

PRESIDENT'S PERSONAL FILE

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CRAMPTON, Dr. C. Ward
New York, N. Y.
Dec. 3, 1936

Sent the President a copy of his book, "The Boy's Book of Strength".

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December 3, 1936

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Respectfully referred to the State
Department for such acknowledgment as may
be deemed appropriate.

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Attention of Mr. Holmes.

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

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Letter from Legja Inwalidow Woj. Wojsk Polskich Im. Gen. Jozefa
Sowinskiego, Sarsad Wojewodski W Lodzi Ulica Narutowicza NR. 32,
Richard Ujma, President, Joseph Bulinski, Vice-Pres.

Re: Felicitations from Polish war invalids who praise the Presi-
dent especially for his interest in the under-privileged and the
handicapped. The attached book is a memorial book entirely the
work of these war invalids and arranged in connection with tenth
anniversary of the organization.

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December 4, 1936

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My dear Sergeant:

Thank you very much for your note of December second which I found on my desk awaiting my return to Washington after a brief vacation trip in Florida.

It was mighty good of you to send along the photograph of the President's visit to your headquarters and to the Statue of Liberty ceremonies. I shall be glad to pass it along to him upon his return and know he will appreciate your thoughtfulness.

Sincerely yours,

M. H. McIntyre

M. H. McINTYRE
Assistant Secretary
to the President

First Sergeant James P. Boyce,
Headquarters & Military Police Company,
1st Division, U. S. Army,
Fort Wood, New York.

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HEADQUARTERS AND MILITARY POLICE COMPANY
1ST DIVISION. U. S. ARMY

FORT WOOD. N. Y

Dec. 2, 1936

My dear Mr. McIntyre:-

Enclosed herewith find a photo taken while the President was visitiong this post and the Statue of Liberty on October 28, 1936 and I thought he would like to have it. If you don't remember me, I met you at the Nelson House in Poughkeepsie on the night of November 2nd, and I was more than pleased to think that I met the President as I did not have the chance to meet him at the Statue on October 28th. Meeting him there was quite a coincident as I met him there in 1903 when I worked there as a Bell Boy. Hoping to see you in Poughkeepsie some other time, I remain,

Very truly yours,

James P. Boyce
1st Sergeant James P. Boyce,
Fort Wood, New York

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U. S. S. INDIANAPOLIS
Passage
Montevideo to Port of Spain,
4 December, 1936.

U. S. S. INDIANAPOLIS
Passage
Montevideo to Port of Spain,
4 December, 1936.

My dear Sr. Babbe:

The President has received the package containing the fruits and seeds of the Dear Dr. Bucrosia tree which you had delivered to the Commanding Officer of the U. S. S. INDIANAPOLIS. The President has received the beautiful album containing the signatures and kind sentiments of the members of the Industrial Society of Uruguay, with many splendid photographs of your attractive countryside. He has asked me to express to you, and through you to the many signatories to this fine gift, his great appreciation of their thought of him.

With every good wish for your continued success, I remain,

Very sincerely yours,
Very sincerely yours,

James Roosevelt,
Acting
Secretary James Roosevelt,
Acting
Secretary to the President.

The Honorable Carlos Babbe,
Und. Dr. Enrique Bucrosia, ^x
Gov. President, ^x
The Industrial Society of Uruguay,
Montevideo, Uruguay.

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U. S. S. INDIANAPOLIS
Passage from, December 2nd 1936.
Montevideo to Port of Spain,
4 December, 1936.

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My dear Sir. Bubbe: Witt, Esq.,

The President has received the package containing the fruits and seeds of the beautiful Jacaranda tree which you had delivered to the Commanding Officer of the U. S. S. INDIANAPOLIS while we were at Buenos Aires.

Dear Sir:

The President has asked me to express to you and to the Minister of Agriculture of Argentina his great appreciation of your kindness and wishes you would have H. E. President General Justo informed of his continued gratitude.

With every good wish, I am, Sir, very respectfully,
of the Jacarandá (Jacaranda acutifolia), the beautiful tree with Very sincerely yours,
of H. E. President Roosevelt on his trip along the promenades of our City.-

James Roosevelt,

While requesting of Acting Secretary to the President. package over to Mr. the President, I beg to remain, with the expressions of my highest consideration,

Yours very faithfully,
Carlos Bubbe

The Honorable Carlos Bubbe,
Undersecretary of Agriculture,
Government Building,
Buenos Aires, Argetina.

Undersecretary of Agriculture

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Subsecretario de Agricultura de la Nación

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Buenos Aires, December 2nd, 1936.

Captain H. K. Hewitt, Esq.,
Commander of U. S. M/W "INDIANAPOLIS",
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Dear Sir:

By special order of H. E., President General Agustin P. Justo, I have the honor to hand you here- with a package containing the fruits and seeds, respect- ively, of the Jacarandá (Jacaranda Acutifolia), the beauti- ful tree with blue flowers which called for the admiration of H. E. President Roosevelt on his trip along the prome- nades of our City.-

While requesting of your courtesy to kindly hand the package over to Mr. the President, I beg to remain, with the expressions of my highest consideration,

Yours very faithfully,

Carlos B. Buhler

Undersecretary of Agriculture

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P. P. 7.
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December 8, 1936

Busby

My dear Mr. Busby:

Your letter of December third has been received and, in the absence of the President, I want to thank you ever so much in his behalf for writing. I know he will be delighted to have that handsome gift and would want me to express his appreciation of the kind thought which prompted you to present it to him.

Very sincerely yours,

gone away

M. A. LeHend
PRIVATE SECRETARY

C. C. Busby, Esq.,
Fossil,
Oregon.

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Fossil Ore, Dec 3rd 1936
Franklin D. Roosevelt

President
Washington

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Dear President

I am taking the liberty of sending
you a pair of Mounted Deer Heads
by Parcel Post hoping that the same
reaches you all
with my compliments and best wishes
of your re-election, a glorious victory.

"We are Proud"
"Democratic"
"Every inch"

I remain
Yours Very Truly
J. C. Pusby

In reference
My dear
Old friend
Walter M. Tice

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Burbank

December 10, 1936

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My dear Mr. Burbank:

Permit me, in the absence of the President, to thank you in his behalf for your kind thought in sending that picture to him. I can assure you that he will greatly appreciate this evidence of your friendly interest and your good will.

Very sincerely yours,

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M. H. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

E. A. Burbank, Esq.,
Maxx Hotel,
San Francisco,
California.

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Sir

To
SMOCKER, G. D.
Port of Spain,
Trinidad, B. W. I.
12-12-36.

U. S. S. INDIANAPOLIS
Passage
Port of Spain to Charleston, S.C.
12 December, 1936.

At the request of the President, Mr. James Roosevelt acknowledged receipt of and expressed appreciation for the book "Birds of the Colony of Trinidad and Tobago", presented by Sir Charles Belcher and Mr. Smoker.

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The President has received your fine book, "Birds of the Colony of Trinidad and Tobago", presented by yourself and Mr. Smoker and has asked me to express to you his great appreciation of your kind thought of him.

With every good wish, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

James Roosevelt,
Acting
Secretary to the President.

Sir Charles Belcher,
Port of Spain, *
Trinidad, B. W. I.

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To
SMOOKER, G. D.
Port of Spain,
Trinidad, B. W. I.
12-12-36.

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James Roosevelt

U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE
BUREAU OF BIRDS

Washington, D. C.
120 Broadway,
New York, N. Y.

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Rushly

December 14, 1936

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My dear Mr. Bonyng:

It was mighty nice of you to send that
book to the President and, in his absence, I
want to thank you ever so much in his behalf.
I can assure you that he will be glad to have
this gift and would want me to express his
appreciation of your holiday greetings.

Very sincerely yours,

Mary M. Hand

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Clarence Bonyng, Esq.,
120 Broadway,
New York, N.Y.

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Mr. Bonyngé
extends to you the season's greetings

120 Broadway,
N.Y. City

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December 15, 1936

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and fruit cake.
if he will give her
permission,
I would like to
have Mrs. Roosevelt
lunch with her when
she is in Tulsa.

to thank you very much for
December seventh. Your
resident and Mrs. Roosevelt
by them.

sincerely yours,

M. A. Le Hand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. Lenora Bowen,
124 Wyandotte Avenue,
Bartlesville,
Oklahoma.

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would give with
great pleasure
to send Pres. &
Mrs. Roosevelt box
of home made candy
and fruit cake.
if he will give her
permission,

would like to
have Mrs. Roosevelt
lunch with her when
she is in Tulsa.

December 15, 1936

to thank you very much for
December seventh. Your
resident and Mrs. Roosevelt
by them.
sincerely yours,

M. A. Le Hand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. Lenora Bowen,
124 Wyandotte Avenue,
Bartlesville,
Oklahoma.

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President and Mrs. Roosevelt
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y sincerely yours,

M. A. Le Hand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. Lenora Bowen,
124 Wyandotte Avenue,
Bartlesville,
Oklahoma.

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December 15, 1936

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My dear Mrs. Bowen:

Permit me to thank you very much for your nice letter of December seventh. Your kind thought of the President and Mrs. Roosevelt is deeply appreciated by them.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Le Hand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. Lenora Bowen,
124 Wyandotte Avenue,
Bartlesville,
Oklahoma.

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Bartlesville Okla
Dec. 7, 1936.

President Roosevelt and Wife
Washington

Dear Ones. D. C. 56

I am going to introduce
myself as best I can
My Father Dan M. Cunningham
was Cattle Inspector for the
Government for seventeen years
You no doubt were acquainted
with him,

It will give me great pleasure
to send you and Mrs Roosevelt
a box of my home made
candy and fruit cake.

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A. Houston Black, Esq.,
Kings Mountain Building
and Loan Association,
Kings Mountain,
North Carolina

A. Houston Black
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for Xmas. I would not dare to
send it without your permission
Please let me hear from you
I hope to see Mrs Roosevelt
in person while she is in
Tulsa in March

I would enjoy having her
to lunch with my daughter
Mrs Sherman Klurtt & I
2123 S. St Louis in Tulsa.

Wishing you and yours

A Merry Xmas ^{and a very}
Happy New Year.

Congratulations to you
Yours truly.

Mrs Luora Bowen
124 Myandotte Ave
Bartlesville Okla.

A. Houston Black, Esq.,
Kings Mountain Building
and Loan Association,
Kings Mountain,
North Carolina

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P.P. 7.9-B



December 16, 1936

My dear Mr. Black:

It was good of you to send that fine turkey to me and I want you to know how genuinely I appreciate your thoughtfulness.

Thank you also for your kind holiday message.

Best wishes to you.

Very sincerely yours,

x P.P. 7.9-T
x P.P. 7.1000-B

A. Houston Black, Esq.,
Kings Mountain Building
and Loan Association,
Kings Mountain,
North Carolina

A. Houston Black
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E. Cline, President J. C. Keller, Vice-President W. H. McGinnis, Sec.-Treas. J. M. McGinnis, Asst. Sec.-Treas.

KINGS MOUNTAIN BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION



Kings Mountain, N. C.

Dec. 15, 1936.

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

Dear Mr. President:

I am sending you by to-day's express
a 27 pound turkey gobbler, the prize winner at the Cleveland
County Fair, for your Christmas dinner.

I am doing this in token of my very high
regard for you and I sincerely trust that you and Mrs.
Roosevelt will enjoy this bird as much as I do in sending
him to you. It is out of a heart of gratitude for what you
and Mrs. Roosevelt have done for the farmers of the country
that I do this.

Wishing you and yours a very Merry
Christmas and Happy New Year, I, ^{am} always your well wisher.

Sincerely yours,

A. Houston Black
A. Houston Black.

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REYNOLDS, Miss Helen Wilkinson
Poughkeepsie, N. Y.
December 16, 1936

Writes Miss LeHand that she is sending one copy of the Year Book of the Dutchess County Historical Society for 1936 to Hyde Park and one here in Miss LeHand's care. Both copies are for the President. -- The President wrote Miss Reynolds on Jan. 16, 1937, that he has not had a chance to write to her for months and meanwhile the splendid year book has come. Says he has sometimes wondered whether there is enough material to last the Historical Society throughout the years, but the more we look for the more we discover. Suggests that she arrange to come down here some week-end after February 9, and indicates that after this inauguration and this session of Congress are over, he expects to have more time for non-governmental work.

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Mr. H. H. Morgan - U.S. Minister to Canada.

Buckley

December 17, 1936

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My dear Carl:

The letter of December seventh,
signed by yourself and Elemer Byrd, has been
received and the President thanks you ever
so much for your kind thought in sending him
that mistletoe. He has asked me to tell both
of you how much he appreciates your friendly
expressions and to convey his very best wishes.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Carl Bauguess,
Route 2, Box 97,
North Wilkesboro,
North Carolina.

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Thank you
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North Wilkesboro, N.C.

Dec. 4 1936

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Dear, President

We too boys were under age to
cast our votes but still you are our
President that we were for.

So here you will find a small
box of mistle-toe that we are
sending you for a present, being we
could not help out in the election
but thought this would be appreciable
as much as our votes.

Yours Truly

Carl Baugness

No. Wilkesboro, N.C.

R. 2, Box 97

Elemer Byrd

No. Wilkesboro, N.C.

R. 2, Box 97

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ARMOUR, Hon. Norman - U.S. Minister to Canada,
Ottawa, Canada
Dec. 18, 1936

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December 17, 1936.

Dear Mrs. Burnett:-

Thank you so much for the
very delicious candy which you were good
enough to make for me and which was delivered
through the Mayor. We all enjoyed it.

x P.P. 7.9-C

I am sorry I did not have
an opportunity of seeing you while I was in
Charleston.

Very sincerely yours,

Mrs. G. H. Burnett, x
c/o Mayor Maybank,
Charleston, >
South Carolina.

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ARMOUR, Hon. Norman - U.S. Minister to Canada,
Ottawa, Canada
Dec. 18, 1936

Writes Mr. McIntyre that some time ago while the President was in South America, he received from Thomas Bayling, Pres., Canadian Press Gallery, a copy of The Tiny Tattler, the smallest newspaper in Canada, which is published by a Nova Scotian youngster and really pays its way as a weekly paper. Devoted first sheet to President's picture. Thought it might amuse the President. Says some months ago he sent the President a copy of the original issue of "The Federalist", and wonders if it was properly received. Speaks of the sadness of Gus Gernerich's death. - On Jan. 20, Mr. Armour wrote again stating they have just finished listening over the radio to the great inaugural address of the President. Asks again about "The Federalist". Says he expects to see them soon as he will be in Washington re the St. Lawrence waterways. - On Jan. 21, Mr. McIntyre replied stating he regretted their delay in replying but when this book was received it was during the campaign days when everyone was traveling. Says it arrived in good shape and is now reposing among the President's books. Says he knows the President was delighted to have it. Very interested in "The Tiny Tattler", and thanks for same. Sends belated New Year's greetings.

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December 18, 1936

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My dear Mr. Baker:

The President has asked me to
acknowledge receipt of and to thank you
for that handsome fruit cake.

He appreciated your thought of
him.

With all best wishes,

Sincerely yours,

Ann Kanner

M. H. McINTYRE
Assistant Secretary
to the President

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

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David

THE OJAI BAKERY

Home of Bill Baker's Lima and Soya Bean Products

W. C. BAKER, Prop.

OJAI, CALIFORNIA

Ojai, California,
December 18, 1936.

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

Dear Mr. President:

For many years it has been the custom of the Ojai Bakery to send to the President of the United States a specially decorated fruit cake for the Christmas season. Always in the past this presentation has been made in the name of some organization, the county, the state, or some smaller group of admirers. This year, however, we wish to present our cake as a personal gift from Mr. "Bill" Baker, Master baker whose handiwork it is.

Mr. Baker has this year taken special care that the cake might be particularly delicious and that the decorations should be even more attractive than in the past in order that this confection may in some slight degree at least convey to you his great admiration and regard for both you and your efforts for the American people.

We hope, Mr. President, that you will enjoy this cake as much as we enjoy presenting it and as much as Mr. Baker has enjoyed preparing it.

Yours very truly,

W. C. Baker
The Ojai Bakery

W. C. Baker

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December 19, 1936

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My dear Mr. Bixler:

Your nice letter of December twelfth has been received and the President wants me to thank you and the members of your family ever so much for your generous words of commendation and for the friendly spirit which prompted you to send that beautiful quilt top to him. He asks me to convey his very best wishes to all of you for the holiday season.

I am very sorry to have to disappoint you, but because of the extreme pressure of the President's official duties, it simply is impossible for him to make personal acknowledgment of the many letters coming to him. I am sure you will understand.

Very sincerely yours,

Mrs. Larrabee

M. A. Leland
PRIVATE SECRETARY

N. A. Bixler, Esq.,
Fairview,
Missouri.

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the gift but the spirit of its significance. We send it to you with heartfelt sympathy as you go about your many heavy burdens

Fairview, Missouri

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December 12, 1936

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

Very
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personal letter
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gift top
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Dear Mr. President:

We are one of the many family groups in the middle west who recognize and appreciate your service and efforts in helping us through the crisis and have shown you we are really backers of the New Deal, and all its agencies.

A gift in that appreciation we have thought most appropriate is a quilt top with the Democratic Emblem pieced in patriotic colors of red, white, and blue. It is not the gift but the spirit of its significance. We send it to you with heartfelt sympathy as you go about your many heavy burdens

tact with our "truly gallant
leader."

Very truly yours,
M. A. Pixler ^{and} family

I think this is a great service
we have never been given in
previous administrations.

There are three children in our
family with two still at home and
the oldest daughter married. They
are among the unfortunates. Educated
and qualified as a typist or
teacher either. One child is in high
school and the other in the grades.

We shall be most delighted and
feel honored in receiving a word
from you in a personal letter of
some kind, to know that we have
been able to make a personal con-

of directing our government's business.
I am a farmer, working hard
to stay off the relief but can rest
assured that in a case of absolute
necessity we could be provided for.

I think this is a great service
we have never been given in
previous administrations.

There are three children in our
family with two still at home and
the oldest daughter married. They
are among the unfortunates. Educat-
ed and qualified as a typist or
teacher either. One child is in high
school and the other in the grades.

We shall be most delighted and
feel honored in receiving a word
from you in a personal note of
some kind, to know that we have
been able to make a personal con-

BURKE, Perry
Poughkeepsie, N. Y.,
Dec. 21, 1936.

Writes President enclosing a piece of colonial paper currency which was signed by Nicholas Roosevelt in March 1776. This bill is in fine condition for its age. Asks that the President accept this bill for his collection.--President, Dec. 23, wrote Mr. Burke saying he is pleased to have this bill for his collection and appreciates Mr. Burke's thought of him.

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December 22, 1936

My dear Mr. Briggs:

Your friendly note of December sixth has been received and the President wants you to know how much he appreciates your kind thought in sending him that sinker. He thanks you cordially and sends you his sincere good wishes for the holiday season.

Very sincerely yours,

Wm. A. LeHend

M. A. LeHend
PRIVATE SECRETARY

B. H. Briggs, Esq.,
1612 Glorietta Avenue,
Glendale,
California.

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Glendale Calif. Dec. 6th 1936

Dear President

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Thank
me

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Congratulation from a Brother
12/22/36

Fisherman also a victim of Injunctile
we fishermen seem to have the habit
of loosing lots of tackle. I made
a sinker with which I have had
good success picking up lost tackle
I am mailing you one

Very truly yours

B. W. Brigg

1612 Marietta Ave

Glendale Calif.

Buckley

December 22, 1936

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My dear Mr. Brent:

The President has received your letter of December seventeenth and thanks you ever so much for your courtesy in sending him those campaign photographs. He wants you to know that he deeply appreciates your kind thoughtfulness, and has asked me to convey his holiday greetings to you.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Joseph T. Brent, Esq.,
1960 Ellis Avenue,
Bronx,
New York.

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JOSEPH T. BRENT
PRESIDENT



TALMADGE 2-8766
MAIN OFFICE
401 B'WAY, NEW YORK

REF. NO. _____

Nevada Realty Corp.
329 TO 343 DEVOE AVE.,
NEW YORK, N. Y.

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N. Y. Dec. 17, 1936

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

My dear Sir:

I am taking the liberty of forwarding you under
seperate cover two (2) recent campaign photographs,
properly framed, which I trust you will keep.

These pictures speak for themselves and I am sure
you will like them, Mr. President.

Wishing you every success, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

Joseph T. Brent

Joseph T. Brent.
1960 Ellis Avenue,
Bronx, N. Y.

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Beckley

December 22, 1936

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My dear Mr. Beckley:

It was nice of you to send the President your pencil sketch and he wants you to know that he deeply appreciates your courtesy. He has asked me to thank you ever so much and to convey his very best wishes to you for the holiday season.

Very sincerely yours,

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M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

John Clarence Beckley, Esq.,
348 East State Street,
Fortville,
Indiana.

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Buchley

December 22, 1936

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My dear Mr. Barker:

Your letter of December eighth has been received and the President has asked me to thank you cordially for your courtesy in sending him the donkey to which you refer. He appreciates your kind thought of him and requests me to convey his holiday greetings to you.

By the President's direction, I am referring your communication to the Administrator of the Resettlement Administration for consideration of your desire for a farm.

Very sincerely yours,

Mrs. Kawabe

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Scott Barker, Esq.,
112 W. Wallace Street,
Shanee,
Oklahoma.

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RA. Says he lost everything during depression and would now like to get a place of 10 acres so he can have a home. Knows of a place he can get for \$1500. Wants a letter he can read in Sunday School. Says the Donkey he enclosed traveled all over Okla and made good.

STRAUS, Hon. Michael
Public Works Administration
December 23, 1936

Mr. Hassett referred to his for draft of reply, letter dated December 18, 1936, from Fred Fletcher, Chairman, Banquet Committee, New York Rod and Gun Editors Association, New York, N. Y., re 1936 award to be presented to the President on Feb. 23 at banquet in New York City, and asking radio broadcast by the President if he cannot attend in person. In lieu of this, asks the President to send his representative to deliver his message. -- Attached is letter from Mr. Fletcher to John O'Donnell, Washington, D.C., dated Dec. 14, re this subject. -- Mr. Fletcher wrote Mr. McIntyre on Dec. 24, describing the model boat that the New York Rod and Gun Editors Association will give to the President. -- Mr. George Greenfield (of the New York Times), President of the Association, wired Mr. Early from Larchmont, N.Y., on Jan. 11, 1937, that Hon. Harold L. Ickes has advised that he will represent the President at the banquet Feb. 23, and Mr. Greenfield wants to know if the President will accept the award offered to him. -- Mr. Early wrote Mr. Greenfield on Jan. 13, that Secretary Ickes will represent the President and will deliver the President's message. Indicates that the President will be delighted to receive as an award for the outstanding conservationist in the United States for 1936, the model of the Hudson River packet sloop "Experiment", and he assures him of the President's appreciation of this recognition. -- Mr. Early wired Mr. Greenfield that everything is covered in his letter to him of Jan. 13. -- Clipping re this organization is attached.

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December 28, 1936

Beechley

My dear Mr. Bell:

The President has asked me to thank you ever so much for your courtesy in sending him your booklet and to tell you that he deeply appreciates your friendly Christmas greetings. He sends his very best wishes to you and to Mrs. Bell for the coming year.

Very sincerely yours,

Mrs. Lanahan

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

James A. Bell, Esq.,
Elkhert,
Indiana.

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December 28, 1936

My dear Miss Boyd:

The President thanks you ever so much for your friendly Christmas greeting and your sketch. He wants you to know that he deeply appreciates your generous words of commendation and has asked me to convey his very best wishes to you for the coming year.

Very sincerely yours,

Miss L. ...

M. A. LeHend
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Miss Agnes Wearn Boyd,
605 W. Front Street,
Burlington,
North Carolina.

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STATE, The Department of
December 28, 1936

Miss LeHand referred to the State Department for such action as is deemed appropriate, package addressed to the President and containing copy of "The Art of Frank O. Salisbury", by B. Aquila Barber, which book was inscribed to His Excellency Premier Benito Mussolini. Miss LeHand's letter indicates that a similar book, inscribed to the President and Mrs. Roosevelt, was sent to them with the compliments of Frank O. Salisbury, whose card had the following addresses: Sarum Chase, Hampstead, N.W., and The Arts Club, New York City.

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December 29, 1936

Dear Al:

That was the most lovely basket of good things I have ever seen, and we have all enjoyed them tremendously. Thank you so much for thinking of us.

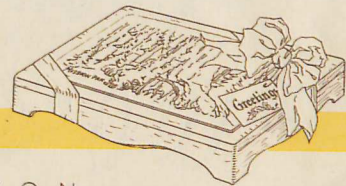
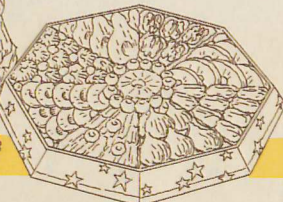
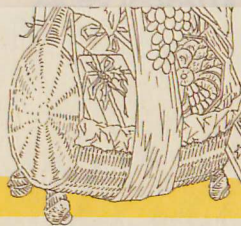
My very best wishes to you for a happy New Year.

Very sincerely yours,

To House

A. J. Berres, Esq., X # P.P. 7 420
Taft Building, Room 609,
Hollywood,
California.

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GIFTS FOR EVERY OCCASION

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Christmas
Joy

December 31, 1936

Buckley

December seventeenth

The President has asked

for your courtesy

in that beautiful basket

sent to Mr. Berres. A

most grateful for your

and sends his very best wishes

to you and to your associates for the New Year.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand

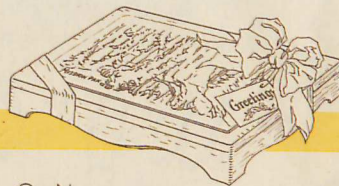
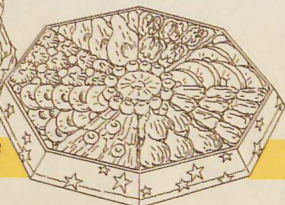
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President

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(Ackgd to Mr. Berres by the President Dec. 29, 1936.)



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Seasons
Greetings

A. J. Berres

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The President is most grateful for your holiday greetings and sends his very best wishes to you and to your associates for the New Year.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand

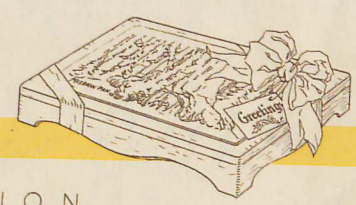
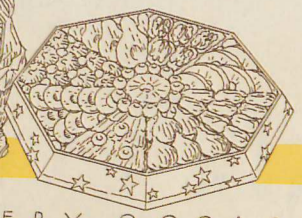
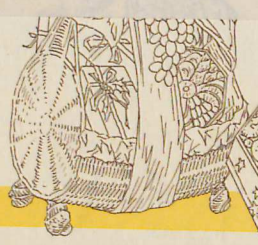
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Buckley

December 31, 1936

December
Seventeenth,
1936

My dear Mr. Page:

Your letter of December seventeenth has been received and the President has asked me to thank you very much for your courtesy in the presentation of that beautiful basket of fruit, a gift from Mr. A. J. Berres. A letter of thanks has been sent to Mr. Berres.

The President is most grateful for your holiday greetings and sends his very best wishes to you and to your associates for the New Year.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand

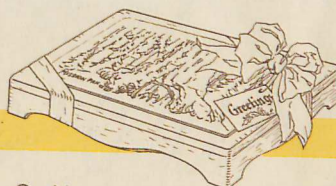
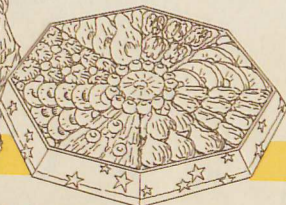
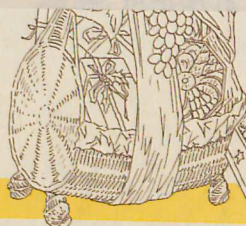
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MISSION PACKING COMPANY

MAKERS OF MISSION PAKS
GIFT BOXES AND BASKETS OF FRUITS AND NUTS

Gifts

at 31 of Reed

ALL YEAR ROUND SALESROOM AND EXECUTIVE HEADQUARTERS
117-127 EAST 33RD STREET, Los Angeles, California
TELEPHONE ADAMS 5194

December
Seventeenth,
1936

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

*at 31 of Reed
by the
Berres*

Dear Mr. Roosevelt:

It has been our privilege to pack a special MISSION PAK basket for you containing a wide assortment of California fruits and confections for Mr. A. J. Berres.

We have made a special effort to pack the basket in such a way that it would reach you in perfect condition. We have had vast experience in shipping smaller baskets, but frankly the basket we have sent you is larger than we ordinarily pack and we are solicitous to hear if it reaches you in good condition. We will appreciate your advising us if there is anything unsatisfactory about the basket.

Received in good condition 12/17/36

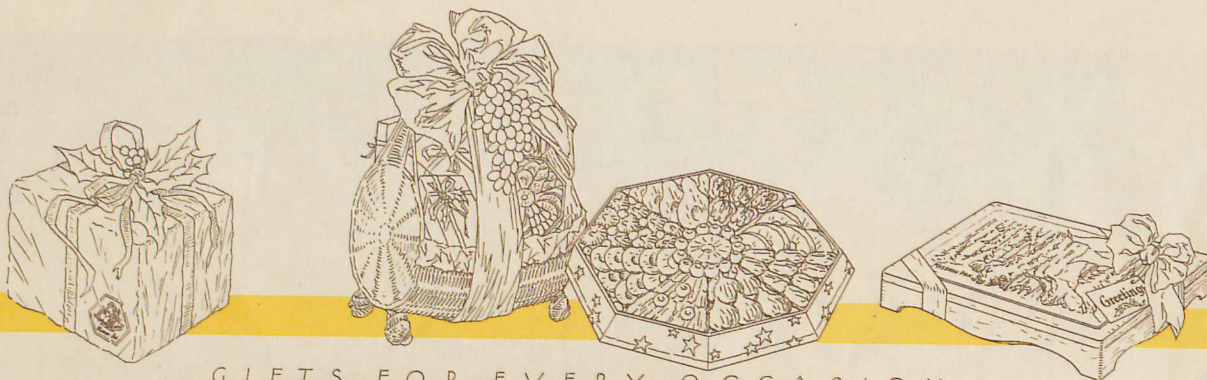
We wish also to extend to you and Mrs. Roosevelt our compliments of the season, together with those of Mr. Berres.

Very cordially yours,

MISSION PACKING COMPANY,

J. Page
President

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booklet put on
top file case

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December 31, 1936

My dear Mr. Byers:

The President has asked me
to acknowledge receipt of and to thank
you for your booklet "Genius Interpreted
with 400 Examples".

Sincerely yours,

M. H. McINTYRE
Assistant Secretary
to the President

Robert P. ^xByers, Esq.,
61 W Street, N. W.,
Washington, D. C.

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