

PRESIDENT'S PERSONAL FILE

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Washington Hotel
Portland, Oregon
April 21st 1933.
May 1, 1933.

My dear Mr. Dodson:

The President has received your letter of April twenty-first and asks me to thank you heartily for writing and for the beautiful bathing suit which you were good enough to send him. He deeply appreciates your thought of him and is glad to accept your gift.

Assuring you that the President is sincerely grateful for this evidence of your good will, I am

Sincerely yours,

M. A. Leland,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mr. Robert M. Dodson,
Washington Hotel,
Portland, Oregon.

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Washington Hotel
Portland, Oregon
April 21st 1933-
Ackd 5/1/33

My dear Mr. President:-

I want to express
in a small way, my
loyalty and esteem
with a little remembrance,

Knowing you are
an expert swimmer
and that swimming is
your favorite sport
and exercise I am
sending you today by
parcel post a specially
made swimming suit
which I hope you

will honor me by
accepting with my
very best wishes

Respectfully
Robert M. Rodson

To Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt
President of the
United States

P.S. - This is strictly private
Mr. President. No publicity
or Advertising. R.M.R.

NEW ORLEANS STATES

EVERY EVENING AND SUNDAY MORNING
900 CAMP STREET

May 2, 1933.

P.P. 7,
G. D.

My dear Mr. Dabney:

Your letter of April eighth and also the copy of your book "Revolution or Jobs", which you were good enough to send to the President, have been received. He wishes me to thank you heartily for your courtesy and to say that he will be much interested in looking through the volume at a favorable opportunity. He is very glad to have it.

Sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Mr. Thomas Ewing Dabney,
Financial Editor, New Orleans States,
900 Camp Street,
New Orleans, Louisiana.

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NEW ORLEANS STATES

ESTABLISHED 1879

EVERY EVENING AND SUNDAY MORNING

900 CAMP STREET

NEW ORLEANS, LA.

April 8, 1933

To the President

Of the United States.

Dear Mr. President:

I have the honor to send to you, under separate cover, a copy of my book, just out, entitled "Revolution or Jobs."

Besides discussing the principal features of the unemployment situation, this book goes into a deep analysis of the Odenheimer Plan for Guaranteed Employment. I telegraphed to you the outline of that plan last fall, and received a letter from you, saying you had studied it. I send you the book in the hope that the elaboration of what interested you then may be able to entice you for a few minutes now.

Sincerely,

Thomas Ewing Dabney

Financial editor.

77 Ridge Road W.
Rochester, N.Y.

P.P. 7

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May 3, 1933.

My dear Miss Downs:

The President has received your interesting letter of April twenty-eighth and asks me to thank you for writing and for the sketch which you were good enough to send him.

He deeply appreciates your friendly interest and good will.

Sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Miss Pauline J. Downs,
77 Ridge Road W.,
Rochester, New York.

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77 Ridge Road W.
 Rochester, N. Y.
 April 28, 1933
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Dear President Roosevelt,

In commemoration of President's Day,
 I am sending to you this picture of
 yourself which I sketched just before
 you took your inaugural oath on March
 fourth. I listened to the inauguration
 program from early morning until
 the finish and was equally thrilled
 with every portion of it.

I am fourteen years of age and
 have never taken up art of any kind
 although I have often had the desire
 to do so. My relatives and friends told
 me to send this portrait to you just
 after it was finished, but I thought
 perhaps the excitement of becoming
 our President would take up too
 much of your time. Therefore I give

ink
 of Art.
 his

(enclosure)

ALAN DEVOE - ANTIQUARIAN RESEARCH

this portrait to you as an appreciation
for all you have done and are doing
at the present time.

Yours very respectfully
Pauline J. Downs

WIEGMAN, Henry J.
Henry's Art Shop,
Cicero, Illinois.
May 4, 1933

Sends the President a copy of his favorite pen and ink
drawing. Tells of his studies at the American Academy of Art.
Armless man - Asks the President for a letter to add to his
collection of letters from presidents.

See P.P.F. 50-W to 50-X.

With deep appreciation of your
generous good wishes for the success of my ill-
ustration, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

Mr. Alan Devoe,
The Commercial Street,
Washington, D.C.

P.P.F.
9-10

May 4, 1933.

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

My dear Mr. Devoe:

I am as pleased as can be to have that old bill and it was mighty good of you to send it to me. It will make a particularly welcome addition to my collection. Very many thanks for your kind thought.

Indeed I remember with a great deal of pleasure our correspondence and the many interesting things for which my collection is indebted to you. I am hopeful that you may not have forgotten the days during your Governorship when (from my then office on Fifth Ave.) I supplied the pleasure of supplying our correspondence and the many interesting things for which my collection is indebted to you. I am hopeful that you may not have forgotten the days during your Governorship when (from my then office on Fifth Ave.) I supplied the pleasure of supplying our correspondence and the many interesting things for which my collection is indebted to you.

With deep appreciation of your generous good wishes for the success of my Administration, I am, for this present writing is to send you a little relic which I recently discovered in the attic of an old house near here, and which is of no great importance - I think you may like to add to your collection of Hudson River material. It is, as you will see, an old bill for merchandise shipped in Civil War days on the Hudson steamer "Sherman." I have never happened to run across one quite like it, and I think the crude vignette of the "Sherman" is rather pleasant.

I am enclosing herewith.

Very sincerely yours,

Mr. Alan Devoe,
72-a Commercial Street,
Provincetown, Massachusetts.

From our sporadic intercourse in the past, and let me express also warmest best wishes for a happy and very successful Presidency.

Yours faithfully,

Alan Devoe

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THE WHITE HOUSE
MAY 2 1933
RECEIVED

72-a Commercial Street,
Provincetown, Massachusetts.
May 1st., 1933.

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

Dear President Roosevelt,

Although considerable water has flowed under the bridge since you last heard from me, I am hopeful that you may not have forgotten the days during your Governorship when (from my then office on Fifth Avenue, New York) I frequently had the pleasure of supplying you with items for your historical collections. It is because in those days we corresponded a good deal about Dutchess County, the Hudson, and Old New York, that I venture now to write you with such informality and such a casual prodding of your memory. I hope that you will not have forgotten me.

The reason for this present writing is to send you a little relic which I recently discovered in the attic of an old house near here, and which - although it is of no great importance - I think you may like to add to your collection of Hudson River material. It is, as you will see, an old bill for merchandise shipped in Civil War days on the Hudson steamer "Sherman." I have never happened to run across one quite like it, and I think the crude vignette of the "Sherman" is rather pleasant. I am enclosing the item herewith.

Let me say how much pleasure I have derived from our sporadic intercourse in the past, and let me express also warmest best wishes for a happy and very successful Presidency.

Yours faithfully,

Stanley

enclosure)

Translator's summary of communication

May 5, 1933.

Language in which written: Spanish

Date of communication: April 24, 1933.

My dear Mr. Dominguez: of writer:

Your letter of April twenty-fourth, 1933, Guadalajara, Mexico.

has been received and the President appre-

ciates your courtesy in sending him the

photograph of Mrs. Roosevelt, which has

been artistically reproduced. He asks me

to thank you for this evidence of your in-

terest and good will.

Sincerely yours,

M. A. Leland,
PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Mr. Juan Jose' Lira Dominguez,
Anasco 16,
Guadalajara, Mexico.

That the President sign-
ify in writing that he is pleased with this work, etc.

Remarks:

Translated and summarized by:

LSP

Translator's summary of communication.

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Language in which written: Spanish

Date of communication: April 24, 1933.

Name and address of writer:

Juan José Lira Dominguez, Analco 16, Guadalajara, Mexico.

Addressed to:

The President.

Substance of Statements made by the writer:

He does not desire to offend the President's wife in any way, but has been so bold as to reproduce ^{artistically} a number of photographs of her, unknown to the President, but he thinks the work would please him.

Recd
sent to Mr. L. Hand

Request made in the communication: That the President signify in writing that he is pleased with this work, etc.

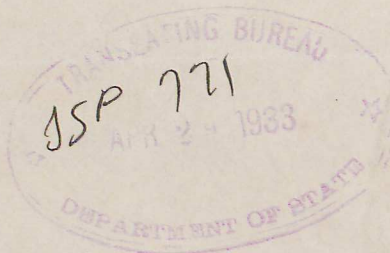
Remarks:

Translated and summarized by:

LSP

Juan José Lira Dominguez.
Analco Núm. 16.
Guadalajara. Jal. Mexico.

Translate



Sr. Franklin D. Roosevelt.
Presidente Constitucional de E.U.A.

Respetable Señor:

No queriendo ofender en lo más mínimo la honra-
bilidad de U. y de su digna esposa, me he atrevido a -
reproducir sus fotografías, en un humilde Arte, que -
para Uds. quizá será ignoto hasta la fecha, pero que
creo sea de su agrado.

Esperando verme favorecido con su anuencia por es-
crito, tanto de la buena recepción de lo antes especi-
ficado, como de su agrado por dichas reproducciones, me
es grato ponerme a sus apreciables órdenes, como su S.S,

Juan José Lira Domínguez

Guadalajara, 24 de Abril de 1933.

Dale, Al,
Editor, Detroit Times,
Detroit, Mich.
May 27, 1933.

States that James Hammond, publisher of the Detroit Times
would like very much to have an autographed picture of the
President for his collection.

SEE HAMMOND.

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LOUIS B. BROWN,
Secretary to the President.

Mrs. Thomas F. Dorey,
New London, Connecticut.

May 6, 1933.

P.P. 7.
G.D.

My dear Mrs. Dorsey:

The President has received your note and has asked me to assure you of his appreciation of the kindly thought which prompted you to send the accompanying emblem to him.

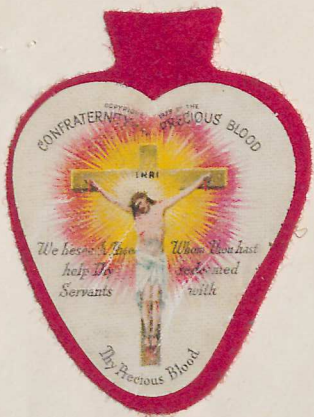
Sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE,
Secretary to the President.

Mrs. Thomas F. Dorsey,
New London, Connecticut.

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My dear Mr. de Souza:

The President has received your letter of May fifth, and has asked me to express to you his warm appreciation of the kindly interest which prompted you to write, and to thank you and your cousin for your thoughtfulness in sending the enclosed emblem and card to him.

Very sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE,
Secretary to the President.

P. J. de Souza, Esq.,
1774 Vyse Avenue,
Bronx, New York.

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The President has received your letter of May fifth, and has asked me to express to you his warm appreciation of the kindly interest which prompted you to write, and to thank you and your cousin for your thoughtfulness in sending the enclosed emblem and card to him.

Very sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE,
Secretary to the President.

P. J. de Souza, Esq.,
1774 Vyse Avenue,
Bronx, New York.

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I suppose, Franklin D

May 8, 1933.

My dear Mr. de Souza:

The President has received your letter of May fifth, and has asked me to express to you his warm appreciation of the kindly interest which prompted you to write, and to thank you and your cousin for your thoughtfulness in sending the enclosed emblem and card to him.

Very sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE,
Secretary to the President.

P. J. de Souza, Esq.,
1774 Vyse Avenue,
Bronx, New York.

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S. MARIA DE PERPETUO SUCCURSU
VETUS IMAGO MIRACULIS CLARA
VENERATA ROMÆ IN ECCL. S. ALPHONSI

STAB. L. SALOMONE ROMA

2yse Ave Roma
5th May 1933

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President
This short letter
love between
and Cousin

Lucille D'Abreu. So
wish you health and
long life. So I ask you
kindly to wear this medal
to protect you from
danger and my Cousin
Lucille send you the
picture to say the prayer
for you to live and
reign for President
for many years. We will

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I suppose, Franklin D

PRAY

Behold at thy feet, O MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP, a miserable sinner, who has recourse to thee, and confides in thee. O Mother of Mercy, have pity on me. I hear thee called by all the refuge and the hope of sinners: be therefore my refuge and my hope. Assist me for the love of Jesus Christ, stretch forth thy hand to a miserable wretch who has fallen and who recommends himself to thee, and who consecrates himself to be thy servant for ever. I bless and thank Almighty God, who by His mercy has given me this confidence in thee, which I hold to be a pledge of my eternal salvation. It is true, that in past times I have miserably fallen into sin, because I had not recourse to thee. I know, that with thy help I will be able to conquer. I know, too, that thou wilt assist me if I recommend myself to thee; but I fear, that in the time of danger I may neglect to call on thee and thus lose my soul. The grace, therefore, which I ask of thee, and for which I beg with all the fervour of my soul, is; that in all the attacks of hell I may ever have recourse to thee and say to thee: O Mary help me; O MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP, never permit me to lose my God.

Five HAIL MARYS.

An indulgence of 100 days, to be gained once a day. (Rescript of May 17, 1866).

Lucille

IMPRIMATUR

P. Albertus Lepidi, O. P. S. P. Ap. Magister.

I promise you that
I'll name him "Prosperity".
I suppose, Franklin D

1774 Vyse Ave Bronx
5th May 1933

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Our dear President
This short letter
is being done between
myself and Cousin
Lucille D'Abreu. So
Wish you health and
long life. So I ask you
kindly to wear this medal
to protect you from
danger and my Cousin
Lucille send you the
picture to say the prayer
for you to live and
reign for President
for many years. We will

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I suppose, Franklin D

CANNOT BE CANCELLED WITHOUT MUTUAL CONSENT.

BEYOND OUR CONTROL. ACCEPTED ORDERS
QUOTATIONS ARE GOOD FOR 30 DAYS ONLY.

prayer for you every day
at Mass, so that your
wonderful work that you
have done for your short
reign - I am sure by
God's help the depression
will go soon and pros-
perity will come.

Lucille write this letter
for me with all our
mind. - Wishing you
the best of health and
luck. We remain your
devoted client.

P. F. de Souza
& Lucille D'Abreu

P. F. de Souza
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May 10, 1933.

My dear Laurina:

The President has received your very interesting letter and asks me to thank you heartily for writing and for the sketch which you were good enough to send him. He deeply appreciates your friendly interest and good will.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Miss Laurina DeLella,
36 Seymour Street,
Hartford, Connecticut.

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May, 3, 1933

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Dearest Franklin D;

I'm sending
you a picture of which
I drew of yourself. I have
never taken art lessons,
and want to so much
but, I know it is im-
possible. I gave up
hopes of it although I
am but a high school
girl.

Please, won't
you make one of my
two wishes come true?
I wished that I'd be an
artist, but, that is all
"off", so won't you send
me a saddled horse?

I promise you that I'll
take good care of him and
I promise you that
I'll name him "Prosperity".
I suppose, Franklin D

that I'm asking a lot for
what little I've accomplished
in the world, but, try
anyway. Won't you?

Write anyway and tell
me how you liked
the picture.

Your wonderful
I am

Laurina De Lella
36 Seymour St.
Hartford, Conn.

May 16, 1933.

My dear Mr. and Mrs. Dalessio:

The President has received the
crate of fine asparagus which you were
good enough to send him, and he asks me
to thank you heartily for your courtesy.
I am sure that the President and his family
greatly enjoyed it.

Assuring you of the President's
deep appreciation of this evidence of your
friendly interest and good will, I am

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalessio,
Box 23, R.F.D. #1,
Hamonton,
New Jersey.

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For Prest. ^{ackd} 5/16/93
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Crate of Asparagus

Wishing You Luck and

Health

Mr + Mrs. Lalessio

San Jose Hammonden, N.Y.
Box 23. R.F.D. 1

C. DOERING & SON

May 16, 1933.

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My dear Mr. Doering:

Your letter of April fourteenth has been received and the President thanks you for the coin and Elks Creed which you were good enough to send him. He appreciates your thought of him and is grateful to you for your friendly expressions of confidence and good will.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Charles Doering, Esq.,
1375-1379 West Lake Street,
Chicago,
Illinois.

Charles Doering

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1375-1379 W. LAKE STREET.

LONG DISTANCE PHONE MONROE 921.

CHICAGO

April 14, 1933

*asked
5/16/33
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Hon. President F. D. Roosevelt,
U. S. Capitol Building,
Washington, D. C.

Hon. Pres. Roosevelt:

I am taking the liberty of writing you in order to thank you for the wonderful improvements you have shown the people of your country. You are a man who really does things, and I admire the good deeds you have accomplished.

As a small expression of my appreciation I enclose, herewith, a "Lucky Coin", dated 1837, as a pocket-piece which carries a history. Keep this as a lucky-token, for, you will never go broke as long as you have it.

I do not know whether or not this letter will reach you. It may only go as far as your secretary, but nevertheless, it is to you I wish continued success.

Under separate cover, I am sending you an Elk's Creed, which I know you will appreciate, as we are brother Elks.

Again thanking you in my humble way, I

Yours very truly,

Charles Doering

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ALL ORDERS ENTERED ARE CONTINGENT UPON STRIKES, ACCIDENTS AND OTHER CAUSES BEYOND OUR CONTROL. ACCEPTED ORDERS CANNOT BE CANCELLED WITHOUT MUTUAL CONSENT. QUOTATIONS ARE GOOD FOR 30 DAYS ONLY.

*Rec'd -
sent to Mr. H. 4/17/33
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sent to Mr. H. 5/15/33*

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LONG DISTANCE PHONE MONROE 921.

CHICAGO

May 11, 1933



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

Hon. Pres. Roosevelt:

I am sending you, by prepaid express,
the Elks' Creed, as promised in my letter of
April 14th. I sincerely hope you will enjoy it.

Appreciating all your efforts, and
thanking you, I am

Yours truly,

Charles Doering

CD:AC

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May 17, 1933.

My dear Mr. Drake:

The President has received the box of delicious maple sugar which you were good enough to send him, and asks me to thank you in his behalf for your courtesy. I am sure that he and his family will greatly enjoy it.

Assuring you of the President's deep appreciation of this evidence of your friendly interest and good will, I am

Very sincerely yours,

J. W. Gallagher,
52 West 114th Street,
New York,
New York.

M. A. Leland,
PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Reginald J. Drake, Esq.,
Maybrook Farms,
Potsdam,
New York.

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May 20, 1933.

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My dear Mr. de Burgh:

The President has received your letter of May eighteenth and requests me to say that he is pleased to accept the framed copy of "The Message from the Glorious Dead", which you say you are going to recite on Decoration Day. He appreciates your courtesy and is indeed grateful to you for this evidence of your interest and good will.

Very sincerely yours,

M.A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY.

J. W. deBurgh, Esq.,
62 West 83rd Street,
New York,
New York.

Recd
Sent to Miss Leitch

J.W. de Burgh
62 W. 88th St.
N.Y.C.
18th May,
1933.

My dear Mr President -

"As I am reciting"
message from The Glorious Dead
at 10 P.M. on W.E.V.D. N.Y.C. on
Decoration day, would you
kindly honour me by accepting
framed copy which I am mailing?
"May God ever guard
& keep you" is the sincere prayer
of

Your humble servant,

J.W. de Burgh



SAMUEL DICKSTEIN
12TH DIST. NEW YORK

CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
WASHINGTON, D. C.

May 23rd, 1933.

P.P.F.
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My dear Mr. President:

I should like very much to come over, at your leisure, and pay my respects; and at the same time present a constituent who has invented the last word in bridge.

He has made, especially for you, a wheel about six inches square, consisting of two discs showing the latest method in correct bidding in contract bridge.

It is something unusual and the constituent insists that he present it to you with his compliments.

Hoping that your health is good and with warmest and kindest regards, I am

Most respectfully,

Samuel Dickstein
SAMUEL DICKSTEIN.

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

House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

May 25, 1933.

My dear Congressman:

The President has asked me to acknowledge receipt of your letter of May 23rd.

He expressed himself as greatly interested. However, he has been confining his engagements to those connected with his program and the emergency legislation, and while he fully appreciates the sentiment which prompted this gift, he feels he cannot make an exception to the general rule, which is that I act on his behalf in all these matters.

I will be very glad to receive the wheel and during a leisure moment convey it to the President and explain its operation. I know that he will be glad to get it.

Sincerely yours,

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

Hon. Samuel Dickstein,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

May 23, 1933.

P.P. 7.
9-D.

My dear Mr. DuBois:

I have today received your letter of May 20th, together with the profile of the President.

Considering the circumstances under which it was executed it has been admirably well done, and the President has asked me to express to you his appreciation for your patience in modelling it and your thoughtfulness in sending it along to him so that he may have it as a memento of these days.

Sincerely yours,

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

James W. Du Bois, Esq.,
J. W. Du Bois Foundry,
Cold Spring, N. Y.

GENERAL JOBBING

PHONE, 16-J

SPECIAL METAL MIXTURES

J. W. DUBOIS FOUNDRY

J. W. DUBOIS, PROP.



GUN IRON AND GRAY IRON
CASTINGS

PISTON RING CASTINGS A SPECIALTY

COLD SPRING, Putnam Co., N.Y., May 20th, 1933.

Mr. M. H. McIntyre,
Sec. to President Roosevelt,
The White House,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir;-

In accordance with your instructions, I am sending via Parcel Post, a profile of President Roosevelt, and hereby thank you for presenting the same to him.

I wish to advise that this profile is the first I have ever made, and I am not an artist; so, if our President will not criticize too severely, I will have been well paid for the days I spent modeling it.

I never have seen the President in profile, so have relied entirely on news paper pictures.

Again thanking you, I beg to remain

Yours very respectfully,

J.W.D./E.D.

James W. Du Bois

May 24, 1933.

P.P. 7,
a-D

My dear Mr. Dasher:

The President is in receipt of your letter of May eighteenth and asks me to thank you heartily for the beautifully framed poem which you were good enough to send him.

He is pleased to accept it and is deeply grateful to you for the thought which prompted your sending it. Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir: Very sincerely yours,

Just a little poem of kind thoughts of you. I hope you will enjoy reading it, and kindly hang it on the White House wall as PRIVATE SECRETARY of remembrance.

Doc Dasher, Esq.,
313 St. Louis Street,
Springfield,
Missouri.

Sincerely yours,

Doc Dasher.

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Doc Dasher.

Poem framed & sent to the President

318 St. Louis Street,
Springfield, Missouri,
May 18, 1933.

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

Dear Sir:

Just a little poem of kind thoughts of you. I
hope you will enjoy reading it, and kindly hang it on the
White House wall as a little token of remembrance.

Sincerely yours,

Doc Dasher.

Doc Dasher.

*Rec'd. Fanned Soen
sent to Mrs. L. H.*

GERARD DAVIS

Friday
May 24

P.P. 7.
9-D.

May 24, 1933.

Dear Mr. Dorian:-

My Mother has sent me the
framed verse and I want to tell you how
much I ^{P.P. 7. 9-D.} appreciate your thought.

My best wishes for a pleasant
voyage.

Very sincerely yours,

Sylvestre Dorian, Esq.,
2 Brook Lane,
Scarsdale, New York.

LT

47 EAST 65TH STREET
NEW YORK

Friday
May 12th

P. F.
9-20

Darling Son

I send you by
Express a present from William
Sylvester Dorian, he left
it here for you, it is
inscribed on the back -

He is sailing in a few
days to join Prof. Piccard

but c^d be thanked at
once - at

2 Brook Lane
Scarsdale - N.Y.

(Sylvestre Dorian.)

It really is a touchy
story, so read it -

Your loving
Mummy -

TELEPHONE, MANHATTAN 2-4400

GHERARDI DAVIS
COUNSELLOR AT LAW
15 WILLIAM STREET
NEW YORK

May 26, 1933.

The President,

Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Davis:

The President has received your letter of May twenty-second and thanks you heartily for sending him a copy of your book. He greatly appreciates your thought of him and anticipates pleasure in looking through the volume at a favorable opportunity.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Leland,
PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Yours very truly,

Gherardi Davis, Esq.
15 William Street,
New York, N.Y.

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LAW
WILLIAM STREET
NEW YORK

May 22, 1933

The President,

Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. President:

You may, and I hope you will, find a half hour of relaxation, if you take the trouble to read the accompanying book. I happened to find a copy of it in my house yesterday (I thought I had given them all away) and remembering your interest in the sea, venture to send it to you.

You will notice that it goes back in my own experience fifty odd years - some of the pictures are from drawings I made that many years ago, when I was just beginning life here as a lawyer. Many of the illustrations could not, as you will see, be had by any one else.

I hope you may enjoy looking the book over.

Yours very truly,

Gerard Davis,

By A. L. L. L. L.
PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Mr. G. Davis, Esq.,
5715 Broadway Blvd.,
Palm Beach,
Los Angeles,
California.

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THE EXCELLENCE OF SPARK

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May 29, 1933.

My dear Mr. Davis:

The President has received the inscribed copy of your book "Revelations of the Life Beautiful" which you were good enough to send him, and asks me to thank you heartily for your courtesy. He is pleased to accept the book and deeply appreciates your thought of him in this connection.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Mrs. Kathryn A. Daniels,
7134 So. Aberdeen Street
Mr. M. E. Davis, Esq.,
3716 Grandview Blvd.,
Palms Station,
Los Angeles,
California.

May 29, 1933.

My dear Mrs. Daniels:

The President has received your letter of May twenty-second, and has asked me to thank you for the kind thought which prompted you to write and send the enclosed rose to him. He is grateful indeed for your prayers.

Very sincerely yours,

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LOUIS Mc H. HOWE,
Secretary to the President.

Mrs. Kathryn A. Daniels,
7134 So. Aberdeen Street,
Chicago,
Illinois.

May 22, 1933.

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to E.M.

Mr. Roosevelt.

Ever since you
have been made our
President I have prayed
for you. This afternoon
I finished a nine day
Novena to Saint Theresa
and received Holy Communion
for you yesterday, with the
intention that Our God would
guide and protect you
through life. This Rose
has been blessed from the
Novena of Saint Theresa.

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THE EXCELLENCE OF SPARE
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Please except my Thanks
for all the good you
have done for the World
since you have been Our
President.

I remain,

Very Sincerely,

Mrs Kathryn A. Daniels,

7134 So. Aberdeen St.

Chicago. Ill.

June 6, 1933.

June 6, 1933.

My dear Mr. D'Orazio;

The President is in receipt of
the pencil sketch which you were good
enough to send him, and asks me to thank
you heartily for your courtesy. He is
pleased to have it and deeply appreciates
this evidence of your friendly interest
and good will.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Angelo D'Orazio, Esq.,
4730 Whitaker Avenue,
Philadelphia,
Pennsylvania.

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June 6, 1933.

My dear Mr. Delmonico:

The President has received your letter of May twenty-fourth and asks me to thank you heartily for writing and for the gifts which you were good enough to send him. He deeply appreciates this evidence of your friendly interest and good will.

Assuring you that the President is very grateful for your good wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Joseph Delmonico, Esq.,
162 - 15th Street,
Brooklyn, N.Y.

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TELEPHONE
HUGUENOT 4-4411

Delmonico's

182 - 15TH STREET

BROOKLYN, N. Y.

CABLE ADDRESS
DELAMONICA, NEW YORK

*Received
at House*

May 24, 1933

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

To our President:

It is with a very rare joy that we avail ourselves the opportunity to forward to you under separate cover the very first two (2) cases of White Horse Champagne and Delmonico Sparkling Burgundy to be sent out of our premises.

Our most eager desire is that they will be enjoyed.

Hoping God will preserve you for the needed good of the entire world, we are

Respectfully,

Delmonico's

Joseph Delmonico

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June 7, 1933.

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My dear Mr. Doerzynski:

The President is in receipt of your letter of May twenty-eighth which he has noted with interest. He asks me to thank you heartily for writing and for the beautiful hand carved gifts which you were good enough to send him. He also asks if you will convey to Mrs. Nellie Potoczak, Mrs. Roosevelt's appreciation of the tray which she so kindly sent her. I am sure both the President and Mrs. Roosevelt appreciate the thought which prompted the sending of these gifts.

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Assuring you that the President is deeply grateful for your good wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Joseph Doerzynski, Esq.,
18 Essex Street,
Passaic,
New Jersey.

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Sincerely yours

Joseph Doerzynski

Former Democratic

County Commissioner

even articles & Nellie Potoczak

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Dear President:-

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With great pleasure I sending
your excellency, small wooden hand
carved gifts which I brought home
while visiting my native country
Poland; These pieces were made
in my home town Zakopane which
is surrounded by the high Tatry
Mountains. My cousin Nellie Potoczak
is sending your wife Mrs. Roosevelt hand
carved tray together with the other
gifts.

We're trying to express our
gratitude to you for all the good
you did for this country from the
beginning of the term and. My
God give you Health and strength
in your future work.

Sincerely yours

Joseph Dobrzyński

Former Democratic

County Committeeman

1928-1933

P.S. The package
contain seven articles

& Nellie Potoczak

June 7, 1933.

My dear Mr. Deeter:

The President has received your letter of May twenty-ninth and has asked me to assure you of his deep appreciation of your kind expressions of commendation and good will.

He will be very glad indeed to receive the can you mention and if you will send it on to me,

I shall be happy to present it to him with your compliments.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHAND,
Private Secretary.

A. O. Deeter, Esq.,
Garden Home Addition,
Minot,
North Dakota.

It is a hand
carved cane, a curio, made from ~~the~~
a diamond willow taken from the
Souris River near Minot N. Dak.

Minot, N. Dak.

May 29 - 1933

The President Franklin D. Roosevelt
Washington, D. C.

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Dear Mr. Roosevelt:

I have such a warm spot in my heart for you that I no longer can refrain from writing you.

I wish to express a word of appreciation for what you have already done for this depressed nation in such a short length of time.

You, are a God sent man, with whom I personally agree is very much thought of by the people in my locality.

In appreciation of you and your work, I wish to present to you a little token which is of my own hand work. It is a hand carved cane, a curio, made from ~~the~~ a diamond willow taken from the Souris River near Minot N. Dak.

I think its a fair representation
of the "Big stick" our former T. R.
Roosevelt used as shown in press
pictures - not meaning you are using
a "Big stick" though; the world knows
you are using brains.

I wish to receive a favorable
reply of acceptance of this token, and
shall then be very pleased to send it to you.

Sincerely yours,

A. C. Deeter

Garden Home Addn.

Winnet, N. Dak.

June 7, 1933.

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My dear Mrs. de Sibour:

The President is in receipt of
your letter of June first and asks me to
thank you for writing and for the case
of spring water which you were good
enough to send him.

Thanking you in the President's
behalf for this evidence of your friendly
interest and good will, I am

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Mrs. Henri L.J. de Sibour,
2723 Woodley Place, N.W.,
Washington, D.C.

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Very sincerely yours,

W. A. de Sibour

(Mrs. Henri L.J. de Sibour)

2723 Woodley Place, N.W.,
Washington, D.C.

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June 1, 1933.

Attention Mr. Early,
White House,
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Early:

Some time ago I talked with you on the telephone about delivering to the White House a few cases of "Rawshea Black Label" which were sent to me from our home office in Providence, as complimentary cases for Mr. Roosevelt. If you will remember you suggested that I take them directly to Mr. Nesbitt. But Mr. Nesbitt tells me that he cannot possibly accept the "Black Label" until it has gone through the regular Secret Service routine. So I am to-day sending it to the executive offices, hoping that it will be accepted.

"Rawshea Black Label" is a natural spring water, a sparkling water with great medicinal value. When Mr. de Sibour spoke to Mrs. Dall about it she said she was quite sure the President would like to have some.

Trusting that he will find it entirely satisfactory, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Wary B. de Sibour

(Mrs. Henri L. J. de Sibour)

2723 Woodley Place, N.W.,
Wash., D.C.

M. de S-b

June 9, 1933.

My dear Mr. De Carlo:

The President is in receipt of your letter of June fifth and asks me to thank you heartily for writing and for the drawing which you were good enough to send him. He deeply appreciates this evidence of your interest and good will.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Leland,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mr. Victor De Carlo,
205 Greene Street,
New Haven,
Connecticut.

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205 Greene Street,
New Haven, Conn.

July 5, 1933 ^{school} 6-9-33

My Dear Mr. Roosevelt;

I am a high school boy,
seventeen years old and hope
to, someday, become an artist.

I have admired you for the great
things you are doing for our
country ever since you became
President of the United States.

To show my admiration for you
I have drawn a picture of you
which I sincerely hope you like.

Please, if you can spare the
time write me a letter com-
menting on how you like the
picture. I will treasure this
letter more than any other thing
I possess.

I know you will take our
country and the world out of
these depressing times.

Helen Dye
2015 Culbertson Avenue
New Albany, Indiana

Lewis Sellers
Business Manager

SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL
OFFICE OF RECORDS
NEW ALBANY, INDIANA

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Sincerely yours,
Victor De Carlo

Helen Dye
2015 Culbertson Avenue
New Albany, Indiana

Lewis Sellers
Business Manager

SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL
OFFICE OF RECORDS
NEW ALBANY, INDIANA

June 9, 1933.

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My dear Miss Dye:

The President is in receipt of your letter of June second and thanks you heartily for writing and for the copy of the "1933 Blotter" issued by the Senior High School of your city. He is pleased to have the book and deeply appreciates your thought of him in this connection.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Miss Helen Dye,
2015 Culbertson Ave.,
New Albany,
Indiana.

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Helen Dye
2015 Culbertson Avenue
New Albany, Indiana

Lewis Sellers
Business Manager

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SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL
OFFICE OF PRINCIPAL
NEW ALBANY, INDIANA

June 2, 1933

My Dear Mr. President,

Under separate cover
I am sending you the 1933 Blotter
issued by the Senior High School of
this city.

During your 1932
campaign you honored us with a brief
speech from the rear of your special train.
At that time a snap shot was made and
I understand that Mags + Duncan, amateur
photographers, furnished you with the picture
and have your acknowledgement. This picture
has been reproduced on the third page of
our book.

If you will kindly acknowledge
its receipt, we shall be grateful.

Respectfully yours
Helen Dye

Editor-in-Chief

Lewis Sellers
Business Manager

Helen Dye
2015 Culbertson Avenue
New Albany, Indiana

June 13, 1933.

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My dear Mr. Kemp:

The President has received the
curly pine walking stick which you presented
to him on behalf of Mr. J. Ballard Dudley
of Jackson, Louisiana. The President has
written a note of thanks to Mr. Dudley which
I am enclosing herewith. May I ask you to be
good enough to forward it to Mr. Dudley.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Honorable Bolivar E. Kemp,
House of Representatives, X
Washington, D.C.

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forward them, I will do so if you desire.

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June 13, 1935.

My dear Mr. Dudley:

Representative Kemp has handed to me
the beautiful curly pine walking stick which
you were good enough to send me and I want to
thank you heartily for this evidence of your
interest and good will. I am pleased to have
the stick and I greatly appreciate the fine
sentiment which prompted your sending it.

Very sincerely yours,

J. Ballard Dudley, Esq.,
Jackson,
Louisiana.

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forward them, I will do so if you desire.

Thank for Presidents
signature + address
to Kemp to be forwarded

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Hand - the jeweler was a
native of Jackson La.
Please present this to the
greatest President Roosevelt
with my compliments and
say that I feel grateful to
him for pulling us out
of the chaos + hope for

forward them, I will do so if you desire.

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J. B. DUDLEY
FANCY GROCERIES, FRESH FRUITS, NOTIONS
CREAM PARLOR NOVELTIES

SHIP TO
McMANUS, LA.
Y. & M. V. R. R.

STRICTLY CASH

NOTARY PUBLIC

JACKSON, LA.

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1933

Hon Bolivar E. Kemp.
Dear friend:-

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I am sending you
by prepaid ~~Express~~ or Parcel Post
1 Curly Pine Walking stick, that
came from Kentwood 1898
and the Silver head with solid
gold balls was made by
hand - the jeweler was a
native of Jackson La.
Please present this to the
greatest President Roosevelt
with my compliments and
say that I feel grateful to
him for pulling us out
of the chaos & hope for

forward them, I will do so if you desire.

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JACKSON, LA. _____ 193 _____

him a prosperous & contented
administration of the affairs
of State.

Your friend
J. Ballard Dudley.

Now Mr Kemp I'd so like
for the President to give
a snap shot of himself with
the stick & have same put
in the Times - Picayune or
any other paper.
I am correspondent for the P. Pic
& have been for 20 odd years

forward them, I will do so if you desire.

51 East 90 Street
The City
June 10, 1933

June 14, 1933.

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My dear Miss Castagnola:

The President is in receipt of
your letter of June tenth and asks me to
thank you heartily for the poems and book
which you were good enough to send him.
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He is pleased to have them, and greatly
appreciates the thought which prompted
your act.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Miss Alice Fay di Castagnola,
51 East 90th Street,
New York, N.Y. ^x

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forward them, I will do so if you desire.

New York City
June 10, 1933

To the President of the United States

Dear Sir:

I am sending you,
by this mail, two poems
(written to you), also a book,
"Our America, a symphony
of the New World", and hope
you will like them.

I have the honor to
remain
Very truly yours,
Alice Fay di Castagnola

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forward them, I will do so if you desire.

June 14, 1935.

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My dear Friends:

The President is in receipt of
the cigarette lighter which you were good
enough to send him and asks me to thank
you heartily for your courtesy. He is
indeed pleased at this evidence of your
friendly interest and good will.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Dyer Weld Corp.,
Dwight Building,
Kansas City,
Missouri.

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forward them, I will do so if you desire.

June 19, 1933.

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My dear Mr. Dopirak:

The President received your letter of June fifteenth and read it with interest. He asks me to thank you heartily for writing and for the drawing which you were good enough to send him. He greatly appreciates this evidence of your good will.

Very sincerely yours,

MARVIN H. MCINTYRE,
Assistant Secretary to the
President

Mr. Michael Dopirak,
2514 West 2nd Street,
Chester,
Pennsylvania.

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P.S.

From: Lillian Davis.

Mr. President: I have some very important news, if I may forward them, I will do so if you desire.

June 15/1933.

Dear, President Roosevelt

I have been trying to draw and paint but I have never had a chance to have lessons. I have made a picture of you which I copied from the Philadelphia Bulletin and I would like you to have it. I am only 16 of age and learning how to paint my self. I read about you how your trying very hard to help the people of starving and doing your best.

Yours, Respectfully
Michael Loperak
2514 1/2 nd St.
Chester Pa

P.S.

Frank Lamyonne Davis.

Mr. President: I have some very important news, if I may forward them, I will do so if you desire.

June 20, 1933.

My dear Mr. Davis:

Your letter of recent date has been received and I beg to thank you in the President's behalf for the token made by your own hands, which you were good enough to send him.

I shall take pleasure in handing the tray to Mrs. Roosevelt, and I am sure she will deeply appreciate this evidence of your friendliness and good will.

Very sincerely yours,

MARVIN H. MCINTYRE,
Assistant Secretary to the
President.

Frank LeMay Davis, Esq.,
122 South Wood St.,
Chicago, Ill.

Frank LeMay Davis.

P.S.

Mr. President: I have some very important news, if I may forward them, I will do so if you desire.

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1 Brass Tray (for Mrs. Roosevelt.)
1 Brass plate - (inscribed token of appreciation)

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Finger Print Expert

I take finger prints and classify them for your protection

See me for advice

Address: 122 S. Wood St.

Phone: Seely 4102.

Yr
William Delano Roosevelt.
President U. S. A.

Dear Mr. President.

just a small token of appreciation
for your honest and sincere efforts.

The Tray is for our first Lady.

I believe the idea is original. Hammer and Chisel, in fact, all hand work. They are not unique, but I sure made an impression on the bronze.

Best wishes to all for health and prosperity.

Yours most truly and obedient

Frank Langyoune Davis.

P.S.

Mr. President: I have some very important news, if I may forward them, I will do so if you desire.

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Frank Lan-yonne Davis

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THE WHITE HOUSE
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Bachelor of Music

Composer of Songs
Hymns and Music

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Harmony and Composition

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Mabel and Rosalene Davis

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