

PRESIDENT'S PERSONAL FILE

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My dear Mr. Beilenson:

Thank you for your letter of the nineteenth and also for sending me the copy of "The Selfish Giant". I am delighted to have it. The President was very much pleased with his copy of "The Hunting of the Snark" and also with your edition of the Declaration of Independence.

Happy New Year to you.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHAND
Private Secretary

Peter Beilenson, Esq.,
376 Main Street,
New Rochelle,
New York.

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December 19, 1933

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Dear Miss Le Hand:

We were of course delighted to hear that you are planning to give the President a copy of "The Hunting of the Snark" for Christmas, and thought that perhaps you would like to know that it has just been chosen one of the Fifty Best Books of the Year.

Along with the Snark we have taken the liberty of sending a copy of our edition of the Declaration of Independence for the President's library, and Oscar Wilde's "The Selfish Giant" for yourself.

Wishing you a very merry Christmas,

Yours very truly

Peter Beilenson

Miss Marguerite Le Hand
The White House
Washington, D.C.

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CUMMINGS, GUSSIE SPALDING

Sends President birthday greetings and gift of two old books.

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The Children of the Country Home,
COUNTRY HOME FOR CONVALESCENT CRIPPLED CHILDREN,
West Chicago, Illinois
January, (No Date) 1934

Send the President birthday greetings and a book
about their Country Home.

See P.P.F. 310 "C"

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Mr. and Mrs. William J. Brown,
c/o East 88th Street,
New York City,
New York.

Handwritten:
To Mr. and Mrs. Lathrop Brown
435 East 52nd Street
New York City

January 2, 1934.

Handwritten in circle:
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Dear Jake and Helen:

Thank you so much for the two perfectly delightful books which you sent me. I look forward with real pleasure to some pleasant evenings reading them.

I hope you will excuse me for dictating this note but Congress will soon be with me and I must get a message ready for them.

Best wishes to you both for a very Happy New Year.

Handwritten: P.D.

Very sincerely yours,

Mr. and Mrs. Lathrop Brown, x
435 East 52nd Street,
New York City,
New York.

Best wishes
Jan 1934

Mrs. Lathrop Brown
Lathrop & Helen
Four hundred and thirty-five
East Fifty-second Street

January 4, 1934

January 3, 1934.

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My dear Mr. Butterworth:

I am sure the little book which
you sent me has already been acknowledged,
but I must send you this personal line to
tell you of my appreciation of your
thought of me. The book is a real addition
to my collection and I am perfectly delighted
with it.

Best wishes to you for the New Year.

Very sincerely yours,

Samuel F. Butterworth, Esq.,
79 Forest Avenue,
Glen Ridge,
New Jersey.

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January 4, 1934.

January 3, 1934.

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My dear Mr. Butterworth:

I am sure the little book which you sent me has already been acknowledged, but I must send you this personal line to tell you of my appreciation of your thought of me. The book is a real addition to my collection and I am perfectly delighted with it.

Best wishes to you for the New Year.

Very sincerely yours,

Samuel F. Butterworth, Esq.,
79 Forest Avenue,
Glen Ridge,
New Jersey.

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January 3, 1934.

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delighted to have it.

A very happy New Year to you.

Very sincerely yours,

Charles Beard, Esq.,
New Milford,
Connecticut.

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My dear Mr. President,

With this book which,
due to its size and age,
I hope will be allowed
the honor of being
added to your collection,
I, as a simple County-
man, am sending
my best wishes for
your Christmas, most-
felt thanks and
congratulations for
what you have

Greetings and Best Wishes
for Christmas
and the New Year
The Butterworths

49 Forest Ave.,
Glen Ridge, New Jersey

already accomplished
and earnest prayers
that you will be
given the strength
to carry on the
fight for our
Country and the World

Very sincerely
Samuel F. Butterworth

January 4, 1934.

January 3, 1934.

My dear Mr. Beard:

I want to send you this personal
line to thank you for sending me the copy
of "The Future Comes". I am perfectly
delighted to have it.

A very happy New Year to you.

Very sincerely yours,

Charles Beard, Esq.,
New Milford,
Connecticut.

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January 4, 1934.

Future Comes
Charles Beech
WITH THE COMPLIMENTS
OF THE AUTHOR

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December seventeenth has
to the attention of
sts me to thank you for
oil sketch which you were
good enough to send him. He is glad to accept it
and deeply appreciates your Season's Greetings,
which he heartily reciprocates.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

S. P. Bolas, Esq.,
Box #2,
Lansing,
Kansas.

Very respectfully yours,

S. P. Bolas
Box #2,
Lansing, Kansas.

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January 4, 1934.

My dear Mr. Boles:

Your letter of December seventeenth has been received and called to the attention of the President. He requests me to thank you for writing and for the pencil sketch which you were good enough to send him. He is glad to accept it and deeply appreciates your Season's Greetings, which he heartily reciprocates.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

S. P. Boles, Esq.,
Box #2,
Lansing,
Kansas.

Very respectfully yours,

S. P. Boles
Box #2,
Lansing, Kansas.

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Lansing, Kansas.
December 17, 1933.

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

Dear Mr. President:

Under sepearte cover you will receive a
free-hand pencil drawing which was copied from one of your
numerous portraits. Please accept the picture as a mani-
festation of my high regard and the esteem in which the
people in general hold you.

I am an inmate of the Kansas State Peni-
tentiary, age seventy-one years. I have been here for the
past six years, serving a sentence of ten to fifty years.

With best wishes for a Merry Christmas
and a bright and prosperous year, I am Sir,

Very respectfully yours,

S. P. Boles

S. P. Boles
Box #2,
Lansing, Kansas.

For the President,
Mrs. M. L. Buckner,
Mercedes, Texas.

January 4, 1934

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My dear Mr. Buckner:

The box of delicious grape fruit which you
were good enough to send the President has been re-
ceived and he asks me to thank you heartily for your
courtesy. He is glad to have the fruit and deeply
appreciates the spirit which prompted your act.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

M. L. Buckner, Esq.,
Mercedes,
Texas.

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For the President.
from, M. L. Buckner,
Mercedes, Texas.

1 box of Grape Fruit.

you were good enough to send him, and to tell
you that they were much enjoyed by himself and
family.

The President greatly appreciates your
New Year greetings which he heartily reciprocates.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

R. Wilmer Bolling, Esq.,
1 Dupont Circle, N.W.,
Washington, D.C.

January 6, 1934.

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My dear Mr. Bolling:

The President is in receipt of your letter to December twenty-seventh. He asks me to thank you warmly for the fine birds which you were good enough to send him, and to tell you that they were much enjoyed by himself and family.

The President greatly appreciates your New Year greetings which he heartily reciprocates.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

R. Wilmer Bolling, Esq.,
1 Dupont Circle, N.W.,
Washington, D.C.

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R. WILMER BOLLING
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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My dear Mr. President:-

These birds were shot yesterday and
I hope that you and Mrs. Roosevelt will enjoy them.

With the hope that the New Year will
bring to you and yours all joy and happiness, I am,

Respectfully yours,

W. Bolling

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

December the twenty seventh, 1933.

January 3, 1934
The Honorable Franklin D. Roosevelt
The White House
Washington D.C.

January 7, 1934.

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My dear Mr. Bertram:

The President was delighted with the
pipe, and he asked me to express his thanks.

I know that he will derive a great deal
of pleasure out of smoking it.

Sincerely yours,

M. H. McINTYRE
Assistant Secretary to the
President

Benjamin Bertram, Esq.,
910 - 14th Street, N.W.,
Washington, D.C.

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Most Respectfully yours,
Benjamin Bertram

910-14th St. N.W.
Washington D.C.

January 3rd, 1934

The Honorable Franklin D. Roosevelt.

The White House

Washington D. C.

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My dear Mr. President;

It is with great personal pleasure and satisfaction that I present you with this pipe and my warmest greetings of the season.

I have turned this pipe of the finest piece of Algerian briar, with my own hands, and offer it with the sincere hope that it prove sweet, soothing, and comforting in trying moments.

Most Respectfully Yours.

Benjamin Bertrane

910-14th St. N.W.

Washington D. C.

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Congress of the United States
CURLEY, Mayor James M.
Boston, Mass.
Jan. 8, 1934

President wrote letter of thanks for book, "Two Years of Speeches", which
Mayor Curley sent. Sent season's greetings.

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Biggs, Biggs and Lynch

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

January 8, 1934.

My dear Mr. Biggs:

The President is in receipt of your letter of December twenty-seventh and asks me to thank you heartily for your courtesy in sending him the copy of the book to which you refer. He is glad to have the volume for his library and is indeed grateful for your thought of him in this connection.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

John Biggs, Jr., Esq.,
Equitable Building,
Wilmington,
Delaware.

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JOHN BIGGS
JOHN BIGGS, JR.
STEWART LYNCH

BIGGS, BIGGS AND LYNCH
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
EQUITABLE BUILDING
WILMINGTON, DELAWARE

TELEPHONE
WILMINGTON 8177

December 27, 1933

President Franklin D. Roosevelt
The White House
Washington

My dear Mr. President:-

I take the liberty of sending you by
separate cover a book on Delaware Business Corporations
which my partner and I have just edited. I hope
that you will add it to your library and that it will
be of use to you.

Faithfully yours,

John Biggs

JB Jr.w

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives

January 8, 1934.

MIZWA, Stephen P. (Exec. Director, Kosciuszko Foundation)
New York City
Jan. 8, 1934

Writes President reminding that six years ago, while Gov., he inscribed sentiments in an Album of Tributes which was present to Mr. Paderewski at dinner by Kosciuszko Foundation at tenth anniversary of independence of Poland. - Sending under separate cover copy #1 of the first complete biography of Paderewski, as a gift and in appreciation for what President has done for the cause of Poland. -- President sent warm letter of thanks. Jan. 15, 1934.

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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.
January 8, 1934

January 8, 1934.

My dear Mr. Stubbs:

I am sorry that I have been so long in advising you that the fine Christmas cake sent to the President by Mr. William Baker of Ojai, California, was received and presented with the compliments of Mr. Baker. The cake was thoroughly enjoyed by the President's family.

Will you please be good enough to express to Mr. Baker the President's sincere appreciation of his thoughtfulness.

Very sincerely yours,

LOUIS McIL. HOWE
Secretary to the President

Honorable Henry E. Stubbs,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

Sincerely yours,
Henry E. Stubbs, H.C.

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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives

Washington, D. C.
January 4, 1934

BAKER, William
Ojai, California.

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Hon. Louis MacHenry Howe,
The White House,
Washington, D.C.

My dear Mr. Howe:

I want to thank you very much for
your kindness in acting as proxy for me
in presentation of the Christmas cake
to the President.

William Baker, of Ojai, and thousands
of citizens of that district, consider
this annual presentation a civic and national
rite.

Would it be possible for you to
provide me with a letter, advising me that
the cake was received and presented, and
if becoming, elaborate a bit on its beauty,
workmanship and tastiness, in order that I
might forward your communication to Mr.
Baker, who will appreciate your thoughtfulness
more than words can relate.

Sincerely yours,

Henry E. Stubbs
Henry E. Stubbs, M.C.

CLERK, OFFICE OF THE
DIRECTOR, BUREAU OF
THE TREASURY

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The White House
Washington

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Dec. 14, 1933.

Honorable Henry E. Stubbs, x
Santa Maria, California.

Answering your wire I will be very happy to act as your proxy

Louis McH. Howe
Secretary to the President.

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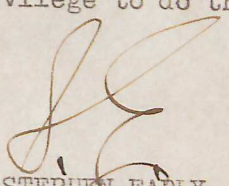
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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

December 12, 1933

MEMORANDUM FOR COLONEL HOWE :

I think you should write Congressman
Stubbs that because of his inability to be in
Washington this year to present William Baker's
Christmas cake to the President, that you will
consider it a privilege to do this by proxy.


STEPHEN EARLY

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THE QUICKEST, SUREST AND SAFEST WAY TO SEND MONEY IS BY TELEGRAPH OR CABLE

Let me know what you think the answer
to this should be.

L.H.

J. C. WILLEVER
FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

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MINUTES IN TRANSIT
FULL-RATE DAY LETTER

FOR MANY YEARS WILLIAM BAKER OF OJAI IN CALIFORNIA HAS
SPENT MONTHS ON GIANT CALIFORNIA FRUIT CAKE FOR PRESENTATION
TO PRESIDENT EACH CHRISTMAS DAY STOP HIS 100 POUND CAKE
FOR THIS YEAR IS COMPLETED STOP IT WILL BE IMPOSSIBLE FOR ME
TO MAKE PRESENTATION THIS CHRISTMAS STOP WILL YOU ACT AS
PROXY FOR ME THIS CHRISTMAS OR ARRANGE FOR A PROXY STOP
THIS MEANS GREAT DEAL OUT HERE AND YOUR ASSISTANCE WILL BE
APPRECIATED STOP WILL YOU ADVISE ME BY TELEGRAPH=

HENRY E STUBBS MC.

THE QUICKEST, SUREST AND SAFEST WAY TO SEND MONEY IS BY TELEGRAPH OR CABLE

This is a full-rate Telegram or Cablegram unless its deferred character is indicated by a suitable sign above or preceding the address.

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R. B. WHITE
PRESIDENT

NEWCOMB CARLTON
CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

J. C. WILLEVER
FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

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COLONEL LOUIS MACHENRY HOWE, SECRETARY TO

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT=THE WHITE HOUSE WASHDC=

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THE OJAI BAKERY
January 9, 1934.

Home of Bill Baker's Fine Baked Products

412 E. Main St.

OJAI, CALIFORNIA

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My dear Mr. Baker:

Will you please pardon me for this belated
reply to your letters of December twelfth regarding
the fruit cake which you baked for the President for
his Christmas. I took much pleasure in delivering
the cake to the President and am sure that he and
his family greatly enjoyed it. He asked me to
thank you heartily for your courtesy.

Very sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE
Secretary to the President

W. C. Baker, Esq., X
The Ojai Bakery, X
Ojai,
California.

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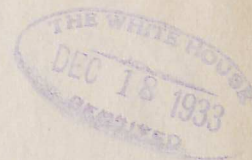
THE OJAI BAKERY

Home of Bill Baker's Lima Bean Products

W. C. BAKER, Prop.

OJAI, CALIFORNIA

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December 12, 1933.

Colonel Louis MacHenry Howe,
Secretary to President Roosevelt,
The White House,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

For several years past it has been the custom of the Ojai Bakery to ship to the President of the United States an elaborately decorated fruit cake as a Christmas remembrance. We take a great deal of pains in the preparation of this cake as well as in its decoration. We are proud of our achievement and we feel that we are surely justified in that feeling. We believe you will agree that we should feel so when you have seen the cake.

Congressman Henry Stubbs of our district was to have presented this years cake to President Roosevelt and had already made arrangements with Mrs. Roosevelt concerning its delivery, etc. At the last minute Mr. Stubbs tells us that he will be unable to make the presentation in person and is arranging for a proxy. We are writing you and addressing the package in which the cake is shipped to you so that we may feel sure the details are properly looked after upon its arrival. Will you please see that the cake reaches the President intact and that it is properly placed before him with our sincere admiration and appreciation for what he is doing for us just now?

Thank you.

Yours very truly,

THE OJAI BAKERY

By

W. C. Baker

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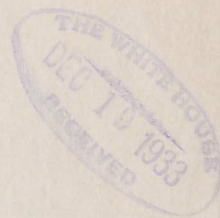


THE OJAI BAKERY

Home of Bill Baker's Lima Bean Products

W. C. BAKER, Prop.

OJAI, CALIFORNIA



December 18, 1933

Colonel Louis MacHenry Howe,
Secretary to President Roosevelt,
The White House,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

In shipping the Presidents cake I forgot to enclose instructions.

The cake itself is wrapped in cellophane and the icing sugar is worked over the cake. This is done to preserve the quality and flavor of the fruit cake.

In getting to the cake insert knife under the second row of the Hollywreath in several places, which will loosen the top, and it will then lift off intact.

Hoping that the cake will arrive in good condition and that President and Mrs. Roosevelt will enjoy it.

With best wishes for Christmas and the New Year,
I remain

Yours very truly,

W. C. Baker
W. C. Baker

P. S.

Find enclosed small photo showing the top of the cake which I made for President Hoover last year.

January 9, 1934.

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My dear Will:

Your message of December fifteenth was duly received and called to the attention of the President. He was much interested in all that you say and asks me to tell you how much he appreciates your thoughtfulness in sending him the fine pecans to add to the Christmas party at the White House. You may be sure the pecans were enjoyed by all.

Assuring you that the President heartily reciprocates your good wishes for the New Year, I am

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Will Baumann, Sr.,
Kileen,
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Killeen, Texas, Dec. 15, 1983.

Dear Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt:

Finding the enclosed clipping in one of the daily papers, I thought I would try and help along with the White House party that will take place there on Christmas morning by sending you a few of my favorite pecans that are grown in Texas. I want you to place 'em in the toes of the stockings that will hang in front of the presidential fireplace on December 25th. Also want you to give your Mother a great big double-handful of these pecans—and don't forget the good wife, children and grandchildren; in fact you are entitled to some too—the balance.

I am just an afflicted country boy trying to get along in these parts of the good old U. S. A. and I believe if you keep on doing the good things that you have for the past few months by next Christmas we all will be feeling very, very much better—and here is hoping you will pull the depression up by the roots and burn it in a smelter's furnace.

Mr. Roosevelt, here is hoping you will have a grand and glorious Christmas and happy, prosperous New Year.

Yours truly,

WILL BAUMANN, SR., Killeen, Texas.

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My dear Dr. and Mrs. Bruder:

The President asks me to thank you cordially for your note of December twenty-third and for the photograph which you enclosed. He is glad to hear from you and appreciates your thoughtfulness in letting him see the photograph. He is indeed grateful for your prayers and good wishes for the coming year, which he heartily reciprocates.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Bruder,
Staatsburg,
New York.

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photo of large crowd you
last summer
Crowd of People in Hyde Park
Mrs. Bruder
you would stop
at the Old Lathin
Creek Road

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know and appreciate
and are doing
The Prince of
Peace The Child Jesus to guide
you in all you do
Dr. & Mrs. A. J. Bruder
Staatsburg

M. A. LeHAND
Private Secretary

Mrs. Lester Balsley,
Route 2, Box 12-A,
Connellsville,
Pennsylvania.

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Dear Neighbors:
This is the crowd you
missed seeing last summer
on your vacation in Hyde Park
You had promised Mrs. Bruder
and D. that you would stop
in some time at the Old Lattin
Farm on the Creek Road
Staatsburg

However we know and appreciate
what you have done, and are doing
for your people.

We all pray to the Prince of
Peace the Child Jesus to guide
you in all you do.

Dr. & Mrs. A. J. Bruder
Staatsburg

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They send you their best wishes for the
New Year.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHAND
Private Secretary

Mrs. Lester Balsley,
Route 2, Box 12-A,
Connellsville,
Pennsylvania.

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Here's to a good
"MERRY CHRISTMAS!"
Like those of the
days long ago
When close to the big
friendly chimney
Our stockings were
hung in a row; ~

A Christmas of thrills
and of gladness
When all of our
wishes came true~
That's just the real kind
of a Christmas
This big wish is
wishing for YOU!

N.Y. + Jersey City N.J.

Pennsylvania.

L. W. BLANTON
SOLICITOR GENERAL, FLORIDA
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

January 10, 1934.

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My dear Mrs. Balsley:

The President and Mrs. Roosevelt have asked me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter and to tell you how much they appreciate your thoughtfulness in sending the flowers to them.

They send you their best wishes for the New Year.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHAND
Private Secretary

Mrs. Lester Balsley,
Route 2, Box 12-A,
Connellsville,
Pennsylvania.

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Dec 19-33

Mrs and Mr. Roserelt
Your Christmas gift. This is
the way I am making my
Christmas money for the
little children I have
six small boys and 1 little
girl she is the baby 18 months
These flours are made out
of the Relief can and this
I am sending you is for the
good work Mr and Mrs.
Roserelt is doing

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Mrs. Lester Balsley

Cornellsville Pa

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the beautiful doll house which you were good enough
to send them for the White House Christmas tree, and
they ask me to express their cordial thanks for
your thoughtfulness. This doll house added much
to the Christmas cheer of the children as well as
to the pleasure of the grown-ups.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Leland,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Judge L. W. Blanton,
Perry,
Florida.

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L. W. BLANTON
COUNTY JUDGE, TAYLOR COUNTY
PERRY, FLORIDA

January 10, 1934.

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My dear Judge Blanton:

The President and Mrs. Roosevelt received
the beautiful doll house which you were good enough
to send them for the White House Christmas tree, and
they ask me to express their cordial thanks for
your thoughtfulness. This doll house added much
to the Christmas cheer of the children as well as
to the pleasure of the grown-ups.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Leland,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Judge L. W. Blanton,
Perry,
Florida.

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*See
doll House*

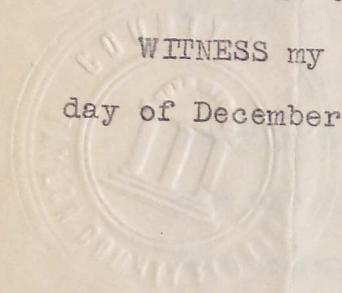
L. W. BLANTON
COUNTY JUDGE, TAYLOR COUNTY
PERRY, FLORIDA

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12/10/33*

STATE OF FLORIDA, I
COUNTY OF TAYLOR. I

I, L. W. Blanton, County Judge in and for said County and State, do hereby certify that I personally saw this crate packed and prepared for shipment, and that there are no explosives or other dangerous materials therein whatsoever and that the same is safe.

WITNESS my signature and official seal at Perry, Florida, this 12th day of December, A. D., 1933.



L. W. Blanton

County Judge, Taylor County, Florida.

January 10, 1934.

My dear Mr. Bates:

The President has asked me to thank you heartily for the fine paper weight which you were good enough to send him. He is glad to accept this souvenir, with its interesting history and wants you to know how much he appreciates your thought of him in this connection.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

N. A. Bates, Esq.,
U. S. Navy Yard,
Boston,
Massachusetts.

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Name

Please accept this paperweight
(Souvenir of Old Ironsides)

The wood was cut from a supporting
knee taken from below gun deck
The bolt was one of her copper
fastenings

M.A. Bates
Navy Yard Boston

of indirectly seeking this gift. Consequently,
I am obliged to leave the matter to your own
good judgment.

Very sincerely yours,

STEPHEN EARLY
Assistant Secretary to
the President

Mr. Donald C. Battista,
736 South 60th Street,
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

That he likes. & Cake.

+ Cake - pp7.9.e.
+ pp7.310

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My dear Mr. Battista:

The President and Miss Le Hand have asked me to acknowledge and thank you for your generous offer of January fifth.

Your offer is much appreciated but it is felt that we cannot, by accepting your proposal, put the President in the position of indirectly seeking this gift. Consequently, I am obliged to leave the matter to your own good judgment.

Very sincerely yours,

STEPHEN EARLY
Assistant Secretary to
the President

Mr. Donald C. Battista,
736 South 60th Street,
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

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+ pp7.310

That he likes. & Cake.

Phila Pa
Jan 5th 1934

M. A. Lehend
Private Secretary:

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My Dear Mr. Lehend:-

Received. Your Letter of the 30th 1933
I wish to thank you for
the Reply.

I beg to state that I was very sorry
to hear that I was to date to make
the cake for Pres. Roosevelt. for
New Year.

May I take the Pleasure. in asking
you & Permission to make a cake
for the Pres. Birthday which I
believe is Jan 30th 1934.

I would appreciate the honour
to make the cake & ship to the
White House. to the pres.

Would like to know the Pres.
favourite flavours of Ice Cream.
that he likes. & Cake.

I wish to thank you for your
Courtesy shown to me.
Waiting for your Reply &
Wishing you a Prosperous New Year.
Yours Very Truly.

Donald C. Battista
736 S. 60th St
Phila Pa.

January 10, 1934.

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9. B.

My dear Senator:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 8th, and of the package containing the bottle containing the handiwork of your friend's friend, Mr. J. T. Beatty, of Newton, North Carolina, R. F. D. #1.

It is obviously part of my duties to examine any suspicious packages received by the President, and to employ whatever senses necessary -- using discretion, of course -- to determine the quality and quantity of danger. Having no direct effect on one of them, viz. sight, I employed another, and have no doubt but that your friend's occupation must be the very pleasant one of embalming.

Under the ^{Wilson} circumstances, I leave to you the pleasant task of thanking Mr. Beatty, possibly through Mr. Warlick, on behalf of the President.

Sincerely yours,

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

Hon. Josiah W. Bailey,
United States Senate,
Washington, D. C.

Sincerely yours,

J. W. Bailey

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January 11, 1934.

My dear Mr. Beatty:

The President asks me to express his thanks for the unique N. R. A. emblem, forwarded to him through the courtesy of Senator Bailey and Mr. Wilson Warlick.

He appreciates your interest.

Sincerely yours,

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

J. T. Beatty, Esq.,
R. F. D. #1,
Newton, N. C.

Sincerely yours,

J. W. Maule

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HUBERT D. STEPHENS, MISS. ARTHUR CAPPER, KANS.
HUGO L. BLACK, ALA. JOHN G. TOWNSEND, JR., DEL.
MARCUS A. COOLIDGE, MASS. WALLACE H. WHITE, JR., MAINE
M. M. LOGAN, KY. FREDERIC C. WALCOTT, CONN.
WARREN R. AUSTIN, VT.

THAD PAGE, CLERK

United States Senate

COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS

January 8, 1934.

Hon. Marvin McIntyre,
Secretary to the President,
The White House,
Washington, D. C.

My dear McIntyre:

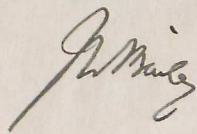
I am enclosing a gift for the President, with the letter transmitting it. If you think it would interest him, you can lay it before him, but I leave the whole matter to your discretion.

I have one word of caution. Under no circumstances are you to drink any portion of the contents. I do not think it would be necessary to give this precaution to any one else.

I have superficially examined the bottle, and, from my examination, I judge that the more attractive and harmless portion of its contents would be destroyed if the bottle were opened.

I really do not think that the symbol of the N.R.A. should be preserved in alcohol, and I am not sure that the donor of this gift has undertaken to do this. It may be plain branch water for all I know, but you should remember that there are circumstances under which North Carolina branch water is quite dangerous, and, since it appears that we are likely to have in the legitimate trade only blended whiskies for some four or five years, it may be that North Carolina will recoup many losses by way of her extraordinary genius in making straight whiskey. However, all of this is surmise, and I repeat my warning: Do not open the bottle; touch not, taste not, and smell not. This warning is for you exclusively.

Sincerely yours,

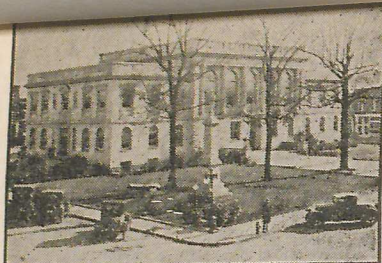


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CATAWBA COUNTY

NEWTON, N. C.

January 6, 1934.



WADE H. LEFLER
CLERK SUPERIOR COURT

Senator J. W. Bailey,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Senator Bailey:

I have handed you under separate cover in today's mail a package which contains the handiwork of my friend, J. T. Beatty, Newton, N. C., RFD# 1, and which represents "The New Deal", and which is a right clever thing I feel sure. He wants it presented to the President but whether this can be done I do not know. In any event I am handing it to you for your inspection and for such disposition as you feel it entitled to. In any event write Mr. Beatty and congratulate him as he is all OK in every way and is a great friend of yours and mine too for that matter.

With all good wishes always,

Your Friend,

Wilson Warlick.

I want to congratulate you on naming Mr. Higgins
Dist. Atty for Middle District. You could not have done better in a day's
travel.

Dr. W.

January 10, 1934.

My dear Mr. Barry:

Your letter of December twentieth has been received and the President has noted all that you say. He asks me to thank you for writing and for the gifts which you were good enough to send him. He is glad to accept them and deeply appreciates your good wishes for the coming year which he heartily reciprocates.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Bert B. Barry, Esq.,
666 Lake Shore Drive,
Chicago,
Illinois.

To add a bit of brightness to the drab lives of these unfortunate youngsters who are not here of their own volition, has been well worth while. The many letters we have received from these hapless little ones and from eminent educators, more than amply compensate us for the trifling gifts which we sometimes give beyond a point consistent with our own welfare, and I am by no means extolling our own virtues.

This simple gift is sent to you that you, too, may share in

ESTABLISHED 1900

BERT B. BARRY

EQUIPMENT }
MACHINERY } FOR { RAILROADS
SUPPLIES } CONTRACTORS
INDUSTRIES

666 LAKE SHORE DRIVE

CHICAGO

December 20th, 1933.

*Rec'd
Pinocchio Doll
& book*

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

Mr. President:

By separate post follows a package the contents of which I feel certain will for the moment turn your thoughts from the cares and worries of State to a subject which lies deeper than the material problems constantly confronting you. In these days we are discovering that truly indeed, "man's inhumanity to man makes countless thousands mourn".

Every man magnifies his own problems to the disparagement of the other fellow's. In spite of this knowledge, if many others have encountered the difficulties and heart aches with which I have been beset for nearly three years - God sustain them - and may they be more sanguine about the way ahead than it is possible for me to be.

I am but an atom caught through no fault of mine in the maelstrom wrought by selfishness, a small business man who has not been considered seriously in the apportionment of assistance, whose here-to-fore success, ability and integrity is now an empty gesture so far as banks are concerned.

While the way ahead is obscure, it has meant much to us to have been able despite obstacles to introduce something clean, wholesome and instructive to the children of the U.S. - Pinocchio puppets - which we began as a side line solely as something to hand down as a family tradition, my own prosaic calling being looked upon with some askance by Mrs. Barry and my daughter.

To add a bit of brightness to the drab lives of those unfortunate youngsters who are not here of their own volition, has been well worth while. The many letters we have received from these helpless little ones and from eminent Educators, more than adequately compensate us for the trifling gifts which we continued quite beyond a point consistent with our own welfare, and I am by no means extolling our own virtues.

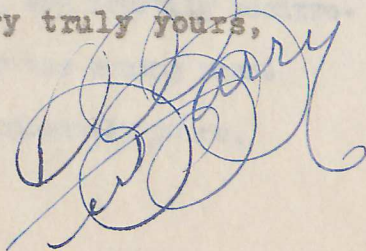
This simple gift is sent to you that you, too, may share in

Mr. President (-2-)

the joy which it will convey at Warm Springs, and hope that you may personally enjoy the reflection which in a small measure, at least, will add to your happiness as it has to ours. If we soon reach the point where I will have to relinquish my modest office and go down with other small business men, we will have the memory always of having done one thing which seemed well worth while. We seek neither pity nor encomiums, and above all else no publicity. No acknowledgment is expected. The sole reason the book and puppets are sent to you, as I mentioned, is because you will yourself get a kick out of having a part in seeing how a single gift will bring smiles to sad faces, and simultaneously and graciously implant lessons which youngsters will long remember.

If sincere wishes will avail you of abundant health, success and guidance by Him who even notes the sparrows fall, then you may feel assured because you have ours bountifully.

Very truly yours,



BBB/x

January 11, 1934.

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My dear Mr. and Mrs. Braun:

Your note of recent date was received
and the President has read it with interest.
He asks me to thank you heartily for your words
of commendation and for the beautiful ash tray
which you were good enough to send him. He is
glad to accept this token, and heartily reciprocates
your good wishes for the coming year.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Lehman,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mr. and Mrs. John Braun,
917 Woodview Road,
Cleveland Heights,
Ohio.

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Mr. Roosevelt; Thank
M. Roosevelt;

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We are sending to you a little token
which my husband made for you in
appreciation for all the good which you
have done for the people of U. S.

May prosperity continue to grow in the
coming year of 1934.

We wish you the best of health and
strength, and a very merry Christmas and a
Happy New Year.

And we wish the same to Mrs. Roosevelt.

Rec'd ash Tray

Mrs. & Mrs. John Braun.

917 Woodview Rd.

Cleveland Hgts. Ohio

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warmly for writing and for the delicious dates

which you were good enough to send him. They

arrived in fine condition and you may be sure

were much enjoyed by the President and his family

during the holidays.

Conveying to you the President's best

wishes for a Happy and Prosperous New Year, I am

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

A. Bilder, Esq.,
Phoenix,
Arizona.

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January 11, 1934.

January 11, 1934.

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My dear Mr. Bilder:

The President has received your letter of December twenty sixth and asks me to thank you warmly for writing and for the delicious dates which you were good enough to send him. They arrived in fine condition and you may be sure were much enjoyed by the President and his family during the holidays.

Conveying to you the President's best wishes for a Happy and Prosperous New Year, I am

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

A. Bilder, Esq.,
Phoenix,
Arizona.

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For Pres. Thomas
J. M. Jones
Honorable
Loris Douglas
The Best Bagdad
Washington D.C.

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My Dearest Friend!
You are in my memory all
the time but especially
now in Christmas Season
I am sending you & family
a Christmas gift & inclosed
in the crate of the beloved
President's gifts?
Kindly Read my Special letter
to him if possible the previous
as well & the Kemal Posh a letter
copy of the letter as well &
Please express your opinion

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request
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HEM:AR

in my correspondence with
our Most Beloved President
as well the Kemal Pash letter?
How do you enjoy my letter?
I'll give anything to have
a word from you as well
From our Most Beloved
President Roosevelt?
Kindly don't forget to pray
for me, I am in need
financially

Very cordially
Yours A. Biddle

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HEM:AR

January 11, 1934.

My dear Mr. Mansfield:

Your letter of December seventh is at hand and I beg to say that the case of salmon which you forwarded to the President at the request of Mr. Frank T. Bell, United States Fish Commissioner, was received in fine condition and a note of appreciation and thanks is being sent to Mr. Bell this date.

Your courtesy in the matter is much appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

H. E. Mansfield, Esq.,
Suryan's, Inc.,
Anacortes,
Washington.

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HEM:AR

January 11, 1934.

My dear Mr. Bell:

The President is in receipt of the case of salmon which you were good enough to send him recently and asks me to convey to you his cordial appreciation of your courtesy. The salmon arrived safely and you may be sure it has been much enjoyed by the President and his family.

With an expression of the President's best wishes for a Happy and Prosperous New Year,

I am

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Frank T. Bell, Esq.,
United States Fish Commissioner,
Department of Commerce,
Washington,
D. C.

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HEM:AR

RAZOR CLAMS
MINCED CLAMS
CLAM CHOWDER

SURYAN'S
Incorporated

SEA FOODS

ANACORTES, WASHINGTON

December 7, 1933



SOCKEYE SALMON
SPICED RED SALMON
SMOKED SALMON

*Rec'd
Thurs*

*asked
1-11-34*

Honorable Franklin D. Roosevelt,
President, United States of America,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

We are shipping, as compliments of United States Fish Commissioner, Frank T. Bell, one case, consisting of 24 tins of Puget Sound Spiced Salmon, and 24 tins of Puget Sound Chinook Salmon.

The Spiced Salmon is a decided departure from the usual manner of preparing salmon, and it is hoped that you will enjoy them.

With best wishes, we are,

Sincerely yours,

SURYAN'S INC.
H. E. MANSFIELD

By

H. E. Mansfield

Manager

HEM:AR

DILL, Sen. C. C.
January 12, 1934

Sends the President a little book called, "Debased Currency" by Dana T. McIver, of Chicago. Sen. ~~Dill~~ states he hopes that the President will ask Congress to authorize him (President) to buy silver bullion and issue silver certificates. Submits suggestions on the subject. ---- Personally acknowledged by the President.

My dear Mr. Rufey,

The President has received your letter
of January fourth and has read it with much interest.

See 229 He is glad indeed to have the jewel in which

refer to its interesting historical background

and greatly appreciates your thought of him in

this connection. What you say of the different

words composing the jewel case is very interest-

ing and he is glad to know of their history.

Very sincerely yours,

H. A. Leland,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

F. D. Rufey, Esq.,
Room 1,
Reynolds,
Washington.

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Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt
President of the United States
Washington D.C.

January 13, 1934

My dear Mr. Bufmyer:

My dear Mr. Bufmyer:

The President has received your letter of January fourth and has read it with much interest. He is glad indeed to have the gavel to which you refer with its interesting historical back-ground and greatly appreciates your thought of him in this connection. What you say of the different woods composing the jewel case is very interesting and he is glad to know of their history.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

E. D. Bufmyer, Esq.,
Route 1,
Raymond,
Washington.

Respectfully yours,

E. D. Bufmyer
Legate of the Order

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E. D. Bufmyer
Route 1
Raymond, Idaho

January 1st, 1934. *little to me M.L.*

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

My dear Mr. President:

The enclosed gavel is one that was used for the opening of the first Disarmament Conference. It was removed from the hall at the close of the Conference by one who sought to keep it as a souvenir of the occasion.

It has come into the hands of a member of the Rosicrucian Order in this country, an organization devoted one hundred per cent to the support of its country and its President and since all of us have the highest regard and respect for the great plans and achievements materializing under your direction, and since the first Rosicrucian foundation in America was closely associated with the founding of the American republic and included such great leaders as Thomas Jefferson and Benjamin Franklin, we feel it is our duty to return this gavel to you in a jewel casket especially made for it and containing the Rosicrucian emblems.

The woods in this jewel casket are pieces left over from the orator's stand or pulpit presented to A.M.O.R.C. Rosicrucian Brotherhood convention Held July 16 -22 ,1933 . The various pieces of wood came from all parts of the world including wood from the Temple of Caronack, Egypt and other pieces from as far north as Harbin, Manchuria.

Since the Rosicrucians believe so whole-heartedly in peace and disarmament, we trust that this gavel may be used by you some day in opening another session that will bring disarmament closer to realization.

Respectfully yours,

E. D. Bufmyer

Legate of the Order.

Mr. E. D. Bufmyer
Route 1
Raymond, Wash.

CRABITES, HON PIERRE
Judge, International Mixed Tribunals,
Cairo, Egypt.
January 15, 1934.

Sends a book to the President with birthday greetings.

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His Excellency the President
of the United States of America,
Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt
Washington, D.C.

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Frank B. Sawyer

Handwritten:
Fred
Scribble
Name

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LSP-

Pittsburgh, Pa. Jan. 15, 1934.

His Excellency the President
of the United States of America,
Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt
Washington, D.C.

Dear President :

Please, accept this little token which
speaks for itself.

Thanking you , I am

Sincerely yours

Handwritten signature:
Frank Bumer.

Frank Bumer.

Handwritten:
95-6 Woodbourne

Handwritten:
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AGRICULTURE, Secretary of
January 15, 1934

We referred to him on the above date, for preparation of reply, a letter from Arthur O. Weidelich, Supt. Long Cabin Association, enclosing a book "The Forest Manager" which its author, Dr. K. Dannecker, Oberforstmeister (Chief Forester) of Stuttgart, Wurttemberg, gave him with the request that he forward it to the President with his compliments. Mr. Weidelich discusses forest conditions in Europe with reference to unemployment and compares the forestry work in Germany with that in North Carolina. Says the Association is doing everything possible to make the people of Western North Carolina forest conscious and practice forest management. -- President's reply dated Jan. 23d.

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WALDO, Richard H., Esq.,
New York, N.Y.
January 18, 1934

On above date the President wrote to Mr. Waldo,
thanking him for those two most interesting books which he
sent for Christmas. States "The Man Of The Renaissance"
is a perfect joy.

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M. A. Leland
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Full name, title,
and address of
recipient,
if known.

January 18, 1934

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My dear Mr. Brake:

The President thanks you ever so much for the fine Christmas present which you were good enough to send him. He is indeed grateful to you for your friendly interest and appreciates your good wishes which he heartily reciprocates.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Box of
Cigars

Buell Brake, Esq.,
1900 Collins Street,
Joliet,
Illinois.

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January 18, 1934

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My dear Mr. Bassett:

The President thanks you heartily for your letter of January fourth and for the broom which you were good enough to send him. He is glad to have this emblem of authority in his campaign for National Recovery, and is indeed grateful to you for your interest and support.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Monroe Bassett, Esq.,
New Castle,
Pennsylvania.

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8/20
New Castle, Pa.

Jan 4th, 1934.

President Franklin D. Roosevelt,
My Dear President:-

I have been making brooms
for more than fifty years, trying to
help the people clean up, no one knows
better than you, what a mess has
been made of it, as far as government
goes. so I am sending you a broom,
while it is not the old regulation type,
"old hickory", yet, I think this broom
will answer the purpose for which it is
intended, that you will be able to
sweep every thing before you and, make
a "Clean Sweep" for the cause of righteousness.
I admire the very human stand you have
taken in behalf of humanity.

Very Sincerely Yours,
Wm. Bassett. New Castle, Pa.

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January 19, 1934

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My dear Mr. Brenner:

The President has received the sketch which
you were good enough to send him through Mayor
LaBarre of Trenton, and asks me to thank you for
your thoughtful courtesy. The President is
pleased to accept it and appreciates this evidence
of your interest and good will.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Samuel Brenner, Esq.,
327 Market Street,
Trenton,
New Jersey.

ngm

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January 19, 1934

GEORGE B. LABARRE
MAYOR
HARRY F. KENNER
DEPUTY
RAYMOND F. BICKER
SECRETARY

CITY OF TRENTON NEW JERSEY

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

My dear Mr. Mayor:

January 8, 1933.

The President has received your letter of
January eighth with the accompanying sketch made
by Mr. Samuel Brenner, 327 Market Street, Trenton,
New Jersey, and thanks you for your courtesy in
forwarding it to him. A note of acknowledgment and
thanks has been sent to Mr. Brenner.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Honorable George B. LaBarre,
Mayor of Trenton,
Trenton,
New Jersey.

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Most respectfully yours,

George B. LaBarre,
Mayor.

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GEORGE B. LABARRE
MAYOR
HARRY F. KEMLER
DEPUTY
RAYMOND F. RICHTER
SECRETARY



CITY OF TRENTON NEW JERSEY

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

January 8, 1933.

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

Dear Mr. President:-

Enclosed herewith you will find a sketch
of yourself, representing the work of an amateur artist of
our City, whose name is Samuel Brenner, 327 Market Street,
Trenton, N.J., 21 years of age.

Mr. Brenner has never taken any course in
art, this being the result of his natural talent in following
his hobby during his spare time, after working hours.

I would greatly appreciate an acknowledg-
ment being sent direct to Mr. Brenner.

Most respectfully yours,

George B. LaBarre,
Mayor.

GBL K

January 19, 1934

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt,
Care of the White House,
Washington, D.C.

Beloved First Lady of America:
My dear Miss Botsford:

Mrs. Roosevelt has handed me your letter of December third and asks me to tell you how much pleasure your fine Christmas gift gave to the

President. He was indeed glad to have this book for his Library and greatly appreciates your thoughtfulness in presenting it to him. Very sincerely yours,

I thought he might like to have this book for his private library. M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Miss Mary Slack Botsford,
310 Ashlar Apartments,
1230 North Berendo,
Hollywood,
California.

Address-
310- Ashlar Apts.
1230-N. Berendo.

Very sincerely yours,

Mary Slack Botsford, ngm

Hollywood, Calif.
December, third, thirty-three

Rec'd
Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt,
Care of the White House.
Washington, D.C.

Beloved First lady of America:

I am presuming to address you and even to ask of you a very great favor. I understand that it is a custom of our President to "hang up his stocking" at Christmas, so I am sending to you a gift for him, which I will ask you to include with his stocking presents.

The gift I am sending is a much cherished volume of "The Facts and the Faith", by Dr. Beverley E. Warner, and newspaper clippings that will tell who he was. It was my great privilege to be one of his parishioners. Dr. Warner is now looked upon by our church, as a great pioneer in religious teachings, just as our beloved President is now pioneering in leading his people out of the old concepts with his New Deal into the new era awaiting us. I pioneered with Dr. Warner and I am again pioneering, and with unlimited faith, in Franklin D. Roosevelt.

I thought he might like to have this book for his private library. It is a book that I have always prized very greatly, therefore because of that fact, I presume to offer it as a gift to our President.

May many blessings come to you and to all your dear ones, is the sincere wish of one of your people.

Very sincerely yours,

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and I want you to know that I much appreciate
your thought of me.

With best wishes and many thanks,

Very sincerely yours,

J. H. Bryant, Esq.,
Allenread,
Texas.

J.H. Bryant

Allamogund - Tex -

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sent me -

Buffalo -

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Your letter of recent date has been received and the President thanks you for your courtesy in sending him the calendar to which you refer. He was pleased to have it and appreciates your thoughtfulness of him in this connection.

Very sincerely yours,

Please accept this calendar with our sincere compliments.

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My dear Mr. Boehme:

The President has received your letter of December twenty-ninth and asked me to thank you heartily for the plated duplicate of the Declaration of Independence which you were good enough to send him. He is pleased to accept this fine gift and is indeed grateful for your thought of him.

Conveying the President's cordial thanks for your good wishes for the New Year, which he heartily reciprocates, I am
Very sincerely yours,

Our wish to you and your family for the New Year 1934 is that it will be one of great comfort and happiness and that you will enjoy the best of health to enable you to carry on the work you have under way to help the people of this country.

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Sincerely yours,

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Hon. Franklin Delano Roosevelt,
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Dear President Roosevelt,

Under separate cover, we are sending to you today, a plated duplicate of the Declaration of Independence, which we should like you to accept with our compliments. We sincerely hope that it will reach you safely.

Our wish to you and your family for the NEW YEAR 1934 is that it will be one of great comfort and happiness and that you will enjoy the best in health to enable you to carry on with noble work you have under way to help the people of this great country.

Sincerely yours,

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My dear Mr. Bergel:

Your letter of December twenty-ninth has been received. The President and Mrs. Roosevelt have asked me to thank you heartily for the calendars which you were good enough to send them. They appreciate your thought of them.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

M. W. Bergel, Esq.,
149 Hammond Street,
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Washington D. C.

My Dear President

I was just informed privately that the
calendar I sented Mrs. Roosevelt was broken
in the mail. So I am hastening and
sending you another in its place, enclosing
couple more, that you may give them to your
children.

With the best wishes for a very happy
and prosperous New Year, and May the Lord
Bless you and your home

Very Sincerely

M. W. Bergel