt,  
Washington, D. C.

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My dear President:

I am mailing you today a little gift which is a piece of hand-weaving by a Navajo woman. As far as I know there are only two such pieces and they were especially made for you and Secretary Ickes.

Also want you to know that we are 100% behind the N.R.A movement and anything else which is your program.

It is with the greatest respect and gratitude that I thank you for the wonderful work you are doing, and I wish you, health, happiness and success.

Very respectfully yours.

*J. L. Ambrose*

P. S. If I can induce a weaver to make two more such N.R.A pieces, one will be sent to General Johnson, the other will go in my collection. J.L.A.

September 25, 1933.

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My dear Mr. Abreu:

The President is in receipt of your letter of September nineteenth and requests me to thank you heartily for writing. He is indeed glad to accept the beautiful Chimayo blanket with the NRA emblem which you were good enough to send him and greatly appreciates the spirit of cooperation and support which prompted you to weave it for him.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Lehnd,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Marcos Abreu, Esq.,  
P.O. Box 1165,  
Santa Fe,  
New Mexico.

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Santa Fe, N. M.  
Sept 19 — 1933  
President Franklin D. Roosevelt  
White House  
Washington D. C.

My Dear President Roosevelt.  
Under separate cover I am  
mailing you a Chimayo Blanket  
with the N. R. A. Emblem.  
I am taking this opportunity of  
writing you to tell you that  
I am a native New Mexican  
my home is in Santa Fe, N. M.  
I am a weaver by trade  
and being an ardent supporter  
of your N. R. A. Program  
I have woven this blanket  
with the N. R. A. Emblem  
claiming the first one made  
of its kind. I wish to make  
it a gift to you.  
Please accept it as my  
token for your great program  
(over)

of Recovery

Yours truly

Marcel Abreu

Santa Fe, N.M.  
Post office Bot 1165

Dear President of Employ  
Some weavers - too.

I weave chimney blankets  
in all sizes and colors.

To order I get my mail

at Santa Fe, N.M.

P.O. Bot 1165

In writing me please do not  
address my mail to the house  
direction as I sometimes move  
emery - Marcel -

Springfield Mo

MARCOS ABREU  
Buyer and Dealer Of  
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WE ALSO REPAIR RUGS AND BLANKETS  
GOOD JOB GUARANTEED  
All At Reasonable Prices  
MARCOS ABREU  
237 Canyon Road  
On the Corner of Garcia St. SANTA FE, N. M.



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October 3, 1933.

My dear Mr. Anthis:

Your letter of September twenty-sixth has been received and I beg to thank you in the President's behalf for writing. He is pleased to accept the NRA emblem, a product of your own handiwork, and greatly appreciates this evidence of your confidence and good will.

Very sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE  
Secretary to the President

M. I. Anthis, Esq.,  
933 Hamilton St.,  
Springfield,  
Missouri.

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133 Hamilton St.  
Springfield Mo

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October 3, 1933.

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Springfield Mo

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Dear president am sending  
you a blue Eagle of my own design in  
respect to you and the actions you  
have taken in behalf of those who  
labour we are praying to almighty  
god for success in your mighty  
undertaking trying to relieve the sufferers  
who are crushed under the heel of  
corporations robed of their rights to live  
as decent citizens eating out a mere  
existence is contrary to the constitution  
hidden under the surface of to much  
politics placed into the hands of a few  
until we just as soon take our chances  
before a firing squad as a board of  
politicians one will get you out of your  
misery quietly the other will strangle  
you to poverty unload their filth  
onto those who are not able to  
bare up under the burden this is the  
prize of your unworthy

W I Anthis 933 Hamilton St.  
Springfield Mo

ALBERT PICK CO. INC.

PHONE BARCLAY 3350

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HOWARD W. AMBRUSTER  
Westfield N.J.

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267 BROADWAY  
NEW YORK

October 9, 1933.

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My dear Mr. Ambruster:

The President has received the picture of  
the late President Theodore Roosevelt which you were  
good enough to send him and he requests me to thank  
you heartily for your courtesy. He is glad to have  
this photograph and appreciates your thought of him  
in this connection.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Howard W. Ambruster, Esq.,  
Westfield,  
New Jersey. X

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Dear Col. ~~Stewart~~  
Will you please present  
this to your chief. It has  
been one of my most valu-  
ed pictures, but I want the  
President to accept it, at  
this time, if he will, with  
my warmest good wishes.  
Respectfully  
Sept. 16. 33 H. W. Ambruster

October 9, 1933.

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in this connection.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Howard W. Ambruster, Esq.,  
Westfield,  
New Jersey. X

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October 9, 1933.

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Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Howard W. Ambruster, Esq.,  
Westfield,                       
New Jersey. X

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ALBERT PICK CO. INC.

October 12, 1935.

1200 WEST 35TH STREET  
CHICAGO

October 9 1935

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My dear Mr. Anoff:

The President has received your letter of October ninth and requests me to thank you for the brochure which you were good enough to send him. He appreciates the support given by your company to his Recovery Program and is indeed grateful for this evidence of your faith in him.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Leland,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

I. S. Anoff, Esq. ✓  
President Albert Pick Co., Inc.,  
1200 West 35th St.,  
Chicago,  
Illinois.

Respectfully yours,  
*I. S. Anoff*  
President

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ALBERT PICK CO., INC.



1200 WEST 35TH STREET  
CHICAGO

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EXECUTIVE OFFICES

October 9 1933

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Dear Mr. President:

Please accept the enclosed reprint brochure as an expression of our wholehearted cooperation in the gigantic task you are directing to bring happiness and prosperity back to our nation.

We are doing our part and are proud to say so to 140,000 customers in all parts of the country. We have faith in your inspiring leadership and we feel certain that under it, the result cannot be other than successful.

Respectfully yours

*I.S. Anoff*  
President

I.S. Anoff  
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October 18, 1933.

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My dear Mrs. Arnone:

The President is in receipt of your letter of recent date and has noted it with interest. He requests me to thank you warmly for writing and for the fine hooked rug which you were good enough to present to him. He is much pleased to accept this product of your own handiwork and deeply appreciates the spirit which prompted your act.

Assuring you that the President is indeed grateful for your interest in his Recovery program, I am

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. Jennie Arnone,  
39-1st Street,  
Frostburg,  
Maryland.

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To Our  
President Of The United States  
Mr. J. R. Roosevelt. . .

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Dear Sir: —  
I'm a great believer of the  
N. R. A. A mother of eight children  
I thought I would do my part by  
hooking a rug, the first rug that  
I have ever hooked, it was the  
spirit of the N. R. A. that prompted  
me, in doing it, and your great work  
behind it to make it a success.  
I do hope you succeed.

I wish to have the honor of  
present you with this small gift,  
if <sup>you</sup> you except it.

Hoping to hear from you  
soon. on exception of this gift I  
beg to remain

Very Truly Yours.  
Mrs. Jennie Arnone  
39-1st Street  
Frostburg, Md.

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October 24, 1933.

My dear Mr. Aker:

The President has received the box of  
nuts which you were good enough to send him and  
asks me to thank you heartily for your courtesy.  
He greatly appreciates this evidence of your  
friendly interest and good will.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

B. F. Aker, Esq.,  
Jacksonville, X  
Texas.

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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

October 28, 1933.

P.P.S.  
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My dear Mr. Acres:

The gold-finch and canary which you were good enough to send the President and Mrs. Roosevelt have been received and I wish to thank you in their behalf for your thoughtful courtesy.

Assuring you that your kindness is much appreciated, I am

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

George Acres, Esq.,  
3227 Clark Street,  
Ashland Hotel,  
Chicago,  
Illinois.

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WASHINGTON

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George Allen  
327 N. Clark St  
Ashland Hotel  
Chicago Ill

November 6, 1933.

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sincerely yours,

JULIUS McH. HOWE  
ary to the President

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Gold-Finch  
1 Canary

Gold-Finch for the President  
Canary " Mrs Roosevelt

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Prague, Czechoslovakia,  
/ October 1, 1933  
nting - portrait of the  
the Czechoslovak Republic,  
copy of his lecture de-  
e of the President of the  
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American Civic Association

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November 6, 1933.

My dear Mr. Secretary:

Will you please be good enough to have appropriate acknowledgment made of the enclosed letter and copy of lecture and photograph.

Very sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE  
Secretary to the President

The Honorable,  
The Secretary of State,  
Washington, D. C. x 2 0

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Enclosure.

Letter from A. J. Alex, Prague, Czechoslovakia, Brevnov No. 876 / October 1, 1933 sends photograph of his painting - portrait of the President of the Senate of the Czechoslovak Republic, Dr. Francis Soukup, also a copy of his lecture delivered before the departure of the President of the Senate for the United States.

November 9, 1933.

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My dear Miss Howland:

The President asks me to acknowledge receipt of your letter of November 6th.

Since the beginning of the administration, and in order to conserve the President's time and energy for the many important tasks before him, it has been the practice for me to receive all gifts, etc., acting on behalf of the President in this respect.

I will be glad to suit your convenience.

Sincerely yours,

M. H. McIntyre,  
Assistant Secretary  
to the President.

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map  
quilt (for Mrs  
Roosevelt).

Miss C. Jane Howland,  
140 East 40th St.,  
New York City. X



**American Civic Association, Inc.**

MEMBER FEDERATED SOCIETIES  
901-903 UNION TRUST BUILDING  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

November 6, 1933  
Please reply to  
140 East 40th St.  
New York City.

To the Honorable  
Franklin D. Roosevelt  
President of the  
United States of America.

My dear Mr. President,-

As I am the fortunate possessor of one of the recent Handkerchief Maps of Washington, which has been stamped with your autograph, I know that the work of the American Civic Association in this regard, is not unknown to you.

It has been my privilege and pleasure to present our project to the American people through the medium of the Press, and various Clubs and Societies.

Would you, Mr. President, in order to help our cause, permit the American Civic Association to publicly present to you, a framed Map and to Mrs Roosevelt a quilt?

If it would be your pleasure to accept, we will be pleased to make the arrangements any time that suits yours and Mrs Roosevelt's convenience. It is our hope to have the entire First Edition of the Handkerchief Maps of Washington disposed of by Christmas, so that our work may continue to progress during the New Year.

Very sincerely yours,

*C. Jane Howland.*

(Miss) C. Jane Howland

Sincerely yours,

*(Miss) C. Jane Howland.*

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November 10, 1933  
140 East 40th St.  
New York City.

Mr. H. M. McIntyre  
Assistant Secretary  
to the President  
White House  
Washington D. C.

My dear Mr. McIntyre,-

Thankyou for your letter of November 9th in reply to mine of November 6th written to the President regarding the presentation of a framed Handkerchief Map of Washington, and a Handkerchief quilt to Mrs Roosevelt.

We appreciate your courtesy and willingness to permit us to set the date of presentation to you, on behalf of the President. Contrary to our expectations at the time of writing, the framing of the Map has not yet been completed, as an extra treatment of the wood has been necessary. I will therefore write you at a later date when this has been taken care of.

Sincerely yours,

*(Miss) C. Jane Houtland.*

**NATIONAL BOARD OF TRADE**

1319 F Street Northwest

Washington, D. C.

P.P. 7.  
9. a.

Mr. Alspach  
Indiana Sorghum  
Molasses  
Nov 16, 1933

November 16, 1933

Dear President Roosevelt:

I take pleasure in presenting to you several cans of Indiana sorghum molasses, which was sent to you by Aaron Alspach of Leiters Ford, Indiana.

Mr. Alspach grew the cane and produced the molasses in his own plant and, as you know, the Hoosier State produces the finest sorghum.

Cordially yours,

NATIONAL BOARD OF TRADE

*Fred A. Berlin*  
Fred A. Berlin, Secretary

Honorable Franklin D. Roosevelt  
The White House  
Washington, D. C.

November 17, 1933.

My dear Mr. Alspach:

The President has asked me to express his thanks for the Indiana sorghum molasses, delivered through the courtesy of Mr. Fred A. Berlin, Secretary of the National Board of Trade, Washington, D. C.

He appreciates your thoughtfulness, and the whole family is enjoying your delicious gift.

Sincerely yours,

M. H. McIntyre,  
Assistant Secretary  
to the President.

Aaron Alspach, Esq.,  
Leiters Ford, Indiana.

COPY TO MR. BERLIN.

and then publishing it in the public prints convicts him of bad faith. And yesterday also Walter Lippman substituted for his usual very splendid article<sup>one</sup> from an apologetic viewpoint, but fear not, Mr. President, the folks are with you, and fortunately the folks feel so outraged by the way they have been "duped" by the banking fraternity and by the high lights in finance that the entire crowd have been sadly and properly

TIMOTHY T. ANSBERRY  
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW  
1317 F STREET  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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November 22, 1933.

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Honorable Franklin D. Roosevelt,  
President of the United States,  
Warm Springs, Georgia.

My dear Mr. President:

First, I want to congratulate you on your diplomatic triumph in the Russian matter. It is in my judgment a victory of the first magnitude, and so far as I can see the credit belongs to you and you alone; next, to congratulate you on some of your enemies, notably those "Modern Tailors of Tooley Street," whose place of resort is the corner of H and 17th Street in Washington. These naive gentlemen, who like the "tailors" above referred to, think they are the people of the United States. I suppose, taken by and all, they are a lot of fine gentlemen who have been more or less successful in business, or representing more or less successful business enterprises, but they take themselves far too seriously. I scanned the names on the list of those present which I presume they think is a roll of honor, and lo and behold I found the name of one gentleman with whom I am more or less well acquainted and who has made a great deal of money, but unfortunately he labors under the delusion that "mud" is spelled with two "d's", and this is not his only academic delusion. Of course, I can understand that a man might labor under the disadvantage of not having a sound elementary education, but at least he should have learned, and when I say "he" I refer to all of them, that, when he or they add to that sort of a weakness a delusion of grandeur, he and they are in a sad way. I need not tell you to treat that kind of advice lightly because your anticipation of what they were going to say when in your Savannah speech you referred to them as "Tories" was just precisely and exactly the right characterization for them and demonstrates that you have their number.

P.P.A.  
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In yesterday's "Herald Tribune" I noticed that one Blumenthal sent you by second-hand what some people might think to be good advice, but his method of sending it and then publishing it in the public prints convicts him of bad faith. And yesterday also Walter Lippman substituted for his usual very splendid article, from an apologetic viewpoint, but fear not, Mr. President, the folks are with you, and fortunately the folks feel so outraged by the way they have been "duped" by the banking fraternity and by the high lights in finance that the entire crowd have been sadly and properly

Honorable Franklin D. Roosevelt,  
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November 22, 1933.

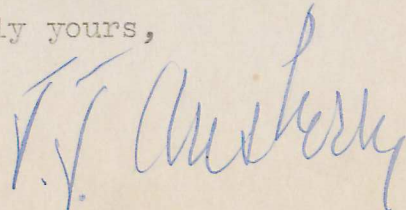
discounted with the American people. It is the law of nature that anything that does not function, dies. The banks apparently are not functioning; no major loan of any importance has been made in the past year and a half that has come to my notice that was not made by your "Uncle Samuel" functioning through the RFC, and it just looks to me as though your "Uncle Samuel" will have to be in the banking business and if the grand old man can make a worse "fizzle" of it than ~~the~~ those ~~in~~ that have been at the head of them then he is <sup>not</sup> the sharp and shrewd Yankee that he has been pictured.

I am taking the liberty of sending to you, under separate cover, a little book which contains some speeches and essays by a grand old character who many years ago was called to his Fathers. I speak of Archbishop Spaulding, of Peoria, Illinois. The old man in this book made the best case that I have ever read against the "lice" who have exploited this country during the past twenty years. His statement of facts and logical conclusions to be deduced therefrom were indictments of the old order but the old man sought to turn it into an argument in support thereof. The book is full of "meat", it is short, you can read it in an hour. He is a splendid stylist of the old school, and taken all in all was one of the wondersul men developed in the hierarchy of my grand old church. If you get as much out of the Archbishop's book as I have gotten in the past, you will consult it from time to time when you are looking for a telling phrase or a well-termed sentence, or for a sound argument, and you will find them all in the old Archbishop's text.

In conclusion, permit me to say, my dear Mr. President, that there is nothing that you have that I want, save and except your "good will" and that I flatter myself I already have, but whether I have or have not is beside the question. I have no aspirations to take a place in that bright light that surrounds the throne. I only want to serve and wait. If there is anything that I can do in the capacity of a private citizen to help uphold your hands in these trying hours, rely upon it that I await the command.

With assurances of my highest personal esteem,  
I am,

Very truly yours,



TTA:A

# Apalachicola Oyster Farms, Inc.

Wholesale Oysters & Sea Food Products

Warm Springs, Georgia.  
November 23, 1933

P.P. 7,  
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My dear Mrs. Armstrong:

It was very good of you to send the supply of  
Peppermint Oil to the President. He asks me to  
tell you of his appreciation.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHAND  
Private Secretary

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Mrs. E. W. Armstrong,  
Route #5,  
LaGrange,  
Indiana.

Miss Marie J. Alaback,  
Tallahassee,  
Georgia.

# Apalachicola Oyster Farms, Inc.

Wholesale Oysters & Sea Food Products

"HILES - DIXIE" BRAND

EXECUTIVE OFFICES

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Apalachicola, Georgia



President Bennett

Warm Springs, Georgia  
November 23, 1953

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My dear Miss Alsobrook:

The President asks me to send you and Mr. and Mrs. Alsobrook this note of appreciation for your kindness in sending to him the lovely flowers.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHAND  
Private Secretary

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Miss Susie J. Alsobrook,  
Columbus,  
Georgia.

Respectfully yours,

*J. J. Bennett*  
J. J. BENNETT, President.

Benning Boulevard Nurseries

Telephone 4176

Columbus - Georgia



*President Roosevelt*

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Oyster Farms, Inc.

Sea Food Products

"DIXIE" BRAND

OFFICES

INDUSTRIAL BUILDING

Fort Myers, Florida

POST OFFICE BOX 1912

TELEPHONE 5-5322

August 14th, 1933.

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9-A*

His Excellency, The President,  
Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt,  
Warm Springs, Georgia.

My Dear Sir:

Noting from the Press your preference for sea foods and the fact that oysters appear on your Thanksgiving menu, the Apalachicola Oyster Farms, Inc., covets the privilege of shipping to you, with the compliments of the company, on Tuesday night, to reach Warm Springs, Wednesday -

2 Gallons "HILES-DIXIE" Oysters - SELECTS  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  Barrel "HILES-DIXIE" - "Half-Shell".

We believe you will conclude with us that the BEST President the country has had in a long, long time will have eaten the BEST oysters on the market today.

Your gracious reply by mail will reach us in ample time and we anticipate the very great pleasure of serving you.

Respectfully yours,

*J. T. Blalock*  
J. T. BLALOCK, President.

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To Our President  
from,  
Miss Lucie J. Alsbrook  
+  
Mr + Mrs E. J. Alsbrook

# Oyster Farms, Inc.

Oysters & Sea Food Products

"HILES-DIXIE" BRAND

EXECUTIVE OFFICES

HILDEBRANDT BUILDING

St. Augustine, :: Florida

POST OFFICE BOX 1912

TELEPHONE 5-5322

Columbus, Ga.

September 24th, 1933.

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His Excellency, The President,  
Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt,  
Warm Springs, Georgia.

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*J. T. Blalock*  
J. T. BLALOCK, President.

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# Apalachicola Oyster Farms, Inc.

Wholesale Oysters & Sea Food Products

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EXECUTIVE OFFICES

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APALACHICOLA, FLORIDA

Jacksonville, :: Florida

POST OFFICE BOX 1912  
TELEPHONE 5-5322

November 24th, 1933.

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His Excellency, The President,  
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Warm Springs, Georgia.

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*J. T. Blalock*  
J. T. BLALOCK, President.

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417 E. Fourth St.  
Birmingham

P.P. 7,  
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At Warm Springs, Georgia,  
November 25, 1933.

My dear Mr. Anderson:

The President has asked me to thank  
you for the plants which you were good enough  
to send him, and to tell you that they have  
been put in. He deeply appreciates your  
thought of him.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LE HAND  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

C. N. Anderson

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PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mr. A. Anderson,  
Clover Hill Farm,  
LaFayette, Alabama.

417 E. Fourth St.  
Birmingham

At Warm Springs, Georgia,  
November 23, 1933.

P.P. 7.  
9-a.

My dear Gentlemen:

The President is much pleased to  
know of the gift of the Great Boat  
Gentlemen:  
and Electric Boat which you were good enough to

The President has asked me to thank  
you for the puzzle and electric lighted boat  
which you were good enough to send him. He  
appreciates your thought of him.

Very truly yours,

LEAH M. H. H.  
Secretary to the President.

M. A. LE HAND  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

O. B. Andrews Company, X  
Chattanooga, Tennessee.

New York, N.Y.

117 E. Fourth St.  
New York

pp 7,  
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November 28, 1933.

My dear Friends:

The President is much pleased to receive the copy of the book "The Thomas Fortune Ryan Collections" which you were good enough to send him and has asked me to convey to you his hearty appreciation of your thought of him in this connection.

Very sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE  
Secretary to the President.

American Art Association,  
Anderson Galleries, Inc.,  
30 East 57th Street,  
New York, N.Y.

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117 E. Fourth St.  
New York



November 28, 1933.

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My dear Mr. Alcaide:

Your letter of November fourteenth has been received by the President and he requests me to thank you cordially for writing and for the Christmas souvenir which you were good enough to send him. He is pleased to accept this gift and deeply appreciates the spirit which prompted you to send it.

Very sincerely yours,

beg to remain

Your most obedient servant.

LOUIS McH. HOWE  
Secretary to the President

S. A. Alcaide, Esq.,  
Santurce,  
Puerto Rico.

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Santurce.

"PUERTO RICO"

November 14th.

1933.

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To Mr Franklin D. Roosevelt.  
President of United States of America.  
Washington. D. C.

Excelency:

I take the liberty to send to  
V. E. by Parcel-Post to day a Christmas  
Souvenir of " An old fashion Country Kitchen "  
Please accept this token from a fellow  
philatelist.

Beg to remain Excelency.

Your Most Obedient Servant.

*J. A. Alcaraz*

Pennsylvania.

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117 E. Fourth St.  
Pittsburgh

P.P.F.  
9-a

November 23, 1933.

My dear Mr. Altomari:

Your letter of November sixteenth has been received and the President has read it with interest. He requests me to thank you warmly for writing and for the drawing which you were good enough to send him. He is pleased to accept this gift and is indeed grateful for your friendly expressions of confidence and good will.

Very sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE  
Secretary to the President

Guido Altomari, Esq.,  
376 Schoonmaker Avenue,  
Monessen,  
Pennsylvania.

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376 Schomaker Ave.

Monessen, Pa.

November 15, 1933

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President Franklin D. Roosevelt  
White House, Washington, D.C.  
Dear Mr. President: -

I am a young man of  
eighteen years of age. I am  
the son of a naturalized Italian  
immigrant. Neither was I  
born in this country, but  
have known it for my  
home for about seven years.

As I have watched the

Secretary to the President

A. Bruce Anthony, Esq.,  
2637 Portland St.,  
Los Angeles,  
California.

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trend of the times in these seven  
years, I seem just about right  
as to my ideas.

The enclosed sketch is a  
result of my ideas and sketch-  
work. This sketch is being  
sent as a gift by me to you  
in recognition, and in honor,  
of your great doings and  
history-making accomplishments  
to date.

I admire your great dicta-  
torial powers, and the manner  
in which you have gone about  
your work to insure and

bring about the return of  
prosperity.

In this sketch and in  
my opinion, I have pictured  
the three mightiest and most  
powerful men in the world  
today. You, Pres. Franklin D.  
Roosevelt, being the strongest,  
Premier Mussolini next, and  
lastly Chancellor Hitler.

I have pictured all you  
three as dreamers, or optimists  
if you will. In fact what  
would this world be if it  
weren't for our dreamers and

W. HOWE  
the President

our thinkers.

Please accept this humble  
gift as a token of my  
goodwill and friendship,  
I remain,

Sincerely yours,

Guido Altomari

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417 E. Fourth St.  
Berkeley, Cal.  
Nov 24, 1933

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November 23, 1933.

November 23, 1933

My dear Mr. Anthony:

The copy of the book "University of  
South California Studies" which you were good  
enough to send the President has been received  
and he requests me to thank you warmly for  
your courtesy. He is glad to have the volume  
and deeply appreciates your thought of him in  
this connection.

Very sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE  
Secretary to the President

A. Bruce Anthony, Esq.,  
2637 Portland St.,  
Los Angeles,  
California.

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1177 1/2 Fourth St.  
Birmingham  
Ala. 35203

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My dear Mr. Anderson:

Your letter of December 5, 1933

has been received and I want to thank you for it.

The President asks me to tell you how pleased  
he was to receive the book which you sent to him.  
He is deeply appreciative of the thoughtfulness  
which prompted you to send it.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHAND  
Private Secretary

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Mr. D. Althouse, Esq.,  
2112 11th Court South,  
Birmingham,  
Alabama.

R. D. Althouse

419 E. Fourth St.,  
Boyertown, Pa.  
Nov 24, 1933

P. P. F.  
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The President, F. D. Roosevelt,  
White House,  
Washington, D. C.

December 5, 1933.

Dear Mr. President:

My dear Mr. Althouse:

Your letter of November twenty-fourth  
has been received and I want to thank you in the  
President's behalf for your thoughtfulness in send-  
ing the enclosed drawing to him.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LE HAND  
Private Secretary

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R. D. Althouse, Esq.,  
419 East Fourth Street,  
Boyertown,  
Pennsylvania.

It is with interest that most U. S.  
residents as collectors follow U. S. issues only.  
Many - all, I am sure, appreciate what you  
have done to create new issues - and, ever yours  
in spirit

Friend Philatelist

R. D. Althouse.

To the President, F. D. Roosevelt,  
White House,  
Washington, D.C.

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Dear Mr. President:

A few weeks ago the enclosed drawing appeared in the Magazine section of the Sunday Public Ledger (Philadelphia). It speaks for itself, or rather for the ignorance or carelessness, as the case may be, on the part of the artist. Thinking that it might be of interest to you, I am giving it to you. Before picturing an ardent philatelist in the manner he pictured you — you, of all people, — he should have taken time to determine the methods used in mounting stamps.

Even from little cares and worries, this hobby serves as a marvelous escape. How you must welcome it!

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Friend Philatelist,  
R. D. Althouse.



One of the President's favorite hobbies is that of adding to his stamp collection while sitting in bed

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December 5, 1933

My dear Judge Ansberry:

The President asks me to tell you how much he appreciates your thoughtfulness in sending the book "Socialism and Other Arguments" to him.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHAND  
Private Secretary

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Honorable T. T. Ansberry,  
1901 Wyoming Avenue,  
Washington, D. C.

Association Press,  
207 Madison Avenue,  
New York, N.Y.

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December 7, 1933.

My dear Friends:

The President has requested me to thank you heartily for your courtesy in sending him the copy of the book "The Third American Revolution". He is glad to have the volume and is indeed grateful for your thought of him in this connection.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Association Press,  
347 Madison Avenue,  
New York, N.Y.

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Window sill

AMERICAN & FOREIGN POWER CO.

December 7, 1933.

NEW YORK

P.P.T.  
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My dear Mr. Adams:

Your letter of December first has been received and the President has noted with much interest the booklet which you enclosed. He asks me to thank you heartily for your courtesy in writing and to tell you how much he appreciates your thoughtfulness in sending him the package of Herva Matte. You may be sure he will enjoy trying it.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Leland,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Hearne O. Adams, Esq.,  
American & Foreign Power Co., Inc.,  
2 Rector Street,  
New York, N.Y.

Respectfully yours,

*Thomas A. Edison*

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AMERICAN & FOREIGN POWER COMPANY INC.

TWO RECTOR STREET

NEW YORK

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December 1, 1933.

*Rec'd. & sent  
Home*

Hon. Franklin Delano Roosevelt,  
President of the United States of America,  
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. President:

Pursuant to the promise of Dr. Assis Brasil, I am forwarding you today, by parcel post, a package of Herva Matte, and I enclose herewith a book containing some very interesting information about Curityba and also the story of Herva Matte.

We, as you doubtless know, are operating in Brazil, and one of the staff of our affiliated company "Emprezas Electricas Brasileiras" has devoted several years to the study of Matte. He has been assigned to cooperate with the Brazilian Government and the Matte growers in promoting its use, as a result of which Dr. Brasil's request was referred to him. After due consideration, he has chosen Lacerda Matte as the best type, and we take great pleasure in forwarding it on to you.

Being a Matte enthusiast, may I presume to suggest that same be made and served exactly as tea. You should use one teaspoonful to a cup of water and add one for the pot.

If I can be of further service please command me.

Respectfully yours,

*Hearne, O. Adams*

HOA/vmf

December 7, 1933.

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My dear Friends:

The President is in receipt of the copy of the book which you were good enough to send him and has requested me to thank you warmly for your courtesy. He is glad to have the volume and greatly appreciates your thoughtfulness in this connection.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Lohand,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Anglo American Records Foundation,  
122 East 58th Street,  
New York, N.Y.

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*Belonged to the late Samuel  
We  
Please accept the little  
pudding from a Gold Star Mother  
who wishes your health happiness  
long life and prosperity  
with the best wishes of your  
wife and children*

December 8, 1933.

P.P.F.  
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My dear Mrs. Arnold:

The President is in receipt of your kind note of recent date and has requested me to thank you heartily for writing. He is indeed glad to receive the fine home-made pudding which you were good enough to send him and wants you to know how much he appreciates this evidence of your good will.

Assuring you that the President is indeed grateful for your friendly expressions, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Appeal Printing Company,  
27 Thomas Street,  
New York, N.Y.

M. A. Leland,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. Annie E. Arnold,  
Gold Star Mother,  
Robert Edgar Arnold,  
Memorial Apts. Hotel, 402,  
Nashville,  
Tennessee.

Beloved President & Lameil  
Please except the little home made  
Pudding from a Gold Star Mother  
who wishes you health happiness &  
long life I am the 75<sup>th</sup> year old  
mother of <sup>Robert</sup> Edgell Arnold who gave his  
life for his country entering the Navy

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The President has requested me to thank  
you warmly for your courtesy in sending him the  
copy of the book "Rational Non-Mystical Cosmos".  
He is glad to have the volume and your thought  
of him in this connection is much appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Appeal Printing Company,  
22 Thames Street,  
New York, N.Y.

the 17<sup>th</sup> of April 1917 - & his body  
was laid to rest, May 22 1917 at  
Mobile Ala - He died at Norfolk Va - at  
the training camp - from, Measles - from  
Texas at the - Please let me know if my  
little gift was received -  
God Bless you for this little gold  
star mother -

Respectfully  
Mrs Annie E. Arnold

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My dear Friends:

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Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Appeal Printing Company,  
22 Thames Street,  
New York, N.Y.

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December 11, 1933

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Memorandum for Mr. Southgate:

The President asks if you will be good enough to express his thanks for, and appreciation of, the courtesy of Senor Capitan Colon Elroy Alfaro, Minister of Ecuador, now on leave in Ecuador, in sending a Panama hat to him.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHAND  
Private Secretary

Honorable Richard Southgate,  
Secretary of State, X 20  
Washington, D. C.

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Memo for Mr. Southgate:  
The Pres. asks if you  
will be good enough to  
express his thanks for and  
appreciation of the courtesy  
of Senor Captain Colon  
Glorio Alfaro, Minister  
of Ecuador, on leave in  
Ecuador at present, in  
sending a Panama  
hat to him.

M. A. Bennett

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Minister of Ecuador  
Señor Captain Colon Eloy Alfaro,

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*As for  
Mr. J.*

It is a pleasure for me to send you that  
and I greatly appreciate your  
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Very sincerely yours,

*Franklin D. Roosevelt*

The Honorable  
Captain Colon Eloy Alfaro,  
Minister of Ecuador,  
Quito,  
Ecuador.

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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

December 6, 1933

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*For  
Asst. Secy.  
Mr. Galt*

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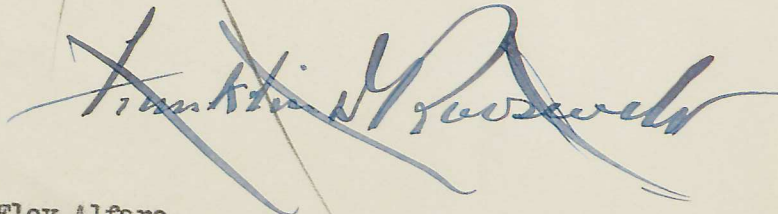
THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

December 6, 1933

My dear Mr. Minister:

It was ~~mighty good~~ of you to send me that fine Panama hat and I greatly appreciate your courtesy. I accept it with much pleasure and I am sure it will be a source of comfort during the summer season.

Very sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Franklin D. Roosevelt". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping flourish at the end.

The Honorable  
Captain Colon Eloy Alfaro,  
Minister of Ecuador,  
Quito,  
Ecuador.

the Eagle made of old postage Stamps.

December 6, 1933

My dear Mr. Minister:

It was mighty good of you to send me that fine panama hat and I greatly appreciate your courtesy. I accept it with much pleasure and I am sure it will be a source of comfort during the summer season.

Very sincerely yours,

The Honorable  
Captain Colon Floy Alfaro,  
Minister of Ecuador,  
Quito,  
Ecuador

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and the President has requested me to thank you  
heartily for your courtesy in sending him the NRA  
souvenir to which you refer. He is glad to accept  
this "Blue Eagle" and is very appreciative of your  
holiday greetings which he warmly reciprocates.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Jay Abrams, Esq.,  
138 Shepard Ave.,  
East Orange,  
New Jersey.

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Jay Abrams  
138 Shepard Ave  
East Orange  
New Jersey*

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December 11, 1933.

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My dear Mr. Abrams:

Your note of December sixth has been received and the President has requested me to thank you heartily for your courtesy in sending him the NRA souvenir to which you refer. He is glad to accept this "Blue Eagle" and is very appreciative of your holiday greetings which he warmly reciprocates.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

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Jay Abrams, Esq.,  
138 Shepard Ave.,  
East Orange,  
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Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt  
White House  
Washington, D.C.

Mr. President,

Would appreciate  
your acceptance of the attached  
from one of your admirers.

Very truly

Jay Abrams

138 Shepard Ave.

East Orange

N.J.  
Age 14

Wishing you and Mrs. Roosevelt a  
Merry Christmas and a Happy  
New Year.

December 11, 1933.

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My dear Mr. Anania:

The President asks me to express his thanks for the New Jersey State N. R. A. button, presented through me the other day.

He appreciates the thoughtfulness of yourself and associates.

Sincerely yours,

M. H. McIntyre,  
Assistant Secretary  
to the President.

James A. Anania, Esq.,  
Capitol Park Hotel,  
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THE QUICKEST, SUREST AND SAFEST WAY TO SEND MONEY IS BY TELEGRAPH OR CABLE

New Haven, Conn.  
December 11, 33.

Dear Honorable President Roosevelt,  
I am a boy 13 years old  
and enjoy drawing very much  
and I hope you will find  
my drawing of interest.

December 20, 1933.

My dear John:

Your friendly note of December eleventh  
has been received by the President. He asks me to  
thank you warmly for writing and for the fine draw-  
ing which you were good enough to send him. He is  
glad to have the sketch and is indeed grateful  
for this evidence of your good will.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

I sincerely remain  
John Ahearn, X  
1397 State Street,  
New Haven,  
Connecticut.

I am in 7th grade  
Fair Haven High School

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1397 State St. <sup>add</sup>  
New Haven, Conn. <sup>12/20</sup>  
<sup>1933</sup>

December 11, '33.

Dear Honorable President Roosevelt;

I am a boy 13 years old and enjoy drawing very much and enclosed you will find a picture of yourself that I took a great interest to do, although it isn't as nice as I would like it to be. I do hope that someday I will be able to do better. My mother is going to try to give me lessons if she can. I am the second oldest of six children and I will try to do my best. I hope you don't think it rude of me to do this.

I sincerely remain  
John Ahearn

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December 21, 1933.

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December 21, 1933

My dear Mr. Haugan:

I am delighted to have the volume of  
"Christmas", which you were good enough to send  
me through Mr. Early. Please accept my sincere  
thanks for your kind thought of me and with them  
my best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy  
New Year.

Very sincerely yours,

R. E. Haugan, Esq.,  
Augsburg Publishing House,  
425 South Fourth Street,  
Minneapolis,  
Minnesota.

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*Thanks P*

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MINNEAPOLIS  
MINNESOTA

December 18, 1933

Mr. Stephen Early,  
Secretary to the President  
White House  
Washington, D. C.

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Dear Mr. Early:

Attached to this letter in a package you will find a volume of "Christmas," the only religious Christmas annual to my knowledge published in the United States. I wonder if you will do me the favor of presenting this to the President with our compliments. Although I realize that there are both ridiculous and excessive demands for personal favors, as a matter of sentiment it would be very much appreciated if by chance I might have an acknowledgment signed by the President. I will leave that up to you.

Sincerely yours,

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