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January 21, 1942

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My dear Mrs. Furey:

Miss LeHand has asked me to thank you for your kind note and to express the hope that you will soon be restored to good health.

The President is especially pleased to receive the birthday token you sent to him and wants you to know that he is deeply grateful for your contribution to the Infantile Paralysis Fund. He sends his very best wishes to you.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

Mrs. Bessie Lord Furey,
1948 E. Nadian Street,
Los Angeles,
California.

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City Commissioner Guy Simmons introduced Fayssoux at the luncheon meeting in the George Washington hotel. Miss Betty King, tap dancer, entertained with two numbers.

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Dear Miss Le Hand,

I hope you are better if not well by now- you will see by this writing that I have not been well. have had Bronchitis for about five weks & am still not well. I passed my 69- birthday the 17th of June & I thought you would not mind giving President Roosevelt this little doiley I made for him- & also the small 25-¢ for the March of Dimes.

I was born in Los Angeles=

yours with all my love

Bessie Lord Farrey
1948- E. Madison St
Los Angeles - California

Thanks

and also give him this little piece I cut from one of our papers

35¢ to me. for I.P. fund, Ck.

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My dear Miss Le Sand-
Yesterday I was sending a
little doily, for you to give
our President - I forgot to
put in this clipping. I am
old - sick - I forgit every thing
would lose my head, if it was
not fastened on so good.
Sorry to bother you so much in
these times when every thing counts
with love
your friend
Bessie Lord Furey
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good motive.—Rochefoucauld.

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Comment on the News...

By G. O. W.

● **THE JAPS** and the Germans are going to take an awful licking from here on out. That's the sentiment on every side now. Most people think the worst of all the bad news has been heard. Everybody is back of President Roosevelt, and his message to Congress Tuesday has been admired by all.



THERE is a lot of significance in the attitude of people generally. They realize they may be walking, or bicycling, as a result of the ban on tire sales, and they know that taxes are going up and up, but there is never a word of complaint.

AT LAST, America is in it head over heels and now watch things happen. The President said this week that we are not going to fight a defensive war. In other words we aren't going to sit here and try to dodge bombs. We're going to do the bombing, and the bombs are going to drop on Tokyo and Berlin, and of that there is no

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PRESIDENT Roosevelt made the most damaging statement uttered to the Axis powers since the beginning of the war when he gave figures showing the actual number of ships, planes, guns and tanks we shall make this year and next. Those figures can't be shrugged away. Mr. Roosevelt hasn't been in the habit of over-stating anything. Germany and Japan questioned the possibility of the United States turning out 50,000 planes in a year, when the President asked for that number a year and a half ago. Not only will 50,000 planes actually be produced this year but another 10,000 thrown in for good measure. Other figures giving actual production estimates are and must be overwhelming to the Axis powers. They know the President wouldn't think of overstating what this country can and will do, for if he did he would seriously impair his own prestige. They know, too, by this time that, unlike their own lying propaganda mill, America means what it says—and does it. They know only too well they can't match our figures, and that means time is slipping for them.

IMPRESSIVE in this industrial community is the attitude of labor, who are the men who will accomplish this task. They say "Come on, let's go. Give us the job and we'll see it through." Big business has already shown its cooperation. It has done miracles in management up to this time, will do much more as the weeks go by.

BUT THERES work ahead. Shortages of all kinds of civilian needs will come. Prices will go high, and taxes will be heavy. There are bonds to buy and donations to make. But it's all well worth while. It will mean there still will be a free America—and who would want to live in any other kind of an America!

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uation the federal Government
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HASSELL, Mrs. A. B.
Rose Bud, Arkansas
1/6/42

Wrote to the President, sending a turkey-tail fan.

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President Roosevelt.

Dear Sir,

I am Sending you under Separative Cover pictures of you of a few years ago. also an article by an Australian Nurse. Hope you enjoy Seeing and reading the articles.

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Yours Respectfully
John W Forgie
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Meadow Brook farm
Mill Road
Fairhaven Mass

introduced Fayssoux at the luncheon meeting in the George Washington hotel. Miss Betty King, tap dancer, entertained with two numbers.

POLNY, John,
Elizabeth, N.J.
1-29-42

Sends a patriotic emblem to the President. (7 flag)

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HOWLAND, Mrs.Theora Jasperse,
Ludlow, Ky.
Jan. 30, 1942

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Sends the President a crocheted flag for his birthday.

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January 2, 1942

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My dear Mr. Fayssoux:

The President has received the three shirts which you sent him as a Christmas remembrance, and he asks me to thank you for your thought of him. I am sure I need not remind you that no publicity should be given to the presentation of this gift to the President.

The clipping which you enclosed has been noted with interest.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

Jack C. Fayssoux, Esq.,
Jacksonville,
Florida.

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JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA, THURSDAY, MAY 29, 1941.

Sea Island Cotton Is on Its Way Back

Exchangites Are Told How It Would Aid Defense

Sea Island cotton, once Florida's chief revenue producer, is on its way back.

Wearing clothing made of the long staple product, Jack C. Fayssoux, cotton producer and experimenter with the once-flourishing type, told Exchange club members yesterday that not only is the Sea Island variety recognized the world over as a superior product, but it "ties right in" with the national defense program.

Parachutes, he said, are now highly important because a great part of wars are fought in the skies

Should the Japanese supply of silk be cut off from the United States, Sea Island cotton could be turned to as a good source of the type of fibre necessary for parachutes.

At one time, Exchangites learned, the cotton brought in $10,000,000 annually to Florida farmers. Then, in 1918-19 the boll weevil killed the industry.

In 1935, according to Fayssoux, Florida got the last 45 bushels of Sea Island cotton seed in existence from the federal government and began experimenting with its growth once more.

Since then, areas growing the cotton have steadily increased and only recently Gov. Holland approved the annual expenditure of $25,000 for promoting its spread and assisting farmers raising it.

Fayssoux urged clubmen to buy clothing articles made of the material for the double purpose of getting fine goods and helping the product on the comeback trail.

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TRADE MARK FOR
100% SEA ISLAND COTTON

JACK C. FAYSSOUX,
JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA

Sea Island Cotton is the best known Natural Fibre that can be utilized as a substitute for Silk. Its use in Defense Textiles should be encouraged.

Powder Bags - Parachute and Balloon Cloth - Airplane Fabric, etc.

MORRIS, Mrs. Elizabeth
Baltimore, Md.,
Filed January 3, 1942

Sends the President a Flag.

See P. P. F. 9-M

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able to send. but with it goes our Love.
gratitude, and our wishes for a Merry Christ-
mas & Happy New year to you and Family.
C. L. Faust & Children

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January 2, 1942

My dear Mr. Finks:

The President has asked me to thank you for your kindness in sending him the nice little memorandum book. He is most appreciative of your friendly thought of him and sends his best wishes for the New Year.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

Frank F. Finks, Esq.,
The Finks Company,
Austin,
Texas.

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able to send. but with it goes our Love. gratitude, and our wishes for a Merry Christ. mass & Happy New year to you and Family.
C. L. Faust & Children

Returned to Miss Tully - per instructions

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FRANK F. FINKS

THE FINKS COMPANY
AUSTIN, TEXAS

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able to send. but with it goes our Love. Gratitude, and our wishes for a Merry Christmas & Happy New year to you and Family.

C. L. Faust & Children

Picture in Mary Tuelly's room

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GEORGE A. FRIEDRICH
MECKE & CO.
82 WALL STREET
NEW YORK

ackd. 1-2-42 OS

December 20, 1941.

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Dear Mr. President:

In one of your Radio addresses you quoted Farragut's immortal words at the Battle of Mobile Bay August 1864.

I have made a small water-color sketch of the event which I am sending. I realize how imperfect it is and you must accept the will for the deed.

With it goes my sincerest wishes for a continued good health and the best of everything for 1942.

Yours very truly,
Geo A Friedrich

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able to send. but with it goes our Love. gratitude, and our wishes for a Merry Christmas & Happy New year to you and Family.
C. L. Faust & Children

January 2, 1942

My dear Mr. Friedrich:

Thank you ever so much in the President's behalf for the framed water color to which you refer in your letter of December twentieth. He appreicates your sending him this product of your own work and has asked me to convey his every good wish to you for the New Year.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

George A. Friedrich, Esq.,
Mecke & Company,
82 Wall Street,
New York,
New York.

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able to send. but with it goes our Love.
Gratitude, and our wishes for a Merry Christ-
mas & Happy New year to you and Family.
C. L. Faust & Children

Betty - Hank. -
The sketch is on
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C. L. Faust & Children

DORSEY, LeRoy H.
Pres., Chicago Portrait Co.,
Chicago, Ill.
ack'd 1-2-42

Sent the President fishhooks.

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we are making for you. It is
able to send but with it goes our Love.
Gratitude, and our wishes for a Merry Christ-
mas & Happy New year to you and Family.
C. L. Faust & Children

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January 2, 1942

My dear Mrs. Fuller:

The President asks me to thank you for your recent letter and for your kindness in sending the crocheted flag to him. He is indeed grateful for your thought of him and extends to you his best wishes for the coming year.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

Mrs. Thressa Fuller,
21706 Hesperian Boulevard,
Hayward,
California.

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we are thankful for. It is all we
able to send. but with it goes our Love.
Gratitude, and our wishes for a Merry Christ-
mas & Happy New year to you and Family.
C. L. Faust & Children

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Hayward Calif.
Dec. 14. 1941

President Roosevelt.
Dear Sir,
As a token of appercation
of the services you have rendered
this Nation since you became
President,
I am sending you a crochet
American flag, And it is my
sincer wish that you accept
this symbol of Liberty
from an American Mother

Respectfully
Mrs Thressa Fuller
21706 Hesperian Blvd.
Hayward, Calif.

North Carolina.

we are making you. it is all we are
able to send. but with it goes our Love.
gratitude, and our wishes for a Merry Christ-
mas & Happy New year to you and Family.
C. L. Faust & Children

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January 2, 1942

My dear Mrs. Faust:

That was a grand letter you wrote to the President on December twentieth and all the kind things you say are indeed greatly appreciated. In the President's behalf, I thank you for your Christmas remembrance and want to convey to you and your loved ones his every good wish for the New Year.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

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C. L. Faust, Esq.,
Route 4, Box 690,
Charlotte,
North Carolina.

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we are making you. it is all we are able to send. but with it goes our Love. gratitude, and our wishes for a Merry Christmas & Happy New year to you and Family.
C. L. Faust & Children

Charlotte N.C. Dec 20th 1941

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F.D. Roosevelt
President U.S.A.
Washington D.C.

Our Dear President

As my babies and I, bow in prayer for you, and your Family. this day. we ask that God may bless You and yeur loved ones, and that he may preserve your health, strength and wisdom, if it had not been for your understandig and love of humanity. God only knows where my babies would be today. To say nothig of myself. Please accept the small token of gratitude we are mailig you. it is all we are able to send. but with it goes our Love. gratitude, and our wishes for a Merry Christ. mass & Happy New year to you and Family.

C.L. Faust & Children

DOWS, Mrs. Deborah

TARZAN, Mrs. Florence
Salem, Ohio
ack'd 1-2-42

Sent the President a handmade flag.

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DOWS, Mrs. Deborah
Rhinebeck, N.Y.
ack'd 1-2-42

Sent the President a bunch of violets.

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Stevenson

January 5, 1942

My dear Mr. Fox:

Thank you, in the President's behalf, for the embroidery work to which you refer in your letter of December eighth. He is grateful for your Holiday Greetings and wants me to convey his best wishes to you for the New Year.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

Albert Fox, Esq.,
69 Middlesex Street,
Boston,
Massachusetts.

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Boston Mass Dec. 8. 1941.

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My dear Mr Roosevelt. I recived

your letter and was very glad to
hear from you. You se I make these
embroidered just to past the time
away it it a hobby to me you se
I am on the welfare and only work
two days a week so I have nothing
to do the rest of the week so I sat
right down and do these
embroidered to past the time
away Now Mr Roosevelt I am
sending you the mate of the
outher embroidered that I sent you
I don't feel that I am puting my
self out by sending you these
embroidered as I am not.

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2432 Ladier Place, N. W.,
Washington, D. C.

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As I have lots of them hanging
around the house which I have made
So I thought the least I could do
is to give my President.
A Christmas present.
Thanking you for your letter.
Wishing you and your family
A Merry Christmas and a
Happy New Year. With
the best of Health to you all.
I Remain Yours Truly
Albert Fox.
69 Middlesex St.
Boston
Mass.

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other sent to Storeroom

1732 Lanier Place, N. W.,
Washington, D. C.

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January 5, 1942

My dear Mrs. Fulton:

The President is most appreciative of your New Year greetings and is glad to have that picture you enclosed with your letter of December thirtieth.

This little note brings to you, too, the President's best wishes.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

Mrs. Harry R. Fulton,
1732 Lanier Place, N. W.,
Washington, D. C.

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December 30th 41

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

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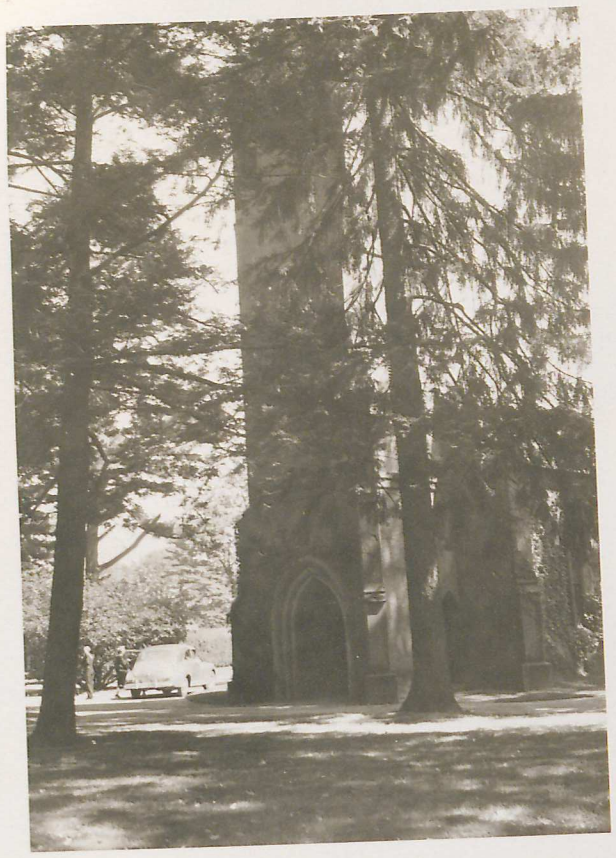
My dear Mr President

The enclosed picture of the
Church at Hyde Park (x#) was taken
on September 14th 1941 by my
daughter Doris Roper Fulton. I'll
send you a copy. I wish you
a Happy New Year.

Sincerely,
Neal C. Fulton (Mrs Harry R)



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Hyde Park

September 14th 1941

Mrs Eben:

Only because this is a picture of Hyde Park & I question its disposal. Is it worth anything more than filing?

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PALMER, Dwight R.G.
President, General Cable Corp.,
New York City
ack'd 1-8-42

Sent the President a flag.

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January 12, 1942

My dear Mrs. Foote:

Thank you ever so much for your kindness in sending that holly wreath for the President and his family. He wants you to know that your thoughtfulness is deeply appreciated and sends you his best wishes for the New Year.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

Mrs. Georgia N. Foote,
Batavia,
New York.

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Holly Wreath

Caretaker,
Roosevelt Home,
Hyde Park,
New York.

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beside my own beloved Mother who left
us 33 years ago, when I was just a
young girl.

And will you accept the best
wishes for all days, a Merry Christmas,
and a Bright New Year from a family
of "little folks" who are devoted and
loyal followers of yours?

Sincerely
Mrs. Georgia N. Foote.

Batavia, New York.
Dec. 23d, 1941.

The Roosevelt Family,

The little wreath does not amount to much, but will you accept it as a tribute to the lovely lady who gave us our President, and who sits right up beside my own beloved Mother who left us 33 years ago, when I was just a young girl.

And will you accept the best wishes for all days, a Merry Christmas, and a Bright New Year from a family of "little folks" who are devoted and loyal followers of yours?

Sincerely
Mrs. Georgia N. Foote.

B. FLOCKART

Entered "Aloha"

MEL

January 12, 1942.

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Respectfully referred for consideration and acknowledgment.

EDWIN M. WATSON
Secretary to the President

Letters to the President:

CARTER, Miss Ellen, 72 Poplar St., Grove, N.J., Penns Grove, 1/5/42. Seeks aid to take NYA nursing course. Referred to the FSA, NYA.

LEACH, John C., 621 Hollace St., Pittsburgh, Pa., 1/5/42. Asks that consideration be given application with the Pittsburgh Housing Authority. Referred to the FWA, (USHA).

MAHONEY, Edward V., 63 Olcott St., Lackawanna, N.Y., 1/3/42. Asks settlement with USHA of rent grievandes. Referred to the FWA, (USHA) Encl.(2).

BELL, M.G., 203 Hunter St., Peterboro, Ont., Can., 12/7/41. Sends Xmas gift of towelto Pres., and states she also sent one to the Prime Minister. States Pres. is hope of mankind. Referred to the State Department. GIFT

NASH, Arthur C., 1891 Marine Drive, Hollyburn, B.C., undated. Sends booklet of poems to the Pres. which he has written on the Drama of Dunquerque. Referred to the State Department. BOOK

GLYNN, Mr. John, Caldecot, Crowborough, Sussex, Eng., 11/24/41. Sends book of short stories he has written. States he has sent similar copies to the King and Queen and the Prime Minister. Referred to the State Department. BOOK

e SILVA, Dr. J.J.da Gama, Praca Vilaboim 41, Higienopolis, Sao Paulo, Brazil, 12/11/41. Sends book entitled "Maximas de Publio Syro e O Sonho de Scipiao" which he has written. Referred to the State Department. BOOK

MUIRHEAD, J. Thorburn, 3 William St. House, Lowndes Square, S.W.1, Eng., 11/-/41. Sends book he has written, entitled "Out of the Ashes", as a token of his sincere admiration of the President's personal conduct. Referred to the State Department. BOOK

FACULTAD de Ciencias Medicas de Buenos Aires, Argentina, undated. Sends book entitled "Homenaje al Professor Pedro Belou", which has been compiled by that institute. Referred to the State Department. BOOK

REV. S. C. FLOCKART
TEL. WX 2777

Not rec'd

"Aloha"

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to
BRUCE, Edward
Washington, D.C.
January 9, 1942

The President wrote expressing appreciation for the California fruit which Mr. Bruce gave him. Says it was delicious.

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REV. S. C. FLOCKART
TEL. WX 2777

Not rec'd

"Aloha"

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HYNDMAN, JAMES P. B.
New York, N. Y.
Dec. 30, 1941

Sent telegram to General Watson re beautiful banner(flag) representing the Union of the United States and Britain, designed, executed and displayed by prominent New York woman on her house during the last war---wishes to present this banner to the President. Dec. 31, 1941 General Watson wrote, saying he would be glad to accept the banner, either by mail or in person, on behalf of the President.

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On Jan. 8, 1942, Mr. Hyndman left the banner and the explanatory manuscript, as per the above, for Gen. Watson to give to the President.

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V J.C. Flockart

REV. S. C. FLOCKART
TEL WX 2777

Not rec'd

"Aloha"
Central Avenue

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GOLDMAN, Mrs. Helen Hoffa,
Washington, D. C.
December 17, 1941

Writes the President telling him of a floral which she has especially made for him. Says she has named "this centerpiece, 'Victory'", and has had picture taken of it. Will be glad to send the President the picture if he so desires.--Attached is copy of Miss Tully's note to Mrs. Goldman, 1/8/42 thanking her for the centerpiece which she sent him.--Under date of January 14, 1942 Mrs.Godlman wrote to Miss Tully asking if there is a picture available of the President "with the floral piece showing", and if so, if she may have"some." Also asks if she may have a picture of Miss Tully. Says she would like to send Miss Tully an American Beauty Rose.--On 1/16/42 Miss Tully wrote Mrs. Goldman explaining that there were no such pictures available, etc. Miss Tully said that if Mrs. Goldman so desired, she may send her the "rose" here at the White House.

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S. C. Flockart

REV. S. C. FLOCKART
TEL. WX 2777

Not rec'd 1/14/42

"Aloha"
Central Avenue
Burwood, E.13
VICTORIA
Australia

20.9.41

Mr Franklin D. Roosevelt
President of the United States

P.P.F. 9-7

Dear Mr President

I am enclosing a card in respectful sympathy on the occasion of the death of your dear Mother this month of Sept 1941-

My own mother died on the 21st august 1917 aged 90 years.

When I saw in one of our illustrated papers her photograph, (aged 87) taken beside you I thought I ought to send the card

x P.P.F. 7.9-13

I am also sending under separate cover a copy of "Daysh" published 5 years ago to promote Oxford Group Devotional life-

For the past five years without a break, wherever I have been, I have always read the Daily portion and prayed before I had my breakfast, "Daysh" is now published in seven different languages- Personally I remember you in prayer exactly in the same way as I do our King.

Yours most respectfully
S.C. Flockart

Until We Meet Again

Only a little while—
She has but stepped across the way
Into a brighter and more perfect day;
And we stretch forth our hands and say:
"'Tis but a little while."

Only a little while—
But we who loved her so
Felt it was hard to let her go,
Hard parting, though we surely know
"'Tis but a little while."

Only a little while—
Though as we look upon life's way
Spreading before us, long and gray,
With trembling lips we strive to say:
"'Tis but a little while."

Only a little while—
And we have recollections sweet
Of ready hands and willing feet,
And loving heart in sympathy that beat——
"'Tis but a little while."

Only a little while—
So let us keep our memories glad,
Of all the happiness together had;
We think she would not have us sad,
"E'en for a little while."

Only a little while—
And we will try and gather up the strands
Of life-work fallen from her hands;
Our love to her this due demands—
"'Tis but a little while."
—Unknown.

With Sympathetic Wishes from—
Rev. S. C. FLOCKART.

the President, and wants to know his head-size.

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SEIFTER, Chas. S.,
JACK J. SEIFTER & CO.,
New York, N.Y.
1-5-42

Offers to send a fur cap to the President, and wants to know his head-size.

See P.P.F.9-J

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FORSTER, Rudelph,
Wash., D.C.
1-21-42 (ack.)

The President on above date wrote to Mr. Forster thanking him for the bed cover he gave to him for Christmas.

See P.P.F.4700

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January 22, 1942

P.P.F. 9-7

My dear Mr. Fordyce:

The President thanks you ever so much for the framed patriotic slogan which you were good enough to send him. He is deeply grateful for this evidence of your wholehearted cooperation and support in the interest of National Defense.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

J. P. Fordyce, Esq.,
President,
The Manhattan Life Insurance Company,
New York,
New York.

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out of the frame
+ into the print case

J. P. FORDYCE

PRESIDENT
THE MANHATTAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY NEW YORK

ry 27, 1942.

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J. P. Fordyce, Esq.,
President,
The Manhattan Life Insurance Co.,
New York,
New York.

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January 27, 1942.

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miniature American Flag to the President.

See PPF-9-B

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Mrs. Eben

January 27, 1942.

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BLYSTONE, E. L.
Ardara, Pa.
Jan. 23, 1942 Ackd.

Sent in framed miniature American Flag to the President.

(Flag to Series "B")

See PPF-9-B

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January 27, 1942.

PPF-9 "F"

P. P. F. 9-F

MALOOF, SGT. E. A.
New Jersey State Guard,
Englewood, N. J.
Jan. 6, 1942

Wrote to the President stating he has in his possession a very rare flag of the U.S. Wants to send it to the Pres. and Mrs. Roosevelt if would like to have it. MissTully wrote Jan. 26, 1942, saying the Pres. and Mrs.R. would be delighted to have the flag.

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See PPF-9-M

MEL

January 27, 1942.

PPF-9 'F'

...referred by memorandum for consideration and acknowledgment.

DONALDSON, C.S.,
Interlake Groves,
Avon Park, Fla.
1-26-42 (ack.)

Sends box of oranges to the President (fruit.)

See P.P.F.9-D

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P.P.F. 9-F.

MEL January 27, 1942.

PPF-9 "F"

Respectfully referred by memorandum for consideration and acknowledgment.

EDWIN M. WATSON
Secretary to the President

Letters to the President:

FISHER, Robert D., 461 8th Ave., New York, N.Y., 1/22/42. Sends book entitled "Robert D. Fisher Manuel of Valuable and Worthless Securities.", which he has written and published, Asks Govt. assistance in obtaining information for such manuals in order that unused funds and unclaimed funds will be put back into circulation.Referred to the Secretary of the Treasury. BOOK

SHETLER, Fred H., 2414 E. Admiral Blvd., Tulsa, Okla., 1/23/42. Reg. Has appealed to Pres. before to aid in obtaining veteran's disability claim for him, Was given physical examination as result, but has not heard anything. Feels that Vet's Admin. has not given him fair deal. Encl.(14). Referred to the Administrator of Veterans Affairs.

PFIFFNER, Mrs. E.A., 236 10th St., Hermosa Beach, Calif., 1/22/42. Reg. Suggestion for a bill of rights for children, copy of which is enclosed, Tells need of such a law. Encl.(2). Referred to the Department of Labor, Children's Bureau.

RITCHIE, A.B., Hotel Roxy, 766-b Marietta St., N.W., Atlanta, Ga., 1/22/42. Seeks job in order to get money for cure for affliction. Plays role of "Popeye". Referred to the F.W.A., (WPA). Encl.clippings.

DAVIS, Napoleon, 1415 E. 25th St., Los Angeles, Calif., 1/23/42. Reg. Man working on WPA seeks aid to get money to prevent loss of furniture. Is in arrears with other bills. Referred to the F.W.A., (WPA).

FOSTER, Mrs. Bettie L., 522 E. 23rd St., Indianapolis, Ind., 1/21/42.Reg. Seeks information re rationing of sugar. States she cannot get enough for family. Referred to the Office of Emergency Management.

FOSTER, Mrs. Bettie L., 522 E. 23rd St., Indianapolis, Ind., 1/22/42. Reg. Wants to know what assurance laborers who give up pay for defense will have that the Govt. gets the money. Referred to the Treasury Department.

JOSEPH, Annis, 1 Devonshire Rd., Pleasant Ridge, Mich., 1/23/42. Reg. Mexican youth, not a citizen, seeks aid to join Navy. $1.00 held for I.P.F. Referred to the Navy Department.

CLINTON, Julia Rooney, 7229 Willoughby Ave., Hollywood, Calif., 1/21/42. Reg. Sends copy of words and music of song she has written and dedicated to the Marines of "Wake Island". Referred to the Navy Department. MUSIC.

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P.P.F.
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THOMPSON, Mrs. Grace,
Sterling, Ill.
January 24, 1942

Sends the President an American Flag which she made as a gift for his birthday.

See P.P.F. 9-T

P.P.F.
9-7

January 27, 1942

My dear Mr. Feldman:

The nice birthday greetings and good wishes you so kindly extend to the President are indeed very much appreciated. In his behalf, I thank you, too, for that Victory button you enclosed with your note of the twenty-third. This button is accepted, of course, only with the understanding that there will be no publicity in connection with its presentation.

P.P. 79-B

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

E. M. Feldman, Esq.,
Loop-It Co.,
313-23rd Street,
Miami Beach,
Florida.

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Loop-It Co.
PATENT NO. 1992873
313 - 23RD ST.
MIAMI BEACH, FLA.

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Jan.23 1942

President Franklin D. Roosevelt

Washington, D.C.

My dear Mr.President:

Please accept the enclosed little Victory button,we are very proud of it.I am going to try and see that every American will wear one.

I also want to wish you a happy birthday and hope that on your 1943 birthday you will have peace for the world.

Thanking you ,I remain

yours

E.M. Feldman

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SIGNS & SHO' CARDS

McKEE, James A.,
Florence, Ala.
1-27-42

Sends a flag to the President that flew on the NC-4, one of the first planes to cross the Atlantic.

See P.P.F.9-M

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SIGNS & SHO' CARDS

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ABEEL, Neilson,
Morristown, N.J.
January 20, 1942

Writes to the President that he is sending him a "relic" (frame containing piece of flag from SS KEARSAGE) which he may want to put in the museum at Hyde Park.

See P.P.F. 9-A

SIGNS & SHOW CARDS

P.P.F.
9-J

JESPERSEN, CARL C.
Chicago, Ill.
Jan. 20 , 1942

Wrote to the President sending him a flag that he made.

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See PPF-9-J

SIGNS & SHOW CARDS

Box to Mrs. Eben.

anuary 28, 1942

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My dear Mrs. Fischer:

The President thanks you ever so much for your card of birthday greetings. It was kind indeed of you to send him the crocheted pieces and he wants you to know how grateful he is for this evidence of your friendliness and your good will.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

Mrs. R. Fischer,
Post Office Box 1857,
San Diego,
California.

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SIGNS SHO' CARDS

January 28, 1942

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- 1918" sent to the President
de Park Library 1/30/42 by

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SIGNS & SHOW CARDS

Don't know if you've decided
Just what you're gonna do
To **CELEBRATE** your Birthday--
But here's a **TIP** or two
On how some **OTHER** people
Have enjoyed the day in question!
So read their tales---and maybe
They will give you
some **SUGGESTION**







"HOOT MON!"
says Jock Mc Tavish-
"I really got a
THRILL
When my friends
dropped in wi'
PRESENTS
TILL I LATER GOT THE BILL!"

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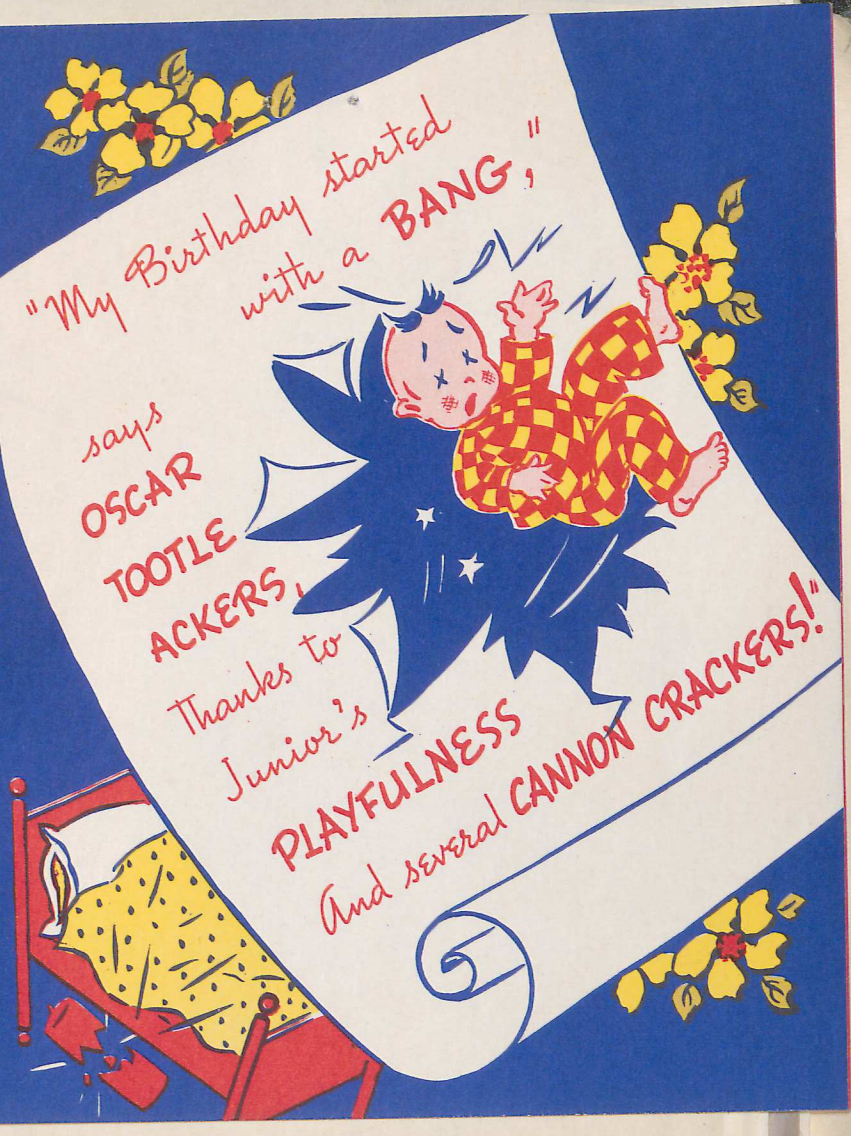
SIGNS & SHO' CARDS

"I tried to DROWN my sorrow At my AGE", says Susie Quince, "And had such FUN in doing it I ain't been SOBER SINCE!"



"My Birthday started with a BANG," says OSCAR TOOTLE ACKERS, Thanks to Junior's PLAYFULNESS And several CANNON CRACKERS!"



SIGNS & SHO' CARDS

"My Birthday was the **SAME DAY**
That I heard", says Elsie Orr,
"That rich old Uncle John
KICKED OFF--
And need a
gal say
MORE ???"



"My **HUNDREDTH** Birthday
was a **WHIZ**,"
Says Henry Abner Muggs,
"By gum, there's **NO**
one has more fun
Than us here **JITTERBUGS**
!"



SIGNS & SHO' CARDS

"No sprees for ME," says Emma Blimp--
Just SETTIN' suits me
I had a GRAND time right at HOME
With SEVEN pounds of CANDY!"



"I like to spend it SNOOZING!
Why, in fact", says Sam MacGuire
"I've never gotten up but ONCE
When the BEDCLOTHES CAUGHT ON FIRE!"



SIGNS & SHO' CARDS

FILE MEMO

"I claim a gal should
KEEP IN SHAPE,"
Says Miss Ophelia Hurdle,
"So I got some
Birthday EXERCISE
By hauling on
MY GIRDLE!"



"I slept right thru
my Birthday---
Which was FINE," says
Homer Zuinn,
"Thanks to some
assistance
From the Missus'
ROLLING PIN!"





"To give is far more blessed
Than RECEIVE,"
says Emma Rind,
"So I spent the day
in GIVING John
Some PIECES
OF MY MIND!"





And now you've heard
THOSE STORIES
It should be quite plain
to see
There's no TRICK
to having
Birthdays
That are
HAPPY AS CAN BE!





So if you want
to please your friends
You'd better start right now
To figure out your program
For a DARNED SWELL TIME
AND HOW!
For this sure does bring
GOOD WISHES
And you bet that every one
Is for SUPER. JOY, the
TOPS in CHEER,---And--

RECORD BREAKING FUN!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

SIGNS & SHO' CARDS

Doily
& potholders (White crocheted

From Mrs. R. Visscher
% our beloved President
PO Box 1857
San Diego Calif

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SIGNS & SHO' CARDS

FILE MEMO
Jan. 30, 1942.

Booklet, "Mes Souvenirs Patriotiques - 1870 - 1918" sent to the President by Adolph Fruhinsholz, Père - 1933. - Sent to Hyde Park Library 1/30/42 by Mrs. Eben. Book had never been acknowledged.

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SIGNS & SHOW CARDS

P.P.F.
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BOETTIGER, MR. AND MRS. JOHN
Mercer Island, Washington
Jan. 29, 1942

The President wrote thanking them for "sailor and gal" figuerines, saying that he is taking them up to the Hilltop Cottage.

See PPF-7

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SIGNS & SHO CARDS

P.P.F
9-F

PETERS, EVERETT R.
Oakland, Calif.
Jan. 29, 1942 Ackd.

Sent in some flowers to the President and Mrs. Roosevelt.
(Sent to Mr. Reeves, florist.)

See PPF-9-P

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ROSE, H.K.
Lake Worth, Fla.
Jan. 29, 1942 Ackd.

P. P. F.
9-F

Sent the President some flowers. (Sent to Mr. Reeves)

See PPF-9-R

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P.P.F.
9-F

CARPENTER, JAMES W.
Washington, D. C.
Jan. 29, 1942 Ackd.

Wrote to Miss LeHand enclosing ltr. for the President, and sending flowers for the Pres.'s birthday.

See PPF-9-C

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P.P.F.
9-F

BARNES, MRS. Edgar
Oklahoma City, Okla.
Jan. 29, 1942 Ackd.

Wrote to the President sending American Flag embroidered on velvet with "Remember Pearl Harbor". (Original corres. & gift sent to H. P. copies retained for our files.)

See PPF-9-B

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P.P.F.
9-F

SIGNS & SHOW CARDS

GLOECKNER, William C.,
Albany, N.Y.
1-29-42

Sends greeting card and a flower for President's birthday.

See P.P.F.9-G

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P P F
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HUNT, Miss Emma,
Bakersfield, Calif.

GLASS, WILLIE D.
Hopewell, Va.
Jan. 23, 1942

P. P. F.
9-F

Wrote to the Pres. sending for his birthday, solid walnut frame, made by himself, in "V" shape containing under glass 13 dimes, representing the original States of the Union, inlaid in a background of mahogany.

See PPF-510-CONTRIBUTION FOLDER-"G"

HUNT, Miss Emma,
Bakersfield, Calif.
1-29-42

...gift of some flowers to the President.

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January 30, 1942.

Respectfully referred for consideration and acknowledgment.

EDWIN M. WATSON
Secretary to the President

Letters to the President: Referred to the State Department.

DUGRENIER, Mr. Hector, Sec'y., Pine Grove School, Minnitaki, Ont., Can., 1/13/42. Sends flag and asks that it be presented to any school in U.S. in behalf of the Pine Grove School. Asks for flag in return. GIFT

MARTIN, Mrs. M.E., 1131 Richards St., Vancouver, B.C., 1/9/42. Sends two scrap books of cartoons, etc. which she wishes to present to the Pres. and Mrs. Roosevelt. Books on war. Referred to State. GIFT.

SPARKS, C.R., Arncliffe, Sydney, N.S.W., Australia, undated. Sends philatelic medallion celluloin to Pres. for gift. Contains block of six with printers name, and others. Framed. GIFT.

IDBURY - KINGHAM - OXFORD, Eng., undated. Book (quarterly), entitled "The Countryman". No accompanying letter. Editor's name not on book. BOOK

XIMENEZ, Pedro Luc, Av.De Mayo 1430, (20 23) Buenos Aires, undated. Sends book entitled "La Mision Historica del Radicalismo en el Continente" which he has written and wishes to present as gift. BOOK

PILLONI, Raymundo O., Director, "Ferrovia" Revista Mensual, San Pedro Sula, Honduras, Undated. Sends three pamphlets entitled "Ferrovia". Evidently a monthly magazine.

THEERTHA, Swami Dharma, c/o The Hindu Missionary Society, P.O.B. 225, Krishna Nagar, Lahore, India, 9/23/41. Reg. Sends gift of two books(same). He is the author, entitled "The Menace of Hindu Imperialism". BOOK

HILL, Dr. R.B., and Dr. F.I.Benarroch, no covering letter or package cover. Book entitled "Anquilostomiasis y Paludismo en Venezuela. BOOK

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MANLEY, Elmer, 4218 Sarpy Ave., St.Louis, Mo., 1/26/42. Re sends crude model for ship protector. Also explanation and return postal card. Referred by memorandum to the Department of Commerce, NIC.

HUNT, Miss Emma,
Bakersfield, Calif.
1-29-42

Sends gift of some flowers to the President.

See P.P.F.9-H

P.P.7.
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CHIZMADIA, Mrs. Bert,
Allentown, Pa.
1-20-42

Sends a vase of flowers to the President and card of birthday greetings.

See P.P.F.9-C

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P.P.F.
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Series B

January 30, 1942

P.A.F.
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My dear Mr. Flavell:

Your letter of January seventeenth has been received and I want to thank you in the President's behalf for the gift to which you refer. I can assure you that he appreciates the friendly thought which prompted you to send it to him.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

Harry N. Flavell, Jr., Esq.,
15 West Clark
York,
Pennsylvania.

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13 West Clark

REAR OF GREGORY'S

Phone 7133

York, Penna.

January 17, 1942

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

Dear Mr. President:

We are shipping under seperate cover a "Remember Pearl Harbor" novelty.

We could not resist the temptation to make a few of these. However, we do not expect to make any more.

Please accept this as a souvenir from York, Pennsylvania.

Very truly yours,

Harry N. Flavell Jr.

Harry N. Flavell, Jr.

Hnf:hmc

SIGNS ❦ SHO' CARDS ❦ POSTERS ❦ DESIGNING

January 30, 1942

Series B

P.P.F. 9-7

My dear Mr. Freeman:

Many thanks in the President's behalf for the framed picture to which you refer in your letter of recent date. He deeply appreciates this evidence of your friendliness and your good will.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

Arthur C. Freeman, Esq.,
P. O. Box 123,
Tacoma,
Washington.

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Series B

ARTHUR C. FREEMAN C. E.

P.O. Box 123
Tacoma, Washington

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

Dear Mr. President:

One of my associates in defense work, Mr. Henry B. Wilkinson, Auditor, knowing of my admiration for you, made up on a typewriter the attached picture. I consider this a work of art which no one less than a genius could make.

As much as I would like to keep this, I feel that it is such a fine piece of work that it should be in your possession, and I hope that it will find a place in your archives.

A close-up of the picture will show that it is made of separate letters, but if same is hung on the wall and viewed from a distance of about ten feet and a little to the right, it can be seen that Mr. Wilkinson, by his artistic toning, has made a wonderful likeness.

Very respectfully yours

Arthur C. Freeman

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Tacoma, Washington

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"SAY IT WITH FUNNIES"

Eng given to 9 G.T.

January 29, 1942

P.P.F. 9-7

My dear Mr. Brewer:

Your letter of January fifteenth has been received and I want to thank you in the President's behalf for the bath mat. It was kind indeed of you to send it to him. I might add, however, that this gift is accepted only with the understanding that there will be no publicity in connection with its presentation.

By the President's direction, your letter is being sent on to the Chairman of the United States Maritime Commission with the thought that he may be able to furnish you the information you desire.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

F. C. Brewer, Esq.,
Footsure Company,
6105 Melrose Avenue,
Los Angeles,
California.

U.S. MARITIME COMMISSION: Formerly manufactured rubber bath mats but that is out now due to defense. During World War #1 was a Naval Architect in Vancouver - is now a naturalized citizen of the U.S. Many ships are registered from his designs with "Lloyds" and "Pacific Motor Boat". Now wants to establish a navy and merchant marine school for high school age boys who then would become apprentices of the U. S. Merchant Marine; after apprenticeship certificates could be issued - mates and masters. He would have Master Mariners as instructors. If his suggestion is worth considering would devote the remaining years of his life to its development.

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"SAY IT WITH FUNNIES"

January 29, 1942

F.D.R.
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My dear Mr. Moger:

Your letter of January fourteenth has been received and I want to thank you in the President's behalf for the game to which you refer. You may be sure that he is most grateful for this evidence of your friendliness and good will.

xF.D.R. 9-J

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

Arthur I. Moger, Esq.,
Feature Comics Service,
4 Carlisle Street,
Boston,
Massachusetts.

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"SAY IT WITH FUNNIES"

January 29, 1942

My dear Mr. Haughey:

I am sending on to you a game called BLOCKADE with the thought that the children may enjoy it.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

Louis C. Haughey, Esq.,
Comptroller,
Georgia Warm Springs Foundation,
Warm Springs,
Georgia.

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"SAY IT WITH FUNNIES"

Game "Blockade" in Joe's Office, to be sent under separate cover.

FEATURE COMICS Service
4 CARLISLE STREET
BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS
TELEPHONE LIBERTY 4000
HIGHLANDS 2908 - 6838

January 14th

1942

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

Dear President Roosevelt:

As an experienced newspaper editor and promotion manager of the New England Hearst newspapers, we have sent you a new game called "BLOCKADE", a game for armchair admirals, designed to educate, instruct and entertain the vast American public, who admire the great U.S. Fleet.

We trust that conditions will warrant your playing this game, at leisure, soon. (We trust and pray that this leisure will come very soon!)

My best personal regards and sincerest wishes for your continued good health and wisdom.

Yours very cordially,
FEATURE COMICS SERVICE

Arthur I. Moger

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General Manager

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Pres. D. Roosevelt
Wash. Springs
W.H.P.

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Mrs Dejnison
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February 11, 1942

My dear Mr. Tyler:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter to the President of February fourth.

I am sorry that we cannot arrange for you to come in and present the bronze silouette to the President in person as you suggest. During these critical days, however, when it is so very important to conserve the President's time for his urgent, official duties, it has been necessary to limit his appointments to those of an official and inescapable nature.

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If you will, therefore, mail the silouette to the President in my care, I shall be glad to see that it reaches him in good order May I assure you also of the President's real appreciation of your kindness in wishing to present this plaque to him.

Sincerely yours,

EDWIN M. WATSON
Secretary to the President

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Ellis D. Tyler, Jr., Esq.
National Camp Manager
Future Farmers of America
Route 1, Box 500
× Alexandria, Virginia

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My address:
Route #1, Box 500
Alexandria, Virginia

Future Farmers of America
National Camp
February 4, 1942

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

Dear Mr. President:

I learned today that you desired a bronze silouette of yourself made by Mr. J. Davidson in 1934. Mr. President I have one which I would like for you to have if you will accept it.

Mr. President I am employed by the National Organization, Future Farmers of America, 232,000 boys strong studying vocational agriculture in high schools in 47 states in the U. S., Puerto Rico, and Hawaii. Mr. President, if possible, I would like for the National President, Future Farmers of America, Irvin J. Schenk, be afforded the priviledge of presenting you with this silouette any time during the week of February 8-15. Thanking you Mr. President, I am

Sincerely yours,

Ellis D. Tyler Jr.

Ellis D. Tyler Jr.
National Camp Manager
Future Farmers of America

My address:
Route #1, Box 500
Alexandria, Virginia

MORGAN, Ewing S.
Birmingham, Ala.
2-10-42

Wrote to the President, enclosing letters, flag, paper and photo which belonged to his brother. Also says he is seeking a commission in the U.S. Naval Reserve. - The original letter was referred to the Secretary of the Navy for consideration. Copy was retained for our files.

See P.P.F. 9-M

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P.P.F.
9-7

GARA, Mr. Denes
Cleveland Heights, Ohio
1-9-42

Sent the President an emblematic service flag, made by his wife, Mrs. Marion G. Gara.

See P.P.F. 9-G

P.P.F. 9-7

act

KRAMER, Cong. Charles
DERKIN, Miss Eleanor May
Washington, D.C.
ack'd 2-2-42

Sent the President some roses. - Also sent a poem of birthday greetings.

(flowers)

See P.P.F. 9-K

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P.P.F.
9-7

HINSON, Thomas P.
Poquoson, Va.

KRAUTH, Ernest
Supt.,
Berkley Hill Machine Shop,
National Youth Adm. for Pa.
Johnstown, Pa.
12-23-41
ack'd 2-2-42

Sent the President a small flag and stand.

See P.P.F. 9-B

P.P.F.
9-7

act

HINSON, Thomas P.
Poquoson, Va.
1-29-42

Sent the President some roses. (flowers)

See P.P.F. 9-H

act

P.P.F.
9-7

P.P.F.
9-J

JACOBS, MISS ELIZABETH
Winnetka, Ill.
Feb. 2, 1942 Ackd.

Sent flowers to the President for his birthday.

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See PPF-9-J

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Series B

February 2, 1942

P.P.F. 7.
9-7

My dear Mr. Ferninand:

The President thanks you very much indeed for your friendly letter of birthday greetings and wants you to know that he is especially pleased to have the weather vane, a product of your own workmanship. He deeply appreciates your kind thought of him.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

Claude C. Ferdinand, Esq.,
Ferdinand's Old Forge,
1180 Goffle Road,
Hawthorne,
New Jersey.

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Claude C. Ferdinand

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"FERDINAND'S OLD FORGE"
1180 Goffle Road,
Hawthorne, N. J.

Jackson 2/12/42.

January 27, 1942.

My dear Mr. President:

Being stirred by the momentous and harrowing time through which we are now passing, I am reminded of a like period which gave birth to our great Nation when it first struggled for "Freedom and Democracy", and to the brave, dauntless men and women who handed on to us the "Torch of Freedom". Successive generations have kept the Faith, so we too, now take up the quarrel with the enemies of mankind, and the forces of evil which they are.

In honor of your coming birthday, and in keeping with my calling, "A Blacksmith", I have conceived and wrought by hand a Weather-vane depicting Molly Pitcher manning the cannon which her fallen husband has been compelled to desert while a Minute-Man comes from his fields to the rescue. The "V" for Victory is shown at the four points of the compass and the arrow, blown by the winds of heaven, points the direction. Being an artificer in brass and iron I have endeavored to reflect my respect and patriotism in my work.

This labor of affection and regard I am sending to you, hoping that you will accept it along with my sincerest good wishes for your continued good health and your courageous noble spirit which enable you to carry on during your strenuous days and nights. If you have no personal use for this Weather-vane, may I suggest that you auction it off for your "March of Dimes" fund?

May you live to see this menace to our "way of life" vanquished and thereafter through many, more happy birthdays than this present one. I am, dear Mr. President,

Yours faithfully,

Claude C. Ferdinand

CLAUDE C. FERDINAND.

THE PAT[illegible]SON EVENING NEWS
TUESDAY, JANUARY 27, 1942

"V" Weathervane Hawthorne Man's Birthday Gift to FD



***FOR HIS SIXTIETH BIRTHDAY,** President Franklin D. Roosevelt will receive the hand-made, wrought iron weathervane shown above, from Claude C. Ferdinand. Ferdinand suggests that if he can't use it himself, he have it auctioned off for the Mile of Dimes Campaign.*

A "weathervane of victory" bearing the slogan "Remember Pearl Harbor," was sent today to President Roosevelt for his birthday Friday by Claude C. Ferdinand, a wrought iron worker who resides at 1180 Goffle road, Hawthorne.

Moved by a desire to do something significant to mark the President's sixtieth birthday, Ferdinand designed and made a weathervane which includes the symbolic "V" for victory and figures of a Minute Man and Molly Pitcher.

In offering it to President Roosevelt as a birthday present, Ferdinand suggests that if he has no personal use for it, he offer it for auction with the proceeds going to the Mile of Dimes campaign.

The slogan, "Remember Pearl Harbor," is part of the arrow which shows the wind's direction.

Mounted above the arrow are the two figures, one on either side of a large "V" to which an Eagle is affixed. From the base of the "V" cannon and small arms jut upward.

Molly Pitcher's figure symbolizes the part women have played in our country's development and the part they will play in this war, the weathervane's maker says He spent many hours pouring over history books to make certain his figures were authentic.

Placed at the tail end of the wind-arrow, Molly Pitcher stands behind a large cannon, holding a swab in her hand. Beside the cannon lies her wounded husband whose place she took when he fell. Besides her stands a bucket;



CLAUDE C. FERDINAND

the bucket in which she had been carrying water to the fighters and the wounded men.

At the head end of the arrow stands the Minute Man. Alert, with his musket in his hand, he stands beside his plow, ready to drop his everyday work to come to the defense of his country.

Lower on the staff which holds the wind-vane are the letters NEWS, pointing to the four points of the compass. The letters are at the ends of short rods. Affixed above the rods are large "Vs".

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ed, self-addressed envelope.)

American Beauty Roses.

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GRANIRER, William
Arverne, N.Y.
1-16-42.

Writes he is sending the President a 5½ inch model in color of Prime Minister Winston Churchill. Is also sending the President a snapshot of the model. (Figurine) (snapshot returned. Also 3¢ stamped, self-addressed envelope.)

SHAPIRO, Al
Shapiro & Daskal,
Chicago, Ill.
1-29-42

Sent the President sixty American Beauty Roses.

See P.P.F. 9-S

(flowers)

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P.P.F.
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1-16-42.

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P.P.F. 9.7

February 2, 1942

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. SUMMERLIN:

Will you please be good enough to have an appropriate note of thanks sent to the writers of the attached communication.

GRACE G. TULLY

Letter to President 1/20/42

Mr. and Mrs. Siegfried Friedmann, (Siegfried and Erna)
5196 Kensington Street, +
St. Louis,
Missouri.

+ P.P.F. 9-R

Have been in this country 1 year and are so thankful they send the President handmade roses.

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Arverne, N.Y.
1-16-42.

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MORAN, Louis,
Postmaster, Mt. Morris, N.Y.
January 19, 1942

Transmits to the President on behalf of Mrs. James Macaluso, 73 Hopkin Street, Mount Morris, N.Y. a package of her handiwork consisting of a crocheted American Flag and a hand crocheted streamer with the closing words of the President's war message to Congress.

See P.P.F. 9-M

February 2, 1942

PPF 9-7

My dear Mr. Forrester:

This note takes to you the President's thanks for your letter and the hand-made scarf which you so kindly sent him. He has noted with interest that although you are in your eighty-first year, you are cooperating so generously in the present emergency by knitting scarfs for the soldiers who are defending our country. Your splendid aid and loyalty are indeed gratifying, and the President extends his best wishes to you for your welfare.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

A. R. Forrester, Esq.,
326 South J Street,
Lake Worth,
Florida.

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Sent to 2nd floor cabinet.
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January 9, 1942
Lake Worth, Florida

To My President,
Franklin D. Roosevelt
Washington, D. C.

I want you to know, Mr. President, that I am in my eighty-first year, and I am not able to labor as I used to, but I am still occupied. I am knitting scarfs for our soldiers in the North who are defending our Great County America, and I want to do my part in the same.

I am sending you a scarf that I made, and I want you to wear it when you need it, and remember that I am not too old to do good work for the United States of American.

Very truly yours,

A. R. Forrester

A. R. Forrester
326 South J Street
Lake Worth, Florida

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..., FLORIDA

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Washington, D. C.

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A. R. Forrester

A. R. Forrester
326 South J. Street
Lake Worth, Fla.

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BARNES, Mrs. Edgar,
Oklahoma City, Okla.
January 29. 1942 (date acknowledged)

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LANGER, MR. AND MRS.M. S. & FAMILY
Forestville, Conn.
Feb 3, 1942

Sent flowers for the President's birthday.

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See PPF-9-L

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BARNES, Mrs. Edgar,
Oklahoma City, Okla.
January 29, 1942 (date acknowledged)

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SILVER PALM FRUIT GROWERS ASSOCIATION,
Homestead, Fla.
Feb. 2, 1942 (date acknowledged)

Send the President a box of fruit.

See P.P.F. 9-S

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BARNES, Mrs. Edgar,
Oklahoma City, Okla.
January 29, 1942 (date acknowledged)

P.P.F.
9-F

On above date Miss Tully wrote to Mrs.Barnes thanking her for the "beautiful gift" (embroidered American Flag on black velvet), which she sent to the President.

See P.P.F. 9-B

STONE, Mrs. Josephine,
Jersey City, N.J.
1-26-42

Sends a crocheted flag to the President.

P.P.F.
9-F

ARBOLEDA, MIRS ANNA
Pacific Grove, Calif.
Jan. 22, 1942

Wrote to the President sending him crocheted American flag which she made. (Series B)

See PPF-9-A

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STONE, Mrs. Josephine,
Jersey City, N.J.
1-26-42

Sends a crocheted flag to the President.

See P.P.F.9-S

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STEEDE, Mrs. Cecil C.,
Escanaba, Mich.
Ack. 2-2-42

Sends a crocheted American Flag to the President.

See P.P.F.9-S

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9-F

ALLENDER, MR. AND MRS. CHARLES
San Diego, Calif.
Feb. 5, 1942 Ackd.

Sent flowers to the President. (Sent to Mr. Reeves).

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See PPF-9-A

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NOVAK, Anna
Cleveland, Ohio

FREEDLAND, Mrs. Esther,
Detroit, Mich.
1-29-42.

Encloses two checks for $36.00. One for the infantile paralysis fund, and one to Mrs. Roosevelt for the next red cross drive. Also sends a cake for the President.

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NOVAK, Anna
Cleveland, Ohio
1-29-42

Sent the President a woven flag.

See P.P.F. 9-N

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ROSS, Helen, Mrs.
Hamilton, Ohio
Feb. 7, 1942 (date acknowledged)

Sends the President a crocheted American flag as a birthday remembrance.

See P.P.F. 9-R

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February 5, 1942

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Dear Mrs. Lewis B.

Gentlemen:

It was kind of you to send the President the tiles, painted by Mr. Donald Lickner, to which you refer in your letter of January twenty-sixth. He sincerely appreciates your friendly thought of him and is grateful to all of you for this birthday remembrance.

However, I feel I should tell you that it is an established policy relative to gifts received from time to time to ask that there be no publicity in connection with their presentation. I am sure you will understand the need for this stipulation.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

Fred Okhuysen and Son,
912 Lafayette Avenue, North East,
Grand Rapids,
Michigan.

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Pres. when cpl'd.

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Grand Rapids (Mich.)
Jan 26 1942.

President F.D. Roosevelt
Washington D.C.

Dear Mr. President

Hereby we are sending you a couple of tiles which we make for a present on your Diamond Birthday and wish you many happy returns of the day with your family. These tiles are hand painted by a young man working for me and did the job for you free. Hoping you like them and wishing you and your family all the luck. Remain

Yours truly

Fred. Okhuysen. Son
912 Lafayette ave n E
Grand Rapids Mich
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We made 12 samples and are going to sell them now.

FRED OKHUYSEN & SON
PAINTING - DECORATING - PAPERHANGING
NEGLECTED PROPERTY PAYS NO DIVIDEND
WE CARRY COMPLETE INSURANCE

PHONE 8-5005

912 LAFAYETTE AVE., N. E.
GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

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Ask ✱ make copy to go with file to ✱ Peterson Cpl. T.

Grand Rapids (Mich.)
Jan 26 1942.

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Washington D.C.

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Yours Truly
Fred. Abbuyen. Jon
912 Lafayette Ave N E
Grand Rapids Mich

The young mans name is Donald Tiekner and lives at the same adress.
We made 12 samples and are going to sell them now.

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February 9, 1942

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My dear Mr. Forsmark:

The President has asked me to thank you for your kind letter of January twenty-seventh and to tell you how deeply he appreciates your friendly thought in sending him the hand-carved candelabrum, a product of your own workmanship. It is exceedingly gratifying to him to know that he has your prayers during these trying days.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

Reverend Sigurd A. Forsmark,
Swedish Baptist Church,
1412 W. Tioga Street,
Philadelphia,
Pennsylvania.

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Pastor of Swedish Baptist Church
Philadelphia, Pa.

1412 W. Tioga Street
Philadelphia, Pa.
January 27, 1941

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

Dear Mr. President:

Enclosed in the accompanying package there is a hand-carved candelabrum, which I have designed and which is one of my hobbies. I wish to present it to you on this your birthday, and shall be very glad if you will accept the humble gift from one among a vast number of my country men who deeply admire you and appreciate your work.

Ever since you took office in Washington, Mr. President, my opinion has been that some day history will acclaim you the greatest of all the presidents of the United States. To day that page is ready to be written.

I have followed your work and your marvelous accomplishments with keen interst. None other has accomplished nearly as much as you have done. I have stood behind you in all that you have undertaken to do. I have fought for you and often alone and often misunderstood. To day I am pleased to know it has not been in vain.

With this my insignificant gift goes my wish that it may become a symbol of the holder of the light which shall no longer come from the East, (Ex Oriente Lux) but which shall come from the West and from Washington, and from where the hope of man kind--so far as man is concerned--shall come.

Ten years ago you saved this nation from an imminent catastrophy because of your undaunted courage and because of your prophetic vision. To day a suffering world is looking to you for help in its struggle for liberation and freedom.

May God continue to guide you and to sustain you in your exceedingly strainous and unusual task, and may many more birthdays be yours.

Yours very sincerely,
Sigurd A. Forsmark

Sigurd A. Forsmark

Pastor of Swedish Baptist Church
Philadelphia, Pa.

NESTELL, J.E.,
Continental Lithograph Corp.,
Cleveland, Ohio.
2-9-42

Writes it is the desire of their President, Mr. Carl Moellman to present to the President one of their fluorescent American flags, and one of their ultra-violet lights which causes the flag to fluoresce in darkness with unusual brilliance and beauty. Hopes the White House will accept their offer and/for accept one of these flags, and they will arrange for delivery and installation. - On 2-11-42 Mr. McIntyre advised him, it will not be possible to avail themselves of this opportunity.

See P.P.F.9-C

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GRACE A. TULLY

Mrs. Clara Lee Foster,
1548 Filbert Street,
San Diego,
California.

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Conducted work with the motto "Remember Pearl Harbor"

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February 9, 1942

My dear Mrs. Foster:

The President has asked me to thank you for your kindness in sending him the crocheted work, a product of your own handiwork, to which you refer in your letter of January thirtieth. He wants you and Mr. Foster to know that he much appreciates your friendly birthday greetings and is grateful, too, for your contributions to the Infantile Paralysis Fund.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

Mrs. Glenn Lee Foster,
3546 Filbert Street,
San Diego,
California.

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Crocheted work with the motto "Remember Pearl Harbor"

ack Room Stove
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San Diego, Calif
Jan 30, 1942

Dear President Roosevelt:

Just a few lines to let you know we are sending you a little gift, which we hope will show you how we are behind you.

I tried to get it done by your birth-day but these birthdays ship upon so quick.

I know my husband & I are a little late, but from the bottom of our hearts we wish you many, many happy Returns of the day.

Sincerely yours
Glenn Lee Foster U.S.N.
Mrs Glenn Lee Foster
3546 Gilbert St.
San Diego,
California.

20¢ misc. Ppd.

BORRELLI, Mrs. Josephine
Pittsburgh, Penna.
Ack. 2/9/42

Sent the President a crocheted flag.

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See P.P.F. 9-B

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My dear Miss Freeland:

May thanks, in the President's behalf, for the box of spices you sent him. He is most appreciative of your friendly thought and asks me to convey his very best wishes to you.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

Miss Esther Freeland,
5229 Cloverhurst,
Detroit,
Michigan.

February 10, 1942

PPF 9-7

My dear Miss Freedland:

Many thanks, in the President's behalf, for the box of cakes you sent him. He is most appreciative of your friendly thought and asks me to convey his very best wishes to you.

xP.P.F. 9-C

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

Miss Esther Freedland,
2297 Gladstone,
Detroit,
Michigan.

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Miss Eter,

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to M. A. LeHand stating that his daughter, Elsie
merican Flag and requests an opportunity for her to
President. (Letter ack'd. and request refused
n 2/14/42 stating the flag was being sent c/o
k. Enclosed clipping telling story of how the flag
Gorman.

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GORMAN, William H.
Newark, New Jersey
2/4/42

Wrote to M. A. LeHand stating that his daughter, Elsie J. Gorman has crocheted an American Flag and requests an opportunity for her to personally present it to the President. (Letter ack'd. and request refused 2/11/42.) Wrote to Mr. Watson 2/14/42 stating the flag was being sent c/o U.S. Secret Service of Newark. Enclosed clipping telling story of how the flag was made, and note from Miss Gorman.

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See - P.P.F. 9-G

P.P.F.
9-F

OVERTON, Mrs. Agnes
Tampa, Fla.
2-18-42

Wrote to Mrs. Roosevelt stating that she would like to send the President a crocheted flag. - In reply of March 3rd, Miss Tully stating that she should keep her crocheted work.

See P.P.F. 9-0

P.P.F. 9-7

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P.P.F. 9-17

SALISBURY, T.W.,

METZGER, Marilyn,
Harrisburg, Pa.
2-22-42

Little girl sends a flag which she made, and her picture of herself.

See P.P.F.9-M

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P.P.F. 9-17

SALISBURY, T.W.,
Summerville, S.C.
2-27-42

Sent gift of flowers to the President.

See P.P.F.9-S

P.P.F. 9-17

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McPHERSON, Kenneth Nevill,
Maitland, Fla.
2-24-42

Sends a box of citrus fruit to the President.

See P.P.F.9-M

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MARQUARDT, Mrs. Sophie,
Jersey City, N.J.
2-21 2-12-42.

Writer, who has been cured of I.P., is grateful to the President, and is sending him a basket of flowers. Newspaper clipping enclosed.

See P.P.F.9-M

P.P.F.
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P.P.F.
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February 27, 1942

My dear Mr. Fernandez:

It was especially kind of you to send the President that sports shirt. He wants you to know that he is grateful indeed for your friendly remembrance of his birthday and asks me to convey his best wishes to you.

Very sincerely yours,

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GRACE G. TULLY

Walters K. Fernandez, Esq.,
1027 Fort Street,
Honolulu,
Hawaii.

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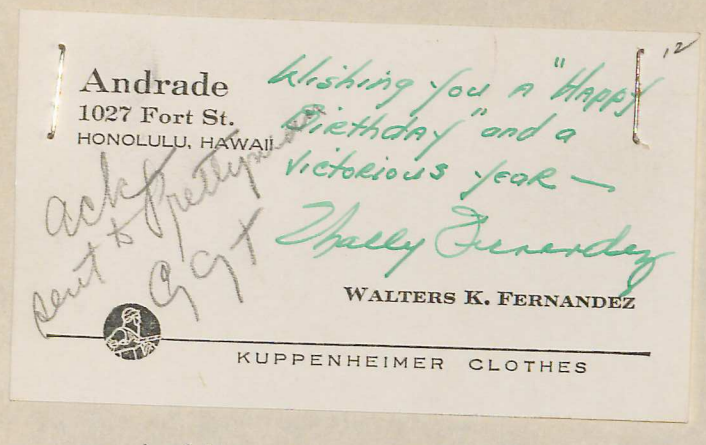

A white sports shirt with "F.D.R. REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR" in blue on pocket, with red-white and blue strips across the top of the pocket.