PRESIDENT'S PERSONAL FILE

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July 12, 1940

My dear Mr. Aviron:

The President has received your letter of July tenth and he is most appreciative of the evidence of friendly interest and the expressions of approval which it conveys. It was thoughtful of you to include in your communication the excerpts from some of your poems and I have pleasure in conveying the President's thanks also for your kindness in sending to him and Mrs. Roosevelt the inscribed copy of your book of poems entitled "Rhapsody With Humanity".

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Joachim Aviron, Esq.,
4320 Manhattan Avenue,
Brooklyn,
New York.

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July 10,1940

4320 Manhattan Ave., Brooklyn

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President Franklin Delano Roosevelt:

White House, Washington D. C.

Just to bunch a few words, a few sweet words, and send these in a letter to you, dear Mr. Roosevelt. I have had the urge to write to you. I dare not restrain myself.
Please accept this bouquet from one who honors, and loves you. Walt Whitman did not regard Lincoln any dearer than I regard you. I too, am a poet. The psychic scent of your spiritual greatness hangs over the highways and byways of the land. There is hardly a community in the land but that directly or indirectly you have helped override evil times. I am sure millions bless you, as I do here, and now. You are the People's Democratic Champion. Gird yourself. Stay in the Forerank. Help us carry on. Spread your convincing voice and the message of your thoughts into all corners of the Americas.

At this moment, travail is distorting the shape and face of things and beings in many lands... As poet, I am become spiritual bookkeeper of the people's destiny. With them I laugh and cry. With them I exalt and mourn. And, there is plenty to mourn about these days...

But we shall not submit to complete fear and disillusionment. With men of your calibre, dear Mr. President fighting for liberty, idealism, truth and goodness we cannot lose. Your courage is our armor. We shall, and must triumph over sinster and nihilistic forces !

Now, I beg your indulgence to peruse excerpts of my poetry. It may dispell the common illusion that even authentic poets are not serious enough about current events. This poet is. RHAPSODY WITH AN OUTCRY -a long poem in manuscript yet contains some such lines: -

The worm has no thought for itself :
It is without of what we are with ;
But in the scheme of things
Enthroned it lies coiled in the heart of finality.

The bird accepts space to woo.
With wings and song it rings
A key of its own in the scheme of things,
There to find its golden nest and joy.

The fly is here to employ
A million armies of itself
Humming its own theme in the scheme of things;
Humming life's common contentment.

Remind me : what am I here for?
Remind me that nature is alive,
Always alive with growth
While men deliberately destroy it...

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Who is with whom with what behavior?
The harlots among men with lust;
Men among animals with cruelty and murder;
Animals among men, spine-crushed with burdens;
Children among parents who misrule their lives;
Machines among men with active dynamos dinning the conscience.

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What is so mutual between nations as mistrust?
Every border tree-limb shivers its implication.
Every soldier is poisoned with it.
It is threatening where the border-patrol meet.
Entire armies are dosed with it.
Behind fortifications, races stand defiant and snarl it...

Tank, plane, and ship are geared to act and cross
And criss-cross boundaries to clash national hate and might
To spit death and hate on counter national hate and might,
Returning bullet for bullet...

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Foundations are melting:
Foundations of democracy,
Foundations of nationality,
Foundations of universal peace.
The World is rumbling.
Ours are stricken years,
Years stricken by aggression.
In humanity's name, what will the future explode with?

A swallow is up in space:
Trip and tour, little bird.
You are not with roaring motors
And such gases that explode and lift,
And so being above us,
Your shifty thoughts are willed on destruction
And you become a bombing plane -
A quickening pulse of modern conquest...

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Do and Dont are twins,
But their will is not identical.
They have had the same beginning
Where they sprung from a common seed
That can locate bases,
Lay eggs of varied species of life,
And be serious with activity and purpose.
Do, growing, has done things.
Dont was born a hunchback
With a broad spine on one leg,
And pyramid inverted, got stuck
Without an ongoing...

Do was born for multiple effort:
Do dares try anything and everything.
Do spikes his birthright circle
Like a halo for his saintly deeds,
Deems himself virtuous because his acts
Flowered the earth with a thousand civilizations.

Don't was born lazy,
And being born with one leg
Used the leg for a post,
Used the spine for a sign
Where his family-tree is philosophy is inscribed:-
"Dont is twin brother to Do.
Dont is Do's advisor.
Remember Dont whatever you do Do.
Don't run away with yourself, brother;
Heed my name as a warning
When your nerve is besting you
When your skies are dotted with bombers..."

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Failure is a curved yoke
On stooping shoulders
To a drooping heart
When the pulse is pressured with fear:
So feeling, the eye sees pits -
The pits yawn from twilight to dawn
And daylight is twilight, is night
Where misery is fear in the mind,
The mind chained to evil thought,
And thinking evil has taken on routine...

Routine grass grows -
And growing, covers
The twilight skull
That once with a lantern
Lit its way above crust,
Called itself human
And so took initiative
To belabor life with a destiny
Of terrific pressure and will
For conquest and luxury.

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Logic is a patent drug.
On every corner a Socrates peddles it.
Come forth, ye duped dopes,
Take a dose of logic, get wise to yourselves.

Smoke goes up a chimney,
And why does smoke go up a chimney?
The chimney is only a conduit;
And why has it its nose to heaven?

The passions get on the nerves,
The nerves unwill the will;
Up and down the hungry senses
Devious desires derail the heart...

Who is devoted and to what?
Unless with locked will on a point
A dictator spells for the masses a word -
Spells it bluntly: - O-B-E-Y...

Our era has peaked dictators
Who have lighted hate-fires
For hate-worshippers to warm their fingers,
And fingers on triggers, discharge their temper...

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In this crucial mechanical age,
Machine is outwitting its master.
It culls his dull skill and control
And in full speed collects its own disaster.

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Who will well with love,
The child of Peace,
The child to prophecy annointed?

Who will father the genius?
Who of Brotherhood preaching
Will penetrate the savagery of hate?

Who will cast one's lot
With him whom the chosen wings
Have spirited with cosmic breath
And a voice of sweet harmony
Of worlds that with magnetic orbits
Sustain him whose gaze is fixed scopewise?

Love towards love:
Who with whom willingly will meet
Lovers in a parade of joy?

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Today
There is nothing to say
But stand on one's own
With the anarchic dictum
That man is organized for murder
And nations are ruthless and cruel
To use humanity as fuel
To warm their Ego
In the fires of war.

Words ride up with curses on our lips
While busy hands release destruction;
A populace bows in fear and prayer
Caught by God's wrath in the hands of men...

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Lest I give the impression that I am brooding pessimist,
I shall insert a few lines from the TRIUMPHANT REBEL,
a courageous, spiritual poem in 19 cantos.
A few lines of which read: -

Halo !O Halo
Of the promised birth and strength,
When will the shining burst and flood
With day our scope
And the cosmic hope
To hold the pulses in fair balance
Of power beating the bright advance?

Without end time
Plays on our poverty-pedestal,
Soaks our spirit of gravity in vinegar emotions,
And we feel sour to the bite of life
When we eat and mate
And load our brain with thought-drainage.

But we are dual and commodious:
Thus in fair balance
Of hope and scope
Against gravity and submission
There must the spur of pulses of sweet poets
Beat beat beat honey-courage into our cells !

O there is more to Life than what is known !
O there is more to Man than what is attested !
O there is more to Revolution than what we accomplish !
Everything bows before the growing light !

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I cannot resist including my published RHAPSODY WITH HUMANITY. It would be a great honor for me to have you and Mrs. Roosevelt own it . It is my humble gift to you.

I shall write again to congratulate you when this election issue is settled in our, the people's behalf, and you will be again our beloved President.

Your friend,

Joachim Aviron

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Dear Mr. Roosevelt,

Perhaps you will be interested in Mr. Herbert Harris' forthcoming book, LABOR'S CIVIL WAR -- the first complete account of the AFL-CIO split. We shall publish it on August 5. We now have pleasure in sending you an advance copy, under separate cover, with our compliments.

Yours faithfully,
for ALFRED A. KNOPF INC.

J. R. de la Torre Bueno, Jr.

The President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

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July 29. 1940

My dear Mr. Bueno:

Permit me, please, to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of July twenty-second. You may be assured that your courtesy in sending the advance copy of the book you mention is appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

J. R. de la Torre Bueno, Jr., Esq.,
Alfred A. Knox, Inc.,
501 Madison Avenue,
New York, N.Y.

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July 29, 1940

My dear Mrs. Agnew:

The President has asked me to thank you very much indeed for the two flags which you were good enough to send him. He wants you to know that he is deeply conscious of the friendliness which your note implies.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. Blanche M. L. Agnew,
1758 North Kingsley Drive,
Hollywood,
California.

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1 Large flag 1758 N. Kingsley Dr.
1 small flag Hollywood, Calif.

Dear President Roosevelt:

Please accept this simple effort in appreciation of your world vision of justice and brotherhood; and your dauntless, intrepid moves toward the fulfillment of that vision.

God continue to direct and speed you!

(Mrs.) Blanche M. L. Agnew.

July 12-'40.

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Also I inclosed a very small flag made of the six rainbow hues, which I tagged "Western Hemisphere", which might easily have gotten lost among the wrapping papers.

Thanking you in advance if you are able to tell me the fate of my small contributions,

Very truly,

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1758 N.Kingsley Drive,
Hollywood, Calif.
July 26, 1940.

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Stephen Early, Presidential Secretary,
White House, Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

On the 12th.inst., July,1940, I expressed to President Roosevelt a small flag, which I had made, a composit of tiny flags of the American Republics.

I inclosed a note to the President, but unfortunately neglected to give my address. Now I should be most grateful if I may be notified whether the flag reached its destination .

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July 29, 1940

My dear Mr. Allan:

Your note of July nineteenth has been received and the President thanks you very much indeed for the photographs. He wants you to know that he appreciates your friendly congratulations as well as the confidence in his leadership which your words imply.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

George H. Allan, Esq.,
28 Carye Avenue,
Yonkers,
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July 19, 1940

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Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt,
President, U.S.A.,
Washington, D.C.

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My dear Mr. President:

I am taking the liberty in sending you, under separate cover, two enlargements of a snap taken in Yellowstone Park - one of God's beauty spots - in 1939. It is of solid rock, and from the looks of it you would think it was cut from drawn plans. The Park has so many wonderful things never to be forgotten, and I think this is one.

May I also congratulate you on your enforced renomination, and trust that the people will do as the convention did - make it unanimous - that is, by States.

Yours sincerely,
George H. Allan.

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SIMONS, Rear Admiral Manley H.
U. S. Navy,
Norfolk Navy Yard,
Portsmouth, Va.
July 30, 1940.

Writes the President sending him on behalf of the Norfolk Navy Yard officers and men a memento of the President's recent inspection visit - a beautiful ash tray.---Attached is memo. for the files: as follows: Memorandum for Miss LeHand from Capt. Callaghan, 8/1/40 with attached note from Admiral Manley H. Simons, Commandant of the Norfolk Navy Yard, 7/30/40 to the President, stating he is sending the President an ash tray as a remembrance of his visit to the Norfolk Navy Yard, sent to Capt. Callaghan 8/5/40 as per notation: "Captain Callaghan - Please prepare note of thanks."---Capt. Callaghan, on Aug. 6th, sent memo. to Miss LeHand transmitting a note of thanks.---The President, on Aug. 7th, wrote Admiral Simons thanking him for his note and the ash tray and saying he was deeply appreciative of the kind thought which prompted the sending of this gift.

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August 12, 1940

My dear Mr. Andreas:

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Through the courtesy of the Secretary of Agriculture, the tiny doll and newspaper clipping which you were good enough to send the President have been received. I know he would want me to express his sincere appreciation of your kind thought.

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Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Charles J. Andreas, Esq.,
Wellsburg,
New York.

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July 19, 1940

My Dear Mr. Wallace,

The greatest President in the history of these United States, by his request to the delegates of the Democratic Convention, bestowed upon you sir, an honor sought by many less capable than yourself.

There isn't the least doubt in my mind that since this memorable occasion our next Vice-President has spent sleepless nights and pondered over thousands of times daily a way to reciprocate your heartfelt gratitude to Our Beloved

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President. Mr. Wallace millions of Americans have had this same problem, there really is only one answer, a day set aside (preferably a Sabbath) to be known as Our Prayer For Our President Day A suggestion on your part sir through the proper channels to the clergymen of Our Country would make this possible. This would enable every American man, woman and child, rich or poor, Democrat or Republican of all creeds to join with Our Next Vice-President, in a day of Love and Devotion (the American Way) to one who

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has given so much to his people.

My family and myself have never found it a difficult task and a duty to bend our knees in prayer for Our President and his loved ones, we sincerely believe it was our prayer that was in a small way responsible for Gods sparing the life of Our Chief Executive at the scene of the fatal shooting of Mayor Cermak. On your next visit to Our Friend President Roosevelt would you be kind enough to

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give to him the enclosed clipping and the Tiny doll, Our President will then remember us and know, we have Not broken our sacred pledge. Thank you Mr. Wallace and God Bless you and yours.

Sincerely yours,
Charles J. Andreas
Wellsburg
New York

P. S. I am sure this suggestion would become an annual holiday and would greatly please Our President.

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Mr. Wallace; This clipping is from a Frank Gannett publication
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JULY 21, 1940.

THE SUNDAY TELEGRAM

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FDR Nomination Found Ready with Flag, Poster

War Veteran and Picture

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT was drafted as Democratic candidate for a third term as President of the United States early Thursday morning in Chicago.

When a bright sun arose over the Pennsylvania Northern Tier hills that morning and its rays swept to a home on the Wellsburg-Centerville highway, about two miles south of Wellsburg, it illuminated what is credited by its owner as being the first "Roosevelt Drafted for Service" poster.

Charles J. Andrea, wounded so severely in World War I that he is now unable to perform labor, an admirer of Mr. Roosevelt for the past 10 or more years, lettered the poster between the hour Thursday morning when enthusiastic delegates at the Chicago convention had said in emphatic terms "Mr. Roosevelt you must run again," and daylight seeped through the windows of the Andrea home.

Suspended over the portal of the Andrea porch was an historic flag which Mr. Andrea carried in his knapsack during important battles in which he served with the AEF in France. In the center of the draped flag was a large picture of Mr. Roosevelt and on each side was a small silk American Flag.

The poster, about three-by-three feet in dimension, attached to heavy cardboard and hand lettered in colors, rested on the lawn, facing the highway so that all who drove past might read: "This American Flag served with the U. S. Marines at Lucy-Torey Boureshes. This American (printed over another picture of Mr. Roosevelt) Has Been Drafted to Serve With Honor."

Mr. Andrea displays personal letters received from Mr. Roosevelt. One bore the date of Aug. 30, 1932, from the Execution Mansion in Albany, in which Mr. Roosevelt thanks Mr. Andrea for support. Another letter of Oct. 14, 1938, thanked Mr. Andrea for his offer to serve the government by calling upon Hitler and other foreign dignitaries in an effort to establish world peace.

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Mr. Wallace

Mrs. Henry A. Wallace

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John H. Arnich, Esq.,
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"In Fall ... In Dixieland" "Sunbonnet Days" "As Long As I Have You" "Little Pal of Long Ago"
AND EIGHTY OTHER BIG HITS THAT HAVE BEEN PUBLISHED

High Schools May Teach Auto Driving

Albany—(UP) — Motor Vehicles Commissioner Carroll E. Mealey has announced that automobile driving may be taught in high and junior schools in accordance with rules of the motor vehicles division.

Mealey consulted Education Commissioner Frank P. Graves regarding administration of a new law which permits pupils at least 16 years old to receive junior high school courses approved by the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles, without necessitating a learner's permit.

"Many pupils taking driving instructions could not obtain learners' permits since permits can be issued only to persons who file an application for a driver's license," Mealey said.

"The new law recognizes the fact that young people need to be instructed in driving, including the actual operation of a car on the public highway. It provides that where a school maintains a course of instruction in driving approved by the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles, a learner may drive under the immediate supervision of an approved instructor without having the credentials for driving ordinarily required."

War Hits Pacific Coast Exports

Portland, Ore.—(UP) — The export trade of Pacific coast ports has been hard hit by the European war and customer nations which once bought heavily of west coast supplies have not purchased any products in several months.

Belgium, Holland, Norway and Denmark, among the best customers for the lumber of the Northwest, did not take a dollar's worth of goods from the Portland waterfront during May.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

August 5, 1940

Mr. Charles J. Andreas,
Wellsburg, New York.

Dear Mr. Andreas:

Secretary Wallace has asked me to acknowledge and thank you for your recent letter. The Secretary deeply appreciates your good wishes and, as you requested, is forwarding to the White House the clipping and the Tiny Doll which you sent him.

Sincerely,

J. D. LeCron,
Assistant to the Secretary.

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August 30, 1940

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My dear Mr. Arzich:

In acknowledging the recent letter to the President signed by yourself and Mr. Haubrick, he wants you both to know of his deep appreciation of your kindly interest in sending him the record of your song. He is very grateful for the friendly spirit which inspired your thought of him.

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Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

John H. Arzich, Esq.,
4953 South Kildare Avenue,
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BITS OF HITS FROM THE PEN OF EARL HAUBRICH
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August 8th.,1940

Mr.Franklin Delano Roosevelt
President of United States of America
White House, Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. President:

During your moments of relaxation, won't you please sit back and listen to the enclosed campaign Song Record, which was written from the heart.

At the time of your nomination at the Chicago Convention, we distributed among the delegates and others at the Stadium, over ten-thousand copies.

We have composed in musical form the meritorius achievements of your administration. Though we have written many hit songs, we can assure you that no song has given us more pleasure to write.

We are sending copies and a record each to Mr. Flynn and Secretary Wallace.

Trusting our efforts musically and otherwise will be of assistance to you and the Democratic Party in the coming election, We remain,

Yours Very Sincerely

Writer of music Earl Haubrich

Writer of lyric John H Arzich

P.S.
Correspondence return to J.H.Arzich 4953 South Kildare Ave., Chicago, Ill.

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Respectfully referred to the Department of State for appropriate action.

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STEPHEN EARLY
Secretary to the President

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Invitation (in Spanish) and book "America, Levantate!" sent to the President by de F. Alvarez, C. Juarez, Chih., Mexico. (No letter.)

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Respectfully ... g
Yours
Mrs Gladys Ace
310 E. 4th St. Erie Pa.

File the drawing

September 20, 1940

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My dear Mrs. Ace:

The President has received your letter of September thirteenth and asks me to thank you for writing and sending him the drawing by your son, Robert Steele Ace. He extends his very best wishes to Robert.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. Gladys Ace,
310 East 4th Street,
Erie,
Pennsylvania.

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this liberty of writing you.
Respectively Yours
Mrs Gladys Ace
310 E. 4th St. Erie Pa.

Ack. 9-20-40

Erie Pa.

Sept. 13, 1940

President Roosevelt,

Dear Sir:—

I take this liberty of sending you a sketch, of yourself, by my fifteen year old, son, Robert Steele Ace. You are his Ideal, just what a President, should be.

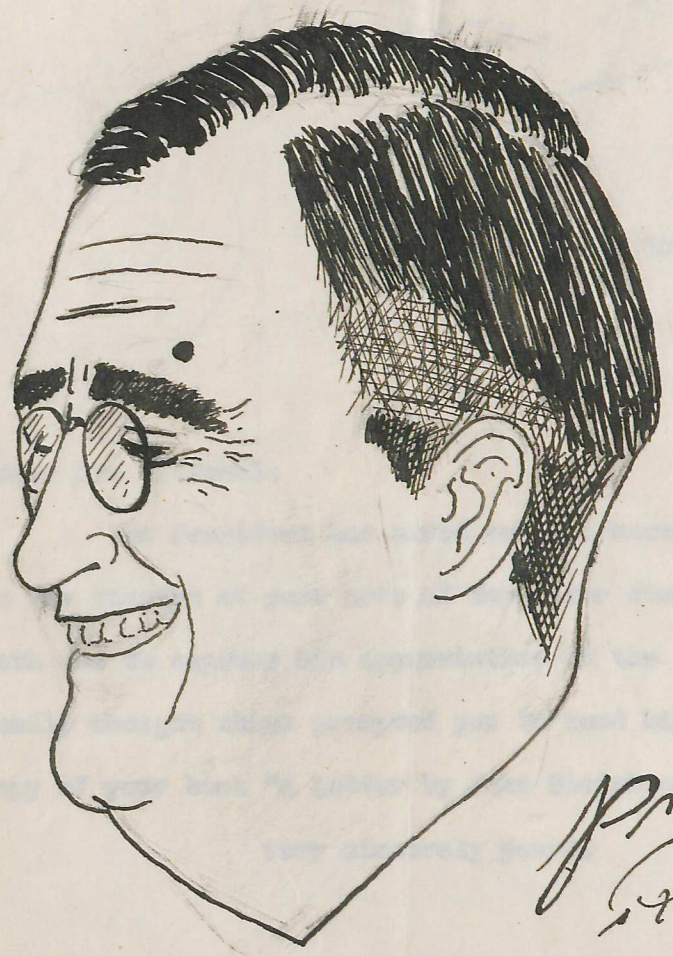
He has never taken an art lesson and, he is always drawing, but I am getting Mothers assistance and, have five others, and of course, it is impossible for me to give him art lessons.

I hope you will pardon my taking this liberty of writing you.

Respectively Yours

Mrs Gladys Ace

310 E. 4th St. Erie Pa.



President
Roosevelt

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Arthur Altschul, Esq.,
Riverbank Road,
Stamford,
Connecticut.

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September 21, 1940

My dear Mr. Altschul:

The President has asked me to acknowledge the receipt of your note of September sixteenth and to express his appreciation of the friendly thought which prompted you to send him a copy of your book "A Letter by John Steinbeck".

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Arthur Altschul, Esq.,
Riverbank Road,
Stamford,
Connecticut.

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Arthur Altschul

RIVERBANK ROAD
STAMFORD · CONNECTICUT

Sept. 16, 1940

Dear Mr. President,

Some time ago I read of a meeting that you had with John Steinbeck.

You may be interested in this little book which I recently have had printed.

Sincerely,

Arthur Altschul

Book "A Letter by John Steinbeck"

ALFRED · A · KNOPF
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BORZOI

Telephones: PLAZA 3-4761

September 25, 1940.

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J. R. de la Torre Bueno, Jr.

The President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

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P.P.F. 9-a

September 25, 1940.

Dear Sir,

You undoubtedly know a good deal about Oswald Spengler's thinking as set forth in his THE DECLINE OF THE WEST, and you have probably even read that book yourself. But in case you haven't, it occurred to me that you might be interested in seeing an advance copy of TODAY AND DESTINY, a volume of excerpts from that great book put together by Edwin Franden Dakin. We shall publish it on October 7 and have sent you an early copy separately with our compliments. You could hardly even glance at it, I think, without being struck by the extreme pertinence of many of Spengler's observations to what is happening in the world today.

xP.P.F. 9-B

Yours faithfully,
for ALFRED A. KNOPF INC.

J. R. de la Torre Bueno, Jr.

The President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

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September 23, 1940

Ambassador,

London.

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August 5, 1940,

Miss LeHand, Secretary to the President,

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Constance Smedley Armfield,

15 High Street,
West Wycombe,
Bucks.

The writer encloses a copy of a booklet containing an article she has written entitled "A Word to the Wise".

It will be noted that the writer requests the return of the booklet which is enclosed herewith.

Original letter from Mrs. Armfield to Miss LeHand, August 5, 1940; Booklet.

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September 30, 1940

My dear Mr. Fontana:

The President has asked me to thank you and the boys in your printing class for your kind thought in sending him the booklet which you enclosed with your letter of September twenty-fifth. He deeply appreciates the spirit of friendliness and good will which prompted your action.

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Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

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John M. Fontana, Esq.,
Arthur S. Somers, Junicr High School,
Lenox Road, Between E. 94th and E. 95th Sts.,
Brooklyn,
New York.

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ARTHUR S. SOMERS JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL
(J. H. S. 252)

LENOX ROAD, Between E. 94th and E. 95th STREETS
Brooklyn, N. Y.

SADIE W. SELTZER
Assistant to Principal

WILLIAM L. CARROLL, *Principal*

BOARD OF EDUCATION
of the City of New York

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September 25, 1940

The Honorable Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt
President of The United States
Hyde Park, New York

My dear Mr. President:

May I present to you a copy of the enclosed booklet. This is a project carried out by the boys in our Printing class. It includes typesetting, presswork, and binding- all accomplished by hand.

The students are very proud of their work and want you to share their joy in accepting this copy.

Very truly yours,
John M. Fontana
John M. Fontana
Teacher in charge
of Printing Class

Approved William L. Carroll
William L. Carroll
Principal

October 9, 1940

P.P.7.
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My dear Mr. Acharya:

Thank you, in the President's behalf, for the copy of your book "Desires". It was indeed thoughtful of you to send it and I want to assure you that your kindness is appreciated.

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Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Pundit Acharya, Esq.,
Yoga Research Institute,
119 West 57th Street,
New York, N.Y.

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BULLITT, Hon. William C.,
Wash., D.C.
Oct. 9, 1940. (Ack.)

On above date President wrote to Mr. Bullitt, ~~for~~ thanking him for the delicious box of apples sent him.

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October 9, 1940

Dear Herbert:

Many thanks for the copy of your book. I do appreciate your kind thought in having it sent on to me.

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My best wishes to you.

Very sincerely yours,

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

Herbert Agar, Esq.,
c/o Louisville Courier Journal,
Louisville,
Kentucky.

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Dear Herbert
Thank
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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

October 8, 1940

My dear Mr. Agar:

Thank you, in the President's behalf, for the copy of your book. I know that he will appreciate your kind thoughtfulness in sending it to him.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Herbert Agar, Esq.,
~~c/o Reynal & Hitchcock,~~
~~386 Fourth Avenue,~~
New York, N.Y.

c/o Louisville Courier Journal
Louisville, Ky.

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October 11, 1940

PPF 9-a

My dear Miss Anderson:

Thank you in the President's behalf for the booklets to which you refer in your letter of October first. He appreciates your courtesy in sending them to him and wants you to know that he is deeply grateful for the friendly interest and good will which your letter evidences.

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Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Miss Ethel A. Anderson,
1368 Pacific Street,
St. Paul,
Minnesota.

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St. Paul, Minnesota
October 1, 1940

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

Dear Mr. President:

Attached to this letter you will find some booklets which I feel inspired to send to you.

No doubt, you will want to know who I am. Well, I am just a citizen of the United States, at present living in St. Paul, Minnesota. During the 1936 Presidential Campaign I worked for the Minnesota Roosevelt All-Party Agricultural Committee, under Mr. Frank W. Murphy and Mr. Victor E. Anderson. I expect to work for the Agricultural Committee here in St. Paul this year.

It is my fervent prayer that the "Water of Life" may ever flow down the White House steps in Washington, over the verdant fields of America, and across the oceans to other lands. The world is thirsty. When the need is great enough, the remedy will always be supplied.

also 2 booklet "Clear Horizon"

Just another "Water-bearer",

Ethel A. Anderson

Ethel A. Anderson
1368 Pacific St.
St. Paul, Minnesota

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ADDRESS OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS TO
THE SECRETARY OF STATE
WASHINGTON, D. C.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
WASHINGTON

In reply refer to
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October 15, 1940

P.P.F. 9-a

My dear Miss LeHand:

I am transmitting herewith four packages of "Yerba Mate" and a box containing utensils for serving the drink sent to the President through the Argentine Embassy in Washington by the General Manager of Aguila y Productos Saint Hermanos S. A., of Buenos Aires. There are also enclosed copies of the sender's communication and its enclosure.

The American Embassy at Buenos Aires has been requested to convey to the sender an expression of appreciation on behalf of the President.

Sincerely yours,

L. S. Hummel Jr.
Chief of Protocol.

Enclosures:
Mate and serving
utensils.

Miss Marguerite A. LeHand,
Private Secretary to the President,
The White House.

Department of State

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ENCLOSURE
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Letter drafted

ADDRESSED TO

Miss LeHand

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 1—1033

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S.A.

Herrera 855
Buenos Aires

11 september 1940

of the United States of America.

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ormation supplied to us by our friend,
mm, vice-president of The National City
Bank of New York, we have been given to understand
that you have shown a special interest in a certain
infusion plant that is cultivated in the northern
provinces of the Argentine Republic and known to the
natives as "Yerba Mate".-

For this reason we are taking the privilege of
sending to you, through señor Felipe Espil, the Argen-
tine Ambassador in Washington, a box containing a
sample of best quality "Yerba Mate" as grown on
Argentine plantations.-

We trust that you will enjoy sampling this pro-
duct, Mr. President, and at the same time would ask
you to accept our most cordial greetings.

Yours very truly.

P.P. Cafes, Chocolates Aguila y
Productos Saint Hermanos Socd. Anª.

J. RONGO (?)

Gerente General

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Cafes, Chocolates

AGUILA
y Productos
Saint Hermanos
S.A.

Herrera 855
Buenos Aires

11 september 1940

The President of the United States of America.

Washington. D. C.

U.S.A.

Dear Mr. President,

From information supplied to us by our friend, Mr. James Drumm, vice-president of The National City Bank of New York, we have been given to understand that you have shown a special interest in a certain infusion plant that is cultivated in the northern provinces of the Argentine Republic and known to the natives as "Yerba Mate".-

For this reason we are taking the privilege of sending to you, through señor Felipe Espil, the Argentine Ambassador in Washington, a box containing a sample of best quality "Yerba Mate" as grown on Argentine plantations.-

We trust that you will enjoy sampling this product, Mr. President, and at the same time would ask you to accept our most cordial greetings.

Yours very truly.

P.P. Cafes, Chocolates Aguila y
Productos Saint Hermanos Socd. Ana.

J. RONGO (?)

Gerente General

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARING YERBA MATE

IMPORTANT.

For "yerba tea" use product in packet with blue label marked "tipo argentino extra".-

For "yerba mate" in gourd use product in packet with red label.-

YERBA TEA.

Use one teaspoonful of "yerba" per person per cup and put into a teapot or similar recipient. Add the necessary amount of water. Leave standing for five minutes to allow flavour to develop. Strain and add sugar to taste. If desired milk may be used in place of water but it will be necessary to use a little more "yerba".

YERBA MATE

Put tube (native name "bombilla") into gourd (native name "mate") and half fill with "yerba". If desired a small amount of sugar may be added. The temperature of the water used is important. On no account should it be boiling or near boiling point but it must be very hot. This done, fill the gourd with water. The liquid may then be taken through the tube. This operation may be repeated several times without replenishing the "yerba".

It is common practice in this country to add a few small pieces of dried orange peel and another practice is to add a small amount of ground coffee. This, too, is another way of preparing the gourd before adding the "yerba". Put a small amount of powdered sugar into the gourd and drop in a piece of glowing charcoal. Shake rapidly until the sugar caramelizes. Add "yerba" and hot water in the usual manner.

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October 17, 1940

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October 16, 1940

Respectfully referred to the State Department.

EDWIN M. WATSON
Secretary to the President

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Marcelino W. Arce,
Montevideo,
Argentina.

Presents President with a copy of his book "La Trayectoria de la Humanidad".

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~~Mr Nomes~~

October 17, 1940

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My dear Mr. Darlington:

The President has noted with interest your letter of October tenth. He is glad indeed to have the two copies of your special edition of the New Testament and has asked me to express his sincere appreciation of your friendly thought in sending them to him.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

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Gilbert Darlington, Esq.,
American Bible Society,
Park Avenue and 57th Street,
New York, N.Y.

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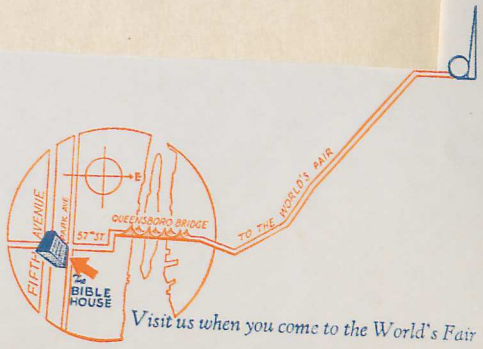

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FRANCIS CARR STIFLER
EDITORIAL SECRETARY
JAMES OSCAR BOYD
ASSISTANT SECRETARY
GILBERT DARLINGTON
TREASURER

October 10, 1940

Honorable Franklin D. Roosevelt
President of the United States
White House
Washington, D. C.

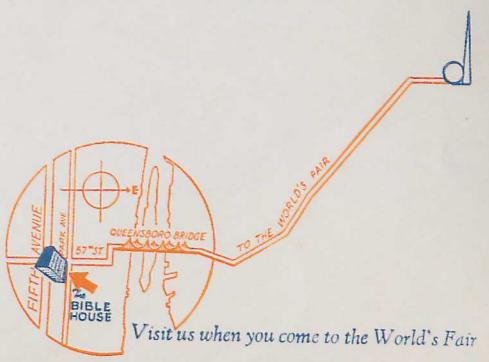
Dear President Roosevelt:

The first copies of our special edition of New Testaments for men called to the service of their country in the Army and Navy have arrived. It gives me great pleasure to present you as Commander-in-Chief of the Army and Navy with a copy for the Navy in blue and a copy for the Army in brown. These will arrive under separate cover. You will find them very well made and attractive.

During the Civil War our Society issued over one million Testaments a year, most of them for men in the service, and during the World War our issues were over two million per year. The present edition for the Army and Navy, 250,000 copies, is just the beginning as we stand ready to meet any demands that may be made upon us. The Air Force has not been forgotten for the appropriate aviation insignia is added to both copies of the Army and Navy books.

On September 10, 1872 the Continental Congress recommended the King James version of the Bible to the inhabitants of the United States. The experience of our Society since its institution in 1816 has proved that especially in times of war there is an unusual demand for the New Testament. While everyone hopes that war may not be necessary, still we must be prepared for whatever the future may bring.

As your great grandfather, James Roosevelt, your grandfather, Isaac Roosevelt, and your father James Roosevelt, were all Life Directors of our Society, it is



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an unusual pleasure to present you with these two copies of the New Testament, which you and your ancestors have valued so greatly. It is in a very real sense the basis of our American ideals and way of life.

Sincerely yours,

Gilbert Darlington

Treasurer.

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October 18, 1940

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My dear Mr. Leader:

Mr. Early has referred to me your letter of October 17, as I arrange all appointments for the President.

May I assure you that the President deeply appreciates the fine cooperation of you and your group, and I regret that it will be impossible to arrange for the committee to present the President with the "keep sake" on November 6. Quite frankly, the tremendous pressure on the President during these critical days has been such that we are now limiting his appointments to those of a strictly official character.

If you would care to present the "keep sake" to me, I shall, of course, be glad to receive the committee on the President's behalf, as I have been doing on such occasions for some time past; or, if you do not wish to come to Washington under these circumstances, and would like to mail it in my care, you may be sure it will reach the President with a proper word of explanation.

Sincerely yours,

EDWIN M. WATSON
Secretary to the President

William M. Leader, Esq.
President
American Federation of Hosiery Workers
2530 No. 4th St.
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

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1st Vice President

Meeting Rooms and Offices, 2530 N. Fourth Street

PHILADELPHIA, October 17, 1940

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

Dear Mr. Early:

Branch One of the American Federation of Hosiery Workers, was one of the first organizations to urge President Roosevelt to run for another term of office. We are at present doing everything possible to get the votes necessary for his election. When the votes are counted we believe he will win by a large majority and it is the wish of this Branch that we be given the opportunity on November 6th of having a committee present to the President a token of our esteem and good wishes for the next four years.

We are having an attractive "keepsake" made up for him which we believe he will be proud of and which will give us a great deal of pleasure to present to him. In the event he is reelected shall we be granted this pleasure?

An early reply would be appreciated.

Best wishes for a happy and successful November 5th.

Sincerely yours,

William M. Leader

President
AMERICAN FEDERATION OF HOSIERY WORKERS
Branch One

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October 23, 1940

PPF 9-a

My dear Mr. Armstrong:

It was indeed thoughtful of you to send the President a copy of your little book. He wants you to know that he appreciates your courtesy.

PPF 9-B

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Hamilton Fish Armstrong, Esq.,
Editor,
Foreign Affairs,
45 East 65th Street,
New York, N. Y.

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ARMSTRONG
EDITOR

FOREIGN AFFAIRS

AN AMERICAN QUARTERLY REVIEW

45 EAST SIXTY-FIFTH STREET, NEW YORK

October 19, 1940

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

Dear Mr. President:

The facts in this new little book of mine you of course know already. The speed with which they occurred is the amazing thing. I have tried to sum up the lessons for us in the two last chapters.

Yours ever sincerely,

Hamilton Fish Armstrong

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October 24, 1940

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My dear Mr. Aumack:

The President has asked me to acknowledge your letter and to thank you very much for the souvenir lamp. He wants you to know that he appreciates your generous expression of good will as well as the confidence in his leadership which your words imply.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

W. D. Aumack, Esq.,
Box 71,
Monaca,
Pennsylvania.

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Monaca Pa Sept 23rd 1940

To the President
Franklin D. Roosevelt.
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir,

I am sending you by Parcel Post mail a lamp which consists of your bust. we have just finished getting these on the market last week. We expect to have these lamps from coast to coast in a very short time. Hoping you will be pleased with the one I am sending you and hoping see you receive a

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Answer Prayer. and keep Tarnon from being elected for

larger landslide than you received in 1936

I am still holding the letter you sent me in 1933 stating you would take care of me when appointments were made

Hoping to hear from you after receiving your lamp telling me what you think of it

I am Yours Respect

W. D. Chumack

Box 71

Monaca

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October 23, 1940

My dear Mr. Arringtonq

Thank you in the President's behalf for the souvenir to which you refer in your letter of recent date. I want to assure you that he is most grateful for the confidence in his leadership which your words imply.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

J. A. Arrington, Esq.,
Route 1,
Esom Hill,
Georgia.

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Answer Prayer and keep Roar Tarnon from being elected for

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Esom Hill, Ga.

Sept. 5. 1940.

Mr Franklin D Roosevelt.
washington D.C.

Dear President:

I am asking and sending you a gift that I designed as a Monogram For the New Deal: I hope and Pray that you will accept this from a Poor Young Man not able to do manual Labor. I Made this from a piece of Bronz. yielding Broz.

The pick Rep. you dug up the New Deal:

The Hammer that you hammered it out.

The Square - that you Squared it that all Class might be benefited:

your Homer = you may ware it on your watch Chain if you Choose: If you will Please accept this little gift Please want you let me hear from you.

I Pray god will hear and answer Prayer. and Keep that Garnon from being elected for

our President- to our free Glorious
of America: regardless of what may
happen I am a true Southern for
you:

May god Bless and help
to Keep. You

I am a Roosevelt man
one Hundred per cent.

Just a Single letter and
a gift from The Heart.

I am yours Very truly.

J. a. Arrington
Ecom Hill Ga.
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October 23, 1940

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My dear Mrs. Anderson:

Many thanks in the President's behalf for your friendly note and for the flag which you left at this office recently. He wants you to know that he appreciates your kind expression of good will.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. Helen Anderson,
133 C Street N. E.,
Washington, D. C.

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Ack'd 10/23 mgr

Washington. 9. 13. 1940.

Dear Mr. President.

I am sanding you this Flag as I think you are a good President and a grate American. I was Born in Germany and I am 15 Jars in this County I am a Citizen, and I am verry lucky tu be here and that is why I am sanding you this Flag I made myself to show my Appreciation to this County.

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s, Argentina.
"Julio A. Roca", - 5 copies of magazine - "Londres Cuartel General Europeo".

All I can say is,
God Bless America.

Mrs. Helen Anderson.
133. C. St. N. E.
Washington D. C.

(Delivered in person)

Cuartel General Europeo".

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October 29, 1940

Respectfully referred to the State

Department for attention.

EDWIN M. WATSON
Secretary to the President.

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To the President:

Antonio B. Martins Aranha, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. 10-6-40
Sends the President a copy of his book "Imperio Sovietico".

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Instituo de Botanica y Farmacologia, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
"Julio A. Roca", - 5 copies of magazine - "Londres Cuartel General Europeo".

LEADER, William M., President
Branch One
American Federation of Hosiery Workers
Philadelphia, Penna.
Oct. 30, 1940

Writes Mrs. Roosevelt they are doing everything in their power to secure votes for President's re-election. Says they are having an attractive "keepsake" made for him and would like to have arrangements made to present it to him.

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November 9, 1940

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My dear Friends:

The President was delighted to receive that large basket of beautiful chrysanthemums together with the congratulations and good wishes from his friends of Atchison. He wants everyone concerned to know that he is deeply grateful for this expression of confidence in his leadership.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Hilligoss Greenhouse,
Atchison,
Kansas.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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Atchison, Kansas

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Large basket
Chrysanthemums

President Roosevelt
White House
Washington D. C.



With Best Wishes
and Congratulations
To one of the Greatest
Presidents of all
Time. Friends of
Atchison, Kans.

HILLIGOSS GREENHOUSE

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November 12, 1940

My dear friends:

Your friendly letter of recent date with two pins attached has been received. He wishes me to assure you that he deeply appreciates your kind thought in writing to him.

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Very sincerely yours,

STEPHEN EARLY
Secretary to the President

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Boruch and Anna Aschkenzy & Shirley,
240 Sheffield Avenue,
Brooklyn,
New York.

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2 pins attached -

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12, 1940

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Honorable President Of The United States Franklin D. Roosevelt

My Father, the Hebrew Teacher is sending his blessings to you and has been praying for you daily that you should be re-elected and also that God should keep you well so that you might be able to carry on your good work as you have done in the past. With best luck.

Boruch + Anna Aschkenazy + Shirley

240 Sheffield Ave. B'klyn N.Y.

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Original letter from Mr. Martins
Stamps to the President, with
copy of Translator's Summary of
book.

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A. LeRand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

November 12, 1940

Chargé d'Affaires ad interim,

Rio de Janeiro.

October 6, 1940,

the President,

Antonio B. Martins Aranha,

Copacabana 152,
Apartment 24,
Rio de Janeiro.

The writer sends the President a copy of his translation of O Imperio Sovietico by Dionisio R. Napal.

For the information of the Officer in charge of the consular section, reference is made to the Department's instruction of July 9, 1940, concerning previous correspondence from this writer.

Original letter from Mr. Martins Aranha to the President, with copy of Translator's summary of book.

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Mr. Norris: Noted mcl.

For your information and records,
and then to give to Mrs. Bonsteel
for her information and files.

November 18, 1940

My dear Mrs. Adams:

The President has asked me to thank you for the preserved fruits and jellies which you were good enough to send to him. It was exceedingly thoughtful of you and he wants you to know how much he appreciates your kindness.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. S. J. Adams,
1023 Indian Street,
St. Paul,
Nebraska.

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Mr. Norris: noted mcl.

For your information and records, and then to give to Mrs. Bonsteel for her information and files.

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November 19, 1940.

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My dear Mr. President:

I take great pleasure in enclosing a copy of a despatch of November 8 from Ambassador Armour at Buenos Aires regarding Argentine press comment on your reelection. Accompanying this despatch was the enclosed book of clippings showing the really wide interest in Argentina in the results of the election.

Faithfully yours,

Sumner Welles

Enclosures:
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2. Book of clippings.

The President,

The White House.

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The President,

The White House.

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November 19, 1940

My dear Mr. Ashbrook:

Your letter of November seventh has been received, and the President has asked me to thank you for your courtesy in sending him the souvenir. He much appreciates your thought of him, and is deeply grateful for your kind congratulations.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

L. E. Ashbrook, Esq.,
R. F. D. 7,
Lexington,
Kentucky.

mls

~~Mr. Norris~~

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The Kentucky Whittler's Museum
R. F. D. 7
Lexington, Kentucky
November 7, 1940

President Roosevelt
White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Roosevelt;

I want to congratulate you on your victory. I also want to present you with a campaign button, the only one of its kind. I made it myself and won't need it again for four years so you can have it.

Made of wood

If you ever get near Lexington, I would be delighted to have you stop in and see what I make out of wood.

Sincerely yours,

L. E. Ashbrook.

"The Kentucky Whittler"

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P. S. The campaign button is under seperate cover.

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~~Mr. Morris~~

Pres Study 7

November 25, 1940

My dear Mr. Antheil:

The President has asked me to thank you ever so much for the copy of your book which you were good enough to send him. He greatly appreciates your kind thought.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

George Antheil, Esq.,
1246 N. Sweetzer Avenue,
W. Hollywood,
California.

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Pres Study 7

November 28, 1940

My dear Mr. Alvarez:

It was nice of you to send the President a copy of your book. You may be sure that he much appreciates your kind thought.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

R. Martinez Alverez, Esq.,
Miramar Apartment 218,
1301 15th Street N. W.,
Washington, D. C.

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Miss LeHand

Mr. Roosevelt

November 28, 1940

P.P.F. 9-A

My dear Dr. Aronson:

Many thanks, in the President's behalf, for your courtesy in sending him a copy of your publication "Roscoe Pound and the Resurgence of Juristic Idealism". He wants me to express his appreciation of your friendly thought.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Dr. Moses J. Aronson,
P. O. Box 50,
Hamilton Grange Station,
New York, N. Y.

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November 29, 1940

My dear Miss Allyn:

Permit me, please, to thank you in the President's behalf for the recording. You may be assured that he appreciates the kind thought which prompted you to send it to him.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Miss Mary Ellen Allyn,
117 LaGrave Avenue,
Grand Rapids,
Michigan.

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November 29, 1940.

My dear Mr. de la Torre Bueno:

Your note of November eighteenth has been received and will be made available to the President. You may be assured that your courtesy in sending the book you mention is appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

J. R. de la Torre Bueno, Jr., Esq.,
Alfred A. Knopf, Inc.,
501 Madison Avenue,
New York, N. Y.

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BORZOI BOOKS
ALFRED · A · KNOPF, *Inc.*
501 MADISON AVENUE
New York

November 18, 1940.

Dear Sir,

You may find some material of especial interest on the development of the present international situation in SEVEN MYSTERIES OF EUROPE, Jules Romains' statement of his own part in certain diplomatic negotiations of recent years, which we shall issue on December 2. We have sent you, under separate cover, an advance copy, with our compliments.

Yours faithfully,
for ALFRED A. KNOPF INC.

J. R. de la Torre Bueno, Jr.

The President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

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J. S. Potofsky
General Secy-Treas.

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P.P.F. 9-B

November 29, 1940

P.P.F. 9-A

My dear Mr. Potofsky:

Mr. Early has referred to me your letter of November 26, as I arrange all appointments for the President.

I am afraid it will be impossible to arrange for you to present your book to the President in person. Quite frankly, the situation is this: Since the international situation became so acute we have found it necessary to ask all persons desiring to bring in personal gifts for the President to leave them with me in my capacity as Appointment Secretary. I receive them for the President and pass them along to him with a word of explanation. I will, therefore, be glad to receive the book from you either in person or by mail, and will await your further advice.

P.P.F. 9-B

With all good wishes,

Sincerely yours,

EDWIN M. WATSON
Secretary to the President

J. S. Potofsky, Esq.
General Secretary-Treasurer
Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America
15 Union Square
New York, New York

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James S. Potofsky
J. S. Potofsky
General Sec'y-Treas.

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JACOB S. POTOFSKY,
GENERAL SEC'Y-TREAS.

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

TELEPHONE ALGONQUIN 4-6500

The Advance
Official Publication

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November 26, 1940

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

Dear Mr. Early:

During October, *The Advance*, the official publication of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America, conducted a "Write-a-Letter-for-Roosevelt" Contest. Hundreds of letters were sent in from all parts of the country and all branches of the industry. They spoke with simplicity and sincerity of their faith in the President.

Twenty-one typical letters have been selected and made into a book which we would like to present to the President. We had hoped that this could be done before the election but the President's heavy schedule made this seem unwise to us.

We would appreciate your advising us regarding the possibility of our presenting the book to the President sometime in the near future. If this could be arranged, we would like to have two or three participants in the contest brought to Washington to make the presentation.

Sincerely yours,

Jacob S. Potofsky

J. S. Potofsky
General Sec'y-Treas.

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My dear Miss Arango:

The President has asked me to thank you for your interesting letter of November 18, and also for the cunning little donkey which you sent him. He is delighted to have this for his collection, and deeply appreciates your thoughtfulness.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHAND
Private Secretary
to the President

Miss Carmen Q. Arango
New York
New York

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

December 2, 1940

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Carmen Quintana Arango

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Honorable President
of U.S.A.
Washington.

Dear Mr. President:

Just a little "souvenir"
of your Sections,
your "3rd Term" —
It is another "mascot",
for your collection
of the Democratic

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Washington.

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Difficult times.
I remain, respectfully,
Fourmen G. Arangt

sign! like the ones in your table.
It is so neatly made, that I had
to send it to you, from Yorkville,
after I did you propaganda in
this Section of New York, in our
Austrian Democratic Club.
May you and your Gov., be
inspired from Heaven, in these

December 3, 1940

Respectfully referred to the
officials of the State Department for
appropriate action.

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

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Christmas cards for the President and Mrs. Roosevelt from Miss Jean Agnew, 1 Restabrig Cres., Edinburgh, 7, Scotland, with accompanying pair of gold cufflinks for the President and a Sctach-plaid Tea Cosy for Mrs. Roosevelt.

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Miss Somerville
This goes to the State
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M Ehen

Hand
Frank

What is the
routine on these?

M Somerville

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M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Austin,
R. R. 3,
Union City,
Indiana.

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Mr. Magee

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M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Austin,
R. R. 3,
Union City,
Indiana.

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Miss LeHand

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December 6, 1940

My dear Mr. and Mrs. Austin:

Your letter of December first has been received and I want to assure you that your generous thought is very much appreciated.

While the President and Mrs. Roosevelt are grateful to all those who desire to present gifts to them, they do feel that their acceptance of them should be limited to tokens of small intrinsic value and that they should not accept articles of considerable worth or gifts of handwork on which the donor has necessarily spent a great deal of time and personal effort.

Please be assured that your friendly interest is nonetheless most gratifying.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Austin,
R. R. 3,
Union City,
Indiana.

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Miss Le Hand

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Mr Morris

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the Pres. a quilt.

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a Present
if you would Except it
I Listened to all of Mrs
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and liked them all fine, I made
the Quilt top my self and
would Be glad if you would
Except it and have it
Quilted to suit your self so

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(miss) M.S. Abend

Miss Le Hand

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Mr Morris

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Dear Presedent and Mrs
Roosevelt we was So Glad you
got Elected for the third term
of corse we Voted for you
as we have every time. we
are only Poor folks But
we Knew the Right man for
our Presedent I have made
a Quilt top of Red white and
Blue that I would love
to give to you as a Present
if you would Except it
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Roosevelts Radio Programs
and liked them all fine, I made
the Quilt top my self and
would Be glad if you would
Except it and have it
Quilted to suit your self so

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Miss Le Hand

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~~Mr Norris~~

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You Will tell me where to
Send it. I would Be
offal Pleased to send it
as I made it Just for
You and Mrs Roosevelt

hoping You Will Except
the Present and tell me
where and how to send it
from to allways Democrats
Mr and Mrs B H Austin
R R 3 Union City Ind

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(miss) M.S. Abend

Miss LeHand

December 16, 1940

P.P.F. 9-A

My dear Miss Abend:

Thank you, in the President's behalf, for the basket of wood fibre flowers to which you refer in your letter of November tenth. He wants you to know that he is deeply grateful for your friendly congratulations.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Miss Magdalen S. Abend,
113 West 86th Street,
New York,
New York.

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(Miss) M.S. Abend

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Magdalen S. Abend

~~Wood Fibre Flowers to order and for sale~~

113 West 88th Street New York City

113 W. 88th Street,
New York, N.Y.
November 10, 1940

The United States
Washington D.C.

My Dear Mr. President,

In honor of your re-election to the Presidency of the United States I wish to send you my heartiest congratulations.

I have made a basket of flowers out of "Wood Fibre". They are entirely hand-made and have the appearance of fresh flowers. Please do not put them in water just leave them in the Basket as they are.

I delivered the basket to your residence at Hyde Park N.Y. early Sunday afternoon.

I hope that both you, and Mrs. Roosevelt will like them.

Respectfully Yours,

(miss) M.S. Abend

113 W 88th Street,
New York, N.Y.
November 10, 1940

His Excellency,
The President of the United States
Washington D.C.

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Respectfully Yours,

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Evidently received at Hyde Park. No record here.

Mr. Harris

Reed on Train

December 19, 1940

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press their sincere appreciation
Mr. Harry R. Creamer for those
were presented aboard the special
train Saturday. They are grateful indeed for
this expression of good will on the part of the
citizens of Augusta and want me to convey their
cordial holiday greetings to all.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Honorable James M. Woodall,
Mayor of Augusta,
Augusta,
Georgia.

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Mr. Davis
Read on Train

December 19, 1940

My dear Mr. Mayor:

The President and Mrs. Roosevelt have asked me to express their sincere appreciation to you and to Mr. Harry R. Creamer for those fine hams which were presented aboard the special train Saturday. They are grateful indeed for this expression of good will on the part of the citizens of Augusta and want me to convey their cordial holiday greetings to all.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Leland
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Honorable James M. Woodall,
Mayor of Augusta,
Augusta,
Georgia.

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~~To the~~ Ham ~~President~~
Harry R. Creamer
President Chamber of Commerce
on behalf of the
Citizens of Augusta,
Georgia

To Ham
Mrs Franklin D. Roosevelt
with best wishes
of
Citizens of Augusta,
Ga (Presented by)
On Train. Mayor Jas M. Woodall

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December 20, 1940

My dear Mr. Arsanis:

Thank you in the President's behalf for your card of Christmas greeting and for the gift which you enclosed. You may be assured that he is deeply grateful for your friendliness and good will.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

E. S. Arsanis, Esq.,
1274 Ellis Street,
San Francisco,
California.

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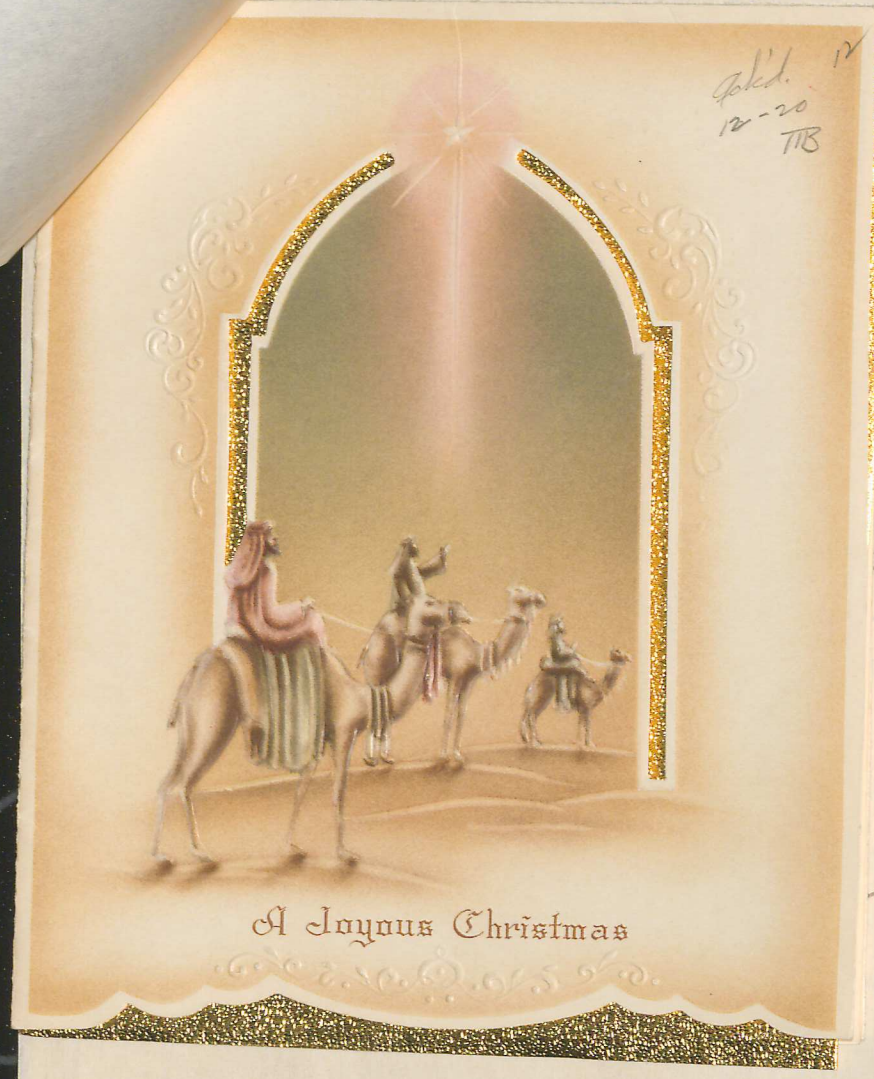

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Oh, Holy Night -
tars are brightly shining
It is the night of
ear Saviour's birth."
— From "Oh, Holy Night"

May you rejoice in the
gladness of this
Christmas Season -
and may its spirit
of Peace and Good Will
remain with you always

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— NAVY, Sec. of

SWOPE, Herbert Bayard,
New York, N.Y.
Ded. 20, 1940.

Sends President a World Almanac which he is having specially bound.

See P.P.F.331

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NAVY, Sec. of
Dec. 23, 1940.

Writes the President saying he is sending him a pair of very old Andirons.-- The President, on Jan. 4th, 1941, wrote the Secretary of the Navy thanking him for this gift and saying he can hardly wait to get away to Hyde Park and take them with him to see how they look.

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Storeroom 7

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December 26, 1940

My dear Mr. Allard:

The President is deeply grateful for your friendly Christmas greetings which you have expressed so graciously in your letter of December twenty-first. He appreciates the spirit which prompted you to send him the token, and wants me to convey his best wishes to you for the New Year.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

J. U. Allard, Esq.,
Box 575,
Cheyenne,
Wyoming.

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Cheyenne, Wyoming
December 21, 1940

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The President
The White House
Washington, D.C.

My dear Mr. President:

In this day of trial and tribulation, my Indian Friend and I glanced thru the broken clouds of a beautiful Wyoming sunset--and what did we see? We spotted in all its American splendor the Glorious Third Ship of State being piloted by the First American Man and his trusted escort, the American Eagle.

May God Bless America (and guide you, Mr. President.) As true Americans we should, and will, help you Man your Memorable Third Ship of State to a safe landing on this and future Christmas days.

Sincerely,
J. U. Allard
(J.U.Allard)

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Joseph A. Anzell, Esq.,
61 West 68th Street,
New York,
New York.

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Thos. Norris

Miss LeHand

December 26, 1940

P.P.F. 9-a

My dear Mr. Anzell:

Thank you in the President's behalf for your friendly letter of Holiday greetings. You may be assured that he appreciates your kind thought in sending him the gift to which you refer.

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Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Joseph A. Anzell, Esq.,
61 West 68th Street,
New York,
New York.

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New York City
December 17,1940

Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt
President of the United States
The White House
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. President:

Having observed that you are a cigarette smoker, I feel confident that you will derive much benefit from the patented FILTER, two of which Holders I take the liberty of sending you under separate cover. I shall be pleased to have you accept them with my compliments.

I am sure you will be convinced of my holders faithful performance and notice the pleasurable difference in your smoking.

Detailed explanations are enclosed with the Holders, under separate cover.

Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year, I am

Respectfully yours,

Joseph A. Anzell

Joseph A. Anzell

61 West 68th Street
New York City

New York City
January 13,1941

Miss M. A. LeHand
Private Secretary
The White House
Washington, D. C.

My dear Midd LeHand:

Thank you for your acknowledgment of December 26, 1940, on the President's behalf, and may I at the same time inquire if you smoke and, if you do, there is no reason why you should not have one of my patented cigarette Holders for your smoking. They not only protect the smoker from the impurities that tobacco contains, but they safe-guard the health of the smoker and add more pleasure to the smoking.

Please let me hear from you and tell me your favorite color.

Respectfully Yours,

Joseph A. Anzell

Joseph A. Anzell

61 West 68th Street
New York, N. Y.

Table sent to President's cottage

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

President's cottage

Mr Howe

December 27, 1940

P.P.7-9-A

My dear Senator Barkley:

I am glad indeed to have that beautiful card table and have sent Mr. Frank C. Anderson a note. Many thanks to you.

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My very best wishes to you and yours for health and happiness throughout the coming year.

Very sincerely yours,

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

Honorable Alben W. Barkley,
United States Senate,
Washington, D. C.

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Peace on Earth
IS AMERICA'S WISH THIS CHRISTMAS

Table sent to President's Cottage

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

December 27, 1940

My dear Mr. Anderson:

Many thanks for that especially beautiful card table which you presented through the courtesy of Senator Barkley. I do appreciate your kindness in sending me such a fine piece of work.

My cordial good wishes go to you with this note for a Bright and Happy New Year.

Very sincerely yours,

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

Frank C. Anderson, Esq.,
Anderson Woodworking Company,
Louisville,
Kentucky.

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IS AMERICA'S WISH THIS CHRISTMAS

Table sent to President's cottage

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

BEN W. BARKLEY
CHAIRMAN

United States Senate

CONFERENCE OF THE MAJORITY

December 26, 1940

Prepare nice note of thanks to Mr Anderson for beautiful table thank Sen. Barkley - P.

Dear General:

I am sending to you for presentation to the President, a beautiful card table, which has been sent to me for that purpose by Mr. Frank C. Anderson, of the Anderson Woodworking Company, of Louisville, Kentucky.

I think you will agree this is a beautiful piece of work, and I hope the President will write Mr. Anderson a letter of acknowledgement. I also hope he will not take away too much of your money on the top of it.

Sincerely yours,

Alben W. Barkley

General Edwin M. Watson
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Peace on Earth
IS AMERICA'S WISH THIS CHRISTMAS

Table sent to Presidents cottage

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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GENERAL WATSON:

Here is the letter for the President about the card table Senator Barkley spoke of to you this morning.

The card table was sent to Miss LeHand's office. This letter should probably also go to her, unless you wish to thank for the table.

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Send to Miss LeHand

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LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY

December 25, 1940.

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



ANDERSON WOOD WORKING COMPANY
INCORPORATED

LOUISVILLE ~ KENTUCKY

December 23, 1940.

PPF 9-A

Dear President Roosevelt:

It gives me pleasure to tell you that, within the next few days you will receive a card table, which we have made for you this Christmas.

This American Eagle Inlay, which features wood -- our product -- shows the beauty that can be obtained in high grade woodwork, as you will notice in the Walnut Burl Veneers, which are used in the shield; and the Myrtle Burl Veneers in the olive spray; also the other veneers that have been featured throughout the entire inlay. We sincerely trust that you will enjoy using this little gift.

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Wishing you a very Happy Christmas, and a Prosperous New Year, I am,

Sincerely,

Frank C. Anderson,

FCA:MG

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



United States Senate

Washington, D.C., Dec. 26, *194*0

Respectfully referred to

General Edwin M. Watson,
Military Aide to the President,
The White House,
Washington, D. C.

The attached should have accompanied the card table which was sent over this afternoon.

Respectfully,

Alben W. Barkley
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