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PRINCIPAL

Quincy, Illinois

Jan. 28, 1933.

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Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt,
President-Elect of the United States,
Hyde Park, N. Y.

My Dear Mr. Roosevelt;-

Will you kindly accept my congratulations upon your successful campaign and recent election.

It was my good fortune to attend the Democratic National Convention last June. My greatest thrill was when Chairman Walsh nominated you for President.

The gavel which he used was made by me from the famous Lincoln-Douglas Linden Tree under which Lincoln and Douglas met in one of their Historical Debates. The Associated Press said you saw the gavel and asked Edwin A. Halsey Sergeant-At-Arms at the Convention to preserve it and send it to you later. I hope you received it because of my admiration for Abraham Lincoln, for you and the Democratic Party.

Would you please be kind enough to let me know if you received the gavel? With best wishes for the future success of Democracy I remain,

Very sincerely yours,
Gladstone Califf.
Manual Arts Dept.

March 15, 1933.

Dear Mr. Califf:-

The President has asked me to thank you for your nice letter of congratulations and tell you that he did receive the gavel and is delighted to have it. He appreciates very much your willingness to part with this treasure.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Le Hand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Gladstone Califf, Esq.,
Manual Arts Department,
Senior High School,
Quincy, Illinois.

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Mt Jackson va
Dear sir Friday Honorable President
I sent you one easter
Rabit yesterday New zeland
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March 1, 1933.

Mr. Angelo Campana,
682 Eldert Lane,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

My dear Mr. Campana:

Many thanks for the lovely Japanese vase which you sent me. It is very beautiful and I deeply appreciate your thought of me.

Very sincerely yours,

682 Eldert Lane
Brooklyn, N. Y.
February 22, 1933

Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt
President of U. S. A:

When I send the inkstand to you, in my letter I explained "that I was making another artisticly piece-work to offer it to you when you became President of U. S. A." Now that you are President and that the piece-work is finished I want to give the piece-work to you and wish you good-luck and great success during the Presidential life.

I wanted to make a different piece-work to show you my skill in woodcarving but I am unemployed and can not buy the wood. First I worked and could give bread to my family and my 81 years old mother that lives in Italy. Now I can't help nobody because its 15 months that I am out of work. I am an artist in carving wood and

that is why I have asked many noted people in New York City to help me by letting me make an artisticly piece-work for Museums or for their homes, but I failed. No one accept to do this. Now I and my family are in a very poor condition and can not help my poor mother. I am an honest worker and want work to live. In this world one man can help another and that is why I am taking the liberty to ask help to the greatest man of U. S. A. that the all world admires. The help that I want from you is to employ me to a place were I could work untill my health permits it. It doesn't matter what kind of work it is. I am a carpenter cabinet-maker, but I'll work at any kind of work, to earn enough money to give bread to my four children and procure them an education.

I have been an American Citizen

for three years. My desire is to have a steady job in the City of New York, B'klyn or any place. I would be the happiest man on earth if I had a job to work steady. If you could recommend me to a person in New York or Brooklyn and give me a job by now because I am in very poor condition. Excuse me for the liberty that I took. Excuse the errors.

Yours respectfully,
Angelo Campana

Instruction how to open the vase of wood.

1. Take the clay vase out.
2. In the inside you see four even pieces of wood.
3. The front of the vase is where your name is. Turn the piece of wood inside on the front part on which you see a small line.
4. When the piece of wood turns once, push with the fingers. In this way the front part opens.
5. Inside you'll find my letter.
6. Pull up the piece of velvet. Under this you'll find another one. In moving the piece of velvet you find a piece of wood. Push back the piece of wood. This way you'll find another secret.

I had wished to come myself to show you how to open the secret. If you can not find the secret I will come and explain how to open it. I will also see your person which I admire so much.

Angelo Campana

682 Eldert Lane
Brooklyn, N. Y.
February 23, 1933

Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt:

My desire was to offer this vase for flowers, Japanese style, to you with my own hands and to shake hand with you, but I consider you are too busy to receive me. I am sending this piece of work to you by mail. I hope you will accept it the same as you accepted the inkstand which I send to you October 26, 1932. I let you know that I admire your person and family. In the vase is a letter which explains how to open a secret that the vase contains. When the secret is open you will find my letter. Please read it. Excuse the liberty that I took. Excuse the errors. Wishing you great success.

Yours respectfully
Angelo Campana

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My dear Mr. Coler:

Your letter has been received and I want to assure you of the President's appreciation of your thoughtful courtesy in sending him the "butternut badge".

Sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE
Secretary to the President.

X P.P.F.
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Mr. C. S. Coler,
West Lafayette, Ohio

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I and my family.
wishes you great
success and good-luck.
Angelo Campana
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Me and my wife.
Angelo Campana

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Sent to Hours

March 10, 1933

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Mr. C. S. Coler, X
West Lafayette, Ohio

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West Lafayette, Ohio

Dear President Roosevelt:

Soon after Mr. Hoover was inaugurated I sent him a nicely polished fox-tooth and told him that the "Ohio boys" thought best to change the Willis slogan, "Clean as a hound's tooth, to "As clean and sharp as a fox-tooth". Seems I ought to have sent two insted of one.

I am sending, of my own make, an old-time "butternut badge", such as worn in the days of Brough. x x

I was in Johns Hopkins when Wilson was there. x x x x x

With all good wishes,

Truly Yours,

C. S. Coler.

March 10, 1933

My dear Mr. Cupp:

The President has received your letter of March 4th and your kindness in sending him the inclosed sketch is very much appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE
Secretary to the President.

Mr. Joe Cupp,
16 Stevenson Street,
Guelph, Ontario,
Canada

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Mr. Roosevelt

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THE WHITE HOUSE
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Dear Sir;

I am sending this ink drawing it is the best I ever done.

Hopeing you like it and wishing you lots of luck as Presadent.

Yours Truley
Joe Cupp.

Sent to house

P.P.F.

March 10, 1933.

Dear Mr. Freeman:-

The President asks me to send you this note of appreciation for the gift which the Capital City Club was good enough to send him.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Le Hand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Myron E. Freeman, Esq.,
103 Peachtree Street, N.E.,
Atlanta, Georgia.

Myron E. Freeman & Bro.
Jewelers
103 PEACHTREE STREET, N. E.
Atlanta, Georgia

MYRON E. FREEMAN
E. B. FREEMAN
E. B. FREEMAN, JR.

February 27, 1933.

Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt,
49 East 65th Street,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

As per instructions from the President of the Capital City Club, we are sending you a package by today's registered mail which we hope will reach you safely and promptly.

Yours very truly,

Myron E. Freeman Bro

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Ladies of Charity of St. Joseph's Orphanage

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MISS MARGARET GRAYSON, TREASURER

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1154 E. Price St
Germantown, Pa
March 13- 33

President Franklin D. Roosevelt,
To Our Kind President,

I am the president of the above named, and wish to acquaint you with an incident which I witnessed quite accidentally.

Sunday March 12th was our regular meeting day, as I arrived quite early with several other members, we made our way to the chapel, there were our little orphan girls saying the rosary and when they finished they offered it for our President

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TREASURER

that God might guide and protect him for many years to come.

It would be a long story to tell you of this institution, suffice to say it is 132 years old, we believe it to be the second oldest in the U. S. I will send you by special delivery a booklet containing the history, and hope if it reaches you personally you will have time to acknowledge it, I add my prayers that God may guide and protect while you are in office.

Sincerely
Mrs. Cornelius Creeden
1154 E. Price St
Germantown - Pa

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A LITTLE "BRIEF" BUT—

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I Halliday Cove
West Virginia
March 13-1933

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Dear President Roosevelt
Writing this letter
with all Love & pleasure with
all My heart as Now you are
every body's father. & Mrs Roosevelt
Our Mother. I sure am glad of it.
I'm sending you this pillow in
honner of Being President.
That You & Mrs Roosevelt will
like it very-much let me no. By
letter. & also sent me one of your
picture I'd like to have.
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Am sorry I could not have been present with the newspaper men, but I want you to know that I am ready to respond in any way to help along in your tremendous work.

Mrs. Chapple joins in the unanimous chorus of hope and good wishes for you and Mrs. Roosevelt and the family.

Yours faithfully, Joe Mitchell Chapple

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

My dear Mr. President:

Last week I addressed a large audience at the Women's Club of the Park Street Church and it thrilled me to note the wonderful unanimity with which these good New England people responded to my description of Inauguration Day.

Looking back over the files of the National Magazine I find my story on Franklin D. Roosevelt, Assistant Secretary of the Navy, and how little I realized at that time that during a great World War you were preparing for this great worldwide economic battle.

While I know that you have a flood of letters pouring in on you and that every second of your precious time is taken up, I could not resist writing this letter, because I am going to try and give you, through the National Magazine and the Reader's Rapid Review, the best that is in me. I have not forgotten your kindness in sending me that greeting to our readers when you were Governor of New York, inwhich you stated that when we lose interest in childhood and sympathy in human relations we are indeed lost. A wave of real fellow-citizenship is sweeping over the country under your leadership.

Am sending you a copy of my book "Holiday Moods of the Year" containing my radio addresses. I do not expect you to read it, but I am very gratified at the responses that I have received, for I do think these days will reveal a holiday mood in days of distress and trial that is a triumphant tribute to your leadership and the true American spirit.

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Chicago, Illinois.
March 13, 1 9 3 3.

His Excellency Franklin D. Roosevelt
White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. President:

Like most humble citizens I have been looking on and approving 100% your prompt, vigorous and wholesome treatment of our national emergency. The country is back of you 100%.

You may recall me as your old Republican adversary of the New York Waterways.

May I send you, with my personal compliments, a set of our New Encyclopedia, 1932 revision, for your personal use at the White House? Presidents Harding, Coolidge and Hoover had this set of books.

With kind personal regards, I am

Faithfully yours,

Edward C. Carrington

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Edward C. Carrington
PRESIDENT.

March 16, 1933.

My dear Mr. Carrington:

The President asks me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March fourteenth and to thank you for your kind expressions of commendation. He also asks me to express his appreciation of your kindly thought in desiring to present to him a set of your new encyclopedia which he will be very glad to receive.

Sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE
Secretary to the President.

Mr. Edward C. Carrington,
333 No. Michigan Avenue,
Chicago, Illinois.

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March 14, 193[illegible].

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My dear Mr. Carbajal:

President Roosevelt asked me to thank you for the two packages of twist cigars you sent him.

They have a fine aroma and make a very enjoyable smoke.

Sincerely yours,

M. H. McIntyre,
Secretary to the President.

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Francisco Carbajal, Esq.,
1910 - 15th St.,
Tampa, Florida.

Friend Jack:

Please give this present to
my President, Franklin D. Roosevelt.
Florencio Carbajal

1910-15 7th St Tampa - Fla.

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CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA.

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March 15, 1933

President Franklir D. Roosevelt,
Washington, D. C.

My dear President:-

I requested my friend, Prof. W.B. Alwood, to express you a basket of Albemarle Pippin Apples. Hope you will like them. It has been said that an apple a day keeps the doctor away. I know of nothing more important at this time, than to keep you well.

God bless you in the wonderful things you are doing.

JPC:ES:
(64 years young)

Your sincere young friend,

Jayne Carroll

J. PAYNE CARROLL, PRESIDENT & GEN. MANAGER C. W. ALLEN, VICE-PRESIDENT F. H. QUARLES, SECRETARY & TREASURER

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J. Payne Carroll

Sent to Howe

March 17, 1933.

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My dear Mr. Cardinell:

Your letter of March fourteenth, transmitting to the President the phonograph record of his Sunday night radio address of March twelfth, has been received, and the President asked me to thank you for your thoughtful courtesy.

Sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE
Secretary to the President.

Mr. John D. Cardinell, ×
15 Label Street,
Montclair, New Jersey.

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It is also good to know that this leadership is not subject to domination of selfish and sinister influences.

Please accept this token as an evidence of admiration and esteem, and may you and yours enjoy the fullest measure of health, happiness and success.

Very respectfully yours,

John D. Cardinell.

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

Dear Sir:-

This writer submits, with his compliments, a phonograph record made at home on the evening of March 12th, 1933, on which is recorded your nation-wide Radio Address to the public.

It occurred to me that you might like to know exactly how your voice carried into the homes throughout the Nation.

The making of this record was decided upon as you were starting your address, and unfortunately, I missed a small part in the beginning and also missed a paragraph about the middle, because of the necessity of turning the record over.

I am enclosing herewith the needle used in the recording of this record, as it is necessary that this same needle, or another of similar character, be used in reproducing it on a modern RCA Victor with two speeds (fast and slow).

Please note that the entire side, #1, was made at slow speed and must be reproduced at slow speed.

On the reverse side, #2, the small outer portion, near the rim, was made at high speed but the balance of the #2 side was made at slow speed, and must be recorded in the same speeds.

It may be possible that you already have a record of this kind of your Radio Address, but in any event this will indicate to you the high feeling of regard and the personal interest which is being taken in you by the average citizen throughout the Nation.

Your extremely capable leadership has aroused confidence and enthusiasm in the people to a most gratifying degree. It is exceedingly good to know that our Government is now in the hands of the most competent leader since Lincoln.

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HOTEL WINSTON
FACING THE UNITED STATES CAPITOL
P. M. EGERTON, MANAGER

March 17, 1933.

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My dear Miss Corcoran:

I have received your letter of March fifteenth and want to thank you in the President's behalf for your thoughtful courtesy in sending the non-skid phone grip to him.

Sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE
Secretary to the President.

Miss A. M. Corcoran,
Hotel Winston,
Washington, D. C.

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HOTEL WINSTON
FACING THE UNITED STATES CAPITOL
P. M. EGERTON, MANAGER
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Mr. Howe,

Secretary of Pres. Roosevelt,

The White House

Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Howe:-

As secretary to my father, W. F. Corcoran, who is at the present time in Washington anticipating on bidding on some government work, I am writing to you.

, I called his attention and showed him, President Roosevelt's picture, sitting by a dial telephone, in the New York Times, a few days ago. I said, why don't you send the President one of those non-skid phone grips, that your friend in Chicago wants to introduce. His reply was, "You send it," so enclosed find a non-skid phone grip that will keep the Presidents telephone from skidding around, while dialing.

With best wishes for the President and our country,

Two Democrats,

Miss A. M. Corcoran

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Very sincerely yours,

× E. W. Sikes, Esq., President,
× The Clemson Agricultural College,
Clemson College, South Carolina.

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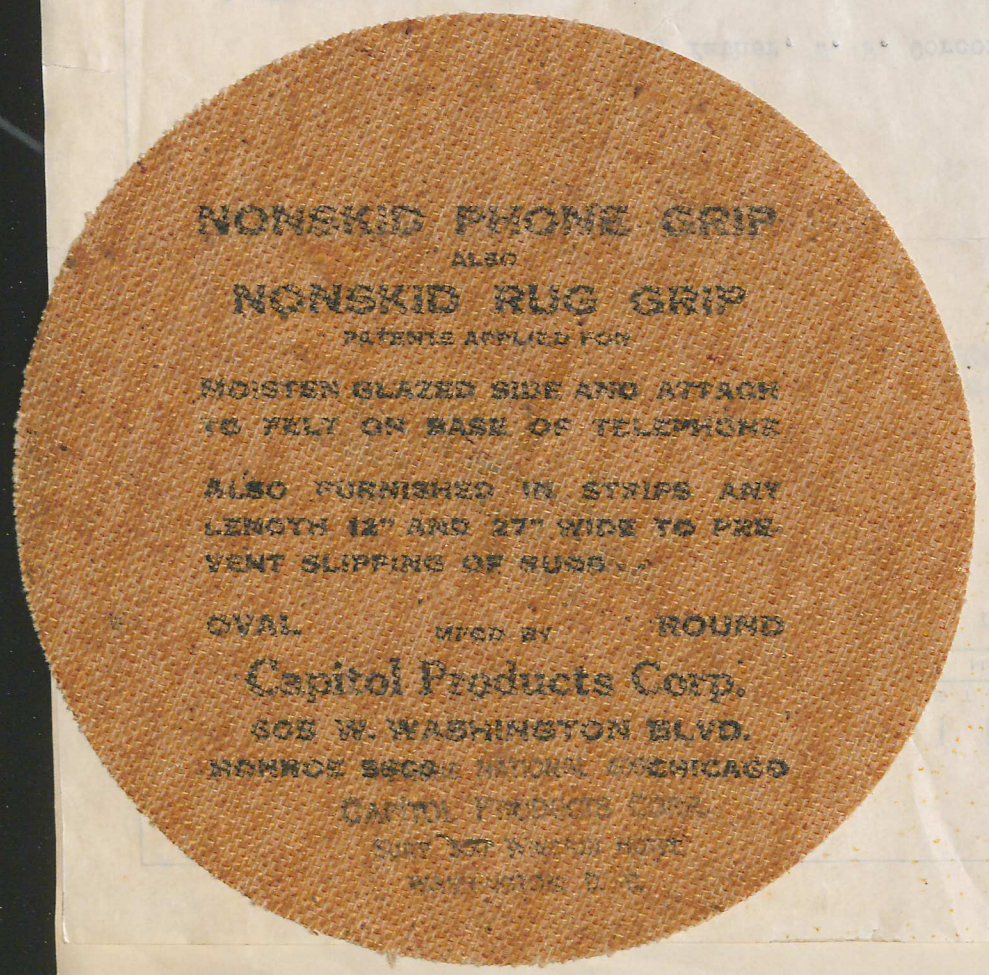
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March 20, 1933.

Dear Mr. Sikes:-

The Secretary of Commerce ×3
has given me the two pictures which you
were kind enough to send ×PPF 9 P and I want to
tell you how much I appreciate your
thought. I think they are excellent
and the work is most interesting.

Very sincerely yours,

×× E. W. Sikes, Esq., President,
The Clemson Agricultural College,
Clemson College, South Carolina.

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THE CLEMSON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE
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ENOCH WALTER SIKES
PRESIDENT

March 14, 1933

Mr. Daniel C. Roper
Secretary of Commerce X3
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Roper:

The students of the Clemson Textile Department have woven a cotton picture of President Roosevelt. Mr. Willis, Director of the Textile Department, and I should like the President to have the first picture off the loom. I am therefore sending this photograph to you under separate cover with the request that you kindly present it to the President on or before March 18th. May I ask that no news item be released on this before March 19th?

On the back of the picture is printed some information which may be of interest to the President. This information is being incorporated in a news item which will be mailed to many of the country's leading newspapers together with photographs of this woven fabric.

In order that the President may be able to make a closer inspection of the fabric picture, I am including one not framed. Mr. Willis is going to send you one of these pictures as soon as others are completed.

With highest personal regards and best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

E. W. Sikes

E. W. Sikes, President

Refers to having sent a book written by Mr. Glenn Clark "The Soul's Sincere Desire" which was correspondent's autographed copy. Intended same to be anonymous and did not foresee possibility that Mr. Clark would perhaps receive reply when he personally was unaware of this book having been sent. Writer would not care to put Mr. Clark in wrong light and fears he may have received letter of thanks therefor. Writer apparently did not sign name to letter but gave address in case of loss and letter from Mr. Howe sent to Mr. Clark at writer's address. Wanted to straighten matter up so signs own name now and wants to be known as donor of Mr. Clark's book.

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message which accompanied it.

Sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE,
Secretary to the President.

Mr. Glenn Clark,
2432 Girard Avenue, South,
Minneapolis, Minnesota.

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March 20, 1933.

P.P.F.
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My dear Mr. Clark:

The President has received the book which you were good enough to send to him and asks me to thank you for it and for the kind message which accompanied it.

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Minneapolis, Minnesota.

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From one who prays God's
blessing on this country in its
great need and its marvelous
opportunities and on you as
its chosen leader and servant.
May this book bring you something
of the peace and joy it has given me.

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Washington, D.C.

By the Soul's Sincere Desire.
by Dr. Glenn Clark. You
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your reply to Dr. Clark because
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intended to be an anonymous
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simply to be sure it could be
insured. As a matter of

March 26, 1933

THE WHITE HOUSE
MAR 30 1933
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My dear Mr. Hoose:

Thank you for your letter of March tenth acknowledging for the President the receipt of the Soul's Sincere Desire by Mr. Glenn Clark. You naturally would addressed your reply to Mr. Clark because I had purposely omitted my name in sending the little book which I really intended to be an anonymous gift. I used an address simply to be sure it could be insured. As a matter of

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fact I intended to send it while Mr. Roosevelt was president-elect but waited until he had started on his vacation trip and then was uncertain about where to send it.

I am troubling you with this note for one reason only — and you do not need to trouble replying — I do not want Mr. Glenn Clark put in the light of sending one of his own books to the President with a little note of appreciation of it such as I enclosed. I didn't foresee that result of my sending my autographed copy. Mr. Clark is a man of national, even international reputation as a writer of this particular type of book. With that he is an exceedingly modest person and having mistaken him in such misinterpretation I must straighten up the embarrassment by signing my own name as the donor. Sincerely yours,

A. L. Loudon

2432 Girard Ave. So. Minneapolis, Minnesota

March 20, 1933.

P.P.F. 9-C.

My dear Mrs. Clark:

The President was deeply touched by your kind letter and your beautiful flowers, which you sent him and he asks me to express his sincere appreciation of your courtesy. He is indeed grateful for your thought of him and thanks you heartily.

Sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE,
Secretary to the President.

Mrs. Mattie Clark,
c/o Mrs. Mattie Hunter,
108 Que Street, N.W.,
Washington, D.C.

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March 5, 1933.

Pres. Franklin D. Roosevelt:
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THE WHITE HOUSE
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My dear Mr. Roosevelt:

This is the happiest moment of my life to have the rare privilege of knowing personally our "new President." I shall earnestly pray that the last statement of your Inaugural address be answered

Please accept these flowers as a humble token of my great devotion for you and Mrs Roosevelt. God will be with you, and He with you, no one can be against you.

Humbly yr old friends,
David's Wife & Daughter
Mrs Mattie Clark. Mattie.
C/O Mrs. Mattie Hunter
108 Que st. N.W.,
Washington DC

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March 20, 1933.

My dear Mr. Carroll:

The President has received the box of apples which you were good enough to send him recently and asks me to thank you for your courtesy which he sincerely appreciates.

Sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE,
Secretary to the President.

Mr. J. Page Carroll,
Crozet, Virginia.

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PACKAGES RECEIVED

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To: President U.S.A.

From: J. Page Carroll Crozet Va

Delivery: Railway Express

Article: 1 Bsk Apples

Date: 3/17/33.

Time: 9 45 am

Received by Officer: Chambliss

Turned over to: Mr. Smith

REMARKS: Sent to House

LOUIS McH. HOWE,
Secretary to the President.

Mrs. Bettie L. Collins,
1513 Alex. Ave.,
Clarendon, Va.

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March 20, 1933.

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My dear Mrs. Collins:

The President is in receipt of the neck tie which you were good enough to send him and requests me to thank you for the courtesy which was much appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE,
Secretary to the President.

Mrs. Bettie L. Collins,
1513 Alex. Ave.,
Clarendon, Va.

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Mrs. Bettie L. Collins
1513 Alex. Ave. / Neck tie.
Clarendon
Va.

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Sent to Hand

For Our President
Franklin D. Roosevelt

Sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE,
Secretary to the President.

Congress Shirt Co.,
72 Essex Street,
Boston, Mass.

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March 31, 1933.

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Gentlemen:

The President has received the flannel shirts which you were good enough to send him and requests me to thank you for your courtesy, which is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE,
Secretary to the President.

Congress Shirt Co.,
72 Essex Street,
Boston, Mass.

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March 10, 1933

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

Dear Mr. President:

We are sending you under separate cover, as has been our custom for many years dating back to that great President Grover Cleveland, a pair of shirts which we ask you to kindly use as we have requested all of the great men who have preceded you in the office of President of this great country.

It is rare indeed for a President to be both mariner and fisherman. Many of our previous great presidents have been fishermen and for that reason we have sent shirts suitable to those followers of Isaac Walton to be used in the pursuit of the finny tribe.

Now if we can believe all we see in the papers, Mr. President, you are much less of a fisherman than you are a mariner and for that reason we are sending some all wool blue flannel shirts which is the approved regalia for the great Masters of the Deep. The writer of this letter follows both pursuits in his leisure moments but follows them with only indifferent success.

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We judge by your pictures that the neck size should be seventeen inches. If this is incorrect kindly return the shirts and let us know what the dimension should be for we would be happy to send you shirts of the correct size.

It is our sincere wish and our positive belief that you, Mr. President, will be successful in guiding our Ship of State into safe harbor as you have many times in the past stood staunchly at the helm of many a good vessel, arriving always safely into calm and untroubled waters.

Again assuring you of the pleasure we shall receive if you will accept this slight gift, and assuring you further of our entire confidence in you and in your administration, we are

Yours most sincerely,

x CONGRESS SHIRT COMPANY x

By John F. O'Connor x

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COMMANDAY-ROTH COMPANY Incorporated
DIRECT ADVERTISING PRINTING AS A FINE ART
175 VARICK STREET New York

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Mr Franklin D Roosevelt
President

Dear sir

The Enclosed Package does not contain (the left hind foot of a methodist meeting House grave yard rabbit killed at midnight in the dark of the moon in June) But it does contain an article that I Judge to Possess equally Potent Powers as a fetich

As a tree. it grew in a christian cemetery and must thus contain many atoms of the Departed dead, and since a dead mans boots are said to be the lockiest boots a man can wear, it should Bring good Fortune

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to its Possessor.
It is too large for a
cane, which you don't need,
But is intended as an em-
blem of authority. like
the Policemans stick, which
is second only, to his star
It Was also used as a
Christmas tree to give
Pleasure to little folks and
that fact should also add
something to its Powers
If you decide to use it I suggest
that Justice be tempered with
mercy and that Boldness
is good in execution as
it sees not the lion chained
Beside the Way.
Desiring no reward except good
Government and no Publicity
I With best Wishes. (Anon.)

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March 21, 1933.

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My dear Mr. Commanday:

The President has received the puzzles which you were good enough to send him and asks me to thank you for your courtesy, which he greatly appreciates.

Sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE,
Secretary to the President.

Mr. Frank Commanday,
175 Varick Street,
New York, N.Y.

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DIRECT ADVERTISING PRINTING AS A FINE ART

175 VARICK STREET *New York*

March 15th 1933

Sent to House
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Hon Franklin D Roosevelt
PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
Washington, D C

Dear Sir:-

Under separate cover Mrs Commanday and I have sent you our latest Jig-Saw Puzzles which we hope you will enjoy working out in your spare moments.

Wishing you good health and a great deal of Success....

Respectfully yours

Frank Commanday

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March 21, 1933.

My dear Mrs. Curro:

The President has received the fancy pillow which you were good enough to send him, and requests me to thank you for the courtesy which is deeply appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE,
Secretary to the President.

Mrs. R. Marynglio Curro,
Hollidays Cove,
West Virginia.

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March 21, 1933.

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My dear Mr. Conant:

The President has received the photograph of the old map which you were good enough to send him and requests me to thank you for the courtesy which he deeply appreciates.

Sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE,
Secretary to the President

Mr. Eugene Conant,
373 Henry Street,
Brooklyn, N.Y.

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373 Henry Street, Brooklyn,N.Y.,

March 11th, 1933.

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

Dear Mr. President:

Sent to House.

In the hope that it may afford you even a few minutes of relaxation from your cares in this time of stress I am sending you by parcels post a photograph of an old map, which I thought might be of interest to you as it shows what this part of the country was thought to be like soon after the arrival of your forebears and shows where they chose to settle.

The original, which is hand illuminated in colors, has been for many years in the possession of a monastery in Belgium, whence the Walloons came to this country, and I believe it has never been published.

I regret very much to have to advise you, Mr. President, that there is one condition, or string, attached to this little offering. Even though the coast line and streams are fairly accurately charted for what one geographer or mariner could have known in those days, we, all of us, value your well being so highly that you are never to navigate by it.

Wishing you continued good health and strength and success in your efforts in behalf of your fellow citizens, I am

Yours faithfully,

Eugene Conant

Eugene Conant

March 21, 1933.

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My dear Friends:

The President has received the cane made by you from Manzanita wood, grown in Mariposa County, California, and asks me to thank you heartily for your courtesy. He deeply appreciates your thought of him and the sentiment and good will which inspired the gift.

Sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE,
Secretary to the President.

The Champney Family,
5222 Dover Street,
Oakland, California.

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Franklin D. Roosevelt
President of the United States—

We are sending with this note (by Parcel Post) a cane we made from Manzanita wood grown in Mariposa Co California. You have been quoted as saying you would "use the big stick" if necessary to better conditions. So here is "The Big Stick".

With best of luck

from The Champney Family.
(Life long Democrats)

March 7- 1933

5222 Dover street
Oakland California

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March 21, 1933

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Hon. Eugene B. Carey,
Kingston, New York.

My dear Mayor Carey:

The President was very sorry indeed to learn of your accident and hopes that you are well on the road to recovery by now. He much appreciated your message relative to his escape from injury in Miami.

President Roosevelt also wants to thank you for sending him the picture mentioned in your letter, which he is glad to have.

Very sincerely yours,

Secretary to the President

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EUGENE B. CAREY
MAYOR

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

City of Kingston - New York

February 24, 1933

Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt, President-Elect,
Hyde Park, New York.

My dear Mr. Roosevelt:

Mayor Carey was seriously injured in an automobile accident on the second of February, one block from his home, by an automobile truck owned by a Poughkeepsie concern. He is still confined to the Benedictine Hospital in this city and is recovering.

He directs me to tell you that he is happy over your escape from the assassin's bullets at the unfortunate occurence in Miami.

One of the last things he did before he was injured was to autograph and frame a picture taken while you were speaking at the George Washington Bi-Centennial exercises in Kingston on Memorial Day of last year. Following his instructions, I am sending the picture to you under separate cover. Mayor Carey directs me to say that he hopes you will take the picture to Washington and during some of your troublesome moments when you are looking for a happy moment he knows that if you will gaze at the picture and see therein two good, staunch followers of your in Kingston, namely himself and Judge Clearwater, that he knows you will get a happy thought for the time being.

Respectfully yours,

Alverta D Carey

Secretary to Mayor.

March 22, 1933.

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My dear Mr. Collier:

The President has received the framed verse which you were good enough to send him, and asks me to thank you for your courtesy. He appreciates your thought of him.

Sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE,
Secretary to the President.

Mr. Barron Collier,
Candler Bldg.,
New York City, N.Y.

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March 22, 1933.

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My dear Mr. Cregier:

The President has received the tie and handkerchief which you were good enough to send him and and asks me to thank you for your courtesy, which he appreciates very much.

Sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE,
Secretary to the President.

Mr. Harry E. Cregier,
112 South 11th St.,
Philadelphia, Pa.

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STYLIST FOR MEN
112 SOUTH 11TH STREET
PHILADELPHIA

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sent to House

Dear President,

Having heard a few remarks our Congressman made to you on March 17, 1933, I am taking the liberty sending you a green tie and handkerchief to match.

It just don't look right that our President should be without this color, so true to nature as green may be

Thanking you for your wonderful work.

Sincerely,
Harry E Cregier

P.P.F.

March 23, 1933.

My dear Mr. Chamberlain:

The President was delighted with the orchid award made by you and has asked me to convey his appreciation for what you did.

The presidents of the two broadcasting systems used by the President in his radio address both seemed to agree with you that Mr. Roosevelt's talk was the feature of the week, and some have been good enough to say that it was the most important pronouncement made in the history of radio.

Thousands of telegrams have been received commending the President for his radio address and to date not a single wired message or written communication has struck a discordant note.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

STEPHEN T. EARLY
Assistant Secretary to the
President.

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Mr. Frank Chamberlain,
Toronto Daily Star,
Toronto, Canada.

From Frank Chamberlain
Toronto Daily Star.

Orchid for work in
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Sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE,
Secretary to the President.

Rev. Philip H. Clifford,
Vance Memorial Presbyterian Church,
Wheeling, West Virginia.

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Write a nice letter to thank for orchid for week's best Radio Performance.

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Sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE,
Secretary to the President.

Rev. Philip H. Clifford,
Vance Memorial Presbyterian Church,
Wheeling, West Virginia.

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March 23, 1933.

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My dear Rev. Clifford:

Your recent letter to the President has been received, and your thoughtfulness in sending the accompanying bulletin, poem, and brochure to him is very much appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE,
Secretary to the President.

Rev. Philip H. Clifford,
Vance Memorial Presbyterian Church,
Wheeling, West Virginia.

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VANCE MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
WOODSDALE
WHEELING, W. VA.

REV. PHILIP H. CLIFFORD, S. T. D., MINISTER
MANSE PHONE 945 WOODSDALE

DOROTHY L. DODGE, CHURCH SECRETARY
CHURCH PHONE 87 WOODSDALE

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The Hon. F. D. Roosevelt
President of the United States

Dear Mr President:- Of the multitude of letters you receive I hope this one will serve to bring you a gleam of love and loyalty, your great word-spoken at Washington, created.

God Bless You.

Prayer is the highest energy of the soul.

Cheerfully & Fraternally -

Philip H. Clifford

I am also mailing you one of my Brochures on Prayer - In one of the relax moments you might get a chance to read it.

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OUR NEW PRESIDENT FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

Inspired by Inaugural Address, March 4, 1933.

Out of the debris and ruin a man
Lifts up his head and calls "All shall be well".
His voice is that of leadership - Men tell -
And Assure us his economic plan
Will bring relief and save us from the ban -
Of all mal-practice. We tremble, hope, trust,
Take new courage. His words are tempered, just
Acceptable to those worthy to scan.

The nultitudes rejoice. We all rejoice ,
For in the sentiments which he doth voice ,
We catch the gleam of rejuvenation ,
We see seed the salvage of our nation ,
Our hope is stayed by his most humble word ,
A prayer of faith - dependence on The Lord.

Truly this man was in God's Providence
Chosen equipped exalted to the throne -
The people receive him, their very own -
A democrat possessed of common-sense ,
He asks support depends upon the prayer
Of all who with him will the burdens share ,
Let each attach himself, be his defense.

A man of The Times, for The Times is here
The Ship of State in Love he fain would steer
His place and task the greatest in the world
They are not his alone, each one must work
Each one must give and be. Let no man shirk
Let flags of loyalty now be unfurled.

Philip H Clifford
Philip H. Clifford

A soul desirous to have God's Counsels

Written 2:00 to 4:00 A. M. March 5, 1933.

Dear Mr President:-
While remembering you in Prayer these above words were inspired. I am by request of my congregation sending them to the local press - I feel they are worthy of a wide circulation because they contain sentiments which will help create the spirit that must be [illegible] in all your work. P.H.C.

Pungent Facts

Read—Digest—Discuss—and Then Give Away

The Vance Memorial Presbyterian Church

Woodsdale, Wheeling, W. Va.

Minister, Rev. Philip H. Clifford, S. T. D.

Where the Word of God is Taught
and Spiritual Services Maintained
By Free-will Offerings of Self and Substance.

"Give Us This Day Our Daily Bread"

"Back of the loaf is the snowy flour
And back of the flour is the mill
And back of the mill is the wheat
and the shower
And the sun and The Father's Will."
M. B.

In making up our accounts with God, let our minds be sensible that all we have is God's gift. He trusts us as stewards. We can give—that is share our time, our talents, and our substance. God nor man asks us to do anything that we cannot do. But both expect us to do what we can do and be what we can be. Back of all life and stewardship—

Is The Father's Will.

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The Father's Will

"It is More Blessed to Give Than to Receive"

This means self, time, talents, substance. Put your heart in i

A Prayer

"God of The Dew, In gentlest ministry, As silently—
Would I some soul refresh anew.
God of The Sun, Far flaming heat and light,
Be my delight—On radiant errands swift to run.
God of The Star, To its stern orbit true
My soul imbue—with dread Lest I Thine order mar.
God of The Sea, majestic, vast, profound,
Enlarge my bound,—Broader and deeper—Let me be."

M. B.

In support of the work for the year, let us give our best. If we are to accomplish what is expected of us then we must receive the generous help of each member and friend. We have a Great God—an Unique Church and the Times bring to us a great challenge. Breast Forward with God. God does not will any man to give or do that which he cannot afford. But God does not will that we do less than we can afford. Giving is a personal matter. It is not how full are our hands which we bring to God, but how clean are they? Giving which receives God's Smile is that which contains ourselves. Silver and gold are empty if we do not put ourselves into the gift.

The Budget on the next page is ideal. Let us seek to attain it. The Music contract has been cut $700. All other items make the least we need for the realization of our task. We have put our benevolences at $4,000 which is proportionate for us to endeavor to raise. Let us try to do our best. God bless each one in his or her decision as to the gift pledged for the work of Christ, Who gave Himself for us.

While we will accept any special method of payment either weekly, monthly, quarterly, we offer each a set of duplex envelopes for weekly offerings. These educate children and they make it easy giving for the average family. Scripture directs us to so give I Cor. 16:1-2. Let us as a United Community Church do our best. Some persons may not be able to do what they would like, but let each give what he can in time, talent or money and having so decided, Let us thank God and take courage.

This Is Our Budget

All Salaries—Pastor, Sexton, Secretary . .	$ 6,760.00
Upkeep of Buildings and Property, Heat, Light, Telephone and Water	1,800.00
Organ—Organist, Choir, Music	3,000.00
Postage, Office Supplies, Church Envelopes .	175.00
Insurance on Buildings, Furnishings and Pulpit Supply	800.00
Printing—also Church Calendars and Press .	750.00
Emergency Repairs and Miscellaneous, also Improvements	1,250.00
Interest on Church Debt	720.00
Endeavor to raise towards Church Debt . .	3,000.00
Mid-week Church School and Vacation Bible School	660.00
Ohio County Council of Religious Education .	400.00
Ministerial Pension Fund and Assembly Dues .	538.00
In Obedience to Matt. 28:18—20 Benevolences .	4,000.00
Grand Total	$23,853.00

Our Total Church Debt is $12,600.00

Is there one who might make a memorial of the organ in honor of a Loved One Promoted to God's Upper Room and thus cancel this debt?

There are excellent persons facing difficulties because of the stress of the times. Such must not stay away through inability to pledge financial support. Let us have the support of your interest and presence in the services. Let us feel your touch of brotherhood and spiritual prayer. Perhaps you can do far more by taking a class in Sunday School or helping in many other ways. We all feel the burden of the times but let us face it as a challenge to do our best and leave the rest with God. He never makes mistakes in His estimate of our real value to society. God Bless each in the doing of His Holy Will.

"The sweetest lives are those to duty wed,
Whose deeds both great and small
Are close knit strands of an unbroken thread,
Where Love ennobles all."

The Officiary

Our Church is enjoying a Deeper Spiritual Endeavor to realize and fulfill what In the Plan and Purpose of God is assigned to us. If the Individual Member, Friend, Adherent will give of his time, of himself and insofar as possible of the substance given him of God, What a great and blessed year will be ours as a Community and as a Church? Your Session wishes to thank each and all for whatever spiritual and material help might be rendered. Let us do our best to buy up the prospect and make this, despite hard times, a banner year for God and good. With Gratitude

The Session

Rev. Philip H. Clifford, Moderator

Elders:

C. E. Wemple	E. K. Hoge
C. E. Bates	Wm. L. Latta
E. W. S. Neff	P. H. Swalm
Frank H. Ryder	A. B. Brooks

Your Board of Trustees realize that to undertake a progressive and enlarged program is a very vital matter. In the Budget, we have succeeded in requesting less by cutting down wherever possible; it does not ask for more than last year. We are also endeavoring to raise money for our standing debt. How much better under the leadership of our new minister for us to so try, rather than surrender to the spirit of disappointment or conditions. Let us at least attempt to go forward and in God's Way. We anticipate a hearty cooperation from each and all. We rejoice in what we are sure will be a very generous response to realize the winning of our goal.

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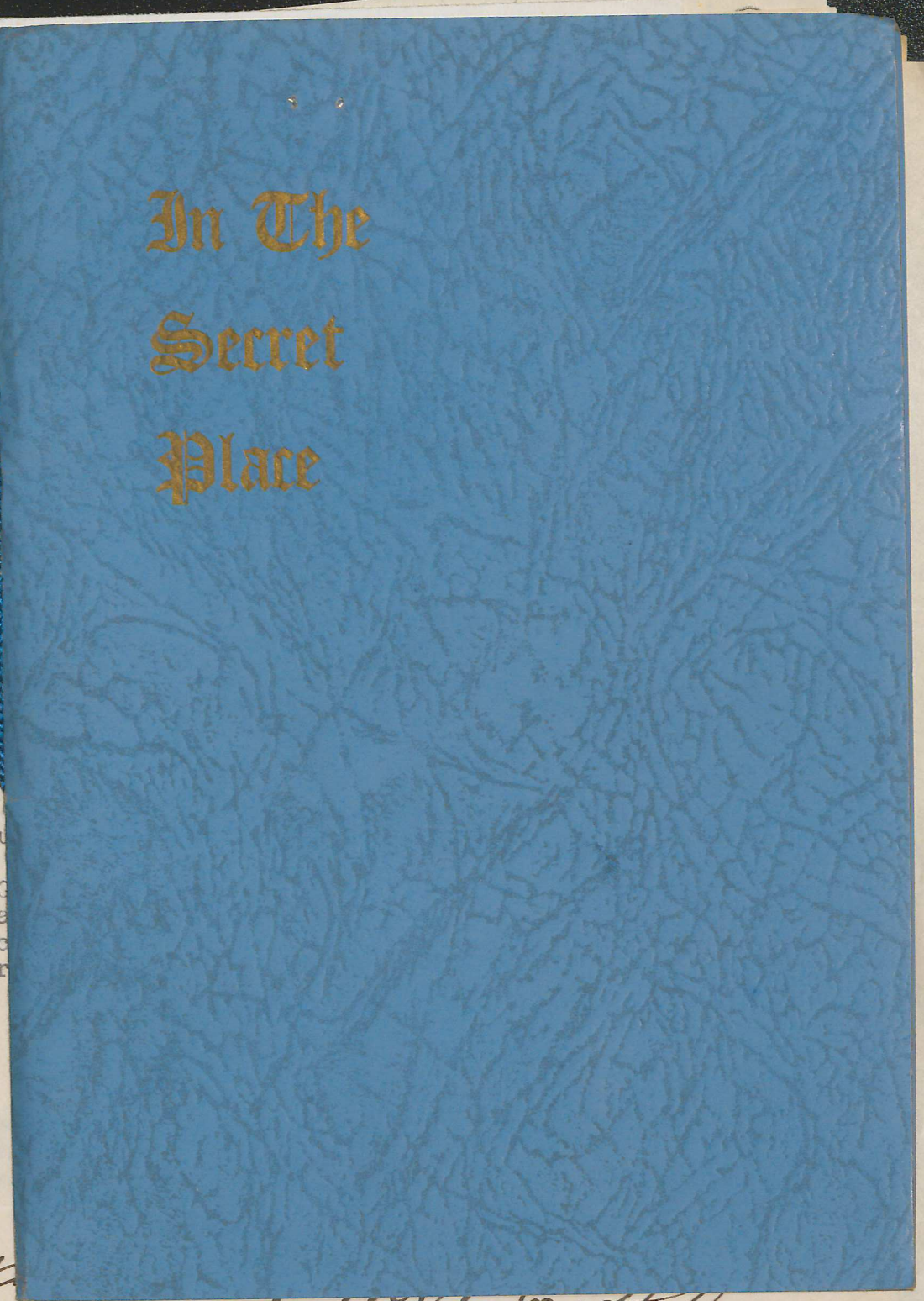

J.S. K... of Mott Soothby

To Franklin D. Roosevelt

From The Author whose
Prayer will ever support
you in these days of
Your great cooperation with
God to do His will.

His will the one standard of
all character and conduct
Doing His will the one
comprehensive description of service
Delight in doing His will
the highest joy of the soul.

Philip H. Clifford

Dorothy

In The Secret Place

By

Rev. Philip H. Clifford, S. T. D.

Minister of The First Presbyterian Church
Boston, Mass.

Now minister of the
Vance Memorial Presbyterian Church
Wheeling West Virginia —

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An organized group endeavoring to scatter abroad seeds of thought, knowing wherever they are planted, God Commands a Blessing.
121 Berkeley Street, Boston, Mass.

of Mrs. Soothley

Foreword

IN the Secret Place, Alone with God, one dares to think out loud. He does not feel limitations as when addressing an earthly friend. It has been my custom for years to concentrate my mind and heart in prayer by writing a frank letter to God. I call such, a love letter. Writing spontaneously, without the consciousness that what you write is to be read by any other person, gives the soul great freedom of expression. When preaching on the subject of Prayer, I have exhorted my hearers to adopt this method, suggesting that it would teach them precious lessons and develop their spiritual contacts.

Many have requested me to collect out of these meditations brief paragraphs such as would reveal and express fitting sentiments of a soul desirous of true fellowship with God in daily living, also in the work of intercession: I have consented to do so, selecting from meditations which were completed in a time when my mind and heart were free from the influence of such a thought as writing for publication. Usually, I destroy these papers because of their very personal opening of the heart before God. Fortunately, I have enough material on hand to select the following, which I pray will be used of God in their spontaneity of expression, in their simplicity of faith, in their dependence and trust to serve as a guide in their testimony, inspiring

others to give themselves to greater fidelity in Prayer.

Prayer is the highest energy of the soul, the breath of the Christian's life. Prayerlessness in the average life is due to failure to cultivate right habits of giving time to prayer. Men and women who fail to pray, faint in the daily living unto God. The peculiar trying times of Churches in our day is due as in all past ages to the neglect of true waiting on God. My own ministry is at its best and at its highest peak when I faithfully give myself to Prayer and Intercession.

PASTOR PHILIP H. CLIFFORD.

NO silent force doth fail to give
Response to relativity,
By which men daily work and live,
Retain their needed gravity.
True prayer, like light, is too a force
Ordained of Love, a gift to man,
Obey its laws and in life's course
You learn its place in God's Great Plan;
Its keys will open every lock,
And in response to living faith
Will guard the soul from daily shock,
Give rest to all that on God wait.
Then lift thine heart in earnest prayer,
In faith look up to God above,
And set in motion energy,
The healing, saving power of Love.

P. H. C.

In the Secret Place

I
Prayer Is Right Relationship With God.
Luke 11:1-5
Psalm 66:18

LORD Jesus Christ: The consciousness of helplessness was never greater in my life; and I dare not assume in thought, word or deed, anything of independence. Gladly, in the freedom of my helplessness, I turn to Thee, in Whom I can do all things which come to me and seek to work for Thy Glory that which is worth while. When I am weak, then, truly I am clothed in Thy Strength. My soul does not go forth to battle with Goliath in the strength of skill of sword and shield, but in the spirit of faith which, with the stone from God's Brook, can wield the sling of defense and scatter the Philistines abroad, thus letting the forces of God march on to victory. This day is a new gift, twenty-four hours of opportunity to serve Thee. Lord, grant that in work, play, rest, I may realize I am Thine and live to Thy Glory. Thou art the Agent, I am the instrument. Thy Will, not mine, be done. In the Way marked out by Thee, cause me to walk. In the circumstance permitted or ordained by Thy Will, enable me to demonstrate I am Thy Servant. All this day may the world be a better place because of the uninterrupted flow of Thy Blessing in and through me. This, Lord, is my prayer offered in Thy Name to God, my Father, by Thy Holy Spirit, Who teaches and leads me. AMEN.

II
Prayer Is a Force. Obey Its Laws and It Will Obey You.
Matt. 21:22

ETERNAL God and Father, I am Thine by my personal choice. I am Thine by Thine Own choice. I am Thine in faith which assents to Thy Word, consents to Thy Will and desires to accent Thy Love. All this is mine in Christ Jesus, in Whom, I am blessed with all spiritual blessings. Therefore, I lift my heart in the confidence of the grace of prayer and request for this day to be clothed with simple faith, led by its power in the Holy Ghost, to put on the humility of Christ Jesus, to meet all things in the gentleness of His meekness and in the infinite patience of His resignation, to do those things that please Thee. Lord, give me faith and on this day enable me to write a chapter which shall have been lived in Thy Light and the cleansing by the Blood of Jesus Christ from all sin, which in human weakness, I am apt to consciously or unconsciously commit. All I ask in the name of Jesus Christ, my Lord. AMEN.

III
Prayer Is More Than Asking— It Is Seeking, Knocking
Matt. 7:7

PRAISE God from Whom all Blessings come. Praise Jesus Christ in Whom I see and understand God. Praise the Holy Spirit by Whom I grow in grace and in the knowledge of the Divine Will. In the names of God The Father, God The Son, God The Spirit, One in Three and Three in One, I lift my heart in the childlike confidence of the faith of the fathers and in the experimental knowledge of the full assurance in my inmost being, that I am the child of Eternal Love. The world so full of rules made for the sake of realizing principles, frightens me and causes me to cast myself upon Thee, O Christ, Who cares for me. I turn from the batteries of a thousand thoughts, from the memory of a thousand failures, from the arguments of a limited intelligence, to Thee, Blessed Jesus, and pray that this day I may live in the consciousness of Thy Presence and Care, meeting whatever comes my way. Lord, in quietness may I rest in Thee, feel the pressure of Thy Hand, perform my work, my play and Glorify Thy Name. AMEN.

IV
"God Hath Not Turned Away My Prayer, Nor His Mercy From Me."
Psalm 66:20

"TO know God" this is Eternal Life. Father, I do know Thee in Christ Jesus my Lord. He who sees the Christ, sees God. Here I am face to face with a new day, what will it mean? Well, of myself I can do nothing. I am an instrument of a thousand strings. The powers of nature, of circumstance, of evil influence, of desire, all will seek and succeed in touching the wires of my life. Lord God of Hosts, I pray that Thou wilt as the Master and Sovereign over all save me from discord. Manifest Thyself to me. Open mine eyes that in all things, I may see Thee, learn Thy Way and walk therein. If my feet wander, draw me back to Thyself. May the day be lived in the constraint of Thy Divine Love for Jesus sake. AMEN.

V
Prayer Has Objective Power.
James 5:16

LORD Jesus Christ: I start the day feeling weary in body and conscious of my own weakness spiritually. The soul is tempted to turn from the attitude of the simple trust, which lives from day to day looking unto Thee as Author and Finisher of its faith. Fate often strikes a blow at which by Grace, help me to strike a counter-blow and fight back to the upward trend of the attitude of resting in Thee. On Thy Breast, I pillow my head. O Jesus Lover of my soul, Thy Will be done in me. Thou, O Christ, art all I want. Hallelujah, 'tis done, I believe on the Son: I am saved and kept by Thee, cleansed in Thy Precious Blood, which is the Love of the universe. May it freely flow in and through me this day. AMEN.

VI
Paul's Biography in Three Words—"Behold He Prayeth."
Acts 9:11
Peter's
Acts 10:9-10
Apostles'
Acts 6:4

HEAVENLY Father: Again I raise my heart in prayer and give utterance to the thought of my soul. What a wonderful relation hast Thou established for whosoever in Christ Jesus will live and look unto Thee, in Whom is the salvation of all men and the power that governs the Universe. Life is all schoolroom. It has its recess for play, but study of Thy Will is its end and doing Thy Will should be its aim. Lord, Thy Will be done in me this day. To me, Thou hast given that which is my part in Thy Plan and Purpose. Save me from infidelity. Keep me from belittlement of its importance. Help me to fully appreciate not only its essentiality, but also its relation to the individual parts Thou hast given to each man and to all men. May I see the lowest in the light of its relation to the highest, and with all Thy servants live in the consciousness of performing my task to Thy Glory. I thank Thee for the simple faith which enables me to pray freely and in all confidence through Jesus Christ my Lord. AMEN.

VII
Apostles Prayed in Relation to Service and the Fulness of the Spirit.
Acts 6:5-6
Acts 8:14, 15

HOW quickly Lord, do the days pass! Seven is a complete number. It is Thy Divine Symbol of Rest. It is one-tenth of seventy. When days are viewed as types of years how momentous they become. Seventy years fill the average life as ordained by Thee. In these days with help of prayer, may I truly by Thy Grace, live and be what will prove prophetically true of all my years, whatever they shall number. The great thing is not to live long, but to live well. To live well, I must walk with Thee the radiant way. O, my Jesus, cleanse me from all sin and stain. Hold Thou my hand and teach me to rest in Thee. The flesh grows weary and often the mind becomes careless, sin persists and one is made to feel the truth of the sentiment of Thy Word spoken through Paul. "O wretched man that I am. Who shall deliver me from this body of death?" But, like him, I praise Thee. I can also say, I thank God through Jesus in Whom I am freed from the condemnation of law and called to the newness of Life in the Spirit. Lead me this day in thought, word and deed. May all Thy Children feel as I feel, believe as I believe, and rest in Thee, knowing Thee, The Eternal God and Jesus Christ Whom Thou didst send. AMEN.

VIII
Seven Keys of Prayer—
Liberty
Simplicity
Reality
Faith
Individuality
Certainty
Fruitfulness
Matt. 21:22

ON Calvary, I see three crosses and in them I see signified the revelation of God's Truth concerning all men. O God, that it pleased Thee to give Thine only Begotten Son, to make His Soul an offering for sin, is indeed infinite and beyond the comprehension of finite sense. However, I readily understand how, though He Who was without sin, yet for sin, died on the tree. Slain by the wickedness of man, yet made an offering to cleanse and forgive all sin, even to pardon those who drove the nails in His Hands and His Feet. There, man did his very worst, but Thou, O God, didst do Thy very best. With childlike faith, I accept and enter into the philosophy of Redemption. Jesus took our sins upon Him and died in our stead. On the cross of the impenitent thief, I see a human soul with sin on it and in it. On the cross of the penitent thief, I see sin in him, but not on him. It was all laid on Jesus. Lamb of God that taketh away the sin of the world, this day, use me to bear witness to Thy saving and keeping power. Use me to help some other soul into the vision of Thy Power to forgive and take away sins. O Lamb of God, in the light of truth revealed on these three crosses of Calvary, help me to live and bear witness to others. AMEN.

IX
Jesus Prayed in the Mountain Alone.
Matt. 14:23

MY Gracious God, with waking thoughts I feel my need of Thee. I am conscious of my own inefficiency to make this day all that it might be. Good-will and good intentions undoubtedly are excellent, but nature, when it depends on them, often, if not always, finds them unfulfilled. O, my Jesus, give me grace to carry out and fulfill what, for me, on this new day, is Thy Blessed Will. Whatever is to cross my path, cause me to see, in it, Thy Hand, Thy Thought, Thy Love. Sunshine and shadow fill the human experience, but let not either of them interrupt my fellowship with Thee. Down Life's Road, by Thine all sufficient Grace, may I live in the consciousness of Thy Nearness and meet all things as Thy Child. If I should prove selfwilled, disobedient, hold me with Thy cords of Love and in repentance draw me to Thy Bosom. I know there's no provision made for sinning, but I cannot trust myself to go through the day without offence, so I cast my soul on Thy Care and in heart, will to do Thy Will. "Jesus Saviour, Pilot Me." AMEN.

X
Jesus Rose Early to Pray.
Mark 1:35

FROM day to day, I must receive from Thee, My Gracious Lord Jesus Christ, all that I need for efficiency. My sufficiency is of Thee. "Thou art the vine." As a branch, I seek to abide in Thee and pray that there may be no interruption to the free flowing of the sap of the Divine Life. Wherever men find the vine, they think of and look for grapes. Thou art the Vine, the perpetual bearing-vine. Thou art not confined to seasons as is the natural vine. Yet there are conditions which must be met before there can be fruit. O, my God, Thou art the Husbandman. It is Thine to purge the branch that it may bear fruit, more fruit, much fruit. Purge me and in Thy Blessed Will, teach me to delight. It is the measure of all character and conduct. "He that doeth the Will of God abideth forever." I will to be made willing, yea Lord, I will to do Thy Will throughout this day. Give me faith to trust, to see, and meet all and not be afraid. If this is to be a day wholly given to the purging process, Thy Will be done; if to be one of those delightful days of abundant fruit bearing, Thy Will be done. Come what will, I am Thine, and, my Precious Jesus, Thou art mine. AMEN.

XI
Jesus' Public Ministry Began With Prayer.
Luke 3:21

MAKE me, Saviour, a tree planted by the living waters, which is not affected by the passing experiences of drought. Thou art the Rule by which I measure, the Root from which I grow. Thou art the Life-giver of the evergreen tree. Among the many which Thou hast planted, make me one. If this day is to be spent on the mountain top in the loneliness of the single pine—or by the refreshing stream where foliage is plentiful, Thy Will be done. Whatever my place, on mountain top or in the valley, Thou art my All and in all. If I am to have the glory of beautiful sunshine with gentle zephyrs, or the howling winds with devastating storms, what matter? Thou overrulest all. Teach me, Lord, to rest in Thee. All my years are but the growth of days, which are made up of moments and seconds. I need Thee, Lord. I feel and know my need of Thee. Yea, I, too, appreciate Thou needst me and has created me for a purpose. Let that purpose not be hindered this day through self-will and carnality in me. Thou hast made me free to choose. Lord, I choose to walk with Thee. Thy Will be done. AMEN.

XII
Jesus Said Men Ought Always to Pray.
Luke 18:1

O GRACIOUS God: I am standing with Thee on the Mount of Vision. I see the world into which I must go down and spend this day. There are lonely hearts, broken spirits, discouraged souls, all of whom will find their need in coming to know and trust Thee. Give me Love, Wisdom, Patience and this day live in and through me to win souls. So many are engaged making a living, they forget to live a life with Thee. I pray that in all of my contacts with men, I may be true to Thee and demonstrate that while one makes his living, he first of all should live a life of Character, Love and Spiritual Affluence. Take this poor man and make him Thine Own Instrument to do Thy Will. May it please Thee, despite my mistakes, to manifest Thyself in and through me. God, may those in sorrow, come to know Thy Comfort; those discouraged, Thy Inspiration; those in sin, Thy Forgiveness; those perplexed, Thy Wisdom, and through me, help every good cause. In the Name of Jesus, I make these requests. How sweet the Name, full of the magic of God. AMEN.

XIII
Jesus Prayed Before Selecting the Disciples.
Luke 6:12-13

HOW beautiful that one begin the day in Prayer, which is the vital energy of the soul's fellowship. O, my God, I thank Thee for Prayer. Teach me, increasingly, to give myself to this power which Thou hast ordained to bring things to pass. In simple faith from day to day, I pray so that in all social contacts, in all business dealings, in all questions which come my way, I may receive Grace, Wisdom and Power to be true to Thee. If I am to be true to others, to myself, I must first be true to Thee. Breathe upon me, O God, and send me forth clothed in the faith that will do those things which will please Thee. Early in the morning my heart turns to Thee. Whatever the day shall mean, keep me in the consciousness of Thy Presence, in the rest of Thy Love, in the victory of Thy Power in Jesus Christ, in Whose Name I ask all. AMEN.

XIV
While Jesus Was Praying He Was Transfigured.
Luke 9:29

HEAVENLY Father: Two whole weeks of the month will have been completed today. I thank Thee for the Past and in the profit of its experiences, seek to fill my place in the Present. Now is Thy Time on the clock of Eternity. Love and Fellowship are ever new. Thou art unchangeable, but contact with Thee brings ever increasing joy and happiness. When my heart feels pressed down by sorrow, or resentful of things as they are, Thou dost inspire me to conquer and not be overcome by grief, but to see the Prospect to which Thou hast called me. These moments of Prayer greatly bless me and I thank Thee for their power to bring blessing to others for whom I pray, desiring for each and all the fulness of blessing. May all my friends this day especially be helped. If rebuke is needed, may they receive it and yield to it unto the perfection of that Christianity which waits on God and mounts up with wings as an eagle. God Bless all who cross my path and may it please Thee to calm me, keep me calm and manifest Thyself through me to their hearts. Give me grace for all joy and sorrow in the warp and woof of the web, which this day shall weave. In Jesus Name. AMEN.

XV
Jesus Prayed Before and After Miracles.
Matt. 14:19
John 11:41
Matt. 14:23
Mark 6:46

O MY Saviour: Teach me to pray. Lead me to know and understand prayer in all of its might and grace. Telling Thee my troubles, pouring out the sorrow of my soul and its desires for relief, have their place in prayer; but there is that deeper experience which by prayer turns trouble, sorrow, desire, into avenues of potent waiting, travelling on which, I may fulfill Thy Will. Doing Thy Will is the highest privilege of the daily life. In the fulness of the light of knowing Thee, I dare not ask for other than grace to do Thy Will, for wisdom to know and discern what is Thy Will, for the fulfillment of Thy Will at whatever cost. Lord, teach me to joy and rejoice in prayer that knows how to abound though abased, that in all things rests in Thy Hands as clay in hands of the potter. "God and the soul stand sure. The Potter and clay endure." Thy Will be done in my daily life, in my tasks, in all with which I am privileged to be a co-worker with Thee and all praise and glory be Thine. AMEN.

XVI
Jesus Prayed When He Was Persecuted.
Luke 6:11-12
Suffered:
Matt. 26:38, 39

DEAR Saviour: My heart is full of Love and Desire to please Thee. What a gracious and wonderful Saviour Thou art! I am in Thy Hands: All is well. My prayer is for others. So many look to me for help and inspiration by the power of Prayer. God bless each and all this day. Whatever the individual task, as members in the Body of Christ, which is the Church each one placed there by Thee, may all feel and know the wonder of the Unity of Thy Love. All individuals that ask me, as Thy Servant, to pray for them, in their places of work, in the matter of their physical condition, in the circumstances which have overtaken them, God grant them help, cheer, inspiration, according to their needs. I thank Thee for Prayer, for its power of intercession. Teach me to exercise it more and more. For unsaved ones whom I know, God grant that my prayer for them might be radioed to their hearts, and under the power of Thy Holy Spirit, may they bow to the truth, accept Jesus and join the Saints. AMEN.

XVII
Jesus Prayed When Dying.
Matt. 27:46
Luke 23:46

THAT man may in full confidence enter into fellowship with Thee, the Eternal God, is wonderful. In Christ Jesus, Thou hast revealed Thyself. To know Him is to know Thee—and this is Eternal Life. I thank Thee, O my Lord and my God; I go forth, to the great unknown day before me, unafraid. I remember Jesus Christ in Whom I have grace which deals with my past, guides me in my present and teaches me to see the prospect to which Thou hast called me. Therefore, I can glory in all things, "in tribulation which worketh patience, and patience, experience; and experience, hope, and hope maketh not ashamed." It is true that I cannot always see why some things are permitted to be, but I know I am in Thine Hands, Thou art Love, so I rest and trust. Lord, sweet is the trust of the soul in Thee. He that putteth his trust in Thee shall not be moved. There are times when in the weakness of the flesh, in the limitations of the mind, in the lack of vision, my soul yields to sadness, despair, and for the moment is overcome by things—Forgive me. Let this day be one in which I shall Breast Forward with God, Trust and not be Afraid. AMEN.

XVIII
Jesus Always Fought His Battle in the Secret Place of Prayer.
Luke 22:40-45

MY heart is full of Praise to Thee, with Whom I live the daily life and fight to win the crown. To succeed is a natural desire. To be true, whether blessed with success or doomed with apparent failure, is spiritual. O, my Lord and Saviour, Thy stamp of fidelity is the greatest success, keep me faithful throughout this day. I carry the scars of battle, the memory of defeat, but I also recall the joy of victory and the trophies which are mine, despite the scars. Life is all battle. Teach me, Lord Jesus Christ, to be a good soldier and not get entangled with the beggarly elements of the world. Sacrifice—Suffering—Glory—were Thine. As I walk with Thee, may they each and all be mine, to the accomplishment of Thy Holy Will. AMEN.

My soul fight on, look up, and rest in God.
Thy feet with truth and grace and love are shod.
Move forward, onward, upward, yea, in faith—
Lay hold of life, stand fast, and on God wait.

XIX
Paul Entreated the Brethren to Pray for Him.
Rom. 15:30-31
II Cor. 1:11
Eph. 6:18
II Thess. 3:1-2

FATHER, and Mine Through Faith in Jesus Christ, ("for to all who receive Him is given power to become the sons of God"), I come to Thee with the problems of my soul. It is impossible for me to do alone that which I think either in regard to my heart's desire or ambitions concerning material things, more so is this true, in the realm of spiritual thought which is born out of love for souls and is full of desire to see realized the establishment of Character, Love and true Spiritual Affluence. It is impossible to do these things even with the co-operation of men, for one feels and comes to the bitter, yet good knowledge of inefficiency of a man standing alone, or combined with other men. Therefore, in the fulness of the consciousness of my own helplessness, I turn to Thee. Have mercy upon me; O my God, save me from *Heart-Break* of failure in myself, in my loved ones, in my great work which is Thine own assigned task. Thou art the Agent, I am only an instrument. May it please Thee to hear my cry, my prayer, an affirmation of my faith, for the saving of souls, to the doing of Thy Will, to the fulness of accomplishment of all things in Thy Power. Nothing is impossible to Thee, nor as Thy Word assures, to the man with God. I will to do Thy Will. Give me the patience of Gethsemane's Prayer, the Humility of Gabbatha's fiendish mockery, the Meekness of Calvary's Hour, the Resignation in Faith that can cry "It is finished"—"Into Thy Hands I commend my spirit." I pray in Jesus' Name. AMEN.

XX
Paul Prayed for Others.
Rom. 10:1
Rom. 1:9
I Thess. 3:10

GRACIOUS Lord Jesus Christ: If I am to make progress, I must by the power of Thy Holy Spirit be kept in the attitude of a childlike trust. I must be instructed in Thy Word, which is truth. Inspire me to read its pages. I pray—distill its truth as the dew affording growth and establishment in Thy Holy Faith. What I desire for my own soul, I pray may be given to each and all on my prayer-list. May their fortitude be inspired, their sorrows turned into joy and growth in Eternal Values, their dark clouds dispelled by the sunshine of Thy Cheer. Radio to their hearts the burning love of fidelity in prayer for them. Baptize them with the spirit of Prayer and cause each one to increasingly realize its place and power. Thou, Thyself, did'st in Thy earthly life always fight the battle in the secret place of Prayer. Having won the victory there, Thou did'st walk in the calm of the conquering Son of God. We who have received Thee as Lord Jesus Christ, have been made Children of God. Teach us, therefore, to follow Thy example, to have the certain place of Prayer, to always pray. AMEN.

XXI
Prayer Offered to the Father, in the Name of Christ.
John 16:24
John 14:14
John 15:16

LORD Jesus Christ: Thou did'st think it more important to go alone on the mountain and pray through the whole night than to give Thy body rest. Yea, Thou did'st rise often long before the light of day, go to the solitary place and pray. Lord, teach me to pray. Enlighten me that I may know and increasingly enter into the joy, the strength, the victory of the true Prayer-Life. Men faint much because they pray little. Sometimes men say prayers, but they have no heart, no vitality of faith, no expectancy. Save me from merely writing or saying prayers—teach me to pray. Prayer is the force which Thou hast ordained to bring things to pass. He who comes to Thee must believe that Thou art, and that Thou art the rewarder of them that seek Thee. Lord, I do believe. Bless all members in the Church Thou hast given me to shepherd. Bless all who come within its gates. Bless especially those who in simple faith have sought help through asking me to pray for them. It is easy for me to see the impossible accomplished, for with Thee there are no impossibilities. O my Lord and God, teach each and all how to rest in Thyself and that Thou art equal to every circumstance of life. AMEN.

XXII
We Should Pray in Secret
Matt. 6:5-6
Everywhere:
I Tim. 2:8
About All Things.
Phil. 4:6

THY Word, O God, is wonderful. Help me to understand its glorious messages. This one on prayer. "All things, whatsoever, ye shall ask in Prayer, believing, ye shall receive." (Matthew 21:22) What gracious liberty! "All things whatsoever," therefore nothing is too great, nor too small, to bring to Thee in Prayer. "Ye shall ask," how simple—yet Lord, it is not easy to ask men for even what belongs to us. When I ask Thee, I do feel free and even with the carelessness of a little child, I pour out my desires to Thee. Thou art my Lord, my Saviour, my Friend. Yes, Lord, I can freely talk to Thee about all things. "Asking in Prayer" requires the curbing of just expressing my wants. Prayer is, so far as I can understand it, a force, silent and potent. To obey its laws is to find it a great servant. It involves the right relationship of the soul to Thyself, the surrender of the heart and the will. Lord, teach me to pray before I ask anything, or even say "Our Father." Thou did'st command when ye Pray say "Our Father." That I might truly, rightly, effectually say "Our Father" first teach me to Pray, to get right with Thee. It is simple to believe, to have confidence, to ask expectantly, when one knows how to Pray. Lord, may this whole day be one of true Prayer in my own life and in the lives of all for whom I daily pray. God bless them. All, I plead in the Virtue and Grace of Jesus Christ. AMEN.

XXIII
Prayer Must Be Offered by Faith.
Heb. 11:6

O LORD: In silence I wait before Thee. I stand with Thy disciples of old, who watched Thee at the time of Prayer and when Thou did'st cease, made the request—"Lord, teach us to pray." (Luke 11:1) My heart beats faster as I am gripped by the atmosphere of this my morning hour and I, too, do feel what they of old felt, so I ask—Lord, teach me to pray! For myself, for all whom Thou hast given me—I ask in prayer that during this day each may in whatever place or circumstance, rejoicingly say in thought, word and deed, "Our Father." God forbid the declaration of so sacred a relationship and then living like orphans. "Hallowed be Thy Name"—to reverence Thee, to live in the worship of Thy Name, which reveals Thy Nature. Surely such relationship will bring to pass that which I pray "Thy Kingdom Come, Thy Will be Done on Earth as in Heaven." To accomplish these things in our individual places, is to realize the Divine meaning of life. As to the material needs of Bread—Give us this day our living. Help us to be conscious that all blessings come from Thee. Yes, Lord, "Forgive us our sins as we forgive others." This is a vital request. Let me add, "Teach us the compassion that can suffer even as Thou did'st suffer, to forgive and save all who sinned against Thee." "Thine is the Kingdom, the Glory, Forever, Amen." Lord, may this day be a carrying out of this prayer, a real day of Prayer. AMEN.

XXIV
Prayerless Study, Living, Preaching, Is Fruitless.
John 15:1-5

ON this day which is a new beginning, Eternal God and Father—enlighten my soul to discern and understand in all affairs what is Thy Holy Will. That is, give me the inspiration to know how to exercise common sense in common things and go through life from day to day thinking with Thee, acting with Thee, being with Thee. Thy Will is over all. There is nothing without the realm of its power. Thou hast ordained me to be a free agent and as such to choose what is right, but I have often chosen what is wrong; therefore, I realize that in Thy Ordaining-Will, I am permitted to reject or accept right or wrong. Thus, I learn to differentiate between what Thou hast ordained and what Thou dost permit. In the Passion of Jesus, I see acting Thy Ordaining-Will, also Thy Permitting-Will, and last of all, Thy Overruling-Will. In Thine Ordaining-Will, Christ came into the world. In Thy Permitting-Will, men were allowed to abuse Him, crucify Him on Calvary. In Thy Overruling-Will, His whole Passion was made to accomplish the salvation of the world. I will and pray to be made willing, this day, to do Thy Will. If I fail in selfwill and by selfishness choose wrong, thus demonstrating Thy Permitting-Will, then Lord, lift me to the vision of Thy Overruling-Will, which, despite my failure and personal hurt, makes all things work for good. O Lord Thy Will be done. AMEN.

XXV

United Prayer Is Needed Today as of Old.

Acts 3:1
Acts 16:25
Acts 6:6
Acts 4:23-24

THY Will, O God, as carried out by Thee, is in truth, my protection. Thou holdest the reins of government. Thou art on the throne. Thou art in the crowd; yet, Thou dealest with individuals. I look away to Jesus, Who came to do Thy Will. Thy Will as carried out by Jesus I see in it my example and pray to be empowered by Thy Holy Spirit to follow in His Steps. The Eternal Spirit is Thy Power. May He increasingly be pleased to work in and through me. In thought, word and deed all through this day, Thy Will, not mine, be done. In every personal contact, in every conversation, in all emotions, whatever my reaction, save me, cleanse me and preserve me for Thyself. I thank Thee, Lord God of Hosts, that Thine own carrying out of Thy Will is my protection. I thank Thee that Thy Will as carried out by Jesus Christ my Saviour, is my example. I thank Thee that Thy Will carried out by Thy Holy Spirit is my power. I pray that Thy Will carried out by myself, which is my practice, may be acceptable to Thee. Thy Will, O Christ, not mine, be done. AMEN.

XXVI

God Hears and Answers Prayer.

I Pet. 3:12
Heb. 11:6
I John 5:14-15

HOW wonderful it is to seek Thy Face and from day to day feel one's own inefficiency. What a glorious privilege to live a day and serve Thee. But Lord—

"I cannot do it alone;
The waves run fast and high.
The fogs close chill around
And the light goes out in the sky:
But He never gives in,
So we Two shall win—
Jesus and I.

"Coward and wayward and weak:
I change with the changing sky,
Today so eager and bright,
Tomorrow too weak to try:
But He never gives in,
So we Two shall win—
Jesus and I."

May this day be lived in Thy Strength. I thank Thee for the above verses and the author, whoever he was. God bless this poem to many hearts. The highest point in the Christian Life is not an attainment, but an attitude of full and complete dependence upon Thee. O, my Saviour, this day Thy Will be done in all hearts, especially in mine. AMEN.

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XXVII
Confidence in Prayer.
Heb. 10:21-22
Heb. 4:16

JESUS, Thou art more to me than all the knowledge I have come to hold about Thee. Creeds are human versions of truth, sincere in themselves and essential to organization of thought and effort. Believing in Thee is more vital and vitalizing than any mere loyalty to even the creed of the fathers. O, I thank Thee, Thou art the Living Word of God, accessible to the soul. Thou dost never leave nor forsake, always at hand, "Lo, I am with you alway." Thy Church is Thy Body, in which true believers are living members. It is a mystic organization, a true organism. The members are as subject to Thee, The Head, as the members in a well body are to the mind and brain, which rule in such a body. What a glorious relationship to be in Thy Church, as one of millions who daily seek to learn Thy Way and walk therein. Yet, Lord, all Church organizations are the earthly gathering places where Thy true followers mostly congregate to study and hear Thy Word. Let the Church in which I serve become increasingly a great spiritual centre. Give me as Thy chosen minister, men and women constrained by Thine Own Love. May the band which respond to Thy efforts through me be truly men and women whose hearts Thou hast touched and ordained to do Thy Will. Help me in my personal life, in all of my personal contacts, in all

efforts of my Church and likewise the members —to serve, to truly serve Thee. ("Nisi Dominus Frustra.") Without the Lord all is vain. Bind us together with the inseparable bands of Jesus' Love and cause us each to know that all things whatever they are, work together for the highest good. God bless the Churches, my Church, and The Church which is Thine Own Body, the fulness of Him that filleth all in all.—AMEN.

XXVIII
Privilege of Prayer.
I Tim. 2:1-3
Purpose of Prayer.
I Tim. 2:4-5

O MY God and Father: Save me from all things which within me and without me lead me contrary to what is Thy Holy Will. I cannot trust myself. I dare not lean on flesh, nor look to reason. In simple faith, I turn to Thee and cast myself, body, soul, spirit, all on Thee Who careth for me. In light or darkness, calm me and lead me whither Thou willest me to go. Thanks be unto God, Who gives victory to each soul that looking unto Jesus, marches ever onward, forward, upward. God bless and consecrate to Thyself my daily ministry in the Prayer-Life. God bless each and all that cross my way, in Thy Ways alloted to men. AMEN.

P.P.F.

XXIX

God's Desire for Us in Prayer.

Rom. 12:2
Col. 4:12

LATELY, Lord, I am disturbed in mind over conditions which seem to get hold of me more than ever. I start the day feeling tired in body and am compelled to fight back the floods of wearisome thoughts and opinions that disturb, yea, would hinder true fellowship with Thyself. I need prayer more than ever. Give me strength and faith to trust where I cannot know. Give me greater love and desire in prayer for all for whom I daily intercede. Baptize me with the Holy Spirit, Who in me and through me will make intercession with the groanings that cannot be uttered. Truth, Lord, I know not for what I should pray, but Thy Holy Spirit prays according to Thy Will. Give me faith to appropriate the grace I need to continue by prayer, by effort, by giving, to do Thy Will. O Lord overcome, for the battle is Thine. Forgive my doubts, save me from my fears and lift me up into the clear blue of a God-given childlike faith; faith that leaves all with Thee and with tranquil heart seeks to go Thy Way. Keep me from secret faults and Lord make me a blessing to others. Whatever my struggle, enable me to be helpful, rather than a hindrance to Thy Cause. O Lamb of God! I Love Thee. Thy Will be done. AMEN.

XXX

Henceforth May You Be Known as One That Prayeth.

Acts 9:11
Dan. 9:3-19

THE months, like the years, draw quickly to a close. Shadows of age come. In the light, of which those shadows are the supreme proof, cause me to shine for Thee, my Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. When I was born, Thou did'st give me full equipment for life. Each day found the tools needed at hand. I look back over the years, the months, the days and Praise Thee for unfailing love wholly revealed in Jesus Christ my Lord. As at the beginning, so near the close of the month, I find the ever New Day. God grant that increasingly I may give to the day that which it must have in order to pass on to me that which Thou dost give it in Christ Jesus. Yes, Lord, life is great, but one needs constant salvation from sin, from self, from his fellowmen. Save me, Lord—save others through me. Glorify Thy Name in and through me this day. I am disturbed, but resting in Thee, my Blessed Jesus. Teach me here to abide. AMEN.

XXXI
To Be Established in Godliness Is the Fruit of Constant Prayer.
I Thess. 5:17-18

LORD God of Hosts: How tragic for one to dare think of living a day without looking to Thee in Whose Hand is the breath of Life? So many men set out to do work which they are never privileged to finish. Each day is a task, complete in itself. Time hath a time when I shall be no more. Unconsciously one walks on the borders of Eternity. Yet, Lord, the human heart knows this present life and naturally clings to it. I, at times, seem more controlled by the natural man than the spiritual, I am yet carnal. To be a Christian is to believe, to accept Thee as the Lord Jesus Christ, the Son of God, the Lamb of God, Who taketh away all sin. To live as a Christian is to follow Thee in a daily denial of self, with all of its emptiness. Lord, give me the fulness of the Holy Spirit, the fulness of grace, the grace that lifts me above natural desire into the glory of Thine Own All Conquering Nature. Teach me from day to day to live in God and use things to the Glory of Thy Name, the precious Name of Jesus. AMEN.

XXXII
There Is No Uncertainty About God's Promises.
Mark 11:24-26

"LIFE certainly like the pendulum swings to and fro." There is the constant tick of moments which soon spell hours and with the day comes one thousand and one new things. O, my God, my soul seeks to dwell in Thee. Hide me in the humility, the meekness, the patience, the resignation, of the Heart of Jesus. Cause me to be faithful in my ministry of Prayer for all, especially in giving myself to particulars assigned to me in Thy Will. I need to constantly pray—Lord, Thy Will, not mine, be done. In the vision of true faith which rests in Jesus Christ, I seek in these few moments of Prayer what can only come for my seeking, for my knocking importunately. Lord, I place now the Key of Simplicity in the great door of the Liberty of Prayer and ask for the clothing and all pertaining to the needs of serving Thee in the Power of Thy Blessed Holy Spirit. AMEN.

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XXXIII
All Prayer Should Be Offered by Faith in Christ's Name.
John 15:16

"NO man hath seen God at any time, the Only Begotten Son, Who is in the Bosom of the Father He hath manifested Him." In the vision of Jesus Christ I daily behold Thee, Eternal Father, Eternal Love. How marvellous that to see Jesus is to see God. Beholding Thee in the Face of Jesus, the soul is transfigured. The Mount of Transfiguration to Peter, James and John, must have been beyond what words can tell; but Lord, up there they did not see what those who believe in Thee can daily behold today. They saw Moses, Elias, the Glory of Jesus transfigured before them; they were fired with desire to worship, when God spoke saying "This is My Beloved Son, Hear Ye Him." It was not till long after, that they caught the meaning and saw all the glory of that sacred experience. But now nineteen centuries this side of their experience the believing soul in Christ Jesus may bask in the glory of a never-ending manifestation of God. O, my Jesus, I hear Thy Word—"He that hath seen me hath seen the Father." I am Thine. I do see and pray that I may be changed from glory to glory, that through this day, Jesus may be seen in me. It is only Christ in me that can fight the evil of my nature, that will tell the truth, that wins the battle. In Thee is the Secret of Life. Christ in me is the Secret of Strength. May my life this day show forth Thy Praise and all subduing power within me. AMEN.

XXXIV
Man's Will Should Be the Echo of God's Will.
"Not My Will, but Thine, Be Done."
Heb. 10:7
John 4:34

BLESSED Lord Jesus, Thou didst come into the world to do the Father's Will—Thy whole earthly life was attuned to the key—"Nevertheless not my will, but Thine, be done." I will that my will should be an echo of Thine own and pray that the same may be realized in this day's living. Thy Will, O Eternal Father, is the measure of all character and conduct. To do Thy Will is the only acceptable service on earth or in heaven. Give me by grace the joy of delight which carries out Thy Known Will. No, I cannot do it in my own strength. The thousand and one things which Satan uses to hinder are too much for me. But I seek and pray—"Not my will, but Thine, be done." Give me in grace, the uncommon sense to discern and know Thy Will in all things. May I walk and talk with Jesus and despite the emptiness of the world, the faults in my own nature, the false criticism of those who might hurl the cynic's ban, accomplish only those things which please Thee. AMEN.

A Fellowship Sonnet

THOUGH some do not seek, yet, all desire truth;
Each one within the realm of his own mind,
Has forces which to truth his soul doth bind.
The aged man, especially the youth,
For what to him is sacred, suffers ruth;
And in his deepest being, anticipates
A fellowship of love, which tolerates—
What he cannot accept nor believe, forsooth.
But on the common ground of love to God,
Which brings forth fruit, much fruit of love to man,
We meet to learn, to see, to know Love's Plan,
Its touch Divine on souls in human—clod;
And then go forth to live and demonstrate—
What is the truth in that which is our faith.

P. H. C.

The Great Waters

"THEY that go down to the sea in ships, that do business in great waters; these see the works of the Lord and His wonders in the deep" (Psalm CVII 23-34).

In the every-day life, we shrink from the great waters; we seek the shallows; as a result, we miss the wonders of God; these are seen and known only in the deep waters of life. How beautiful to rest in Divine Love, and in the deeps of life! Have a calm in your soul, seeing and knowing Christ, Your Pilot, Who knows the unknown seas and has pledged Himself to see you through. "He maketh the storm a calm, so that the waves thereof are still. Oh that men would praise the Lord for His goodness, and for his wonderful works to the children of men!"

Just as the turbulent ocean bears up in safety the sea-bird seated on its crested wave, so God will carry you in the bosom of His Love and minister gently to thy struggling and sorrowing spirit. Be not afraid of His deeps. Sorrow is but a preserver of joy. Clouds of difficulty and disappointment are lined with the silver of God's Love. The shadows of life point you to the light of God's eternal verities. Every day in the deeps of life you may see the wonders of God; here you may hear the voice of divine inspiration and feel the power of the guiding of Jesus Christ, Who is the true Captain of the soul. He knows the unknown seas and will pilot you safely to the shore of God's best. Cheer up, look up, keep up. Trust Christ and be not afraid.

"He Saw Them Toiling in Rowing"

Mark 6:48

HOW beautiful to know that God does care
For the brave hearts who in life's raging storm,
Do labour fruitlessly and hope in vain;
Their cutting woe and sorrows, He doth share;
He stands amid the Clouds in lovely form,
And bids the weary toilers try again.

'Tis well to learn that failure cannot come—
To those who walk in paths, which God ordains;
Though hard the road and seemingly all frown,
Yet, to those souls that pray "Thy will be done,"
There comes the melodies of sweet refrains,
From all, who bore the cross, now wear the crown.

The Holy One, as on that day of old,
When fishermen were tossed on the high sea,
Does linger near to guide, to help, defend;
Then lift thine heart, as member of His fold,
And pray in faith—"O Lord I look to Thee,
Thou God of Love, my Saviour and my Friend."

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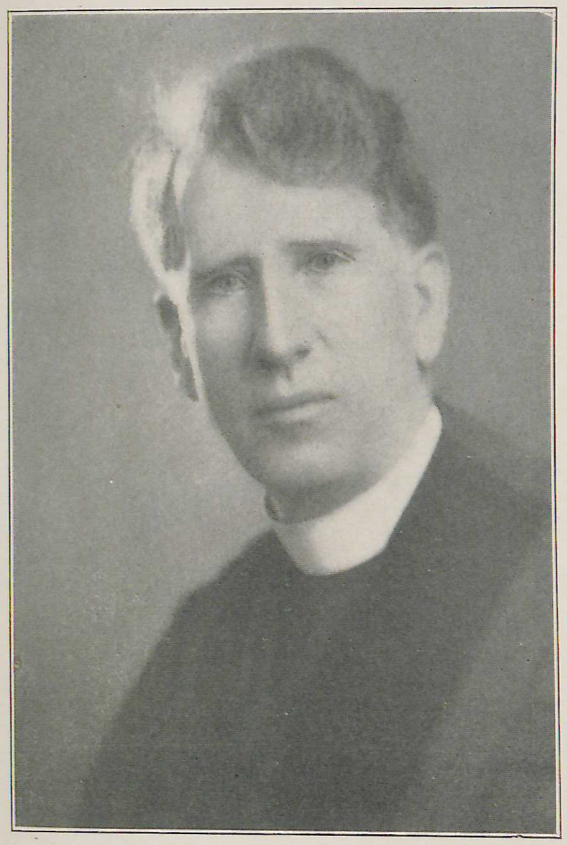

Cheerfully Yours
Philip H. Clifford

Prayer Is The Highest
Energy of the Soul. Jesus
Said, "Men Ought Always
To Pray, and Not To Faint."
Luke 18:1

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89 Seaman Avenue
New York City
March 23, 1933

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

Honorable Sir:

Please accept this Hudson River Scene for your collections as a token of my admiration of your decisions and actions toward righting the wrongs of democracy; also your willingness to carry your cross for the welfare and ultimate happiness of our country and its people.

May God give you health and guidance in all your endeavors, as well as long life to witness happiness and contentment throughout the Nation as a just reward of your labors.

I am

Respectfully yours,

James J. Costello

James J. Costello

U.S. Kindness of Mr. Boothby

April 22, 1933.

Dear Mr. Costello:

The President asks me to Express his sincere thanks for the picture of the Hudson River Scene at Newburgh, presented through the courtesy of Mr. Boothley, long a friend of ours.

He particularly appreciates the sentiment which prompted the gift and the good wishes which accompanied it.

Sincerely yours,

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

James J. Costello, Esq.,
89 Seaman Ave.,
New York City.

March 24, 1933.

P.P.F.
9.C.

My dear Mr. Campbell:

The President has asked me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March twenty-first, and to thank you for your friendly message of commendation and for your thoughtfulness in sending to him the miniature horseshoes.

Sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE,
Secretary to the President.

Mr. Hagey H. Campbell,
Wabash Building,
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

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

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

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My dear Mr. President:-

As a token of my esteem, please find enclosed herewith several minature horseshoes which I trust will bring you and yours much good luck, health and prosperity during your term of office.

These horseshoes are hand-forged, made by Mr. Mark Stouffer, a boy from Bedford County, Pennsylvania, who is working his way through the Carnegie Institute of Technology here in Pittsburgh.

The manner in which you have started the "new deal" is winning for you many good friends. It is our sincere wish that you may live for many years to guide the destiny of this country of ours.

Please be assured of my regard, I am,

Very respectfully,

Hagey H. Campbell

HAGEY H. CAMPBELL

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INSURANCE
WABASH BUILDING » PITTSBURGH

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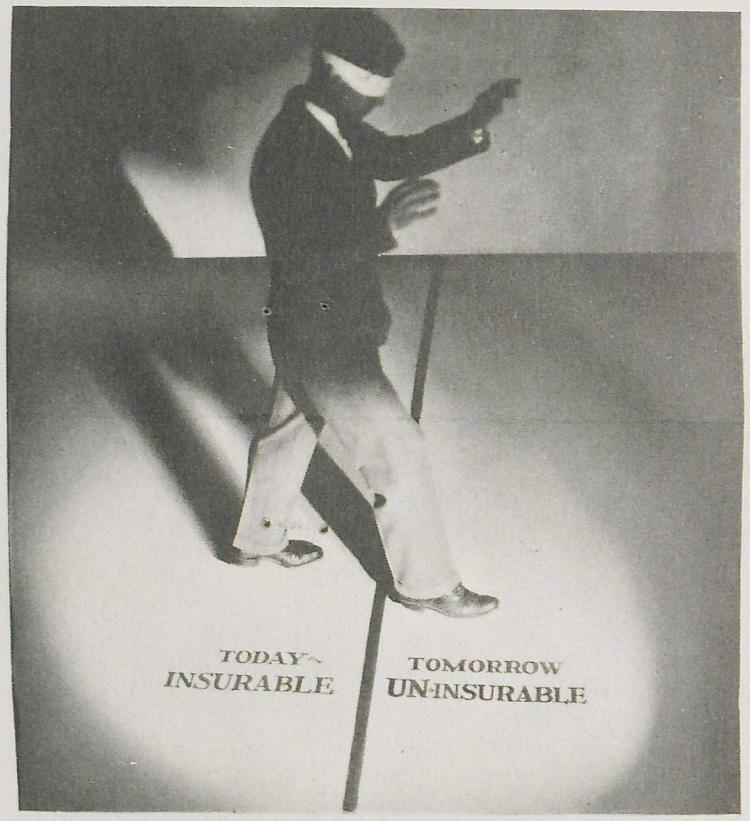

Sooner or later every-one crosses the line.

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BENTLEY'S CODE

P.P.F.

March 25, 1933.

Dear Mr. Chatton:-

The broom and the mop were certainly prophetic! Many thanks for them.

I have autographed the photograph and am sending it back to you with my regards.

Very sincerely yours,

Mr. C. H. Chatten,
P.O. Box 1144,
Dallas, Texas.

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Broom: Length (overall) 8 ft. 3 ins. length of straw part 2 ft. 6 ins.
width at base 22 ins. Circumference of handle 8¾ ins.

Mop: Length (overall) 5 ft. 9 ins. length of mop part 15 ins.
width at base 16 ins. Circumference of handle 8¾ ins.

Note: Presented by Mr. C. H. Chatten,
P. O. Box 1144,
Dallas, Texas.

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Dear Mr. President:

We find that much newspaper publicity has been given to the fact that you are able to maintain your good work through the use of massage.

We are therefore presenting to you a complimentary package containing a massager that we manufacture, in the hope that your personal masseur may be able to use it to good advantage, as many of our customers already have.

We sincerely hope that you will enjoy the benefits of the massager and will accept it as our humble contribution to your continued health.

Yours very sincerely,

THE CONLEY COMPANY, INC.

JAS. C. DRAKE, PRESIDENT

BY Jas. C. Drake

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JAS. C. DRAKE PRESIDENT

BY Jas. C. Drake

JCD:M

April 3, 1933.

My dear Mr. Drake:

Your letter of March twenty-fifth has been received and the President asks me to thank you for your courtesy which you have been good enough to extend to him.

Sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Mr. Jas. C. Drake,
The Conley Company, Inc.,
Rochester, Minnesota.

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had.

Yours respectfully,
Aurelien Chapdelaine
801 Chicopee St

Bull, Mary W.
Pasadena, California.
March 27,1933.

Sends the President a cartoon.

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Yours respectfully,
Aurelien Chapdelaine
801 Chicopee St

March 29, 1935.

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My dear Mr. Chapdelaine:

The President has received the cane which you were good enough to send him, and asks me to thank you heartily for your courtesy. He deeply appreciates this evidence of your good will.

Sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Mr. Aurelien Chapdelaine,
801 Chicopee St.,
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this letter that is not right I want you to forgive me. I know that you will be the best presidnet this country has ever had.

Yours respectfully,
Aurelien Chapdelaine
801 Chicopee St

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

Dear Mr. President:

I am going to send you something that will remind you that lumber and humanity is a great thing.

This cane was cut from a tree a good many years ago. It was nature that made it as it is. It fits a man's hand. The same as nature made you president of the United States, a man that we have waited for a good many years to put this country on the right road to prosperity.

Mr. Roosevelt, I don't want you to feel insulted for this cane and I don't suppose you will use it but you can say that it is nature that made it so. If you don't feel insulted about this cane I would like to have you remember me on this job of the 250,000 men that you are going to put to work.

I am an able worker and I have had a lot of experience in construction work. Mr. President, I don't want to put you under obligation of any kind. I am 47 years old and a citizen of the United States. I weigh 185 lbs., and in good health. I also have to support my family.

Mr. Roosevelt, if I have said anything on this letter that is not right I want you to forgive me. I know that you will be the best presidnet this country has ever had.

Yours respectfully,
Aurelien Chapdelaine
801 Chicopee St



Betty Lee Catlow
2400 Payne St.
Evanston, Ill.
March 27,

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Expecting a reply

Dear Sir,

In this letter you will find a sketch it is not very good because I had to rember the different things from a news-reel quite a while ago.

I would appreciate it very much if you would send me a picture of you and your wife with your personal autographs signed on the picture. I am collecting pictures and autographs of famous people in United States today.

I am a girl at the age of thirteen not yet in high School and I would like to show my classmates (over)

F.D.R.

a real signature and picture of the present President and his wife.

Just send me your signature and I shall put in the safest place in my signature book.

Yours hopefully

Bettie Lee Catlow
2400 Payne St.
Evanston, Ill.

P.S. I have a stamp collection and if you should send a picture or a snapshot I shall keep the envelope in my stamp book. Thanks for reading this. Maybe Mr. Garner would add his signature on a piece of paper for me.

I am 13 tomorrow

I love to draw so maybe you would send me a sketch pencil because my folks can't afford it. They are -5 & I think.


F. D. R.

March 28, 1933.

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Hanson, Frank
Redlands, Calif.
March 28,1933.

Sends the President a cartoon.

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My dear Mr. Clarke:

The President has received the maple sugar from the hills of Delaware County, which you were good enough to send him, and asks me to thank you for your thoughtful courtesy. He is sure he will enjoy it even though it comes from a Republican!

Sincerely yours,

M. A. Le Hand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Even so many thanks!
F.D.R.

Hon. John D. Clarke,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D.C.

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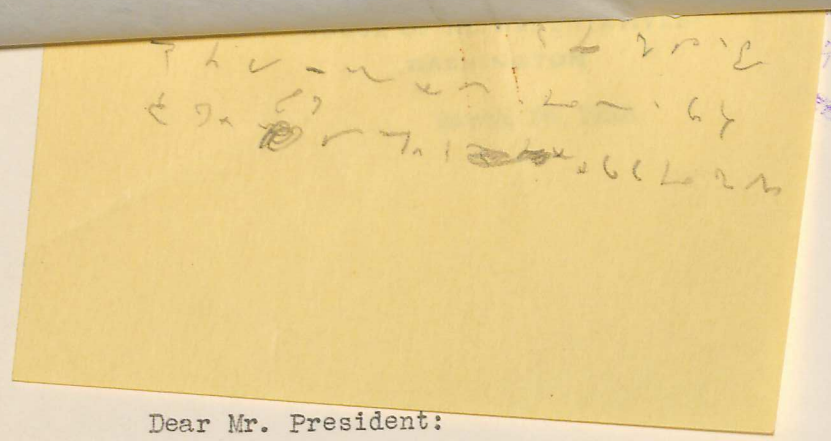

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Dear Mr. President:

Here is a little maple sugar from the beloved hills of Delaware County and from a Republican who even supported your Farm Bill.

With personal regards, I am

Cordially yours,

John D. Clarke

JOHN D. CLARKE

Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt
President of the United States
White House

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Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt
President of the United States
White House

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Long Island, N. Y.

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March 29, 1933.

Dear Mr. Connallon:-

The President received a tiny model yacht which he has on the mantelpiece in his bedroom. He assumes this is the one which you sent him and he asks me to thank you and tell you how much he appreciates your thought of him.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Le Hand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mr. Walter A. Connallon,
143-46 Brinkerhoff Avenue,
South Jamaica,
Long Island, N. Y.

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South Jamaica L.I.
New York

Mr Franklin D. Roosevelt.
Dear Cousin:
Would you please let me know if you received the Yacht I sent you. I thank you. I am more than proud of you and wish you a great success in your four yrs as President. and hope to have you four yrs more.
I remain Yours Respectfully
Walter A. Connallon.

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Sincerely yours,

M. A. Le Hand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. J. V. Costello,
8 Coursen Court,
Stapleton, S.C.

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March 29, 1933.

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My dear Mrs Costello:

The President has received the beautifully framed poem you were so good as to send him, and asks me to thank you for your courtesy. He deeply appreciates your thought of him.

Sincerely yours,

M. A. Le Hand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. J. V. Costello,
8 Coursen Court,
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From Mrs. J. V. Costello
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March 31, 1933.

My dear Mrs. Cavanagh:

It was very good indeed of you to send me those interesting old papers. I am delighted to have them and deeply appreciate your kind thought in sending them to me.

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Very sincerely yours,

Mrs. Mary E. Cavanagh,
4440 Richardson Avenue,
New York, New York.

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