

PRESIDENT'S PERSONAL FILE

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SUMBERG, Mrs. Mary,
Binghamton, N.Y.
April 1, 1941. (ack.)

Sends President a piece of crocheted work.

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LEAHY, Hon. William D.
Ambassador of the United States
Vichy, France
April 26, 1941

Wrote to Miss LeHand stating that on a recent visit to Limoges he was told by Mr. Barrett, former Sec. Gen. of the Union Federale de Combattants de Limousin, an organization that has been absorbed by the Legion des Combattants, that in 1938 the Union Federale took up a subscription and purchased a beautiful dinner set of porcelain to be presented to President Roosevelt as a token of appreciation of his efforts in the interest of world peace. Dinner set was especially designed and made by the Theodore Haviland Company and was shipped by that company on May 17, 1939. It was addressed to Mr. Howard Tyfe, U.S. Despatch Agent, NYC, presumably with instructions from the American Embassy in Paris that it be delivered to the President. Donors of this present have not received an acknowledgment of its receipt, and Ambassador Leahy is unable to check the records. Asks Miss LeHand to look into this matter. -- Attached is Miss Tully's memo of June 2, 1941, to Mr. Ingling asking him to see if they thanked for this china. -- The President replied on June 17, 1941, that the dinner set was a munificent gift, and asking Ambassador Leahy to convey his hearty thanks to those responsible for the presentation of the set.

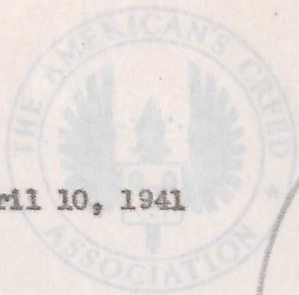
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Sec. McIntyre

April 10, 1941



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Dear Bob:

The President has asked me to thank you very much for the "Eternal Vigilance" plaque which you sent to him through me.

He is delighted to have it and appreciates your thoughtfulness in sending it to me.

Colonel Marvin B. McIntyre
White House
Washington, D.C.

With all good wishes,

Sincerely yours,

M. H. McIntyre

M. H. McINTYRE
Secretary to the President

Robert D. Carson, Esq.,
General Manager,
The American's Creed Association,
11 West 42nd Street,
New York, New York.

I am sending you today via Railway Express The American's Creed Association's plaque "Eternal Vigilance".
Lehman, Mayor LeGuardia, Mayor
Robert D. Carson, Esq., me but I thought I had better send it to you in-
General Manager,
The American's Creed Association,
11 West 42nd Street,
New York, New York.
I would like one for yourself or to present to
the Press Club, or in any case, I know me know
and I will be glad to ship it at once.

Thanks for your nice letter of March 28. As I under-
stand it, the Admiral gave the President a desk size and if he
liked that, I know he will appreciate the large one.

With best wishes for your continued good health,

Sincerely yours,

Bob Carson

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Hon. WILLIAM TYLER PAGE
Author of The American's Creed
Clerk of the House of Representatives
Chairman, Board of Trustees



ROBERT D. CARSON
General Manager

11 West 42nd Street,
New York City.

April 4, 1941

Colonel Marvin H. MacIntyre
White House
Washington, D.C.

Dear friend Mac,

I am shipping you today via Railway Express The American's Creed Association's plaque "Eternal Vigilance".

Admiral Stark, Governor Lehman, Mayor LaGuardia, Mayor Hague and others are so pleased with theirs, I thought the President should have one but I thought I had better send it to you instead of direct.

If you would like one for yourself or to present to someone, maybe the Press Club, or in any case, just let me know and I will be glad to ship it at once.

Thanks for your nice letter of March 28. As I understand it, the Admiral gave the President a desk size and if he liked that, I know he will appreciate the large one.

With best wishes for your continued good health,

Sincerely yours,

Rob Carson

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sent to Postmaster

T. A. Zile

M. H. [unclear]

WALLACE, Hon. Henry
April 10, 1941.

Writes the President sending an Easter Greeting in the form of some hybrid sweet corn, which the Vice-President thought the President might want to have planted at Hyde Park.---The President, on April 11th, replied expressing pleasure to receiving the sweet corn.

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T. A. Zile

~~Mr. Howe~~

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TRIMBLE, Hon. South
Clerk, U.S. House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.
4/7/41, ack'd.

Sent the President beautifully bound copy of the Calendars
of the 76th Congress.

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~~Mr. Howe~~

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April 7, 1941

My dear Mr. Cantor:

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Your kind letter of April third has been received and I want to thank you, in the President's behalf, for the spirit which prompted you to send him the decalogue. He is grateful indeed for your friendly expression of good will and your prayers.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Jacob Cantor, Esq.,
1360 South Springfield Avenue,
Chicago,
Illinois.

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green and refreshing, are always encouraging and

Sent to Postman

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1360 So. Springfield Ave
Chicago, Ill., April 3rd, 1941

President F. D. Roosevelt
Washington D. C.

Dear Mr. President:

The enclosed golden decalogue is a family keepsake but I am gladly parting with it because your actions in these troublesome times are entirely in accordance with the ten commandments. We are now approaching the Easter Holidays, symbolizing the liberation of the Jews from Egypt's serfdom and just the same as God sent Moses to lead 600,000 Jews to freedom, so do I see it also as an act of God to find you among us to liberate an entire world from oppression by cruel, totalitarian rulers.

Daily, I and many orthodox Jews are praying for your welfare, and may God keep on leading you in your path of righteousness for the benefit of tens of millions of people. You, like a well watered tree whose leaves are always green and refreshing, are always encouraging and

Sent to Prettyman

refreshing with the best ideas, whenever a speech comes over the radio.

Hoping this will find you in the best of health, and may God keep you so for a long, long time to come, I beg to remain

Sincerely yours
Jacob Cantor

Decalogue encl.

Wass *Sent. to Prettyman*
DAVID CLARK CO. *7*
COOK, Miss Nancy

SUMMERLIN, Hon. George T.
Department of State
4/14/41.

Wrote to General Watson stating has recd. from the Cuban Ambassador cabinet containing 100 special cigars of "Hoyo de Monterrey" which Habana factory of Fernandez Palicio and Company send as token of good will to the President. Mr. Summerlin says since there is no reason ~~why~~ the President should not accept them he is sending appropriate expression of appreciation to the Ambassador.

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Trans *Sent. to Prettyman*
DAVID CLARK CO. INC. *7/7*

COOK, Miss Nancy
Hyde Park, N.Y.,
April 15, 1941.

The President wrote thanking her for box of chocolate peppermints
which Miss Cook sent him for Easter.

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ppr Jones *Sent to Prettyman*
DAVID CLARK CO. INC.
OF WORCESTER, MASSACHUSETTS
AND HILFORD, CONNECTICUT
April 16, 1941

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THOMPSON, Walter G.
Birmingham, Ala.
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Sent the President a cake.

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M. A. Lifford
PRIVATE SECRETARY

David M. Clark, Esq.
David Clark Co., Inc.
Worcester,
Massachusetts.

David M. Clark

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DAVID CLARK CO. INC.
OF WORCESTER, MASSACHUSETTS
AND MILFORD, CONNECTICUT
April 16, 1941

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My dear Mr. Clark:

Many thanks, in the President's
behalf, for the gift to which you refer in
your letter of April first. I can assure
you that he appreciates your friendly thought
of him.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

David M. Clark, Esq.,
David Clark Co., Inc.,
Worcester,
Massachusetts.

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respectfully,

David M. Clark.

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DAVID CLARK CO., INC.
OF WORCESTER, MASSACHUSETTS
AND MILFORD, CONNECTICUT

Address all communications
to Worcester office

April 1, 1941

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

Dear Mr. President :

I respectfully hope that this reaches you personally,
for I ask no favor - instead, have an honest hope of doing one
for you; I do not seek publicity.

My business was, by strange co-incidences, brought about
by the changes you have sponsored, and I hope exemplifies the
American way of taking advantages of these changes.

Briefly :

- 1931 -Had \$5000. job and bought house at foreclosure, investing
all savings.
- 1932 -Pay cut in half when employer took advantage of bank
holiday
- 1934 -Developed courage to quit and start alone- re-gained
most of savings only because original owner wanted house back
and got it thru Home Owners Loan Corp.

Started with that as capital- since have had total payroll
over \$100,000, and have sold this amount and more out of the
country- England - Holland - Denmark - Australia.

Now, to off-set loss of this trade, have invented a new
kind of underwear for men. I have honest hope that it may really
please you, and make long days seem shorter.

As above, I do not seek publicity; I only want you to
know about it. Woodward & Lothrop, in Washington has it.

Our Straightaway, then, is on its way to you, and I do
hope that it reaches you personally.

Respectfully,

David M. Clark.

THE Straightaway
Abdominal Support and Athletic Shirt Combined

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My dear Miss Creed:

The President has received your friendly note and thanks you very much indeed for the beautiful crocheted work. It was thoughtful of you to let him see your photograph. I am returning it to you as you may want to keep it.

The President has asked me to extend his most cordial good wishes to you for your continued health and happiness.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Leland
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Miss Mary Ellen Creed,
1303-13th Street,
Boone,
Iowa.

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Dear Mr. Roosevelt

As God has a Poured 17.
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of the world for the
I seem to be sending
you the great seal
of the United States
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Prayer & the work I
has done at the years
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Hoffman was a member. It was presented to Mr. Cannan by Capt.
Hoffman shortly before his death in 1938. Says the Captain
is known personally by the President, having been selected by
him, when Governor, to straighten up conditions at Auburn State
Prison after riot in 1930.

your Obedient
Child for Peace of
the United States
Mary Ellen Creed
1308-13 St
Boone Iowa

Wishes to present to the President as gift for the
at Hyde Park, small lead type which was part of Mr. Lincoln's
printing press, captured by a party of which Captain John W. Coffey
Huffman was a member. It was presented to Mr. Coffey by Capt.
Huffman shortly before his death in 1885. Says the Captain
is known personally by the President, having been selected by
him, when Governor, to straighten up conditions at Auburn State
Prison after riot in 1850.

Wishes to present to the President
as gift for his museum at Hyde Park, small
lead type which was part of Mr. Aguinaldo's
printing press, captured by a party of
which Captain John L. Hoffman was a member.
It was presented to Mr. Cannan by Capt.
Hoffman shortly before his death in 1938.

April 18, 1941

Respectfully referred to Mr. Fred
W. Shipman, Director, The Franklin D.
Roosevelt Library, for consideration and
acknowledgment.

EDWIN M. WATSON
Secretary to the President

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Letter to Mr. Early, dated 4/15/41, from:

Henry I. Cannan, X
Ellenville, N.Y.

Wishes to present to the President as gift for his museum
at Hyde Park, small lead type which was part of Mr. Aguinaldo's X
printing press, captured by a party of which Captain John L.
Hoffman was a member. It was presented to Mr. Cannan by Capt.
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is known personally by the President, having been selected by
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Prison after riot in 1930.

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up conditions at Auburn State Prison after
riot in 1930.

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several "Honor Roll Certificates" which he
President's son James is called to serve his
Service Act. (One of the Certificates was send framed in
a desk frame). Asks that the President autograph one of the certificates and return
it to him.

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Send Mr. Mann
in charge of Hyde Park
Library
Mr. Fred W. Shipman
Director The Franklin D
Roosevelt Library
Hyde Park
NY

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WALTERS, O. N.,
Pres., U. S. Printing & Engraving Company,
Kansas City, Mo.
March 26, & April 11, 1941

Wrote to the President enclosing several "Honor Roll Certificates" which he had printed, he states, because the President's son James is called to serve his country under the Selective Service Act. (One of the Certificates was send framed in a desk frame). Asks that the President autograph one of the certificates and return it to him.

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RHOADES, Mrs. Dora,
Selma, Alabama

April 16, 1941 (Date Acknowledged)

On above date Miss LeHand wrote to Mrs. Rhoades thanking her in the President's
behalf for the crocheted work which she sent.

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EVERINGHAM, Mrs. Warren
Bridgeton, N. J.
4/16/41 ack'd.

Sent in a crocheted baby cap. Cap was returned 4/16/41.

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My Dear Mr. Cook:

The President has received your

letter of April fourth and thanks you very

much for your friendly interest in sending

him your greetings. He has also been to school

his every good wish to you for your health

and happiness.

Very sincerely yours,

W. R. HARTMAN
Secretary to the President

James D. Cook, Esq.
1015 Market Street,
Philadelphia,
Pennsylvania.

James D. Cook.

In Room

Storeroom

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April 16, 1941

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My dear Mr. Cook:

The President has received your letter of April fourth and thanks you very much for your friendly thought in sending him your painting. He has asked me to extend his every good wish to you for your health and happiness.

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Very sincerely yours,

M. H. McINTYRE
Secretary to the President

James D. Cook, Esq.,
1618 Sumner Street,
Philadelphia,
Pennsylvania.

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Sincerely yours,

James D. Cook.

Portrait received
and sent to
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April 4, 1941
1618 Summer St.

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Am taking this opportunity to inform you that I am shipping under separate cover or case, a portrait of you sketched last Fall when you were here in Philadelphia during the Campaign.

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I was obliged to use imaginary ideas, as I had only a fleeting view of your face with the expression which has lingered in my memory, until the painting was completed.

Please accept this with the thought, that I am seventy six years of age and with best wishes for us all in the near future and that Democracy will prevail.

Sincerely Yours,
James D. Cook.

PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA

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April 7, 1941
1618 Summer St.

Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt
President of the United States
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CARTER, Amon G.
President,
Bank North State College

ROCKEFELLER, Hon. Nelson A.
Coordinator of Commercial and Cultural
Relations Between the American Republics,
Washington, D. C.
4/16/41.

Wrote to the President enclosing a cigarette case. States
he was extremely sorry that the President couldn't attend the luncheon given in
honor of the Governing Bd. of the Pan-American Union, on Pan-American Day, April 14th.
and that was his privilege to present cigarette case to each of the invited guests
in honor of the occasion. 4/21/41 Presidential acknowledgment.

See PPF-6035

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CARTER, Amon G.
President,
Fort Worth Star Telegram,
Fort Worth, Texas.
4/17/41.

Wrote to Mr. McIntyre stating that he is sending six grand champion steaks by air express addressed to the President. Two for the President, one to General Watson, one to Admiral Ross McIntire, one to Steve Early and one to Mr. McIntyre.

See M. H. McI-GIFTS.

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Encls William C. Carter, Esq.
2000 N. 1st Street
Hollywood,
California.



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April 21, 1941

My dear Mr. Chaudet:

This little note is to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of April fourteenth, together with the copies of your booklet. I shall be glad to present your personal note to the President and to call his attention to the letter to which you refer at the first opportunity. I know he will appreciate Mrs. Will Roger's kind thought of him and your courtesy too.

With my thanks,

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Louis William Chaudet, Esq.,
2000 N. Las Palmas Avenue,
Hollywood,
California.

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2000 N. Las Palmas Avenue
Hollywood, California
April 14, 1941.

Miss Marguerite A. Le'Hand,
Personal Secretary to the President.

Dear Miss Le'Hand:

At the request of Mrs Will Rogers, I am asking you to be so kind as to call the President's attention to the letter on page 33 of this booklet. I would be greatly appreciative if he might find the time in which to read all of the publication.

Realizing that he is fully occupied I have hesitated to even offer this suggestion until Mrs Rogers spoke so sweetly of you as a person and also that she felt that the President might be very much interested in the contents.

I have paralled Jesus, Will Rogers, Hitler and our President through the subject matter herein and I do really believe that the President will be pleased with what has been said as I feel that he interested in adeas that, are developed through the Motion Picture group.

Having been a Director of Motion Pictures for over twenty years previoust to my writing, I have full appreciation of all of the foolish things which are attempted toward prominent and buisy people and I humbly ask your pardon if I have presumed.

I have enclosed a copy for you and one for our very worthy President; also a brief masonic note, if it might be delivered to him in one of his leisure moments.

Thanking you in advance after having smothered the idea of contacting the President for several months, I beg to remain a citizen in the deepest of friendship and appreciation of all kindness,

Sincerely.

Louis W. Chaudet
Louis William Chaudet.

MANAGER

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100 W. Las Palmas Ave.
Hollywood, California

MANAGER
JASON L. LISCOM
1930 Wilshire Blvd.
Los Angeles, California

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Corps of
Hollywood, California
April 14, 1941.

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LOUIS CHAUDET	W.M.	Franklin Delano Roosevelt, Whitehouse, Washington, D.C.
GAYNE WHITMAN	S.W.	Dear Mr. President, Worshipful Sir:
JOHN WOLTERS	J.W.	
CHRISTIAN FRANK	S.D.	As one brother Mason to another, and I being the one who
HARRY SARGENT	J.D.	fully appreciates the responsibility of your position, apolo-
JACK GARDNER	S.S.	gize to you for presuming upon your valuable time by asking
SAM ECCLESTONE	J.S.	you to glance through this booklet which I have submitted to
LON POFF	S.F.	you through Miss Le' Hand.
LOUIS MOJONIER	W.F.	If the contents interests you aside from the letter
HARRY FIST	CHAP.	which was written to you the morning after my listening to
LOUIS KILGORE	CHAP.	your speech upon the Lend-lease bill, I would be pleased to
ROBERT GRIFFIN	SEC.	place upon your night-stand my book, my reference book, "The
VICTOR LAMBERT	1st G.	Common Sense of God" which I sincerely believe might offer
WALTER WISE	2nd G.	you a refreshing thought after your very strenuous day.
JOSEPH GIRARD	3rd G.	It is not Religion. It is not of sect or creed. It
CARL SELL	PIANIST	is not a Masonic lecture. It is not fanaticism on Life. It
BOBBIE DAVIS	SOLOIST	is out of revelation and intuition which I have felt so keen-
		ly during your terms of Presidency. It is of the Science of
		MIND.
		If it would prove of no service to you I would very
		much appreciate it being returned directly to me.
LECTURER		Mrs Will Rogers suggested I send it to you and it will
JASON LISCOM		be sent on your request.

*"We are as dust upon the sky
As mist upon the sea;
And every son of man must die
To know - - the mystery."*
-E.D.

Fraternially and respectfully yours,

Louis William Chaudet

Louis William Chaudet, W.M. 233
Masonic Ritualistic Corps, Hollywood
California.



"LET THERE BE LIGHT"

P. P. Study

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Mr. Jones

SUMMERLIN, G.T.,
Chief of Protocol, Dept. of State,
Wash., D.C.
4-30-41.

Forwards for the President gifts which were received from a young Scottish child, Jean Agnew, Edinburgh, Scotland for the President. (1 tea case and 1 pair cuff links.)

See P.P.F.9-A

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Mr. Jones

April 29, 1941

PETERS, Everett R.
Oakland, Calif.
4-25-41

Wrote to the President stating that in honor of Mother's Day, May 11th, 1941, he would like to send one orchid each to Mrs. Roosevelt, Mrs. Sarah Roosevelt. Requests a letter from the President to his mother, Mrs. Beulah E. Peters for Mother's Day. - Also states that he is mailing the President a California Fruit and Vegetable Buyers Calendar to reach him by May 18, 1941.

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Wrote R. Calhoun, Sec.,
May 11th,
Department Building,
Washington, D. C.

Pres Study 1

Mr. Hoover

April 29, 1941

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My dear Mr. Calhoun:

The President has received your letter of April twenty-fourth, and has noted it with the deepest interest. He asks that you be good enough to convey to Mrs. Calhoun his appreciative thanks for her nice thought in presenting to him a copy of her book entitled "Dust of Our Brothers' Blood." He is looking forward to an opportunity to read this novel.

Very sincerely yours,

x P.P.F.
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M. A. Leland
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Earle C. Calhoun, Esq.,
Suite 1116,
Investment Building,
Washington, D. C.

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EARLE C. CALHOUN
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW
SUITE 1116 INVESTMENT BUILDING
WASHINGTON, D. C.
TELEPHONE NATIONAL 7767

April 24, 1941.

Personal

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

Dear Mr. President:

Knowing that you execrate injustice and persecution, particularly when perpetrated by what you so aptly characterized recently, in a nation-wide speech over the radio, as "an unholy alliance of power and pelf to dominate and to enslave the human race," I am taking the liberty of addressing this letter to you, in behalf of my wife, Mrs. Jóna Konopko Calhoun, who has written, in English, under her maiden name, Jóna Konopko, a novel, entitled "DUST OF OUR BROTHERS' BLOOD," with its scenes laid in Poland, which has just been published by The White Eagle Press, Investment Building, Washington, D. C. The book's title is comprised of words appearing in the Polish national "Song of Liberation," the beginning of which may be translated, roughly, into English, as follows:

"With the smoke of desolation,
With the dust of our brothers' blood,
Our supplicating voices rise,
To Thee, our just, avenging God!"

Mrs. Calhoun is a native of Poland, where the impact of foreign persecution fell, with particular violence, upon her family. She came to this country when she was eighteen years of age. It is my understanding that her book is the first novel, with its scenes laid in Poland, written by a native of Poland, ever to be published in the United States. The period covered by it is from 1921, with flash-backs to the First World War, until after the invasion of Poland, in September, 1939. It attempts to portray the lives, customs, aspirations, and indomitable spirit of the Polish people,

Letter to Hon. Franklin Roosevelt p. 2 March , 1941.

prior to and during the invasion of Poland in 1939.

A copy of the book accompanies this letter. It is presented to you by Mrs. Calhoun, with her compliments. She ventures to hope that you will deem its merit sufficient to justify you in reading it. //

Very truly yours,

ECC:dr
Enc.

E. Calhoun

BOWER, Frank W.

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WOOD, Herbert W.

LIFSEY, J.F.
Norlina, N.C.
4-14-41

Sent the President a cane.

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BOWER, Frank W.

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WOOD, Erborn W.
Ossipee, New Hampshire
April 27, 1941

Wrote to the President stating that he is flying the first catch of Brook Trout taken in New Hampshire, from Mystery Pond, May 1 to the President. Says the GGG Boys of North Haverhill, N.H., have made a Chest of Native White Pine, which will be sent with the trout. Encloses the No. 1 New Hampshire fishing license for the President. -- Mr. Wood sent a telegram to the President on May 1, 1941, re the time of his arrival with the trout at the White House. -- The President wrote to Mr. Wood on May 5, 1941, expressing thanks for the trout and the fishing license.

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BOWER, Frank W.
Bower Family Laboratories,
Los Angeles, Calif/
4/28/41.

WATSON, J. Otis
3839 29th St.,
Mt. Rainier, Md.
5/4/41

Wrote in saying a friend of his, William E. Lankford
of Waterloo, Md. is interested in having a cane that was handmade by an old
friend, Mr. Allen Warfield, presented to the President. States Mr. Lankford is
a power in Democratic politics.

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BOWER, Frank W.
Bower Family Laboratories,
Los Angeles, Calif/
4/28/41.

Dex-Tro-Mix candy.

See PPF-9-B

Wrote to the President sending samples of his product,

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Dear Mr. Roosevelt:

Thank you for sending me
the "Executive Order" I am delighted to hear
it was so quickly made known to the public.

I have all done well with you.
I am feeling much better and, incidentally,
have caught up on my sleep during the past
few days.

My best wishes to you and yours.

Yours sincerely,

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

His Excellency
Robert F. La Follette,
Executive Governor,
Albany,
New York.

SUMERLIN, George T.,

Given to Miss Leland

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May 8, 1941

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Dear Herbert:

Many thanks for sending along
Dr. Carlson's book. I am delighted to have
it and am writing him today to tell him so.
I hope all goes well with you.
I am feeling much better and, incidentally,
have caught up on my sleep during the past
few days.

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My best wishes to you and Edith.

Always sincerely,

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

His Excellency
Herbert H. Lehman,
Executive Chamber,
Albany,
New York.

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, George T.,

May 8, 1941

May 3, 1941.

Dear Dr. Carlson:

Governor Lehman has forwarded to me the inscribed copy of your book "Born That Way". I am delighted to have it and look forward to reading it in the very near future. Thank you ever so much for your thought in sending it.

My very best wishes to you.

Very sincerely yours,

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

x
Dr. Earl R. Carlson,
School of Corrective Motor Education,
Lago del Mare,
Pompano, Florida.

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STATE OF NEW YORK
EXECUTIVE CHAMBER
ALBANY

HERBERT H. LEHMAN
GOVERNOR

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May 3, 1941.

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

My dear Mr. President:

Dr. Earl R. Carlson, head of the School of Corrective Motor Education, Lago del Mare, Pompano, Florida, has asked me to send you the enclosed book which he has inscribed to you. If you have time you may be interested in glancing through it.

Dr. Carlson is a victim of spastic injury at birth. In spite of tremendous handicaps he graduated from Princeton and from Yale Medical School and was admitted to the practice of medicine in this State. He is doing a fine piece of work among people suffering with a similar affliction.

With kind personal regards,

Yours very sincerely,

Herbert H. Lehman

SUMMERLIN, George T.,
Chief of Protocol,
Wash., D.C.
5-13-41.

Letter to Miss LeHand, transmitting a box containing a crocheted mat bearing the inscription "No No 1940 War", which was sent to the President and Mrs. Roosevelt by Mrs. H. Hall of Sydney, Australia. Also attached is a copy of the accompanying communication from Mrs. Hall.

(Correspondence and mat given to Mrs. Eben, at her request for Hyde Prk.)

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GERARD, Hon. James W.
New York, New York
May 9, 1941

Wrote to the President re his suggestion some time ago that we coin some of our silver into Maria Theresa dollars, and loan it to Iba Saud of Arabia to keep him in line or at least neutral. Sends the President a Maria Theresa dollar. Discusses personal matters. -- Wrote to the President again on May 13, 1941, sending another Maria Theresa dollar, as it looks more ancient than the one he sent before, which was probably coined in Italy. Says there is much discontent and a bad food situation in Italy. Also says that I. Suydermann, NYC, had a part in the gift of the coin, and asks President to drop him a note of thanks. -- The President replied on May 19, 1941, thanking Mr. Gerard for the Maria Theresa coins. -- Miss LeHand wrote to Mr. Suydermann on May 19, 1941, expressing thanks on behalf of the President.

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Mr. Crouse

May 1, 1941

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Mr. Crouse

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My dear Mr. Crouse:

The President has received your letter of April twenty-sixth, and has noted it with the deepest interest. He is pleased to have the photograph of President McKinley *#672* and he asks me to thank you ever so much for your kind thought in sending it to him.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Frederick F. Crouse, Esq.,
473 West Third Street,
Mansfield,
Ohio.

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FREDERICK F. CROUSE
ADVERTISING DESIGN
MANSFIELD, OHIO

President Franklin D. Roosevelt
Washington, D.C.

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Dear Mr. President:

I am respectfully sending to you
herewith a photograph of the late President
William McKinley, taken at the time of his
arrival at the Union Station in Mansfield
Ohio to attend the funeral services of
Senator John Sherman, whose residence
was in this City.

I was a small boy at the time
& made the picture with a small box
camera & glass negative.

I shall be pleased to send you
the original negative if you think any
Society or Museum of such material
would be interested & like to preserve
it.

Most Respectfully
Frederick F. Crouse

473 West 3rd St
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GERARD, Hon. James W.
New York City
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Sent the President a wire re establishment of an Atlantic convoy lane to make our aid to England effective. Feels that is the only thing to do. There is also a letter from Mr. Gerard to the President dated May 16 re the French situation. He states that some time ago he suggested to Nicholas Murray Butler that members of the Legion of Honor should unite in a memo to Petain, etc., but he turned down the suggestion saying that the British did not want any such action. Mr. Gerard asks how about it now. He feels an American Committee should notify the French that if they join the Germans no American will again visit France or buy their products. Mr. Gerard states that he sent the President two Maria Theresa thalers as patters if he should decide to coin some of his silver to keep Iba Saud in line. - - - General Watson acknowledged the above telegram and letter, at the President's suggestion, May 21. He said the President would have written personally, and wanted to do so, but he is not yet allowed to do a full day's work.

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NOBLE, Rev. Dr. James A.
Oklahoma City, Okla.
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Sent the President a cane.

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Mr Goshen
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May 26, 1941

FRENCH, Charles E.,
Huntington Park, Calif.
5-3-41.

Sends a framed four-leaf clover to the President.

See P.P.F.9-F

The President has received your
recent letter. He much appreciates your
kindness in sending him the painting and has
requested me to thank you for your friendly
thought of him.

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John A. Clark, Esq.
San Diego
Calif.
May 26, 1941

Mr. Goshen
Store Room

May 26, 1941

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My dear Mr. Clark:

The President has received your recent letter. He much appreciates your kindness in sending him the painting and has requested me to thank you for your friendly thought of him.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Orie C. Clark, Esq.,
Box 1021,
Libby,
Montana.

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encourage me, as I must continue until final success.

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Libby, Montana

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The President of
The United States

Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Atk. 4d
5-10-41
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Dear Mr. President:

I am an amateur painter
but hope to become a
professional artist in the
future.

I am sending you my
first portrait painting.

I don't know of a greater
subject to start on.

I hope you like it.

Very sincerely yours

Orie C. Clark

Box 1021

Libby, Montana.

encourage me, as I must continue until I find success.

26 mai 1941.

Dear Mrs Roosevelt.

4 3 avril 1940. Coincidence.

En secret je lui confiai ce message. Depuis je prie, et il est difficile de se diriger seule, c'est pourquoi j'ai fait cette aide en m'accrochant à la permission de continuer sans délai cette œuvre que je crois nécessaire au retour d'Amérique de la Ligue dans le monde. C'est une promesse de la Ligue produite de la Ligue confie à la garde du Président des États-Unis.

Marie Curie.

What I want to do for peace is to offer this humanitarian plan to the world, by the voice of the President of the United States.

Et cette colonne de la Ligue le m. d'Amérique passe en Amérique le 25 janvier 1940. N'est-elle pas celle qui fut de faire pour la Ligue papale

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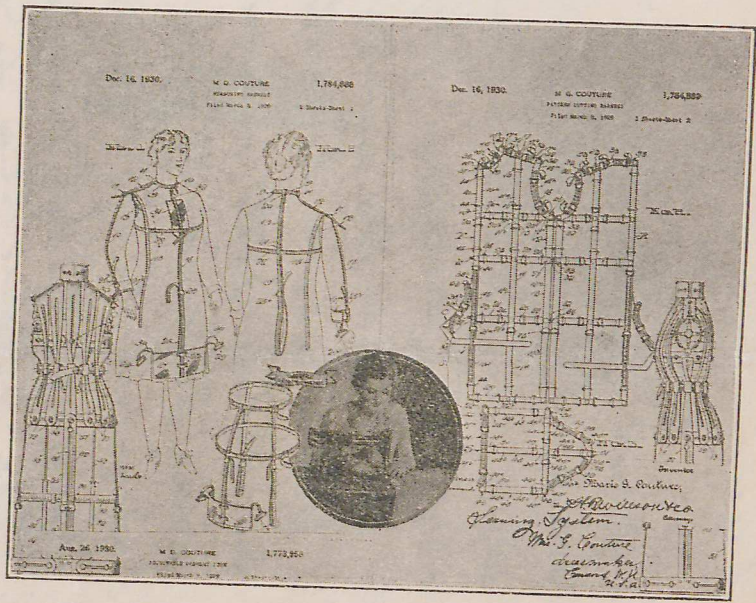
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I don't ask an answer. But from words will encourage me, as I must continue until final success.

Mr. Carleton
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My dear Mr. Carleton,
The
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received. I was
for your courtesy

Daniel Carleton,
6510 Northwest
Miami,
Florida.



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON
My dear Mrs. Couture:
Thank you
for your kind thought
as well as the
I can assure you
friendliness
such as

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

November 25, 1940

My dear Mrs. Couture:

Thank you, in the President's behalf
for your kind thought in sending him the flag,
as well as the clippings and your photograph.
I can assure you that he much appreciates the
friendliness and good will which you express
in such generous terms.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. G. Couture,
131 Warren Street,
Concord,
New Hampshire.

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Miami,
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Miss Le-Hand

Will you please send this back to me I mean
this note, I include it to make it easier
to you to understand me.

The next essay will be sent to you. and be sure
I do the best thing to help.

Mrs. G. Couture.

Dear Miss Le-Hand
I am very sorry to hear
of your illness and
hope you will soon
be well and
able to
write again.

MRS. G. COUTURE
DRESSMAKER

131 WARREN STREET



TELEPHONE 484-J

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Concord, N. H., 26 May 1941.

Dear Miss Le Hand.

I cannot resist to ask you, if it is possible before Tuesday night, to assure the President of the United States, that I never will change my mind about my intentions about this program. I sincerely think it is necessary to the securing of Peace, and must be pushed forward. I have the firm conviction that he is the man selected to put the last hand, of all this turmoil. and this plan of peace ought to be presented by acts, (valuable to all first. Humanitarian via prices).

To present difficulties, I send back your note of the 25 number 1940. However, I don't expect any. I cannot say, I was happy at the good words. as I was not so sure of the inside through of the President. It was so strange a ending. But it was sincere and true. I'll come back on this essay (Lilence for the President). And please tell the President (que je suis entêté comme un Breton...) et déterminé jusqu'au bout.

I don't ask an answer. but few words will encourage me, as I must continue until final success.

and Miss Le - Hand can I tell you than
the photograph was the exception. I never give
it, the rose on it is unique, and historic,
will explained every thing later. When the
President will be more at rest. I have millions
of more invids to confide to both. I mean to
Mrs. Russell also.

I was very please with the last line.
Private Secretary. as I had in mind for a long
time to ask your collaboration for certain
reasons; will explain later.)

Please pardon me to try to write in en-
glish as I don't know if you know the french
language. I am very poor on both, but I must
do the best I can. Nobody can take my place
without much trouble.

Hoping your help, to transmit this message
at the right moment. I ask the indulgence
of everyone. cannot wait any longer.

Les Petites causes produisent les grands
effets. I told this before in previous letters etc.
Again please tell them to be hopefull,
the future ought to be in our favor.

Sincerely
M. C.

My dear Mrs. Couture:

Thank you, in the
for your kind thought in send
as well as the clippings and
I can assure you that he much
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in such generous terms.
Very sincere

Mr. Morris

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November 25, 1940

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My dear Mrs. Couture:

Thank you, in the President's behalf
for your kind thought in sending him the flag, *7282*
as well as the clippings and your photograph.

I can assure you that he much appreciates the
friendliness and good will which you express
in such generous terms.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. G. Couture,
131 Warren Street,
Concord,
New Hampshire.

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Mr. Leland
Study

May 26, 1941

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My dear Mr. Carleton:

The copy of the book "We, The People"
which you forwarded to the President has been
received. I want to thank you in his behalf
for your courtesy.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Leland
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Daniel Carleton, Esq.,
6510 Northwest Miami Place,
Miami,
Florida.

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CRAWFORD, Mrs. W. Gordon
Hyde Park, N.Y.
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Sent the President four "Silver Jubilee" Spoons of King George

SEATON, Capt. Carl C. W.,
New York, N.Y.
May 31, 1941

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Writes to Miss LeHand stating that several weeks ago he mailed to the President the calendar which he has been sending every year since Pres. Roosevelt has been President. Asks if this calendar has been received.

See P.P.F. 9-S

CRAWFORD, Mrs. W. Gordon
Hyde Park, N.Y.
5-15-41

Sent the President four "Silver Jubilee" Spoons of King George
and Queen Mary for the British Royal Family.
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CROMWELL, Hon. James H.R.,
Washington, D. C.
May 28, 1941

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Writes the President congratulating him on his speech of the previous night.
Sends the President the first copy of "Pax Americana," his book which he has dedi-
cated to the President. -- Presidentially acknowledged, 6/4/41.

See P.P.F. 3565

CRAWFORD, Mrs. W. Gordon
Hyde Park, N.Y.
5-15-41

Sent the President four "Silver Jubilee" Spoons of King George and Queen Mary, for the Franklin D. Roosevelt Library. - The President acknowledged this gift on June 4, 1941 stating that he gave the spoons to Mr. Shipman to be placed in the Library.

See P.P.F. 867

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I wish it were possible to do as you ask. However, I feel sure that you will bear with me when I tell you that during these critical days that it is so very important to preserve the Executive time for his most important duties, it is not feasible to refrain from accepting the gift of the spoons of King George and Queen Mary.

Very sincerely yours,

705 Eighteenth Street, N. W.,
Apartment 901,
Washington, D. C.

bk

Mr. Norris

BROWN, Mrs. Sarrah

f 7/11/41

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Mr. Norris

June 25, 1941

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My dear Mrs. Crawford:

Your note of June twentieth has been received. Many thanks, in the President's behalf, for those two small volumes of Shakespeare. I know that he will be glad indeed to have them and that he would want me to express his appreciation of your kind thought in sending them to him.

I wish it were possible to do as you ask. However, I feel sure that you will bear with us when I tell you that during these critical days when it is so very important to conserve the President's time for his urgent official duties, it has been necessary to refrain from bringing to his attention the many requests of the kind you make.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

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x 973

Mrs. Laura F. Crawford,
705 Eighteenth Street, N. W.,
Apartment 901,
Washington, D. C.

bk

Mr. Norris

1

BROWN, Mrs. Sarrah

Please prepare nice note of
thanks for Miss Le Hand's signature
and give the books to Mrs. Eben.

G. G. T.

act

To your collection.
They are about 40⁰
years old. ^{Aug 9⁰ 6-25-11}
I would like to have
your autographs and
Mr Roosevelt's and
just to keep some
little tokens from
the most wonderful
president we have
ever had.

Mr. Norris

1

BROWN, Mrs. Sarrah

small leather bound volumes of Shakespeare
"King Henry VIII" - "Merchant of Venice"

Dear Mr President

I am enclosing two
little volumes to add
to your collection.

They are about 40
years old.

I would like to have
your autographs and
Mrs Roosevelt's and
just to keep some
little tokens from
the most wonderful
president we have
ever had.

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Mr. Norris

BROWN, Mrs. Sarrah
Cleveland, Ohio

with prayers that
you will lead us
to peace and
happiness through
these trying days
Very truly

(Mrs) Laura F Crawford

705-18 St N.W.

Sept. 901 Washington
D.C.

June 20th 1941

Mr. Norris

1

BROWN, Mrs. Sarrah
Cleveland, Ohio
6-5-41

Sent the President a charm.

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Mr. Norris

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HEIL, Julius P.,
Governor of Wisconsin,

TISEN, Mr. and Mrs. Charles R.
Tropical Nurseries,
DeSoto City, Fla.
6-30-41

China).

Sent the President some Chinese Lychee (royal fruit of

Write to the President sending a small box.

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Mr. Norris 1

HEIL, Julius P.,
Governor of Wisconsin,
Madison, Wisc.
June 17 1941

PRIEBE, Mrs. Mayo
Rochester, Minn.
6/19/41.

Wrote to the President sending a crucifix.

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Mr. Norris

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HEIL, Julius P.,
Governor of Wisconsin,
Madison, Wis.
June 17, 1941

Sends to the President a package of cheese and a case of Schlitz beer.
(Acknowledged by President.)

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Mr. Norris

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June 13, 1941

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My dear Alice:

The President has received your nice letter of June eighth and appreciates your friendly thought in sending him the copy of your brother's drawing which you enclosed. He is very glad to have it and asks if you will be good enough to extend his very best wishes to your brother.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Alice Conville,
Weogufka,
Alabama.

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Meagufka, Alabama
June 8, 1941

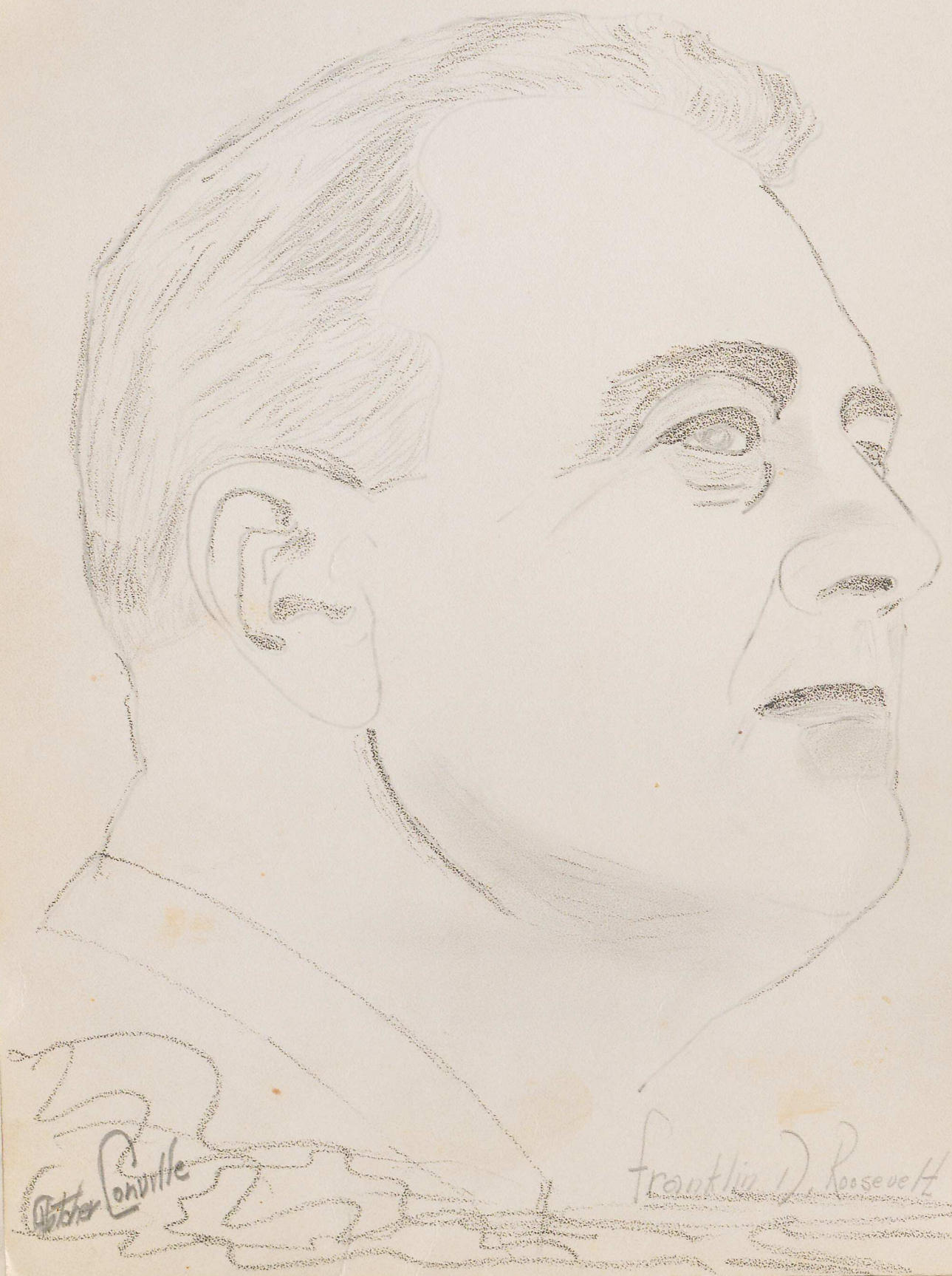
Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt
President of United States
Washington D. C.

My dear President:

I am sending you a free
hand drawing of yourself in
which my brother, Fletcher
Conville drew.

x My family and I think that
it is very much like you and
I hope you will accept with
all my love.

your friend,
Alice Conville



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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Horsehoe sent to Museum

f 7/10/41

June 11, 1941

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My dear Mrs. Anderson:

It was very kind of the Camp Fire

Girls of Grand Coolee Dam to send the President
X360

the good luck token to which you refer in your
recent note. He is grateful indeed for their
friendly thought and wants me to extend his
cordial good wishes to all.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. Mell Anderson,
Box 552,
Mason City,
Washington.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Dear Mr. President: ^{6/11/19}
Thank The Camp
Fire Girls of Grand
Goose Dam send you
this token of Good Luck
picked up at the dam.
and wish for
a personal reply to
add to their club room.

Sincerely.

Mrs. Mel Anderson
Guardian.

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Enc.

Virginia Stiles
Virginia Wilkes
Patricia Robbins
Betty F. Lanius
Norma Feltore
Shirley Anderson
Jeanne Modic
Joane Bentley
Shirley Wood
Doretta Wards
Joann Lanius
Joyce Mitchell
Jean Parsons
Barbara Limond
Mrs. Mel Anderson
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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

June 19, 1941.

MEMORANDUM FOR

THE PRESIDENT

Major General H. O. Curtis, General
Officer Commanding ^{x-4660} Iceland, has sent the attached
booklet to the President, through Colonel LeRoy
P. Hunt, U. S. Marine Corps, who recently returned
from Iceland.

An English translation follows the
Icelandic text, and the booklet contains a number
of photographs which I believe will prove of
interest to the President.

I shall be glad to send a note of
thanks to General Curtis (via pouch to London,
thence by plane to Iceland) should the President
so desire.

Respectfully,

J. R. Beardall
J. R. BEARDALL

wdh/mdg

JC:LT
Enc.

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sent to H. P. Leary
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THE NEW HISTORY SOCIETY

June 9, 1941

President asks me to thank
letter of June third
to know that you and
the radio speech. He
of the warm terms in
our approval. The Presi-
thank you for sending
little booklet which you
Nine Pages from Nine Holy

Very sincerely yours,

STEPHEN EARLY
Secretary to the President

x P.P. 7
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Mrs. Lewis Stuyvesant Chanler,
c/o The New History Society,
132 East 65th Street,
New York, N. Y.

wdh/mdg

JC:LT
Enc.

P.P. 7
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June 9, 1941

Dear Mrs. Chanler:

The President asks me to thank you for your cordial letter of June third and he is delighted to know that you and Mr. Chanler approved the radio speech. He is most appreciative of the warm terms in which you express your approval. The President also asks me to thank you for sending him a copy of the little booklet which you compiled, entitled "Nine Pages from Nine Holy Books."

Very sincerely yours,

STEPHEN EARLY
Secretary to the President

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c/o The New History Society,
132 East 65th Street,
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THE NEW HISTORY SOCIETY

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June 3, 1941

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

Dear Mr. President:

Having learned that you are being flooded with seas of commendation on your last speech, I would like to add my little drop, even though it is probable that it will be lost in the ocean of letters.

With the rest of the country, Lewis and I listened to you with rapt interest. We understood, at least, some of the tremendous implications in your talk and believe that you have the strength to handle the mighty rudder that is now under your control. May it be that through your vision and strength the course of humanity will be jerked into a wider circle!

I would like to speak to you about one of your Four Freedoms laid down in an earlier address. Please, may we not go beyond Religious Freedom? If we wish to weld the people of the world together, it would be well to meet them on their most cherished plane--their own religion. If we pay our respects to Hinduism, Buddhism, Confucianism, Islam; if we make their sacred literature living in the Christian and Jewish consciousness, we will have gained infinitely ourselves, and at the same time will have won to us the Oriental peoples, who are gaining more and more importance politically. I believe that such a gesture would be electrifying.

I know that for all your love of this nation, you haven't got the America First attitude. I think it would be good if we also got out of the Christianity First attitude.

I worked over the little booklet which I am enclosing. I think you would like it if it reaches your hand.

Sincerely yours,

Julie Chanler

Mrs. Lewis Stuyvesant Chanler

JC:LT
Enc.

NINE PAGES

FROM

Nine Holy Books



from Stanley Woodward, Acting Chief of

June 10, 1941.

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EDWIN M. WATSON
Secretary to the President

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Secretary to the President

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A star is radiant, but it does not fill the heavens.

A pearl is exquisite, but it does not encircle the throat.

The earth is vast; its inhabitants are myriad and various, and God has spoken to His people, not once, but many times.

The Nine Holy Books of the World contain God's message, delivered from time to time through His Chosen Ones; and from these Writings we have selected

Nine Pages

Bahai Bookshop
828 Lexington Avenue
New York, N. Y.

November 7, 1939

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HINDUISM

To him who sees Me in everything and everything in Me, I am never lost; and he is not lost to Me.

The devotee who worships Me abiding in all things, holding that all is **one**, lives in Me, however he may be living.

I am in every religion as the thread through a string of pearls.

Wherever thou seest extraordinary powers exalting and purifying humanity, know thou: there am I present.

Whosoever comes to Me through whatsoever form, I **do** reach him.

All men are struggling through paths which at the end lead unto Me.

Bhagavad Gita

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ZOROASTRIANISM

To be grateful in the world and to wish happiness for every one—this is greater and better than every kind of work, and no commotion whatever is necessary for its performance.

Dinai, Mainog-i Khirad

The complete sovereignty of the creatures of Ahura Mazda is in the future existence, and that is unlimited for ever and ever.

Zend Avesta

I pray with benedictions for a benefit and for the good, even for the entire creation.

I beseech for them, for the generation which is now alive, for that which is just coming into life and for that which shall be hereafter.

Yasna

ZOROASTER

BUDDHISM

All that we are is the result of what we have thought. It is founded on our thoughts; it is made up of our thoughts. If a man speaks or acts with an evil thought, pain follows him, as the wheel follows the foot of the ox that draws the carriage.

If a man speaks or acts with a pure thought, happiness follows him, like a shadow that never leaves him.

Hatred does not cease by hatred at any time. Hatred ceases by love. That is an old rule.

Good people shine from afar like snowy mountains.

Dhammapada

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CONFUCIANISM

The people are the root of a country; the root firm, the country is tranquil.

Let none of you dare to suppress the remonstrances of the poor people.

When you have doubts about any great matter, consult with your own mind; consult with the common people.

What the people want, Heaven will be found to give effect to.

Perfect government has a piercing fragrance and influences the spiritual powers.

The Shu King

The individual possessed of the most complete sincerity is like a **spirit**.

Doctrine of the Mean

CONFUCIUS

TAOISM

The highest excellence is like that of water. The excellence of water appears in its benefitting all things and in its occupying, without striving to the contrary, the lowest place which all men dislike.

That whereby the rivers and seas are able to receive the homage and tribute of all the valley streams, is their skill in being lower than they. It is thus that they are the kings of them all.

The softest thing in the world dashes against, and overcomes the hardest; that which has no substantial existence enters where there is no crevice.

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JUDAISM

The meek shall inherit the earth, and shall delight themselves in the abundance of peace.

In His favor is life. Weeping may endure for a night, but joy cometh in the morning.

The Lord looketh from heaven; He beholdeth all the sons of men. From the place of his habitation, He looketh upon the inhabitants of the earth.

He fashioned their hearts alike; He considereth all their works.

Psalms

The spirit of man is the candle of the Lord.

As he thinketh in his heart, so **is** he.

Proverbs

CHRISTIANITY

He that findeth his life shall lose it; and he that loseth his life, for my sake, shall find it.

Be ye therefore perfect, even as your Father which is in heaven is perfect.

Matthew

The hour cometh, and now is, when the true worshippers shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth; for the Father seeketh such to worship Him.

Ye shall know the Truth and the Truth shall make you free.

By this shall all men know that ye are my disciples: if ye have love one to another.

John

JESUS

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ISLAM

God hath preferred those who are strenuous with their wealth and their persons to those who sit still.

Whatsoever good ye expend, it should be for parents and kinsmen, and the orphan and the poor and the son of the road; and whatsoever good ye do, verily, of it God knows.

Verily thy Lord is on the watchtower.

There is not a beast upon the earth, nor a bird that flies with both its wings, but is a nation like to you.

In the earth are signs, to those who are sure, and in yourselves. What! Do ye not then see?

The Koran

MOHAMMAD

BAHAI CAUSE

Reflect a little: hast thou ever heard of the Beloved and the stranger dwelling in the same heart? Then send away the stranger that the Beloved may enter into His abode.

Hidden Words

You must show forth that which will be conducive to the welfare and tranquility of the helpless ones of the world.

Book of Tablets

O ye sons of earth! Turn from the darkness of foreignness to the shining of the Sun of Unity; this is that which shall benefit the people of the world more than aught else.

The tree of the Word has no better blossom, and the ocean of wisdom shall never have a brighter pearl than this.

Bahai Scriptures

BAHA-U-LLAH

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MEL

June 10, 1941.

Respectfully referred for consideration and acknowledgment.

EDWIN M. WATSON
Secretary to the President

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Books for the President:

REIS, E. Santos, R. Affonso Penna 13, Rio De Janeiro, undated. Sends two books by himself entitled "Mecanica Economica Brasilbira", and "Mecanica Economica ao Alcance De Todos". He is a professor at the University of Brasil. Referred to the State Departemtn.

BEAUMONT, Kathleen, from Canada, no address. Book by Paul Trent, entitled "Eve". Referred to the State Department.

WILLIUS-RUDIGER, Prof. J., Vichy, France, 3/8/41. Book entitled "Defense de la Belgique en 1940", by himself. Referred to the State Department.

HALL, A. Vine, "Tecoma", Bowwood Rd., Claremont, Cape Town, South Africa, 4/5/41. Sends copy of war time edition of his book entitled "Poems of a South African". Referred to the State Department.

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COPY — Letter from Stanley Woodward, Acting Chief of Protocol, Dept. of State, 6/11/41 to Miss LeHand, referring to Miss LeHand's memorandum of 6/6/41, enclosing a communication from Postmaster V. C. Burke, in re playing cards sent to the President by Mr. T. Griffith of Australia. Mr. Woodward states he has been advised by the Customs Bureau of the Treasury Dept. that there is no provision of the law under which the President could receive the cards without the payment of duty, amounting to \$1.25, with an additional \$.22 for internal revenue stamps. GG TULLY memo of 6/12/41 to Mr. Woodward: "The President suggests that we pay the necessary amount and get these cards. Our Disbursing Clerk will reimburse you". — (Stencil card in file for Postmaster Burke) - pencil notation: C.E.I. says "treat as gift". - E.B.

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File the
drawing.

P.P. 7,
9-C

June 18, 1941

My dear Robbie:

It was most thoughtful of you to
send the President the drawing which accom-
panied your letter of June tenth. He asks
me to thank you ever so much and to extend
to you his best wishes.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Robbie Cook,
Weston,
Texas.

mms

Archd. 6-15-41
Mms

Weston, Tex.

June 10, 1941

Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir:

I am sending a picture of
yourself that I have drawn.
Mr. L. D. Taylor our teacher
had us to draw it and gave us a
prize for the best one, and mine
was one of the best, so I thought
I would send it to you. It don't
look much like you but maybe
you can tell who it is.

Yours Truly
Robbie Cook
Weston, Tex.



DRAWN BY Robbie Cook
Weston School, Collin Co. Texas

KAUFMAN, M.
Bronx, N. Y.
6/26/41.

Wrote to the President sending him a handmade cane,
states it contains exactly 2050 pieces of wood.

See PPF-9-K

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P.P.F. - 9-C

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BARUCH, Hon. Bernard,
New York, N.Y.
June 23, 1941

P.P.F.
9-C

On above date the President wrote to Mr. Baruch thanking him for the cheese
which he sent. - Office memo, 6/13/41, re the above attached.

See P.P.F. 9-B

P.P.F.
9-C

BIDDLE, Hon. Anthony J. Drexel,
London, England
June 4, 1941.

Writes to the President, that the Arthur Murrays have asked him to forward
to the President, a photograph of Mrs. Murray, and a Murray Tartan collar for
President's scottie "Fala". (Acknowledged by President 6-24-41.)

see P.P.F.554

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P.P.F.
9-C

SHIBLEY, A. P.
Principal,
Mountain Empire Union High School,
Pine Valley, Calif.
4/22/41. ack'd.

Forwarded to the President, through the courtesy of Highway No. 80, Chamber of Commerce, a handmade manzanita wood chair. Memorandum of 4/10/41 attached saying Congressman Ed. V. Izac's office says they have a notice from Chamber of Commerce, Highway #80, stating that Mr. Shibley wishes to present the chair through the Chamber of Commerce. Pencil notation: Sent to President's cottage.

See PPF-9-M

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On May 6, 1941 General Watson wrote to Charles O. Wyman, 121 Olive St., Long Beach, Calif., conveying sincere thanks of the President for the manzanita wood chair which Mr. Wyman presented to the President through Mr. Shibley. The letter to Mr. Wyman was returned after having been forwarded to Descanso, Calif.-unknown.

P.P.F.

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BROWNLEE, L.J.
Ridgeville, S.C.
6-23-41

Sent the President some corn.

See P.P.F. 9-B

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P.P.F.
9-C

VAN ORMER, Mrs. Claude H.
Atlanta, Ga.
6/12/41.

Wrote to the President sending crocheted piece of work.

See PPF-9-V

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P.P.F.
9-C

CARTER, Bryan

Van Nuys, California,
6/15/41.

Writes the President enclosing pictures which were taken on the occasion of the President's visit to the American ships that comprised the 6th Battle Squadron of the Grand Fleet in the Firth of Forth near Edinburgh, Scotland in 1918. Says his fellow bandsman, who was the official ship's photographer, missed on the President's middle name. The writer says he is an electrician at Universal Pictures Corp. and only 2 or 3 of his acquaintances place any credence in the sayings of Lindbergh, Wheeler, Nye & Co.-- The President, on June 26th, wrote Mr. Carter thanking him for the pictures and saying they are a happy reminder of his memorable visit.

P. P. F.

SEE PPF. 7634

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WARFIELD, Allen W.
Odenton, Md.
ack'd 6-27-41

Sent the President a cane.

See P.P.F. 9-W

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P.P.F.
9-C

The President has been
sent you how much he appreciates that fine
gift you sent him and he assures us he
is going to keep it for a special occasion.

This note takes to you the
President's best wishes, together with
love.

Very sincerely yours,

Herbert H. Wallace
Secretary to the President

Allen Warfield, Esq.,
Fort Worth,
Texas.

Mr. Morris.

7/10/41

*Sign
Sent to house*

June 24, 1941.

Dear Amon:-

The President has asked me to tell you how much he appreciates that fine gift you sent him and he assures me he is going to keep it for a special occasion.

This note takes to you the President's best wishes, together with mine.

Very sincerely yours,

Edwin M. Watson
Secretary to the President

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Amon Carter, Esq.,
Fort Worth,
Texas.

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WELLES, Hon. Sumner,
The Under Secretary of State,
Washington, D. C.
June 27, 1941

P.P. 7.
9-C

Writes to the President enclosing a book which the Chinese Ambassador left with him on that afternoon. This book contains the signatures of one hundred thousand Chinese boys and girls in Hong Kong, who wish to express their appreciation to the President for the support which he and the American people have rendered the Chinese. Attached to the book is a letter to the President (copy of which is attached to file) dated May 17, 1941 and signed by the following:- The Chinese Youth League, Hong Kong; The University Students' Union; The Hong Kong Students' Relief Association; The Chinese Y.M.C.A; The Chinese Y.W.C.A; The Hong Kong Christian Students' Union and The Chinese Youth War Relief Association, to the above. Mr. Welles adds that the Ambassador expressed the hope that the President might see fit to include this book of signatures among the books in the new Hyde Park Library. Mr. Welles also encloses a suggested letter for the President to send the Ambassador expressing his appreciation of their message and the book from these Chinese boys and girls.-- The President signed the suggested letter on July 9, 1941.

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