

PRESIDENT'S PERSONAL FILE

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Jan.-Apr. 1941

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SODERBERT, Y. E.
Mystic, Conn.
1-20-41

Sent an etching to Mrs. Roosevelt to be given the President on his birthday.

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My dear Mr. Elliott:

The President has asked me to thank
you for your kindness in sending him the
valued copy of "The City of Man". He wants
you to know that he much appreciates your
friendly thought.

Very sincerely yours,

W. E. Ladd
PRESIDENT

Walter William Ladd, 1907
600 Concord Avenue,
Cambridge,
Massachusetts.

Mr. Morris

Pres Study 7

January 6, 1941

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My dear Dr. Elliott:

The President has asked me to thank you for your kindness in sending him the inscribed copy of "The City of Man". He wants you to know that he much appreciates your friendly thought.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Doctor William Yandell Elliott, 2909
600 Concord Avenue,
Belmont,
Massachusetts.

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. EARLY
Jan. 8, 1941

On above date, Gen. Watson sent a memo to Mr. Early stating that through Senator Robert F. Wagner, arrangements have been made for four gentlemen, all Past Grand Exalted Rulers of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks to see the President on Jan. 9th at 12:45. They will present to him a poster representing a composit picture of Uncle Sam. This picture really represents every activity of the Federal Govt. and out of it comes Uncle Sam. It will be presented to the President for the War Dept., and is to be used to open the campaign decided upon in the Elks last convention. This group is a National Defense Committee appointed at this convention to cooperate with the Govt. in furthering National Defense. Those attending the presentation will be Senator Wagner, the Present Grand Exalted Ruler, Mr. Buch; James R. Nicholson, Judge James Hallinan, and Charles T. Hart, all Past Exalted Rulers. - Attached is a memo of Jan. 8th to the President from Gen. Watson who says that Sen. Wagner wants to know if Thursday afternoon (Jan. 9th) will be all right for the presentation.

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Richard Ellis, Esq.,
The Hudson Craftsmen,
Nineteenth & Federal Streets,
London,
New Jersey.

Mr. Ellis

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*The President
thanked Mr. Ellis
personally*

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*to
Harry*

9, 1941

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1/13/41*

My dear Mr. Ellis:

Thank you, in the President's be-
half, for the inscribed copy of the book
"The Man Without a Country." You may be
assured that your courtesy in sending it is
much appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Richard Ellis, Esq.,
The Haddon Craftsmen,
Nineteenth & Federal Streets,
Camden,
New Jersey.

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Mr. Ellis *1*

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

to Mr. LeHand

January 9, 1941

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Filed -
1/13/41

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Camden,
New Jersey.

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Mr. Harris *1*

THE WHITE HOUSE
OFFICIAL BUSINESS

PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE TO AVOID
PAYMENT OF POSTAGE, \$300

Richard Ellis, Esq.,
The Haddon Craftsmen,
Nineteenth & Federal Streets,
Camden,
New Jersey.

X.P.P. 7-B

much appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Leland
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Richard Ellis, Esq.,
The Haddon Craftsmen,
Nineteenth & Federal Streets,
Camden,
New Jersey.

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January 9, 1941

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PRIVATE SECRETARY

Richard Ellis, Esq.,
The Haddon Craftsmen,
Nineteenth & Federal Streets,
Camden,
New Jersey.

mdg

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Mr Hopkins,

This book was inscribed
by Richard Ellis.

an emblem.

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WILLIAM J. WATSON
Secretary to the President

Honorable Charles A. Clegg,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

Mr. Davis

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AXIOTES, Anthony
Newport, R.I.
filed 1-13-41

January 13, 1941

Sent the President an emblem.

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By Mr. Davis

The President has received
the emblem and all the
other things that were
sent, and he is glad to have the emblem.
I am sure that you will
be glad to hear that.

WILLIAM F. RAYSON
Secretary to the President

Honorable Charles E. Clegg,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

Mr. Davis

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January 13, 1941

My dear Mr. Clason:

The President has noted with interest the clippings and all that you say on behalf of the East Forest Park Civic Association of Springfield, and is glad indeed to have the Service Flag presented to him through your courtesy. A letter of thanks and appreciation is being sent to Mr. Arthur P. Penno direct.

Very sincerely yours,

EDWIN M. WATSON
Secretary to the President

Honorable Charles R. Clason,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

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January 13, 1941

My dear Mr. Perno:

The President has learned with a great deal of interest from Honorable Charles R. Clason about the program of the East Forest Park Civic Association in connection with the presentation of Service Flags and he is delighted to have the flag which your Association presented to him.

The President is deeply grateful for the spirit which prompted the action of your Association for such manifestations are but an evidence of the constructive steps being taken to promote national unity in the interest of national defense.

Very sincerely yours,

EDWIN H. WATSON
Secretary to the President

Arthur P. Perno, Esq.,
499 Plumtree Road,
Springfield,
Massachusetts.

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Could you
have this Service Flag
thanked for, Gen. Watson's
signature.

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House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

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COMMITTEES:
MILITARY AFFAIRS
FLOOD CONTROL

SECRETARIES:
LESLIE W. ATKINSON
STELLA P. MENARD

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December 30, 1940

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RE: Presentation of Service
Flag to the President of
the United States.

Dear General Watson:

I am forwarding herewith a Service Flag as the gift of the East Forest Park Civic Association, of Springfield, Massachusetts, to President Roosevelt.

Similar flags are presented to the parents of the men of Springfield who are called into military service at the present time. On January 3 next, it is expected that similar flags will be presented to more than one hundred and fifty Springfield parents for men now serving in the country's armed units. Thereafter, Service Flags will be presented to the parents of each man as he enters the service. Each star represents one member of a family or business office in one of the services, either as a regular or as a volunteer.

This activity on the part of the East Forest Park Civic Association further typifies the growing spirit of national unity and gratitude to the men who are joining the colors.

LESLIE R. CLASON
MASSACHUSETTS DISTRICT

WASHINGTON ADDRESS:
1522 HOUSE OFFICE BUILDING

MASSACHUSETTS ADDRESS:
POST OFFICE BUILDING, SPRINGFIELD

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

COMMITTEES:
MILITARY AFFAIRS
FLOOD CONTROL

SECRETARIES:
LESLIE W. ATKINSON
STELLA P. MENARD

December 30, 1940

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The White House
Washington, D.C.

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AND MASSACHUSETTS DISTRICT

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SECRETARIES:
LESLIE W. ATKINSON
STELLA P. MENARD

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General Edwin M. Watson.
RE: Presentation of
Service Flag to the President
of the United States.

December 30, 1940

They have very graciously requested me to present the enclosed Service Flag to President Roosevelt, in their behalf, as Our Honored Commander in Chief of the Armed Forces of the United States.

In order that the officers and members of the Association may be informed of the delivery of the flag, I will appreciate it very much if you will arrange for an acknowledgement from President Roosevelt of the gift of the flag to be sent to Arthur P. Penno, President, 499 Plumtree Road, Springfield, Massachusetts.

With kindest personal regards, and with appreciation for your assistance in this matter, I am

Very sincerely yours,

Charles R. Clason

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January 17, 1941

Gentlemen:

Many thanks in the President's behalf
for the autodex. He wants me to express his
cordial appreciation of your friendly thought of
him on the occasion of his birthday.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Zephyr American Corporation,
31 West 47th Street,
New York, N. Y.

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AROUSON, Miss Hella Arensen,
Seagate, Brooklyn, N.Y.
Jan. 18, 1941.

sends some etchings to the President.

See P.P.F.9-A

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Dear Mr. Fitzgerald:

Due to the President's request to
the President's Committee, he intended
to write to the President's Committee
concerning his interest in the
third inauguration.

He has also received the very kind
and helpful letter from the
Hon. Earl C. Bickford, Chairman of the
Committee on the City of Buffalo last fall.
The President is very interested in the
work of the Committee, and wishes to know
of any further work in connection with the

with kind regards, I am,

Very sincerely,
John F. Fitzgerald

JOHN F. FITZGERALD
Secretary to the President.

John F. Fitzgerald, Sec.
President, Erie County Democratic Committee,
1001 Buffalo,
Buffalo, New York.

Trophy sent
to Mr. P.

ERIE COUNTY DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE
HOTEL BUFFALO

January 23, 1941.

P.P.T.
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Dear Mr. Fitzpatrick:

Due to the tremendous pressure on the President's time just now, he has asked me to write and thank you for your letter congratulating him on the occasion of his third inauguration.

He has also received the very handsome trophy sent him with the good wishes of the Erie County Democratic Committee in honor of his visit to the City of Buffalo last Fall. The President is happy to have this visible reminder of his trip, and wishes to thank all of you for your kindness in sending it to him.

With kind regards, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

EDWIN M. WATSON
Secretary to the President.

Paul E. Fitzpatrick, Esq.,
Chairman, Erie County Democratic Committee,
Hotel Buffalo,
Buffalo, New York.

ERIE COUNTY DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE
HOTEL BUFFALO

PAUL E. FITZPATRICK, CHAIRMAN

MRS. THOMAS L. HOLLING, ASSOCIATE CHAIRMAN
PETER J. NAPLES, TREASURER

DR. MESCO J. HELMINIAK, ASSOCIATE CHAIRMAN
THOMAS S. FREY, SECRETARY

January 17, 1941

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

My dear Mr. President:

Your thousands of friends in Buffalo
and Western New York extend congratulations to you upon
the occasion of your Third Inauguration as President of
the United States.

It is with pleasure that I inform
you that we are sending you a trophy, commemorating your
visit to Buffalo last Fall. Your presence here made
possible the fine results achieved in Buffalo and Erie
County on Election Day.

Respectfully yours,

Paul E. Fitzpatrick

Paul E. Fitzpatrick, Chairman
Erie County Democratic Committee

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SMITH, W. Harry,
Billerica, Mass.
Jan. 12, 1941.

Sends etching to the President.

See P.P.F.9-S

January 23, 1941

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The President has received your kind
note of birthday greeting and thanks you very
much for the little etching which
you were good enough to send him. He is very
pleased to learn of the illness of you and your
daughter, Margaret. He is glad, however, that
you are both doing so nicely and improving the
hope that you are now well on the road to recovery.

The President has asked me to convey
his very best wishes to you and your daughter
for your health and happiness.

Very sincerely yours,

W. A. Eelard
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mr. W. A. Eelard
20 South Main Avenue,
Boston,
Mass.

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Mr. Norris T. A.

3 Crocheted balls

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January 28, 1941

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My dear Mrs. Ely:

The President has received your kind note of birthday greetings and thanks you ever so much for the little crocheted token which you were good enough to send him. He is sorry indeed to learn of the illness of you and your daughter, Margaret. He is glad, however, that you are both doing so nicely and expresses the hope that you are now well on the road to recovery.

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The President has asked me to convey his very best wishes to you and your daughter for your health and happiness.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. Ida Ely,
53 Seventeenth Avenue,
Paterson,
New Jersey.

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Miss Ida Ely
53-17 ave
Paterson
N.J.
1-28/16/41

THE
COMPANY

Dear Fred Rooster
So that you will know
who Margaret my daughter and I
are

I will tell you about
Margaret she had 57. High school
Business 57. in N7 Band and was
the Champion Basket ball player of
the U.S one night while playing
she fell on the back of her head

Since then she has
been lame cannot use her
hands so good But 23 ago

421 Race Street,
Cambridge,
Maryland.

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THE ELLIOTT
THE ELLIOTT LIFE INSURANCE CO.,
211 BROAD ST., CAMBRIDGE, MA.

I found a Dr. Bachman he has
been docking her until I could
not go to him any more but good
is good the same Doctor is
now in the Hospital as charge
of the Clinic I saw Takes Margaret
then and he has done wonders
for her

I had 2 strokes but
now I can use ^{my hands} them a little
and I make navettes enclosed
find Red White & Blue Bees
Margaret hopes you will please
except them and not feel
offended we write in wishing

421 Race Street,
Cambridge,
Maryland.

You a Happy Birthday and
may God Bless and keep you
God send you the the Best of
hearts The Doctor told Margaret
to go down with the pain
Walking is not so good being

Sincerely
Mrs Ida Ely

Thank you

421 Race Street,
Cambridge,
Maryland.

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THE RELIGIOUS LIFE SOCIETY, INC.,
421 RACE ST., CAMBRIDGE, MD.

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P. L. 7
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HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
INCORPORATED IN
HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT
January 27, 1941
The Horns
Jan. 18, 1941

My dear Mr. Elliott:

Many thanks for your courtesy in sending the calendar to the President. He much appreciates your friendly interest in writing as you did and your kind thought of him.

Very sincerely yours,

STEPHEN EARLY
Secretary to the President

E. Lee Elliott, Esq.,
District Manager,
The Reliance Life Insurance Company,
421 Race Street,
Cambridge,
Maryland.

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E. Lee Elliott
THE RELIANCE LIFE INSURANCE CO.,
421 RACE ST., CAMBRIDGE, MD.

R.M. BISSELL, PRESIDENT



HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

INCORPORATED 1810
HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT

ELLIOTT & WALLER, INC., AGENTS
115 MARYLAND AVENUE
CAMBRIDGE, MD.

Jan. 18, 1941.

Pres. F. D. Roosevelt,
Washington, D. C.

Dear President:

Under separate cover, I am mailing a "Doggie" Calender which I am sure will "hit the spot!"

As you turn the months, you may be suprised to find, your favorite pet, Fella.

WHEELER
Congratulations on your International stand. 99% of the citizens of good Old U. S. A., are with you, dont let Wagner get off, with his "wise cracks."

The calender which is being mailed, is for your room in the White House, should you desire one for the office, in the Capitol, advise me.

Good Luck and Good Health in 1941.

Yours very truly,

E. Elliott

Dist., Mgr.,
THE RELIANCE LIFE INSURANCE CO.,
421 Race St., Cambridge, Md.

To
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~~Mr. Hoover~~

January 31, 1941

P.P.F.
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My dear Mr. Ember:

Thank you, in the President's behalf,
for the painting. It was kind of you to send
it and he wants you to know that he is grateful
for your friendly thought of him.

Very sincerely yours,

x P.P.F.
9-P

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Oscar Ember, Esq.,
315 West 74th Street,
New York, N. Y.

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Yours truly,
Mrs. Carol Milgrim Elkins

HAYES, Miss Agnes J.
Salem, Mass.
1-21-41

Sent the President a piece of embroidery of silhouettes of
the President and Mrs. Roosevelt.

See P.P.F. 9-H

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My dear Mr. Brown:

The copy of your booklet which you
were kind enough to send the President has been
received and he has asked me to thank you very
much for your thought of him.

Very sincerely yours,

STEWART MULLY
Secretary to the President

W. B. Brown, Esq.,
Hickstown,
New Jersey.

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Sincerely,
Yours truly,
Mrs. Carol Milgrim Elkins

Study
for Evans

February 4, 1941
January 23, 1941

P.P.T.
9-E

My dear Mr. Evans:

The copy of your booklet which you were kind enough to send the President has been received and he has asked me to thank you ever so much for your thought of him.

Very sincerely yours,

Very sincerely yours,

STEPHEN EARLY
Secretary to the President

W. B. Evans, Esq.,
Moorestown,
New Jersey.

Mrs. Carol M. Elkins,
1111 Columbia,
Denver,
Colorado.

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Yours truly,
Mrs. Carol Milgrim Elkins

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February 6, 1941

M. Morris

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My dear Mrs. Elkins:

The President much appreciates your friendly note of birthday greetings and your kind thought in sending him the drawing. He has asked me to thank you for the contribution which you enclosed for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

x P.P.F.
9.E

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. Carol M. Elkins,
1135 Columbine,
Denver,
Colorado.

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*for your birthday and the many
more to follow!*

*Yours truly,
Mrs. Carol Milgrim Elkins*

The President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

1135 Columbine
Denver, Colorado
January 25, 1941

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50¢ dinner out
9.17.

Mr. President:

May I send sincerest wishes
for a Happy Birthday. I was deeply
moved at your reflection and became
so inspired that I drew this picture.
In the knowledge of the fact that
you'll receive many, I doubt that
you'll even see mine, but it gives
me pleasant thoughts to know it
is there. I have in my possession
your autograph, signed when you
were Governor of New York in 1932.
I was only thirteen then. It would
be the greatest moment of my life
if I were to receive another as
"The President of the United States."

I love creative drawing and
my desires are to follow Sally Helgrim's
footsteps — of whom I am a
distant relative.

Again I send best wishes
for your Birthday and the many
more to follow.

Yours truly,
Mrs. Carol Helgrim Elkins

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Cleveland, Ohio

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9-E
Dear Kay,

I have an unusual request to make of you, and, were it not for my father, I would not bother you. This is the story:

Father, who is 73, has only one hero whom he worships, and that man is President Roosevelt. For 8 years he has literally "done battle" with anyone who offers harsh criticism of his President. I think if the truth were known that I admire my father for his courage more than anyone I have ever met, and your father runs him a close second.

More than any other one thing in this world, father wishes to send a gift to the President that will reach him . . . he has ready to mail two bottles of brandy which were made from our own fruit on the farm . . . one is 35 years old. Together with the package, he is sending a letter addressed to the President.

Would it be possible for you to talk with the President's secretary, or send this letter to her with a note, in order that she may watch for the letter and package? I know that you are frightfully busy, but a word from you will alleviate suspicion of the sender and it would be the high point in an ardent democrat's life to receive a note of acknowledgment from his President.

Thank you so much, Kay, and best of luck with your broadcasts.

Sincerely, Dorothy Whitney

P.S. Father's name: William Etzensperger, Willoughby, Ohio

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GARFIELD 1724

2163 HARCOURT DRIVE
CLEVELAND, OHIO

February 18, 1941

Miss Marguerite LeHand,
The White House,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Miss LeHand:

I do hate to trouble you with the enclosed letter, but Miss Whitney has done such marvelous work here in Cleveland, and is such a good citizen, that when she sent me this letter I felt that I must do something about it, so I send it on to you for the record!

I was so sorry that I could not see you when you were here with the President the evening he made his wonderful speech at the Public Auditorium. I was sitting on the platform and was very near you when you came in.

I know you do not give out interviews, but since I am working both for the Cleveland Press, doing feature articles, and have a regular fifteen minute broadcast once or twice a week on the local Columbia station here, I hoped to dig up something to give this blackhearted Republican town which ~~will~~ ^{can} make them sit up and take notice. At least that's the way the sentiment was then.

I have been in Washington two or three times in the last month, first covering the Inauguration, and also the Lend-Lease Bill hearings. I did want to call you up and say hello, but I was on such a split-second schedule that it was impossible. I did have a word with Anna Boettiger, and she sounded in great form. Perhaps if I come down again in several weeks we might meet. I am in the process of doing a series of broadcasts on activities in Washington, and have already covered Nelson Rockefeller's committee and others. Perhaps you could give me some ideas!

Well, anyway, here is the letter, and I am at least doing my bit. I remember being at the White House one time with Betsey, and your showing me that huge room of presents that the President receives regularly, so I am sure that this is only a drop in the bucket.

Very sincerely,

Ray Haer.

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February 28, 1941

Dear Miss Halle:

I have your letter of the
eighteenth and, of course, if you will have
sent in my care the package and letter
from Mr. Etzensperger, I shall be glad to
see that the President receives it.

My very best wishes to you.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHAND
Private Secretary

Miss Kay Halle,
2163 Harcourt Drive,
Cleveland,
Ohio.

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Frank
Ensell G. Gordon
3000 W. Houston St.
San Antonio,

Print Case

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~~Mr. Hines~~ Fred

February 8, 1941

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My dear Florence:

The President has received your nice letter and wants you to know that he appreciates your kind thought in sending him the enclosed flowers. He has pleasure in extending his very best wishes to you.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Florence Eltringham,
31 South Carbon Street,
Shamokin,
Pennsylvania.

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Frank
Estill G. Gordon
3509 W. Houston St.
San Antonio,

Print Case

for Print Case
for Print Case
for Print Case

February 12 1941

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Dear Mr Roosevelt

I am a pupil in fourth grade
I am nine years old. I attend
School Church, and Sunday School.

When I listen to the radio I
always listen to you speeches.

Do you know why the Lord
blessed you with the third time
for President?

Because you always mention
the Lord's name in your speeches.

I wish you and Mrs Roosevelt
the best of health and good luck
and many many years to live
May The bless you and your wife.

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X.P.P.F.
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Estill G. Gordon
1509 W. Houston St.
San Antonio,

Print Case

For Print Case
The City of N.Y.

1941

I'm sending you these little flowers.
I hope you like them because we
can't get them here.

This is from
Florence Eltringham
31 South Carbon Street
Shamokin
Pennsylvania

I scribbled I just got done with
letter and I heard Mrs Roosevelt
over the radio too.

Good By Mrs and Mr
Roosevelt.

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Frank
Bentley, G. Gordon
1800 W. Houston St.
San Antonio,

Print Case

For Print Case
Central Byrd's
The City of N.Y.

February 13, 1941



These flowers grow in the old country, they grow
in the winter as well as in the summer, they
were picked at a place called Terole in Austria
in the Alpine mountains. They are called
alpine flowers

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"Covers the Islands"

Estill, G. Gordon
3509 W. Houston St.
San Antonio, Texas

Print Case

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For Print of Admiral Byrd's
ship "The City of N.Y."

February 13, 1941

P.P. 7.
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My dear Mr. Estill:

The President was delighted to receive
the print of Admiral Byrd's ship "The City of New
York" which you were good enough to send him. He
asks me to thank you warmly and to assure you of
his sincere appreciation.

x P.P. 7.
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Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Leland
PRIVATE SECRETARY

G. Gordon Estill, Esq.,
3509 West Houston Street,
San Antonio,
Texas.

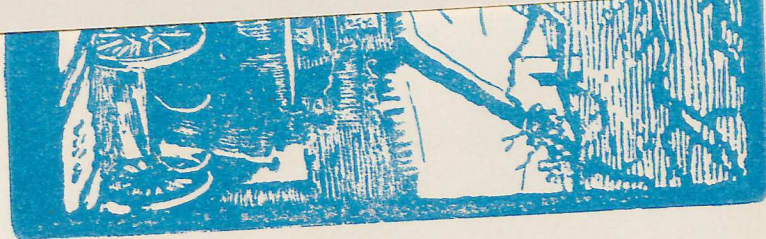
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"Covers the Islands"

Thank
Estill, G. Gordon
3509 W. Houston St.
San. Antonio, Tex.

for print of admiral Byrd's
ship "The City of N.Y."

mk. 2-13-41
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sending it to him and wants me to extend his good
wishes to you.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

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Victor Eckland, Esq.,
Hawaiian Broadcasting System, Ltd.,
Honolulu,
Hawaii.

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Honolulu

Mr. Morris *Pres Study* *A*

February 14, 1941

January 24, 1941

P.P. 7.
9-E

My dear Mr. Eckland:

The President asks me to thank you very much for the copy of your book "Yarns That Came To Port". He appreciates your kind thought in sending it to him and wants me to extend his good wishes to you.

x P.P. 7.
9-13

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
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HAWAIIAN BROADCASTING SYSTEM, LTD.

Honolulu, Hawaii

January 24, 1941

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

Dear Mr. President:

Knowing your enthusiasm for ships and the sea, I am sending herewith a copy of my recently published book, "Yarns That Came To Port", a series of excerpts from my radio scripts for "Waterfront Reporter" in which I have pioneered the air lanes in the interests of the American Merchant Marine.

Your crowded schedule in these busy days doubtless leaves you but little leisure time for reading. However, I think you will enjoy these yarns when you happen to have an odd moment or two for relaxation.

Very truly yours,

Victor Ecklund

"Covers the Islands"

G.S. Erskine
"Little Pepito of Central America"

Mr. Morris

*1 to Pres Study
2 returned to sender*

February 15, 1941

*P.P. 7.
9-2*

My dear Miss Erskine:

Your letter of January twenty-ninth to the President has been received and I want to thank you, in his behalf, for your courtesy in sending him a copy of your latest book for children, "Little Pepito of Central America." Your thoughtfulness is much appreciated.

*x P.P. 7.
9-13*

The two other copies of your book which you forwarded under separate cover have been received. However, they are being returned herewith with the suggestion that you get in touch with Mr. Basil O'Connor, President of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, 120 Broadway, New York City, regarding the matter you have in mind.

*x P.P. 7.
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Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

X
Miss Gladys Shaw Erskine,
51 Morton Street,
New York, N. Y.

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Gladys Shaw Erskine

Box 87

G.S. Erskine's
"Little Pepito of
Central America"

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NEW YORK CITY

1941.

(only one book reviewed)

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Dear Mr. Roosevelt,

Will you please accept three copies of my latest book for children - this one for your own library to share with your grandchildren - and two (being forwarded under separate cover) for you to give to the Library at Warm Springs so that the children there can have a vicarious adventure in traveling with Little Pepito through Central America?

So important, at this time, is a closer understanding by our youth of our Latin American neighbors, among whom I was raised, that I believe this little book will be of real help.

It would be of inestimable service to me if I could be allowed to publicize the fact that you have presented two copies to the Warm Springs Foundation Library. May I do this, please?

With congratulations and Many Happy Returns of the Day,

Sincerely,

Gladys Shaw Erskine
Gladys Shaw Erskine.

Box 87

GLADYS SHAW ERSKINE
Her Little House
51 MORTON ST. NEW YORK CITY

Jan. 29th. 1941.

To:-
President Franklin D. Roosevelt
The White House,
Washington, D.C.

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Eliminator's
Mrs. Walter C.

WALLIS, Mrs. Laura
Oakland, Calif.
Ack'd. 2-13-41

Sent the President a framed embroidered emblem for his birthday.

See PPF 9-W

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PPF
9-E

2-17-41 Letter from Mrs. Eliot enclosing letter from Maynes Fisher, Sec'y.
Florence Historical Society, giving history of the knocker. Acknowledged
by the President 2-21-41.

Box 87

Ellington's
Mrs. Walter Graeme Eliot
New York, N. Y.
August 29, 1940

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PPF
9-E

Sends President old door knocker as gift.

Presidential acknowledgment Oct. 1, 1940 thanking Mrs. Eliot for knocker and saying he is having it put on east door of new building of Library at Hyde Park and requests Mrs. Eliot to furnish a little history of the knocker - to be framed and hung just inside the door where the knocker is used.

See - PPF 751

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2-17-41 Letter from Mrs. Eliot enclosing letter from Haynes Trebor, Sec'y. Flushing Historical Society, giving history of the knocker. Acknowledged by the President 2-21-41.

Quinton Okla.
Box 87

Ellington's

"WE SELL FOR LESS"

A VARIETY OF ENAMEL, ALUMINUM AND QUINCE
NOTIONS, NOVELTIES, JEWELRY, ETC.

February 10, 1941

QUINTON, OKLA.

My dear Mr. Ellington:

The President was delighted to receive
your kind letter of birthday greetings and the
keytag which you sent him. He has asked me to
thank you for it and to tell you how much he ap-
preciates your thought of him.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

J. T. Ellington, Esq.,
Box 87,
Quinton,
Oklahoma.

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you - our Commander-in-Chief -

Sincerely J. T. Ellington
Quinton Okla.
Box 87

Ellington's
"WE SELL FOR LESS"

A VARIETY OF ENAMEL, ALUMINUM AND QUEENSWARE
NOTIONS, NOVELTIES, JEWELRY, SCHOOL SUPPLIES
WALL PAPER, MUSICAL AND OPTICAL GOODS

QUINTON, OKLA.,

Jan 30th 1947

President Franklin Delano Roosevelt
Washington D. C.

My Dear Sir;

Greetings + Congratulations on this your
59th Anniversary

Your name will go down on the
pages of History and will be honored
revered, and loved as was the brave
soldiers who fought at "Bunker Hill
froze at Valley Forge died in the ditches
around Richmond and perished on
the plains of Shiloh - And voicing the
sentiments of millions, we thank
God, within whose bosom, and in whose
heart and hands all the glory of innumeral
universes rests, to guide, bless and protect
you - our Commander-in-Chief -

Sincerely J. T. Ellington
Quinton Okla.

Box 87

ELLIOTT, Harry William
Los Angeles, Calif.
3-25-41

Sent the President an etching.

See P.P.F. 9-E

act

P.P.F.

9-E

My dear Mr. Tolson:

Thank you, in the President's behalf,
for the framed photograph. It was kind of you to
send it and he is deeply grateful for this evidence
of your friendliness and your good will.

Very sincerely yours,

E. A. Tamm
Principal Secretary

Mrs. E. A. Tamm,
The Franklin House,
San Francisco,
California.

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March 3, 1941

My dear Mrs. Evans:

Thank you, in the President's behalf,
for the framed photograph. It was kind of you to
send it and he is deeply grateful for this evidence
of your friendliness and your good will.

x PPF
9-P

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. R. A. Evans, ^x
712 Franklin Street,
San Francisco,
California.

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now grateful I am for you.

TO Wend

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Jan 23, 1941

Sister Marie Barbara
Edgewood Kindergarten,
Madison, Wisc.
2-25-41

Sent the President a novel greeting in the form of a snowman,
on behalf of the Edgewood Kindergarten.

See P.P.F. 310-E

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P.P.F.
9-E

TO Wend

BALCH, Franklin G., III,
Newton Centre, Mass.
2-27-41

February 6, 1941

Sent the President two elephants.

See P.P.F. 9-B

P.P.F.
9-E

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I am very grateful for the fact
that place of honor-point was given to your
letter of January 21, 1941, and the
of activity and I am delighted to
with me also to convey to my appreciation
of the very personal sentiment which accompanied
your gift.

Very sincerely yours,

FRANKLIN G. BALCH, III

Mr. J. H. Briggs,
1021 North Avenue,
Bridgeport, Connecticut.

Very grateful I am for your gift.

To
Ma Ettinger

~~Mr. Roosevelt~~

February 6, 1941

P.P. 7.
9-E

PERSONAL

Dear Mrs. Ettinger:

I am most grateful to you for that fine piece of needle-point which came with your letter of January thirteenth. It is a masterpiece of artistry and I am delighted to have it. Permit me also to assure you of my appreciation of the warm personal sentiments which accompany your gift.

X P.P. 7. 9-N

Very sincerely yours,

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

Mrs. Ilka Ettinger,
1634 North Avenue,
Bridgeport, Connecticut.

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I wanted to tell you how grateful I am to you.

Ilka Gtinger

BRIDGEPORT, CONNECTICUT

1634 North Ave.

Jan. 23, 1941

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The President of the U. S.

Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt

White House

Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. President: —

My husband and I came to America from Czechoslovakia just 18 months ago. We have attended the Americanization classes and have realized the opportunities and blessings of this great country. I work in a factory and I thank God every day for being here.

I wanted to do something to prove how grateful I am so I am.

sending you a beautiful needlepoint
chair. I have never had more pleasure in
making anything as I have had in this piece
of work. This chair is a symbol of my
love, gratitude and thankfulness of the
blessings of America under your great
leadership. May you have many, many
more happy birthdays and when you
sit in this chair, please think a little
of how happy this humble person was
in being able to send some small token
of esteem to you!

My God bless you dear Mother for being
so a wonderful son us, and the world.

Ilka Hinger
BRIDGEPORT, CONNECTICUT
1634 North Ave.

Jan 23, 1941

JAN 25 1941

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt
White House
Washington D. C.

My dear Mrs. Roosevelt:—

Under separate cover I have sent
a birthday gift to your esteemed
husband. I should like to have you
present the gift to him. I have explained
the meaning and reason for sending this
token in a letter to him.

If you like this work, my dear Mrs.
Roosevelt I have two more chairs at
home. I would like to do this needlepoint
work for you. Altho I work in the
factory eight hours daily. - /.

I enjoy making these chairs, for you
very much, and I did the needlepoint
during my lunch hour and also when
I got home I did it late at night at
my home. This all for my dear
President and your family, my best
wishes for health and may happiness.
May you enjoy many more happy
birthdays with him and share your
blessings together.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Ika Hinger

March 3, 1941

My dear Mrs. Ettinger:

I am returning under separate cover the piece of needle-point which you were good enough to send the President. Although he appreciates your kind thought, he feels that he should not accept gifts of handwork on which the donor has necessarily spent a great deal of time.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. Ilka Ettinger,
1634 North Avenue,
Bridgeport,
Connecticut.

Sent the Pres needle-point for a chair as a birthday present. Pres. ackgd it personally on 2/6 and on 2/24 she states has never recd an ackmt and wonders if needle-point was recd. - also refers to 2 other pieces of needlepoint which she would like the Pres. or Mrs. Roosevelt help her to sell.

Only one piece of needle-point recd. and it is being ret'd to writer under sep. cover. Sent by registered mail.

Please let me hear from you soon
as I shall appreciate an answer. —

Feb. 24, 1941.

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This is to
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Washington, D. C.

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very lovely gift. As I have not heard from
either of you I am wondering and anxious
to know if you received it.

If the President of the U. S. received the
gift I hope you are not hurt about it but
will accept the gift in the same spirit
with which I sent it. In deep appreciation
of his kindness.

Please let me hear from you soon
as I shall appreciate an answer. —

Large roll, handwork
on mail table.

Feb. 24, 1941.

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FEB 26 1941

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Washington, D. C.

My dear Mrs Roosevelt: —

Late in January I sent to your esteemed husband by registered mail a very lovely gift. As I have not heard from either of you I am wondering and anxious to know if you received it.

If the President of the U. S. received the gift I hope you are not hurt about it but will accept the gift in the same spirit with which I sent it. In deep appreciation of his kindness.

Please let me hear from you soon as I shall appreciate an answer. —

16-13285

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Ilka Hinger

BRIDGEPORT, CONNECTICUT

1634 North ave.

Feb. 24, 1941.

FEB 26 1941

First Lady of the United States.

Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt: —

White House

Washington, D. C.

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My dear Mrs Roosevelt: —

Late in January I sent to your esteemed Husband by registered mail a very lovely gift. As I have not heard from either of you I am wondering and anxious to know if you received it.

If the President of the U. S. received the gift I hope you are not hurt about it but will accept the gift in the same spirit with which I sent it. In deep appreciation of his kindness.

Please let me hear from you soon as I shall appreciate an answer. —

16-13285

Postmark of

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BRIDGEPORT, CONNECTICUT

I write I have two more piece just
like the one I sent.

First Lady. Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt
please! If you would care to help me you may
buy this piece or perhaps some of your
friends would like to buy it.

I sent the gift to your esteemed Husband
with the best of intentions and a hope you
feel as I do about it.

I am very sorry that I hurt the President
Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt's feeling but in my
opinion, to my thinking was the best.

First Lady please help me and excuse me
^{with} ~~from~~ your esteemed Husband.

Hoping to hear from you soon I
remain.

Sincerely
Elka Hinger

16-13285

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Receipt to file

Modelka Ettinger

1634 North Ave.

Bridgeport Conn.

File

Form 3813

RECEIPT FOR INSURED MAIL

gpo 16-13285

No. 142747
Postage 10 cts.
Insurance fee paid 10 cts.
Fragile
Perishable
Eggs

DOMESTIC (Including Canada and Newfoundland)
FEE
5c Value up to \$5
10c Value up to \$25
15c Value up to \$50
25c* Value up to \$100
30c Value up to \$150
35c Value up to \$200
*Maximum chargeable to Newfoundland. Apply at post office window for information concerning fees applicable to insured mail for foreign countries.
Fee paid for return receipt cts.
Restricted delivery fee cts.
Special delivery fee cts.
Special handling charge cts.

(Postmark of
MAR 1941
MAILING OFFICE)

Accepting employee will place his initials in spaces applicable to indicate endorsements and insert the fees paid.
The sender should write the name of the addressee on back hereof as an identification. Preserve and submit this receipt in case of inquiry or application for indemnity. Indemnity claims must be filed within 6 months from date of mailing.

POSTMASTER,
By Powell

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Storeroom 7

March 5, 1941

P.P. 7
9-E

My dear Mr. Dribben:

Thank you in the President's behalf
for your kindness in sending him the statuettes
to which you refer in your letter of February
eighteenth. I want to assure you that he is
deeply appreciative of the friendly interest
and good will which your letter conveys.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

J. N. Dribben, Esq.,
~~Expert Studios,~~
Box 801,
La Crosse,
Wisconsin.

Very truly yours,

J. N. Dribben

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Thank
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EXPERT STUDIOS



PACKERS OF FINE ROLL FILM

"Where Photo Finishing Is A Fine Art"

BOX 801

LA CROSSE, WIS.

February 18, 1941

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3/5 mgs

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

Dear Mr. President:

I am taking the liberty to send you by parcel post Statuettes of the six leading Army generals. I sincerely hope you will find these of interest to you, and if you do not that you will take occasion to pass them on to someone who will be interested.

I trust you will accept these as a token of appreciation and esteem. As an expression of my belief that you are the leading world figure that stands between the right to live decently and the necessity to live under the arrogant brutality and intolerance of the dictators.

It seems to me that every clear thinking American citizen must see eye to eye with you in your effort to sustain Great Britain as a matter of sheer selfish protection of American interests.

With most Americans, I too hope it won't be necessary for us to become active in the war. But I sincerely believe that when that becomes necessary, we should be in a position to move quickly and effectively without recourse to the interminable partizanship that now seems so rampant in Congress. It seems to me that all right thinking Americans must submerge all partizanship in favor of complete national unity. It is hard to understand why that cannot be so.

Very truly yours,

JNDribben

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Cover sent to
Mrs. Eppstein 2/21/41

February 13, 1941

My dear Mrs. Eppenstein:

This will acknowledge the receipt of
your letter of January tenth. In behalf of the
President and Mrs. Roosevelt, I want to thank you
for your courtesy in sending them the stamp and
the flower. I know they will appreciate the
friendly spirit which prompted you to do so.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. Herbert Eppenstein,
316 Summit Avenue,
Apartment 7,
Brighton,
Massachusetts.

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enstein,
Summit Ave.

Brighton January 10. 1941.

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Dear Mr. President,

Thank

P.P. F.
9-6

We will not miss to send you the very best wishes to your birthday. We are happy to be in this lovely country and hope that you will have many more healthful years with your family. Two years ago we came over and every day we are more thankful to be here. We try to become good American citizens. We will bring every sacrifice in helping to preserve the freedom of this country.

As a little sign of my thankfulness let me send you a small flower for your wife, made and designed by myself.

Yours very truly
Mrs. Herbert Eppenstein.

1-American" is no
title of every public-
this thought in mind

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P. S.

Enclosed you find a card for your
stamp collection. This card is mailed
on 12.12.12. between 12 and 1 o'clock. I
hope you would like it we both ^{are} stamp collectors
tvt.

"American" is no
title of every public-
this thought in mind

P.P. 7.
9-6

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ZIEMYS, Ant.
Rochester. N.Y.

KATZ, William H.
Secretary-Treasurer
Keystone House & Window Cleaning Co. Inc.,
Philadelphia, Pa.
2/27/41.

P.P.F.
9-6

Wrote to the President stating that "All-American" is no longer an expression of sporting page, but has become title of every public-minded person who is interested in doing his part; with this thought in mind sends in an emblem on behalf company.

See PPF-9-K

P.P.F.
9-6

ZIEMYS, Ant.
Rochester. N.Y.

SEMEL, Miss Jeanette,
New York, N.Y.
3-27-41.

Sends some embroidered work to the President. *as embroidered gift.*

See P.P.F.9-8

P.P.F.
9-9

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ZIEMYS, Ant.
Berkhampton N Y

SAMARAS, Mrs. Anna John
Wyandotte, Mich.
3/4/41.

Wrote to the President sending him an embroidered gift.

See PPF-9-S

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P.P.F.
9-E

ZIEMYS, Ant.

PP-7
9-E

April 3, 1941

Dear Mr. Etzensperger:

The President has asked me to thank you ever so much for your letter of March thirteenth and also for the two bottles of very old brandy you were good enough to send him. It was indeed thoughtful of you and he is most appreciative.

This carries to you the President's best wishes.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHAND
Private Secretary

William Etzensperger, Esq.,
Stop 35, Euclid Avenue
Willoughby,
Ohio.

tmb

Mr Eben
This is on the
vine I gave you

Can
pick up
Mabel

Mr Eben
er Nurseries
NSPERGER
LID AVENUE
BY, OHIO

March 13, 1941

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or make something that we
sometimes remark, "good

Many times I wish you
e you a sample. I am send-
i Port wine, aged in wood,
and red raspberries, and a

bottle of apple brandy, 105 proof, aged in wood, made
from fermented sweet cider (try a cocktail from this).
These were made here on the farm for our friends and
our own use and hope you enjoy them.

We have all gone along with you from start to
finish. What a man you are! You have given us and
are giving us your all for the uplifting of humanity.
May the dear Lord bless you and spare you as he sees
your need to finish the job acceptably in His sight!

ONE WILLOUGHBY 211

Etzensperger Nurseries

WM. ETZENSPERGER
STOP 35, EUCLID AVENUE
WILLOUGHBY, OHIO

March 13, 1941

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

Dear Mr. President:

As we grow things or make something that we think is especially nice I sometimes remark, "good enough for the President". Many times I wish you were closer so I could give you a sample. I am sending a bottle of 35 year old Port wine, aged in wood, blended from red currants and red raspberries, and a bottle of apple brandy, 105 proof, aged in wood, made from fermented sweet cider (try a cocktail from this). These were made here on the farm for our friends and our own use and hope you enjoy them.

We have all gone along with you from start to finish. What a man you are! You have given us and are giving us your all for the uplifting of humanity. May the dear Lord bless you and spare you as he sees your need to finish the job acceptably in His sight!

idered work.

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WILLOUGHBY 211

Etzensperger Nurseries

WM. ETZENSPERGER
STOP 35, EUCLID AVENUE
WILLOUGHBY, OHIO

I am ashamed of the small-fry politicians that Ohio has sent to Washington lately. They don't represent the state or the people. Small, selfish, partisan politicians. I argued this last election "big men are born", you can't make big men from wind and molasses.

The crooked politicians collaborate to elect these small-fry with plenty of money while the right-thinking people usually stay at home. Burton spent \$45,000.00, where did he get it? He was for you when you sent food and money to help him out of his relief muddle, then Bender helped elect him so he does what Bender wants. Taft was quoted in the paper as saying that you were "spending money like water". Taft spent over \$100,000.00 for his nomination and I did not learn how much more for his election, all on himself, and for what? I guess to make people sick and tired of his silly impractical prattle.

roidered work.

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WILLOUGHBY 211

Etzensperger Nurseries

WM. ETZENSPERGER
STOP 35, EUCLID AVENUE
WILLOUGHBY, OHIO

I blame Bulkley for ever losing that fight, I don't know what he was thinking of. If he had gone out and told what you have done and were doing in a straight-forward manner, it would have elected him as it elected you. His heart was not with you so he could not talk straight from it, a weak sister, no backbone, no punch.

1937 was one of the best years we ever had. Just because the big money interests, power trusts, and all the other big-shots got sore because you taxed their surplus, they ran the stock market down, closed down on their production and smacked us right down to the ground again in a month to six weeks time. I am telling this from experience. I was doing a nice business with one of the large power companies and they told me they were set to give me some fine business. I saw them again in a few weeks and they said they had orders to "pull in their horns" and were not going to spend a dime.

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WILLOUGHBY 211

Etzensperger Nurseries

WM. ETZENSPERGER
STOP 35, EUCLID AVENUE
WILLOUGHBY, OHIO

No doubt this word to "pull in your horns" was carried to all parts of the country to discredit your administration. They closed their factories, shoved their men out, did not care whether the men lived or died, in order to hook this dilemma on you. But in spite of this and all of the newspapers (and it was painful to see how they tried to manufacture editorials and arguments to turn the people against you in this last election) you have the love of the American people who could not be influenced by all the lies and knocking.

Please pardon all these heartfelt words but I truly believe I have tried to express the feeling of your millions of silent admirers.

If these samples please you and family I should be happy to send you more.

I am, dear Mr. President,
Yours sincerely,

W. Etzensperger
William Etzensperger.

roidered work.

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ZIEMYS, Ant.
Rochester, N.Y.
4-11-41

HEDICKE, Mrs. Mary
Cheyenne, Wyoming
3/4/41.

Wrote to the President sending a piece of embroidered work.

See PPF-9-H

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P.P.F.
9-E

ZIEMYS, Ant.
Rochester, N.Y.
4-11-41

Sent the President a box of eggs and some photographs.

See P.P.F. 9-Z

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P.P.F.

9-Z

70-100-7
BILYK, Mrs. Eva
Youngstown, Ohio
4/10/41.

April 10, 1941
Wrote to the President sending him some Easter eggs,

See PPF-9-B

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My dear Mr. Elliott:

It was kind indeed of you to send
the President the drawing to which you refer
in your letter of March twenty-fifth. You
may be assured that he is most grateful for
this evidence of your good will.

Very sincerely yours,

Mr. J. Leland
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Harry William Elliott, Esq.,
1744 Maxwellville Canyon Road,
Los Angeles,
California.

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April 15, 1941

March 25, 1941

My dear Mr. Elliott:

It was kind indeed of you to send
the President the etching to which you refer
in your letter of March twenty-fifth. You
may be assured that he is most grateful for
this evidence of your good will.

Very sincerely yours,
that you have no confidence in government
by law or government by a dictator.

As confirmation of my agreement with
you in this choice, I wish you would accept
this small token of my own thought. The symbolism
is my own thought, expressed in an etching by
California's outstanding artist in this field.

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

I beg to remain,

Harry William Elliott, Esq.,
1744 Mandeville Canyon Road,
Los Angeles,
California.

Very cordially yours,

1744 Mandeville Canyon Road
Los Angeles, California.

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HARRY WILLIAM ELLIOTT
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

March 25, 1941

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

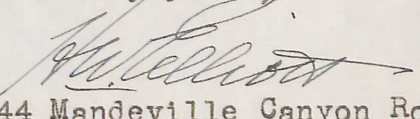
Dear Mr. President:

I do not always agree with you, but I
am one hundred percent with you in the choice
that you have made with reference to government
by law or government by a dictator.

As confirmation of my agreement with
you in this choice, I wish you would accept
this small token of my esteem. The symbolism
is my own thought, expressed in an etching by
California's outstanding artist in this field.

I beg to remain,

Very cordially yours,


1744 Mandeville Canyon Road
Los Angeles, California.

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Returned to sender of
4/16/41
J. J. Davis

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April 16, 1941

My dear Mrs. Everingham:

I am returning to you under separate
cover the beautifully crocheted baby cap which
you forwarded recently. It was kind indeed of
you to let us see it.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. Warren Everingham,
163 Mill Street,
Bridgeton,
New Jersey.

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April 29, 1941

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fulness in presenting to
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ciliation." He wants you

to know that he appreciates your courtesy.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Clark M. Eichelberger, Esq.,
8 West Fortieth Street,
New York,
New York.

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In Hysteria
This is
to be returned to
the sender. Mrs
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April 29, 1941

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Clark M. Eichelberger:

President asks me to thank
thoughtfulness in presenting to
him with your compliments a copy of the book,
"International Conciliation." He wants you
to know that he appreciates your courtesy.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Clark M. Eichelberger, Esq.,
8 West Fortieth Street,
New York,
New York.

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GROZIAK, Mrs. Michael P.
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April 29, 1941

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My dear Mr. Eichelberger:

The President asks me to thank
you for your thoughtfulness in presenting to
him with your compliments a copy of the book,
"International Conciliation." He wants you
to know that he appreciates your courtesy.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Clark M. Eichelberger, Esq.,
8 West Fortieth Street,
New York,
New York.

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With the Compliments
of

Clark M. Eichelberger

some Easter eggs.

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Book "International Conciliation,"

on stripping desk —

to be attached to file:

Letter to Clark M. Eichelberger, Esq.,
8 West Fortieth St.,
New York.

Signed MAL

some Easter eggs.

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GROZIAK, Mrs. Michael P.
Benld, Ill.
4-24-41

Sent the President some Easter eggs.

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