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December 28, 1942

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My dear Mr. Harris:

I am delighted to have that old book you so kindly sent me as a Christmas remembrance. It is a splendid addition to my library and I am grateful for the generous impulse which prompted so fine a gift.

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With all good wishes,

Very sincerely yours,

(Sgd)FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

H. H. Harris, Esq.,
387-405 West 1st Street,
Boston,
Massachusetts.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

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H. H. HARRIS

PRESIDENT
GENERAL ALLOYS COMPANY

387-405 W. FIRST STREET
BOSTON

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H. H. Harris.

December 29, 1942

My dear Mr. Hogeboorn:

Permit me to thank you for your kindness in sending on the framed picture which accompanied your letter of December seventh. The President and Mrs. Roosevelt appreciate your friendly thought of them and I have pleasure in conveying their best wishes to you.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Clarence J. Hogeboorn, Esq.,
95 Pearl Street,
Brookline,
Massachusetts.

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To be attached to file of letter of 12/29/42

To Clarence J. Hogeboorn, Esq.,
95 Pearl Street,
Brookline, Mass.

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Will you please
Elliott iis my special
from your Old Chauffeur
did not have a better Photo of Elliott
My Best wishes to You and Mrs Roosevelt
for a Merry Christmas

Clarence J Hogeboorn
95 Pearl St
Brookline
Mass.

Thanks
ggt

Brookline Mass
12-7-42

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12/29/42 pl

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Dear Mr President Will you please
accept this Picture of Elliott in my special
mounting as a gift from your Old Chauffeur
at Albany N.Y. in 1910 I am sorry I
did not have a better Photo of Elliott
My Best wishes to you and Mrs Roosevelt
& Merry Christmas

Clarence J Hogeboom
95 Pearl St
Brookline
Mass.

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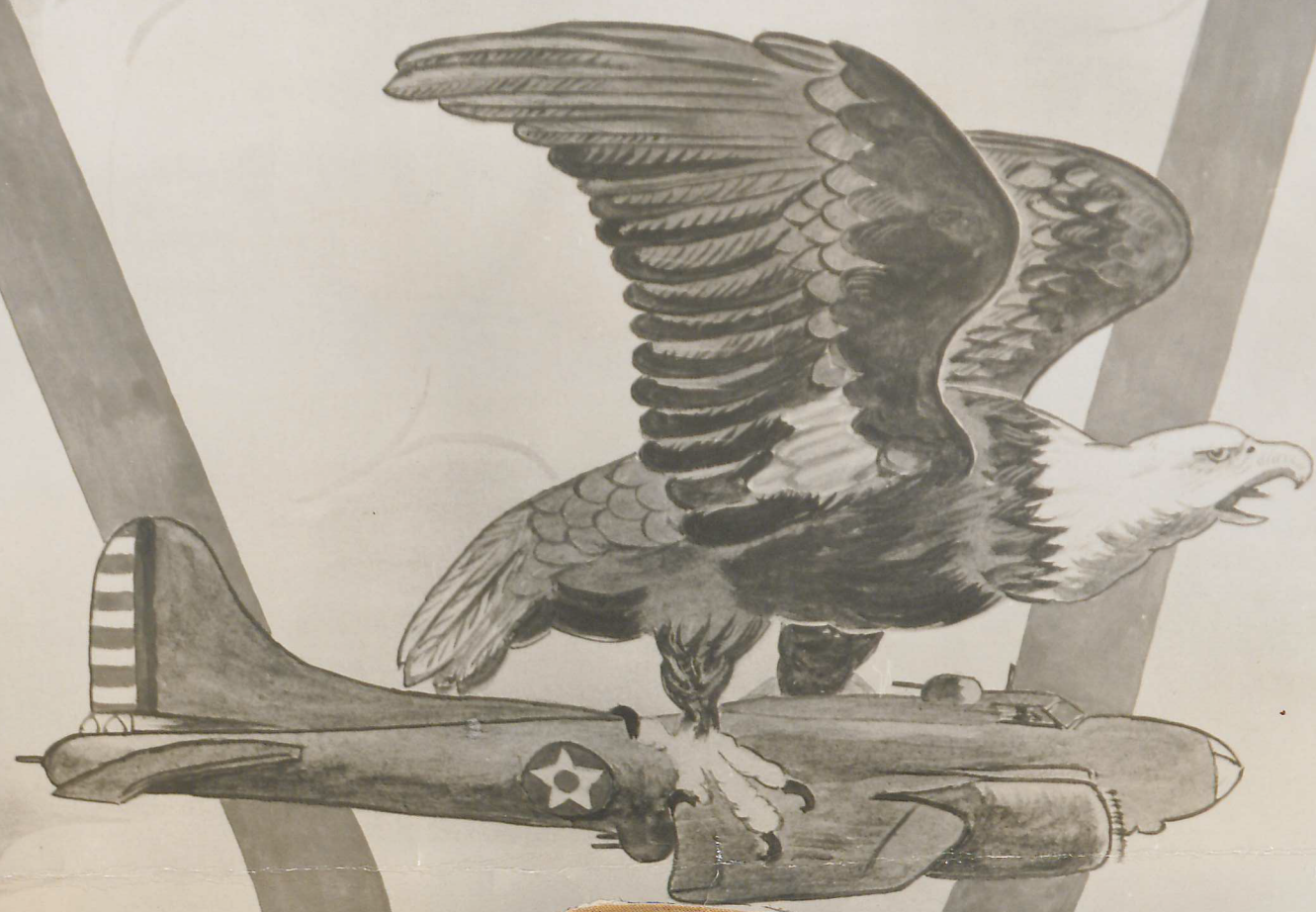

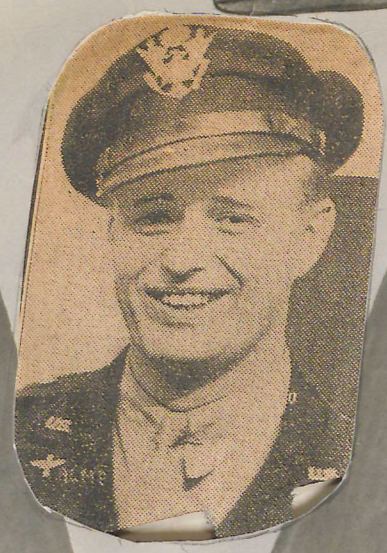

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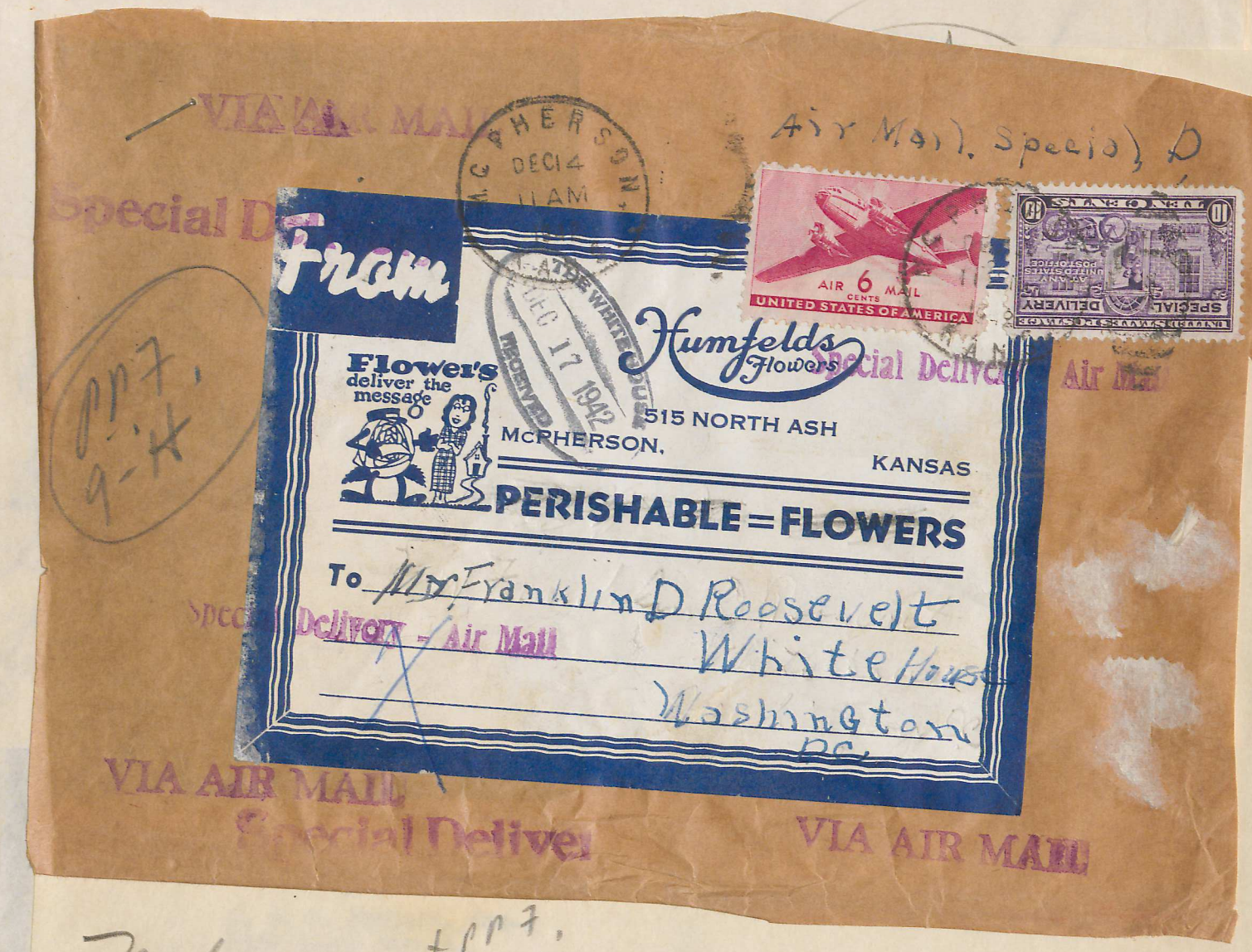

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No one has a record of the receipt of flowers sent by Hum Fields flowers - McPherson Kansas. whose photo is attached an individual, probably had them sent but there is no way of finding out who it was. E.B.

December 16, 1942

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My dear Mr. Hubbard:

It was kind indeed of you to send the President the candy received recently. I want to thank you, in his behalf, and to assure you that he appreciates your friendly thought of him.

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

E. A. F. Hubbard, Esq.,
2629 Homer Street,
Chicago,
Illinois.

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Robert L. Thompson

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

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12/15/42

Mrs. Eben

The attached label is from a small box of home-made fudge received yesterday and "T.A." by your offer.

E. Groshon

FROM E.A.F. Hubbard
2629 Homer St.
Chicago, Ill.

Roosevelt,
President Franklin D.
National Capitol,
Washington,
D.C.

RETURN POSTAGE GUARANTEED

HAWAII IS AN AMERICAN TERRITORY—AN INTEGRAL PART OF THE UNITED STATES

Mr Wagner
to thank
GGT

November 23, 1942

...note conveys the Presi-
...ks for your courtesy in sending
him the inscribed copy of your book THE HEALING
CHRIST. You may be sure that your friendly
thought is appreciated.

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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John George Hartwig, Esq.,
P. O. Box 24,
Hillsboro,
Missouri.

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2629 Homer St.,
Chicago, Ill.

Roosevelt,
President Franklin D.
National Capitol,
Washington,
D.C.

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November 23, 1942

My dear Mr. Hartwig:

This little note conveys the President's thanks for your courtesy in sending him the inscribed copy of your book THE HEALING CHRIST. You may be sure that your friendly thought is appreciated.

P.P.F. 79-B

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

John George Hartwig, Esq.,
P. O. Box 24,
Hillsboro,
Missouri.

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With the compliments of the Author

John George Hartwig

P. O. Box 24

Hillsboro, Mo.

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him the copy of PEARLS FROM PEARL HARBOR and to tell you that he is especially pleased to have the publication.

This little note conveys the President's best wishes to you and to Commander Hickey.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

E. W. Stenberg, Esq.,
Sales Manager,
Honolulu Star-Bulletin,
125 Merchant Street,
Honolulu,
Hawaii.

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EWS:MAS

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November 25, 1942

My dear Mr. Stenberg:

Your letter of October twenty-first has been received. The President has asked me to thank you and Commander Hickey most heartily for your friendly thought in sending him the copy of PEARLS FROM PEARL HARBOR and to tell you that he is especially pleased to have the publication.

This little note conveys the President's best wishes to you and to Commander Hickey.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

E. W. Stenberg, Esq.,
Sales Manager,
Honolulu Star-Bulletin,
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Honolulu,
Hawaii.

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October 21, 1942

VIA CLIPPER

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

Dear Mr. President:

Under separate cover we are mailing you today one copy of PEARLS FROM PEARL HARBOR, a little book published by The Honolulu Star-Bulletin for the sake of morale in our Navy in Pacific waters.

Commander Hickey has requested that this copy be sent to you with the compliments of himself and The Star-Bulletin. We believe it is an exceptional effort and very interesting, and we trust that it will interest you.

Sincerely yours,

E. W. Stenberg
Sales Manager
Printing Division

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December 2, 1942

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My dear Mr. Thompson:

The President asks me to thank you for your letter of November twentieth. He has noted with a great deal of interest all that you say regarding the wholehearted support and cooperation of the citizens of your area in contributing so abundantly to the Nation's vital food supply and he wants the members of the Hereford Chamber of Commerce to know that he more than appreciates their courtesy in sending him a bag of Hereford potatoes.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Robert L. Thompson, Esq.,
President,
Hereford Chamber of Commerce,
Hereford,
Texas.

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Faithfully yours,

R. L. Thompson
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HOME OF FINE HEREFORD CATTLE
SOIL - SUNSHINE - WATER
ARE THREE REASONS WHY YOU WILL LIKE
HEREFORD, TEX.

HEREFORD CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

November 20, 1942

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

Dear Mr. President:

We have forwarded to you in care of the White House a sack of Hereford Potatoes as a gift of the Hereford Chamber of Commerce. We hope that this gift will serve a two-fold purpose, namely to express to you our sincere appreciation for the wonderful work you have done and are now doing as the leader of this great nation in its time of strife, as its President and as its Commander-in-Chief of our armed forces, and to attempt to acquaint you with the quality of products which are being grown in unbelieveable abundance in America's newest garden spot, the Hereford shallow water area.

We thought that you would be interested to know that during these critical times when it appears that our country might face a food shortage, that one of the richest agricultural areas of the country is being developed at a rapid rate. Until recent years the efforts of the people of this area were devoted to the raising of Hereford cattle and wheat. Now, under rural electrification and irrigation, in addition to the above, we are developing our truck raising possibilities, with potatoes as our leading crop.

Please accept our sincerest wishes for your every success in your great work.

Faithfully yours,

R. L. Thompson

Robert L. Thompson

December 8, 1942

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My dear Mr. Hitchins:

It was especially thoughtful of you to send the President those delicious apples. He more than appreciates your kindness and asks me to convey his best wishes to you.

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Owen E. Hitchins, Esq.,
Paw Paw,
West Virginia.

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Ask for delicious apples. (Distributed)
Best Wishes
of
Owen C. Hitchins
G.G.T.

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of Part One of Dorothy Thompson's book,

"LISTEN, HANS". I can assure you that he

appreciates your kindness.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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Houghton Mifflin Company,
The Riverside Press,
Cambridge, Massachusetts.

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December 8, 1942

Gentlemen:

Thank you in the President's behalf for your courtesy in sending him the copy of Part One of Dorothy Thompson's book, "LISTEN, HANS". I can assure you that he appreciates your kindness.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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Houghton Mifflin Company,
The Riverside Press,
Cambridge, Massachusetts.

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LEON WILLET HYDE, M. D.

PPF 9-14

December 2, 1942,

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

Dear Mr. Roosevelt: An associate press despatch in the Oregonian this morning, carries the information that you make your own coffee for breakfast.

I have patent on a coffee maker of my own, issued by the U.S.Patent Office which makes a controlled brew with all of the aroma in the menstruum. It is FOOL PROOF and cannot make a bad cup of coffee.

Would like to send it to you to use. I have one model only. Let me know if you would like to try my aroma sealed coffee maker. Will be glad to forward it to you.

Senator C. L. McNary and Representative J.W. Mott are well aquainted with you and me. They will assure you that I am not a crank.

Sincerely,

Hyde

L. W. HYDE, M. D., YOUNG BUILDING, ASTORIA, OREGON.

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Dr. L. W. Hyde,
Young Building,
Astoria,
Oregon.

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December 9, 1942

My dear Dr. Hyde:

Thank you, in the President's behalf, for your letter of December second. Although he would not care to avail himself of your kind offer I do want to assure you that your thought in writing as you did is very much appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Dr. L. W. Hyde,
Young Building,
Astoria,
Oregon.

mgs

December 8, 1942

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My dear Dr. Hammond:

I have for acknowledgment your letter of December second and want to assure you that the President appreciates your kind thought in sending on the copy of the BOOK OF COMMON WORSHIP. Reference has been taken of the prayer to which you refer and I am returning the book to you under separate cover.

PPF 9-B

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Dr. John W. Hammond,
613 West 247th Street,
Riverdale,
New York, N. Y.

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DR. JOHN W. HAMMOND
618 WEST 247TH STREET
RIVERDALE, NEW YORK CITY

December 2,1942

The President
The White House
Washington,D.C.

My dear Mr.President:

I am taking the liberty of sending you under separate cover, the so-called "Book of Common Worship" with page 134 marked as the reference to which I would like to bring your attention. On that page there is General Washington's National Prayer, which is explained as made up from various prayers of General Washington's to be found in known public documents.

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The Thanksgiving service broadcast from the White House last week recalled this to my mind,and gave me the idea that it might be useful in some future service, perhaps with a little editing or explanatory introduction. I have indicated some of this possible editing.

I must apologize for sending my own copy, but I have been unable to find a new one.

Respectfully yours,

JWH/am

John W. Hammond

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Mr Wagner -

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Your very Obedient Friend, the Humble- Buck H Harris.

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KOZIARSKI, Mrs. A.
Milwaukee, Wisconsin
Nov. 13, 1942. Ackd. 12/9/42.

Sends handkerchiefs to Mrs. Roosevelt and socks to the President.
Given to GGT.

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SACKS, Mrs. S.
Bronx, N.Y.
October 16, 1942
December 10, 1942 - Ackd.

Sent the President a pair of white Knit Hose. Sent back to Miss Tully, and ackd. 12/10/42.

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organized labor. Trusting to re-
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EICHBERG, Mrs. Joseph
Cincinnati, Ohio.
Ackd. Dec. 10, 1942.

Sends pair of knitted hose in container made by Mr. Albert M. Hoffheimer. Returned to Miss Tully.

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main, as ever, Very Sincerely

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December 9, 1942

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My dear Mr. Hurst:

Thank you ever so much, in the President's behalf, for your kindness in sending him the photograph. He is most appreciative of the friendliness evidenced by your letter and I have pleasure in conveying his good wishes to you.

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Frank M. Hurst, Esq.,
309 Franklin Street,
Alexandria,
Virginia.

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organized labor. Trusting to remain, as ever, Very Sincerely

Nov. 14. 1942

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The Honorable Franklin D Roosevelt
President of the United States

My dear Mr. President,

I am mailing to you, under separate cover, a group picture of carpenters who have just finished, as far as I know, the world's greatest building. Being a carpenter myself, I am very proud of the job just finished in which I was steward on.

Being a member of Local No. 132 of Carpenters and Joiners of America, I speak for the body of men who are represented on this picture as we each thanks you very sincerely for your stand towards organized labor. Trusting to remain, as ever, Very Sincerely

Your very dear Friend, the Humble — Buck H Harris.

yours, with kind personal
regards, may we continue to
victory. With God's best wishes,

Frank M. Hurst
309 Franklin St.
Alexandria Va.

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December 10, 1942

Storeroom

My dear Mr. Harris:

It was especially kind of you to send the President that religious scrap book. He more than appreciates your friendly thought and wants you to know that he is deeply grateful for your prayers during these critical days.

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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Bret H. Harris, Esq.,
432 S. Normandy Avenue,
Los Angeles,
California.

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Large religious scrap book.

as nonx are starting to try to horn in on your assured VICTORY in the same old misrepresenting way. Keep cool, TRUST GOD with all your dear heart, and PRAY ALWAYS. Then you will surely be led of ALMIGHTY GOD.
Your very dear Friend, the Humble- Bret H. Harris.

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THE BEST OF THE BEST

in

Literature, Law, Gospel, Science, and Art

432 S. Normandie Ave.,
Los Angeles, Calif.
Sunday, Nov. 15, 1942.

Our dearly beloved President and Commander-in-Chief,
The White House, Executive Mansion,
Washington, D.C.

The Sacred Scrap-book being expressed to you for your dear kindness and love for all mankind, everywhere in the world as well as everywhere in your own County, speaks for itself.

It is hastily finished and sent to you at this time to help you keep the High Goal always before you, - to comfort, cheer, and aid you as very best it can now long before you come to the peace table, because of the recent campaign and especially because your opponents at home are starting to try to horn in on your assumed VICTORY in the same old misrepresenting way. Keep cool, TRUST GOD with all your dear heart, and PRAY ALWAYS. Then you will surely be led of ALMIGHTY GOD.

Your very dear Friend, the Humble - Bret Harris.

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W. G. HATCHER, JR. PHONE 46 S. H. HATCHER

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December 10, 1942

My dear Frank:

It was kind indeed of you to send the President those three airplane models. He appreciates your friendly thought and I have pleasure in conveying his very best wishes to you.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Frank Hancock, Jr.,
2418 N. F Street,
Elwood,
Indiana.

3 airplane models.

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THEY ARE AT ONCE TO BE RETURNED. ALL ORDERS SUBJECT TO OUR ACCEPTANCE AND CONFIRMATION.

W. G. HATCHER, JR. PHONE 46 S. H. HATCHER

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12/10/42 Nov. 8 - 1942.

Dear Sir President,

Please acknowledge my little Gift of three (3) aircrafts that I designed and made my self. I am very interested in aeroplanes and very handy and neat about my work. I am told. I made. 13. model aircraft for the Government my rank is Captain "aircraft men," I am 15 yrs old and very small for my age. I am in Freshman in high school at Elwood, Ind. I am a Boy Scout, a Senior Patrol Leader in Troop 85, and student manager of our Foot Ball and Basket Ball Team. Hope you will appreciate my little

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Gift as these are my
Hobby I have several
construction kits and
Aioplane carriers.
would like very much
to hear from you.

I remain
your Fellow Democrat
Frank Jr, Hanen
2418. N. F. St.
Elwood, Ind.

Washington, D. C.

This little picture was in

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W. G. HATCHER, JR. PHONE 46 S. H. HATCHER

To be attached to file of letter of 12/10/42

To: Frank Hancock, Jr.,
2418 N. F Street,
Elwood,
Indiana.

14, 1942

received and the President has noted with a great deal of interest all that you say. He thanks you ever so much for your painting and asks me to tell you that he more than appreciates your friendly thought in sending it to him.

This little note conveys the President's cordial good wishes to you for the Christmas Season.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Mrs. Wm. Oakley Haines,
3720 Upton Street, N. W.,
Washington, D. C.

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W. G. HATCHER, JR. PHONE 46 S. H. HATCHER

December 14, 1942

My dear Mrs. Haines:

Your letter has been received and the President has noted with a great deal of interest all that you say. He thanks you ever so much for your painting and asks me to tell you that he more than appreciates your friendly thought in sending it to him.

This little note conveys the President's cordial good wishes to you for the Christmas Season.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Mrs. Wm. Oakley Haines,
3720 Upton Street, N. W.,
Washington, D. C.

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W. G. HATCHER, JR. PHONE 46 S. H. HATCHER

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G. St. T 3720 Upton St. N.W.

To The President of the
United States.

Dear Mr Roosevelt;

I am sending
you this little painting
hoping it will remind
you of the days when
you could take a little
time off and enjoy a rest-
I must tell you that
I am a patient at "The home
for incurables" of which Mrs
Roosevelt is a patron, and
am eighty (80) years old and
have only the use of one hand.
This little picture was in



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the Sunday Star' some years ago and I have always wanted to paint it; and though it may not be a good likeness, you will remember the little dog and the nice quiet place —

My late husband was one of your most ardent admirers - and if he were here now he would be so proud of you. He thought you were our greatest president — not even excepting George Washington

Wishing you good health, and the blessing of God and many years of work.

Sincerely yours

M. A. Baines

November 17th 1942

Mrs. Wm Oakley Baines
9720 Elphin. Ave. Pk. Hts.

(Anne for interviewer)



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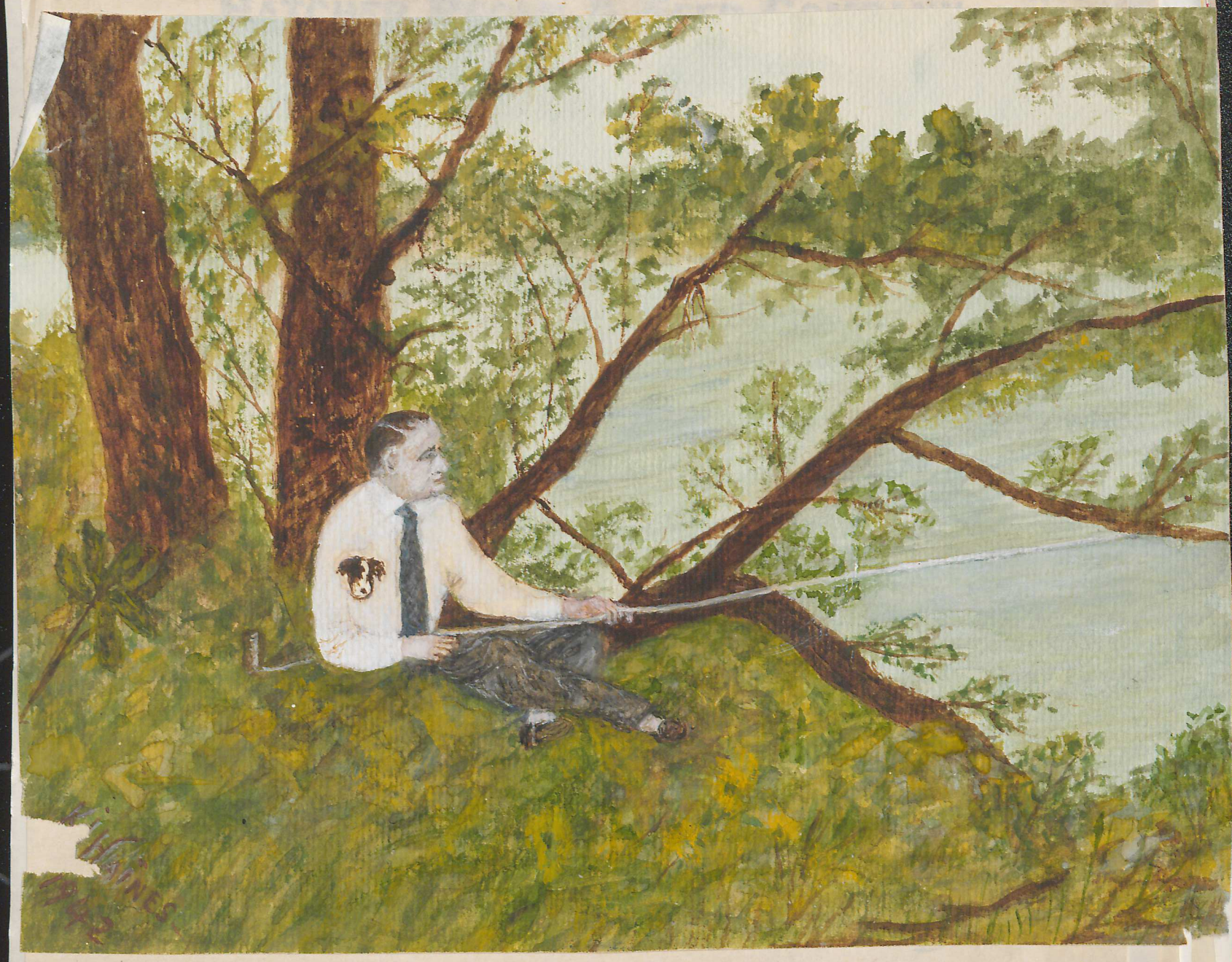

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DREPPERD, C.W.,
New York, N.Y.
undated (Ack. 12-14-42)

Sends President a unique Christmas greeting in the form of a handkerchief reprint of "The Liberty Song". This originated back in 1767.
Handkerchief sent to Hyde Park, Series B.

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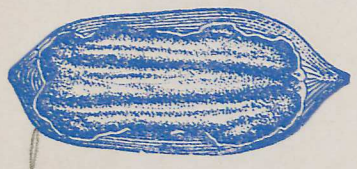

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Dec. 11, 1942.

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

My Dear President:-

I am sure you will have one of the finest turkeys in the land for Christmas, and so I am sending you by to-day's express some of the finest Schley pecans to go with him.

Hope you enjoy the Pecans, and with best wishes, I am,

Yours very truly,

W. G. Hatcher, Jr.

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December 17, 1942

My dear Mr. Hatcher:

The President has received your letter of December eleventh and the pecans which you were good enough to send to him. He is most appreciative of your kindness and asks me to thank you ever so much for your nice thought of him.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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W. G. Hatcher, Jr., Esq.,
310 Seventh Street North -
On the Highway,
Cordele,
Georgia.

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THE VISCOUNT HALIFAX
British Embassy, Washington, D. C.
Dec. 17, 1942. Ackd. 12/18/42.

Let. to the President, enclosing copy of pamphlet in re Civil Defence in Britain, which was transmitted to him from Herbert Morrison, the Home Secretary in London. ---- Original correspondence and pamphlet to Hyde Park Library, Series "B". Copies retained for files.

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The President asks me to acknowledge your letter of December sixteenth, and to thank you for your thoughtfulness in sending along a copy of the booklet, MEDICAL JOURNAL ABSTRACTS. He is very glad to have before him a copy of this journal which you are distributing to the physicians now serving in the armed forces.

Very sincerely yours,

M. H. McINTYRE
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December 16, 1942.

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

Dear Sir:

As you well know, the maintenance of morale in all branches of our armed forces is highly important. It is none the less so amongst those who are physicians.

These men with their training and scientific predilections are generally ever eager to keep abreast of progress in their chosen field, and when they lack access to current medical literature soon find the hiatus irksome, depressing or inconvenient according to their varied natures.

To antidote this situation, a new medical abstract journal has been established and its first issue, Volume 1, Number 1, has been distributed to physicians who are in the various branches of the armed forces in this country and Canada. MEDICAL JOURNAL ABSTRACTS is the title of the new publication, a copy of which is enclosed that you may better appreciate its content, scope and intent. It is prepared, published and distributed gratis by E. R. Squibb & Sons to physicians at various army, navy, marine and coast guard hospitals, stations, posts, camps, etc.

Medical Journal Abstracts is unique in that it is the only clinical medicine abstract journal in the world reproducing abstracts of articles the month after their original publication and covering the entire field of medicine. From comments thus far received, we believe the new journal will contribute to a degree to the maintenance of the fine morale already existing amongst physicians in the military.

Respectfully submitted,
E. R. SQUIBB & SONS

C. E. Halstead

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December 22, 1942

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Director of Selective Service for

consideration and acknowledgment.

M. H. McINTYRE
Secretary to the President

FERRELL, Mrs. Hazel,
2479 E. 110 Street,
Cleveland,
Ohio.

Letter to the President dated 12/20/42.

Asks for deferment for her son, Frank Ferrell (?); asks that two cards regarding her sons registration, that were sent with a previous letter, be returned to her. Encloses a handkerchief as a gift to Mrs. Roosevelt. Enc.. also a self-addressed, stamped--6¢ air mail--envelope.

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LIPSCOMB, W. D.,
Gurdon, Ark.,
December 24, 1942 - ackd.

Sends holly and mistletoe to the President.--T.A.

See P.P.F. 9-L

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December 23, 1942

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My dear Mr. Hayman:

Permit me, in the President's behalf, to thank you for courtesy in sending him the "message" which accompanied your letter of December eleventh. He appreciates your thought in wanting him to have it.

The President is ever so grateful for your expression of confidence in his leadership.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Oscar Hayman, Esq.,
1400 Broadway,
New York, N. Y.

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December 11, 1942

Dear Mr. President:

George Washington said that the inspiring messages of Thomas Paine "worked a powerful change in the minds of many men".

Today, no less than in 1777, words are tools with which to mold men's minds.

Believing that the present marks the turning point in the current war for liberation of millions of enslaved peoples, I take this occasion to publish the words of Thomas Paine as a re-affirmation of faith in the power of democracy and the justice of our cause.

Please accept this message as a token of my admiration for your leadership in advancing the principles that have made this nation the world's greatest force for freedom.

Respectfully yours,

Oscar Hayman

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

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ack 12/11/42

R.F.D.# 1
Harrison, Maine

December 8th.,1942

Stephen T. Early
Secretary to the President of the United States
White House
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

I would like to have you present to the President of the United States,Franklin D. Roosevelt, my contribution to the war effort, which has been accepted by the Victory Center of New York as a war-winning idea, namely ;

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"The United Nations Victory Flag"

A picture and description of the flag are enclosed together with an intimate story of the creation of the flag.

As one of the chief aims of my"United Nations Victory Flag" would be a symbol of Unity, it is especially timely at present.

"WE ARE UNITED NATIONS"
"The United Nation Victory Flag" displayed in addition to the individual flag of each member of United Nations would exemplify this unity.

Sincerely appreciating your courtesy in bringing this to the personal attention of our President, I am,

Respectfully yours,

G. J. Huwyler.

G.J.Huwyler

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STORY OF THE CREATION OF

"THE UNITED NATIONS VICTORY FLAG"

This flag was designed in memory of my dear wife, Marie C. Huwyler, who first concieved the idea. This mother of an American soldier (enlisted in the regular army of U.S.A. and stationed in the Canal Zone) personally raised "Old Glory" every morning and lowered it every night for her son in the service, although her right side was paralized, she was barely able to walk, and had the use of her left hand only.

After Pearl Harbor, when she was finally confined to her bed, her interest in the forming of the United Nations was very keen, and she suggested the designing of an emblem depicting the unity of the allied nations---" a string to tie the bundle of sticks together".

The "United Nations Victory Flag" came into being by her bedside, during the long night watches of her husband and daughter.

Through the graces of our Good Lord, she was priviledged to see the flag in its present design, and,to our great satisfaction, she gave it her approval and expressed the hope that it might stimulate unity and thereby bring Victory and Peace.

G. J. Huwyler.

G.J.Huwyler
R.F.D.#1
Harrison, Maine

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December 11, 1942

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My dear Mr. Huwyler:

Secretary Early has handed me your letter of December eighth, with the enclosure. It was kind of you to send the President the framed picture to which you refer and I want to thank you for your courtesy.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

G. J. Huwyler, Esq.,
Route 1,
Harrison,
Maine.

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FORRESTAL, Hon. James V.
Washington, D. C.
Ackd. Dec. 28, 1942.

Sent handkerchief to the President as Christmas gift. President wrote personal letter of thanks on above date.

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HINCKLEY, Hon. Robert Henry
New York, N.Y.
Dec. 29, 1942.

date
On above/the President wrote a note of thanks to Hon. Hinckley for the Utah celery which he sent him, stating "It has been greatly enjoyed by all of us. It's the best in the world!"

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December 15, 1942

P.S.F. 9-H

My dear Mr. Hospodar:

I am indeed touched by the generous words of your letter of December eleventh.

x PP 79-B

Many thanks for sending me a copy of the brochure AN EARLY TRAVELER IN PRAGUE which you were good enough to inscribe to me.

x 536-A

Very sincerely yours,

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Blaise Hospodar, Esq.,
215 B Street, N. E.,
Washington, D. C.

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Original correspondence and brochure to Hyde Park Library, Series B.

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Mr. President:

Your gracious personality and the warm devotion to the cause of freedom and humanity give me the courage to offer my humble brochure to you.

When my motherland will be restored to its previous happiness and cultural growth, I should like to deposit your autograph, Mr. President, in the treasury of my home town in Czschoslovakia. My people have great faith in you. Their hopes for liberation are concentrated in your dynamic personality and magnificent leadership. Mr. President, they know, that we are going to win. Very soon. And Michalovce, this cultural outpost of the Slovaks, will be very proud to possess your invaluable signature, Mr. President.

Respectfully, with the best Christmas wishes,

(Sgd) Blaise Hospodar.

December 11, 1942
215 B N. E.
Washington, D. C.

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Blaise Hospodar.

INTERNATIONAL HOUSE
500 RIVERSIDE DRIVE NEW YORK
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Mr. President:

Honoured and indebted I am by your gracious letter of December the fifteenth current, forwarded to New York.

Pride will englory my enthusiasm when telling my people, that the greatest leader of the bravest nation found time, amidst his gigantic duties and superhuman responsibilities, to honor my humble request, within a short three days.

Where such grace, such efficiency is the integral part of a leader, that cause, that nation must win. In God's blessed will, we shall!

Devotedly and loyally, Mr. President, is yours,

Blaise Cendrars.

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MITCHELL, John L.
Oakland, Calif.
Dec. 16, 1942. Ackd. 12/29/42.

Sends Christmas card and handkerchief to the President. T. A.

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CHORD, Mrs. Jennie J.
Oakland, Calif.
Ackd. Dec. 28, 1942

Sends product of own handwork to the President; from writer and son, Eugene. To store room.

SEE: PPF 9-C

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FRANCIS, Miss H. L.,
Washington, D. C.,
December 28, 1942 - ackd.

Sends the President handwork.---Sent to Storeroom.

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See P.P.F. 9-F

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December 29, 1942

"IRMA MAE", (no other name available)
Chicago, Ill.
12-29-42 (ack.)

Sent a piece of her handiwork to the President. (Miss Tully on 12-29-42 returned this, explaining why President cannot accept articles of great value or on which the donor has spent a great deal of time and effort.)

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December 29, 1942

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My dear Mr. Hassinger:

Your letter of December twenty-eighth has been received and what you say has been noted with a great deal of interest. You may be assured that the President appreciates your thoughtfulness in sending on the precision angle plate for him to see.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

L. L. Hassinger, Esq.,
Instructor,
Hershey High School Machine Shop,
Hershey,
Pennsylvania.

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Honorable President Roosevelt.
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

Under seperate cover a package is being mailed you that containes a small precision angle plate, which is used in the machine industry.

This plate was made by a groupe of young women who are being trained in the Hershey High School machineshop under supervision of the defense training program, The secuent of operation to produce this plate are as follows, Layout, Shaping, Milling, Grinding, Spotting.

There are twenty women in this class they have been in training nine weeks I believe you will agree the quality of this workmanship prove to us men there is mechanical skill in the feminine hand.

In training women in machine shop practice it is supriseing how quickly they apply themselves to the trade.

Yours for cooperation in defense training.

L. L. Kassinger.
Instructor Hershey High School
Machine shop, Defense training.

L.C.M.

December 28, 1942

My dear Mr. Hollis:

This little note conveys the President's thanks for your card of Christmas greetings and for your thought in sending him the tie. He wants you to know that he deeply appreciates this evidence of your friendliness and good will.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Frank W. Hollis, Esq.,
Rockingham Hotel,
Portsmouth,
New Hampshire.

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THE BEST OF GOOD WISHES



To My Good Friend —
The President

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for Holiday Cheer
and happiness through
the New Year

Sincerely Yours,
Very Truly Yours,

Frank W. Hollis

Buckingham Hotel
Beckenridge, New Hampshire

This little note carries to you,

too, a full measure of good wishes.

Very sincerely yours,

M. H. McINTYRE
Secretary to the President

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Honorable Edwin A. Halsey,
United States Senate,
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December 30, 1942

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Dear Colonel Halsey:

The President wants you to know that he appreciates immensely your kind thought in sending him those Senate Calendars. x 419 x-PPF 9-C

This little note carries to you, too, a full measure of good wishes.

Very sincerely yours,

M. H. McINTYRE
Secretary to the President

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Dear Mr. President:

It is with pleasure that I have the honor to transmit herewith two of the Senate Calendars for the New Year.

Respectfully,

Frank L. Clark

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Mr. McINTYRE'S signature.

Colonel Edwin A. Halsey,
United States Senate,
Washington, D. C.

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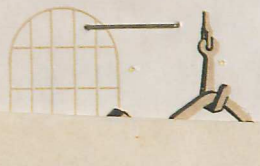

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My dear Mr. Frese:

Permit me to thank you, in the President's behalf, for your courtesy in sending him the 1943 WASHINGTON CALENDAR FOR ENGAGEMENTS. I can assure you that he is most appreciative of your kindness.

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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Walter Frese, Esq.,
c/o Hastings House,
67 West 44th Street,
New York, N. Y.

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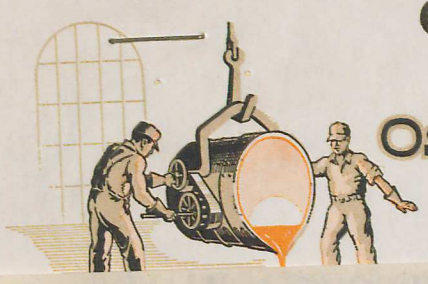

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HITCHCOCK, Mrs. Gilbert M.
Washington, D. C.
Dec. 24, 1942. Ackd. 12/30/42.

Note to the President together with book "A Christmas Carol" which she left at the White House. --- Presidential ackd. on 12/30/42.
Mrs. Hitchcock's note and book to Hyde Park Library, Series A.
Copy for our files.

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Honorable Franklin Delano Roosevelt,
President, United States of America,
White House,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. President:

Our slogan: "VICTORY IS EVERYONE'S JOB"

remains the same for the year 1943 as it has been throughout the year 1942.

That, again, is the message our calendar for the year 1943 carries forth to our friends and acquaintances - not only in words, but especially portrayed by a beautiful woman so emblematical of the FREEDOM and LIBERTY all "RED-BLOODED AMERICANS" have learned to cherish and fight for - regardless of the cost.

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The thought occurred to us, Most Honorable Sir, that you would want a copy of this calendar. We have taken the liberty of mailing one to you today under separate cover.

We admire the continued spirit you have so untiringly and unselfishly evidenced in your efforts toward establishing intelligent understanding, freedom, and Good Will among the people throughout the world.

May God bless and sustain you in your good work throughout the New Year with SUCCESSFUL ADVENTURES far beyond your greatest expectations.

Respectfully yours,

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We admire the Spirit of OUR BOYS at the front, the MEN and WOMEN throughout industry and in civilian occupations - all united together in the greatest effort ever put forth to bring PEACE on EARTH and GOOD WILL to all.

Should you desire additional copies of this calendar, please advise how many, and they will be sent to you promptly.

"VICTORY IS EVERYONE'S JOB!"

Respectfully yours,

OSCAR W. HEDSTROM CORPORATION

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By: _____
Russell W. Hedstrom,
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December 29, 1942

My dear Friends:

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Oscar W. Hedstrom Corporation,
4836-42 West Division Street,
Chicago,
Illinois.

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Note to BB from Mrs. Eben "Record this since Mrs Roosevelt's division want the letter returned. I am sending the book to the Study with an acknowledged slip - One day someone might ask about it."

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Worth Fighting For

Reproduced in full color from the original pastel painting
by J. Bradshaw Crandell.

IT MAY be up to the man in the field to do the actual combat work in this war, but behind the lines there is another great army made up of the young women, sweethearts, wives and sisters of the men at the front, who are doing a great job of backing up their men-folks.

Ordinarily we think of women's work as being in the home, schools or offices, but in times like these we find them taking the place of men on the farm, in factories, machine shops, munition plants and as air pilots. Or, perhaps, they are members of the WAACS or WAVES. Whatever field of activity "The Girl I Left Behind Me" is engaged in, she is well worth fighting for.

Bradshaw Crandell, famed for his delineation of ideal American womanhood, has in this picture undertaken to portray a typical modern example of "The Girl I Left Behind Me," the kind of girl that is prepared to do her part and do it most effectively.

Prepared in calendar form for our friends
and presented with sincere good wishes.

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Thank you so much for anything you can do in this little matter. A Happy New Year!

Truly yours

(S) Sarah M. Hester
(Mrs. Francis O. Hester)

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611 N. Jefferson Street
Madison, Indiana
27th Dec. 1942

Dear Miss Thompson:

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Please pardon my troubling you. I want to send to the President a photostat of the only book ever written by Abraham Lincoln. I do not want to write him or Mrs. Roosevelt, but am venturing to ask if I may send the little book to you, and that you will kindly see that it reaches him. This will avoid intrusion into their busy days, and nothing need be said about the source of the book so far as I am concerned.

It will be kind of you to do this for the greatest man in the world today.

Before stopping I want to say I spent a heavenly week years ago in dear little Grayville - and another in Albion.

I am sending the book in the original covers in which it has been protected these many years.

Thank you so much for anything you can do in this little matter. A Happy New Year!

Truly yours

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December 29, 1942

PPF 9-H

My dear Mr. Halterman:

It was kind indeed of you to send the President those delicious apples. This little note conveys his sincere thanks for your friendly thought.

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

William H. Halterman, Esq.,
Paw Paw,
West Virginia.

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STATE DEPARTMENT
December 19, 1942.

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The Hon. Sumner Welles, Jan. 1st, 1943, wrote the President sending a letter for the President to send to President Lescot.--The President, Jan. 1, 1943, wrote to His Excellency, Elie Lescot, President of Haiti, saying he was happy to have his letter which Mr. White brought on his recent trip. The President said he thanked him for the straw hat which is a most interesting product of the skill of Haitian artisans. The President said that it was gratifying to him to know that President Lescot was thinking of post war problems, which demand the understanding and cool judgment of us all. The President extended his greetings to the President and to Madame Lescot for the New Year.

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