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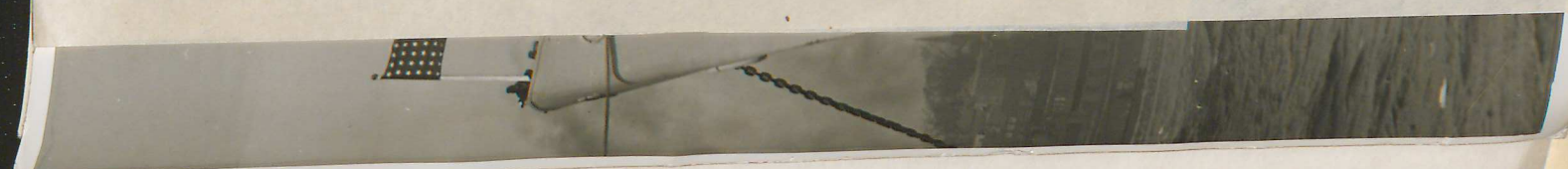

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340 Riverside Drive
New York, N.Y.
May 3, 1943.

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

Dear Mr. President; —

Knowing your fondness
for boats, and after due
consultation with our
mutual friends, the
Hancocks griggins, I am
sending you some pictures
of the Liberty Ship,
Hannibal Hamlin,
which was named for
Vice President Hamlin,
my great grand father.



you all went off on the
wonderful tour, so
I waited, as you see.
Many thanks to you

I had the honor of sponsoring the ship, when she was launched last March, at that wonderful place, the South Portland Shipbuilding Corporation Shipyard. My family and I were much pleased that the fine Captain of the S.S. Hannibal Hamlin should bear the name of Delano! We feel sure that if anyone could pilot "our boat" safely thru dangerous waters, it would be someone bearing such an illustrious name.

To me, such men, and their crews, are truly the "unsung heroes" of this War, don't you feel that way?

I am taking the liberty, also of enclosing some newspaper clippings, which I hope may interest you.

Altho our branch of the Hamlin family has been to date "deeply darkly" Republican, this generation, of which I am the "Matriarch", has always voted for you. We hope to again, too!

My father, Charles Eugene, and the late Charles Sumner Hamlin, were cousins, and at Harvard together, and

you all went off on the wonderful tour, so I waited, as you see.

Many thanks to you



it is Mrs. Charles S. —
"Cousin Bertie" — that I have
come to know these very
charming Griggins. Our places
in Maine are not far apart.

Our present "Hannibal" is
a Lt. Commander in the Medical
Corps of the Navy and on
active duty in the Solomons.

My little red cocker also
has "joined the Navy" — only
in the reserves, as it were!
He desires to send his
respectful salutations to
Falla.

I once had the pleasure
of meeting Mrs. Roosevelt, at a
Labor Education Service dinner.
May I please be remembered
to her? With all good wishes
and kindest regards, my
dear Mr. President, I am
Faithfully yours
Louise Hamlin

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Dear Miss Tully -

A friend of mine Miss Louise Hamlin a great granddaughter of Hannibal Hamlin has just christened a Liberty Ship named for him. She comes from Maine and is a great admirer of the President and is sending him a picture of the ship & a note. I suggested to her to send it to you, knowing it then would reach the President and so would you please give both to him. I am sure he will enjoy having the picture. Also please give him my

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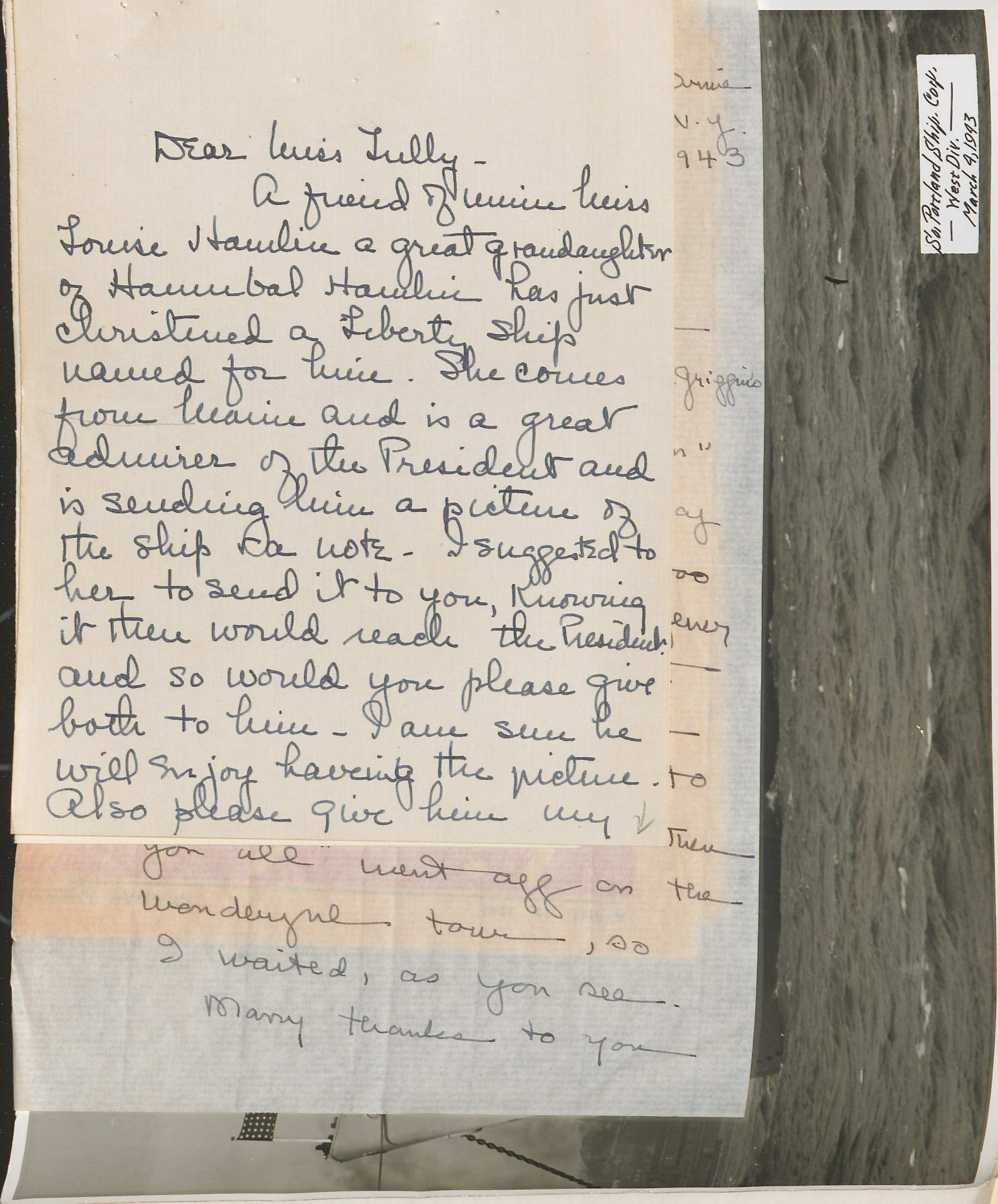

best Love + tell them WE are soon returning to our beloved Maine to raise vegetables and catch fish!

With many thanks to you for all your Kindness -

Always Cordially yours

Katharine Langdon Marion Griffin

230 East 71st Street
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pictures of the Liberty ship Hannibal Hamlin. I am very much gratified with Mr. Shepard's article, as you may imagine. To "name folks" my great grandfather certainly is not "the forgotten man"! People here were raised aroused by the picture "Tennessee Johnson", also, as you will see by the article, and I was glad Mr. Shepard "spoke up" about that, too. Another newspaper man, Mr. Frank Davis, of the Bangor Daily Commercial, I believe wrote the persons to express his purpose of made them, but its central feel that his "own people" a reflection loyalty for Mr. Hamlin.

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Many thanks to you

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I do hope you will forgive me fur bothering you with all this again!

Very sincerely yours
Louise Hamlin

May 5, 1943

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— West Div.
March 4, 1943

340 Riverside Drive
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Dear Miss Tully,—

I have been very slow in acting on Mrs. Griggs's advice—, but I "came down" with a very bad attack of bronchitis (brought on by too powerful a dose of my yearly innoculations!) right after she kindly sent me the letter, and wasn't up to writing the President. Then "you all" went off on the wonderful tour—, so I waited, as you see.

Many thanks to you—



So. Portland Ship. Corp.
— West Div. —
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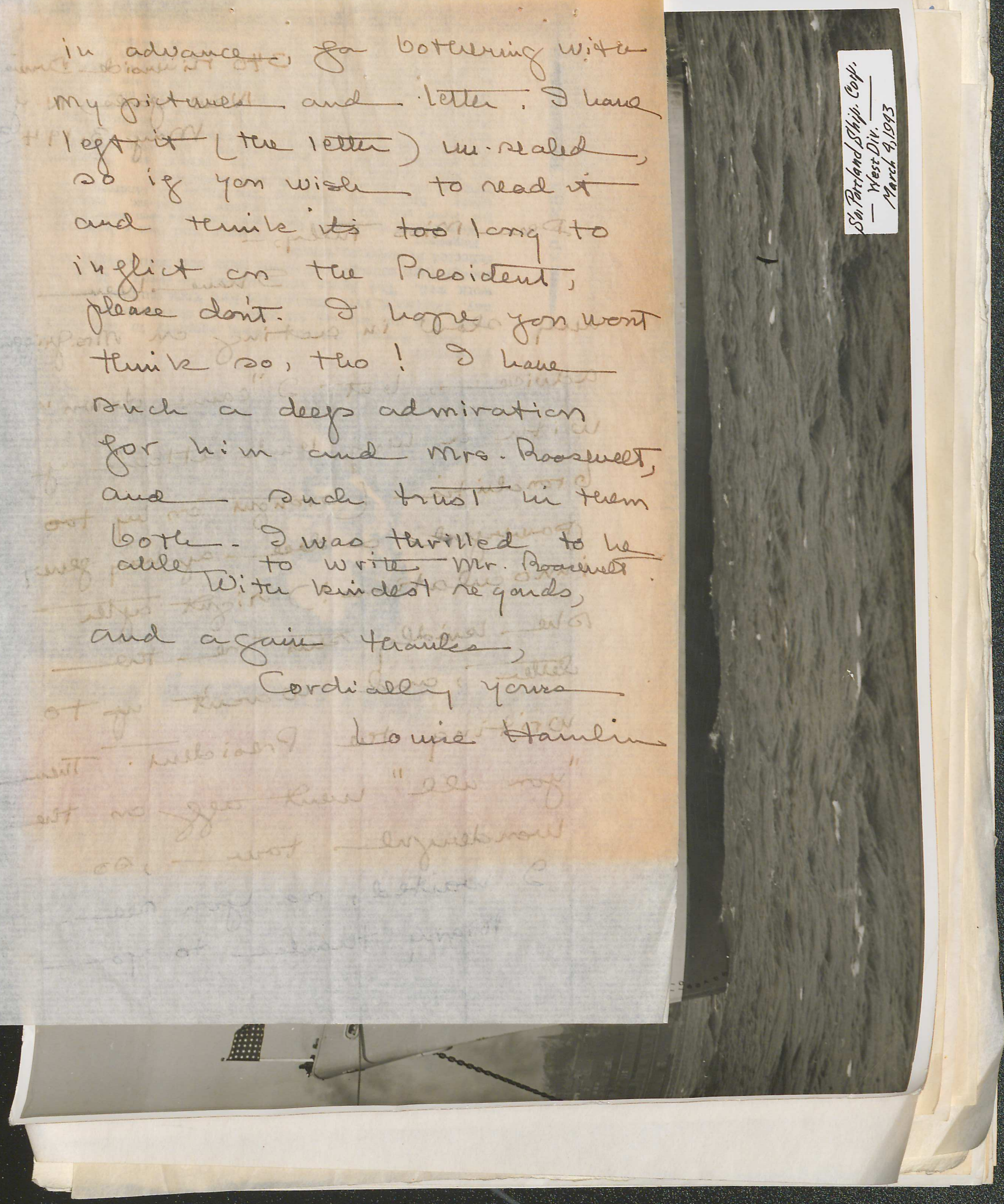
in advance, for bothering with my pictures and letter. I have left it (the letter) unsealed, so if you wish to read it and think its too long to inflict on the President, please don't. I hope you won't think so, tho! I have such a deep admiration for him and Mrs. Roosevelt, and such trust in them both. I was thrilled to be able to write Mr. Roosevelt.

With kindest regards,

and again thanks,

Cordially yours

Louise Hamlin



Maine Ship Launching Recalls Career of Hannibal Hamlin

Papers Give Recognition to a Great Statesman at Same Time that Hollywood Gives History a Fantastic Twist; He Was First to Hear Lincoln's Emancipation Proclamation

By OSCAR SHEPARD

It was, of course, fitting that one of the Liberty ships recently launched by the South Portland Shipbuilding Corporation should have been named for Hannibal Hamlin of Bangor, vice president of the United States during the Civil War, and was christened by his great-granddaughter, Miss Louise Hamlin, now of New York City.

In recognition of the event, a New York newspaper, after twice interviewing Miss Hamlin, devoted a page to the life of the great Maine statesman who came so near the presidency. Remaining members of the family were gratified, for the story recorded a number of his more distinguished accomplishments. It was illustrated, too, by reproductions of several priceless family mementoes. But one may regret a little the article's caption, which read: "The real forgotten man". Twice, in the paragraphs that follow, there occurs a similar phrase.

Forgotten?

Not in this part of the America that Hannibal Hamlin helped to preserve and whose institutions are once again in grave peril.

Walk through Postoffice Mall, squarely in the city's heart, and you will see his statue—as thousands do every day. Charles E. Tefft, Bangor and New York sculptor, did his work well. The figure seems almost to speak. It is as though high courage and serene faith had been caught and reflected in enduring bronze.

Forgotten?

Walk through the mall, up Harlow street and into the Public Library. Here, in the "historical room" at the right of the rotunda, are other reminders of the once vice president. There is a bronze bust, which also is a speaking likeness, by the late Valentine Henneman. It is still, technically, the property of the Hannibal Hamlin Memorial committee, all but three of whose members—Clarence C. Stetson, Wilfrid A. Hennessy and Haven Sawyer—have died. There is a portrait of Hamlin in his later years, given to the library by the estate of Joab W. Palmer, and there is a painting of Mrs. Hamlin by Waldo Peirce, the Bangor artist.

VALUABLE BOOK

Forgotten?

Descend from the historical room to the reference desk, ask for "The Life and Times of Hannibal Hamlin", and you will be surprised to learn how many others have also asked for it in the course of a year. It is a ponderous volume—617 pages—which is not only the one completely authentic story of the statesman's life but is an exceedingly valuable review of the times in which he lived: a panorama of the American political scene.

It was written by his grandson, the late Charles Eugene Hamlin, who made it the study of years. It is easier reading than the average biography, for Mr. Hamlin was at one time a newspaper man—a good one. He had the true reporter's gift of writing vigorously and concisely, delving beneath the surface, and separating the wheat from the chaff.

It would have been a first-class idea could a copy of this volume have been put straight beneath the collective noses of the Hollywood executives responsible for a recent, widely-discussed motion picture. It would have been a better idea could they have been made to read Chapter Thirty-six, captioned "The History of (Andrew) Johnson's Nomination."

The picture was "Tennessee Johnson"; and, when recently it was shown in Bangor, this writer referred to it as "thrillingly good". It was—so far as able acting and generally intelligent direction were concerned. But it was an almost fantastic perversion of history, as history is recorded and understood in this part of the country.

It sought to show that Johnson's nomination was due in large part to Abraham Lincoln, who trusted him, despite his drunkenness and explosive temper, and hence sought to make him heir to the Lincoln policies. And Johnson's impeachment, as the picture has it, was due to his steadfast adherence to those policies against powerful opposition. Hence, despite certain personal faults, he is painted as a knight in shining political armor.

That absurdity, as people in this part of the country believe it to be, went all over the United States—thanks to Hollywood.

HOLLYWOOD REFUTED

What was the truth?

I quote from Chapter Thirty-six, page 461, of the Charles Hamlin book:

"The action of the Baltimore Union Convention of 1864 in renominating Mr. Lincoln and in retiring Mr. Hamlin created general surprise at the time, and was the subject of controversy after Mr. Hamlin's death. The behavior of Johnson while President caused the party that had honored him to inquire who was responsible for his nomination for Vice President. But the facts were not given to the public during Mr. Hamlin's life out of deference to his wishes, and they are presented chiefly because an attempt was made after Mr. Hamlin's lips were closed forever to represent President Lincoln as the cause of the substitution of Andrew Johnson.

"This was a slander on the honor of Abraham Lincoln. He not only desired Mr. Hamlin's renomination, but he also endeavored to bring it about at even his own risk, and finally he was terribly disgusted both for political and personal reasons over the selection of Johnson as his associate.

"Mr. Hamlin's reasons for maintaining silence will be readily appreciated by those who understood his character. He was inexpressibly pained and disgusted at Johnson's conduct as President, but he believed 'the least said, soonest mended'. If he had allowed it to be known that Charles Sumner was the chief cause of his defeat, that would have impaired Mr. Sumner's usefulness, and increased the animosity in the Republican party without accomplishing any good".

Read again Charles Hamlin's ringing sentences, which were written in 1899: "The facts were not given to the public during Mr. Hamlin's life * * * and they are now presented chiefly because an attempt was made after Mr. Hamlin's lips were closed forever to represent President Lincoln as the cause of the substitution of Andrew Johnson. This was a slander on the honor of Abraham Lincoln." Yet that is exactly the representation now made in the picture. And Hamlin is never content with mere assertions. There is no space to reprint the pages that follow; but again and again he cites chapter and verse. Cites them with a veritable avalanche of detail.

Therefore, as Maine people seemingly have reason to believe, we get a plain example of Hollywood fiction vs. historical fact. At best, of a controversy in which Hollywood has listened to only one side. But what we believe to be the fiction went over the United States, thanks to the picture, in a form the average man would readily understand; what we believe to be the fact is buried in a few relatively unknown books in New England libraries. Books, however, readily available for research. Nor is this the first time we have suffered at its hands. When will the city of the cinema really do some research work and give the long-suffering State of Maine a break?

A MEETING WITH LINCOLN

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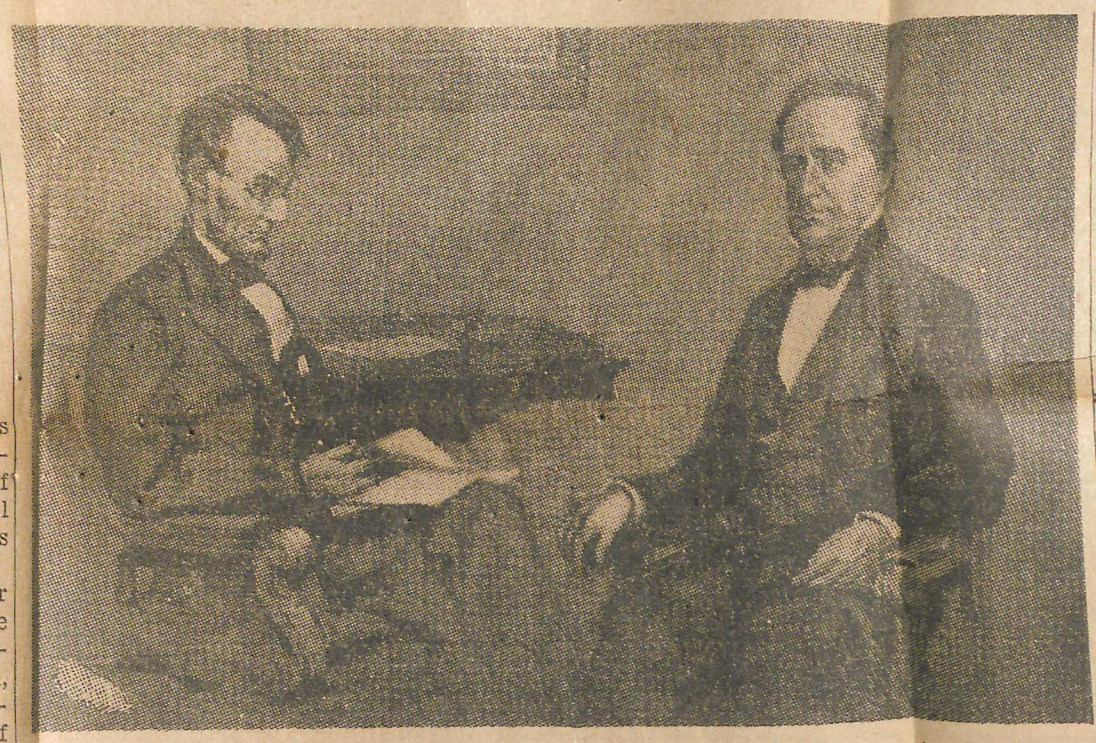
"'Oh yes, there is; at least you can make some suggestions', replied Mr. Lincoln, laughingly, and he repeated his invitation.

"'Finally', said Mr. Hamlin in his account of this famous interview, 'I did make, I believe, three suggestions, two of which Mr. Lincoln accepted'."

This was all that Hamlin would ever tell. He always held that the Emancipation Proclamation was Lincoln's own, and no one else should claim any credit for it whatever.



A LITTLE KNOWN EPISODE IN HISTORY—An unusual picture, showing Abraham Lincoln reading to Hannibal Hamlin an early draft of the Emancipation Proclamation. Thus the Bangor man learned of the famous document long before it was known to the Congress.

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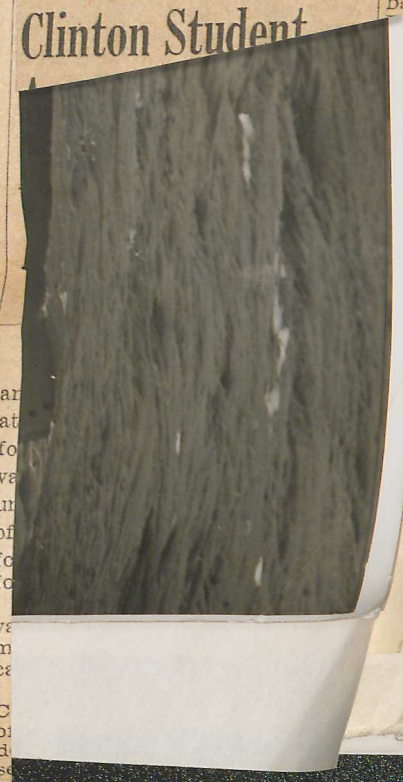

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To quote from the book, verbatim:

"A smile came over Mr. Lincoln's face, and he said in a significant way:

"'No, you don't intend to do anything of the sort'.

"'Oh yes, but I do', said Mr. Hamlin, not quite understanding.

"'No', replied Mr. Lincoln, 'you do not intend anything of the sort; in fact, Mr. Vice-President, you will not leave Washington at present'.

"Mr. Hamlin at once saw that the President had something in mind of unusual importance, and said:

"'Of course I will not think of doing so if you wish. otherwise. You are the commander-in-chief, and I am under orders'.

"'And I order you to sit in that chair', continued the President, laughing, 'and afterwards to ride with me to supper'.

"In a short time the President and Vice-President, escorted by a file of soldiers, rode horseback out to the Soldiers' Home, which Mr. Lincoln occupied as a summer residence. After supper President Lincoln invited Vice President Hamlin into his library, and after locking the door, said.

"'Mr. Hamlin, you have been repeatedly urging me to issue a proclamation of emancipation freeing the slaves. I have decided to yield to your advice in the matter and that of friends—at the same time, as I may say, following my own judgment. Now listen to me while I read this paper. We will correct it together as I go on.'

"Saying this, Mr. Lincoln opened a draw in his desk and took therefrom the first draft of the military proclamation freeing four millions of slaves.

"President and Vice-President then sat down, and Mr. Lincoln slowly read the instrument to his associate, after which he asked for criticisms and suggestions.

"'There is no criticism to be made', Mr. Hamlin replied.



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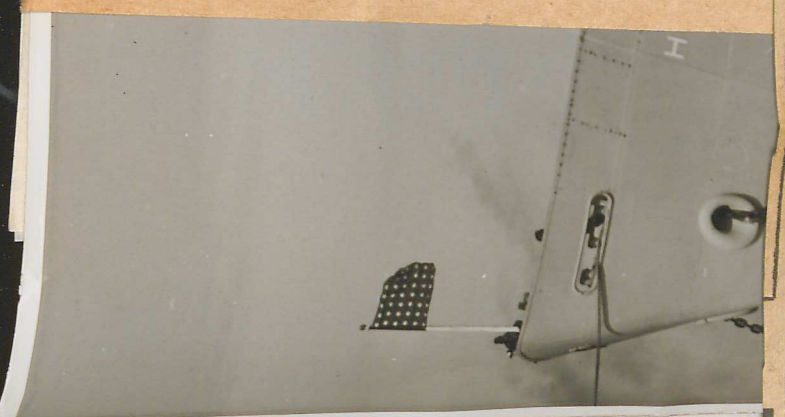



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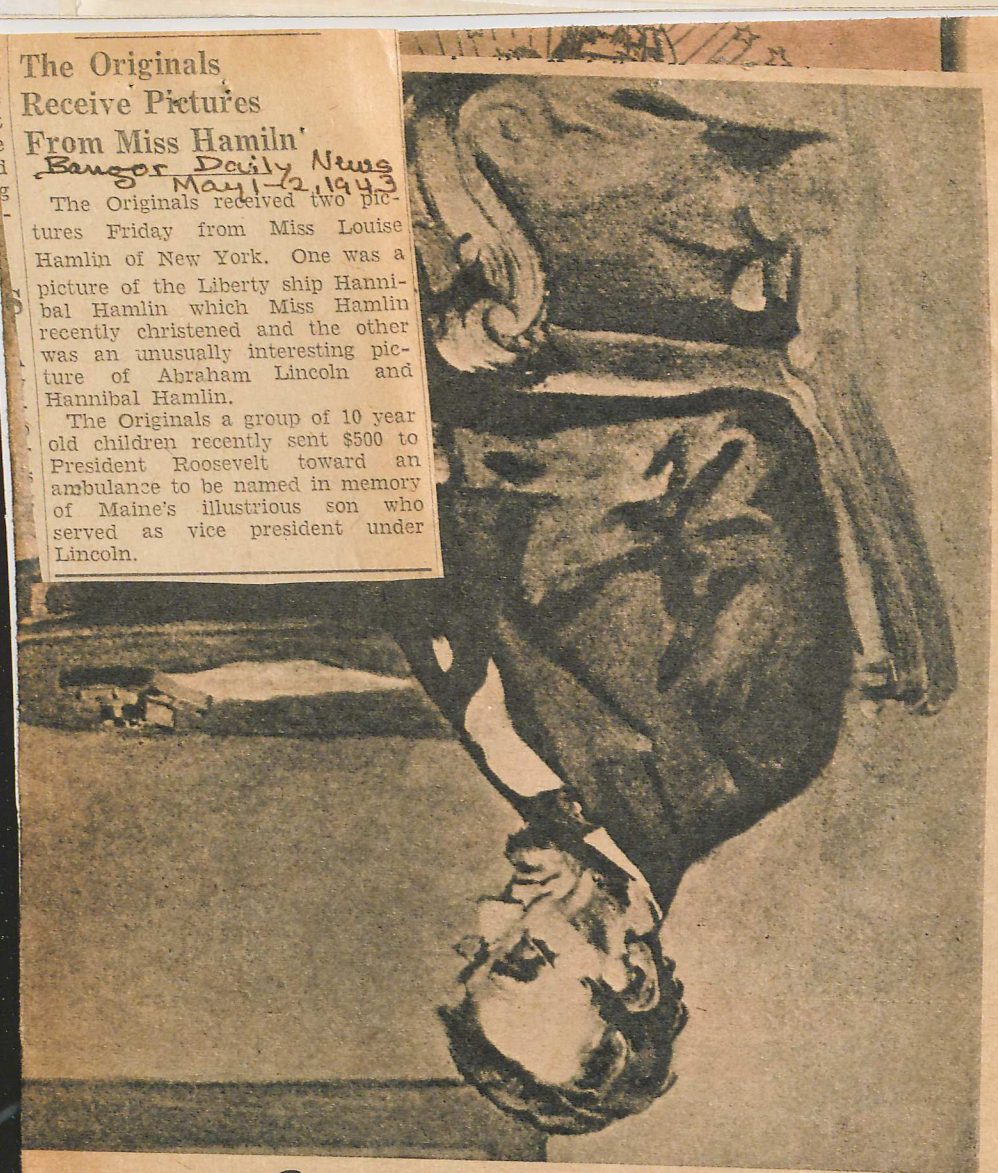
The Originals Receive Pictures From Miss Hamiln'

Bangor Daily News
May 1-2, 1943

The Originals received two pictures Friday from Miss Louise Hamlin of New York. One was a picture of the Liberty ship Hannibal Hamlin which Miss Hamlin recently christened and the other was an unusually interesting picture of Abraham Lincoln and Hannibal Hamlin.

The Originals a group of 10 year old children recently sent $500 to President Roosevelt toward an ambulance to be named in memory of Maine's illustrious son who served as vice president under Lincoln.



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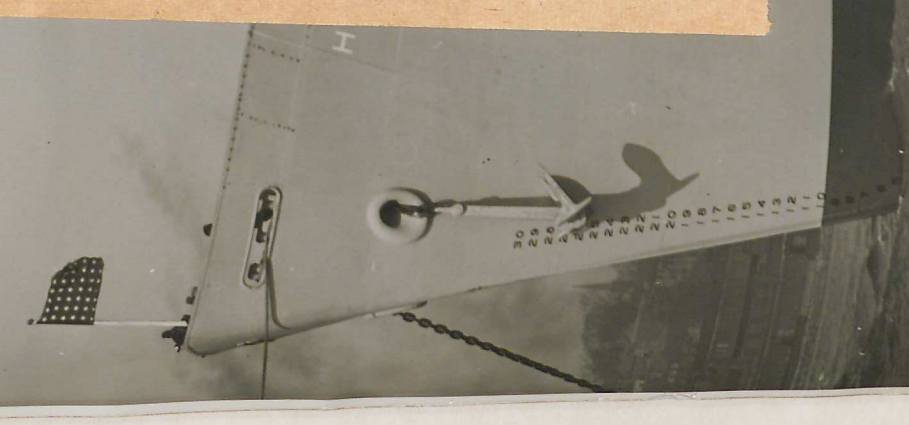
Lincoln's Liberty Ship's Launching Recalls





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Lincoln's Lost Leader—

Liberty Ship's Launching Recalls Hamlin, Forgotten Vice-President



Maine's long-forgotten Hannibal Hamlin—lawyer, congressman, senator, vice-president, minister to Spain—is pictured in this old illustration (above) listening to Lincoln's reading of the Emancipation Proclamation.

From: "Life and Times of Hannibal Hamlin" by C.E. Hamlin

The Real Forgotten Man

IT was the 49th Liberty ship to slide down the ways at the South Portland Shipbuilding Corporation.

Fittingly enough, the 10,500-ton vessel, named after Hannibal Hamlin, one of Maine's most distinguished sons and Vice-President in Lincoln's first term, was christened by his great-granddaughter, Miss Louise Hamlin, of New York City.

However, as Miss Hamlin, a retired high school librarian, later explained in her Riverside Drive apartment, "virtually no one at the ceremony had any idea that my great-grandparent had also been a pioneer in maritime safety measures, that he first paved the way for strict enforcement of laws to make U. S. navigation as safe as possible."

It was during his first term as a Senator that the long-forgotten right-hand man of Lincoln worked long and hard to establish the needed reforms. Consulting hundreds of navigators, steamship owners, scientists and travelers, Hamlin, with Senator John Davis, of Massachusetts, framed the bill which demanded that all ships be licensed, required stiff examinations for pilots and engineers, made it mandatory that all craft be equipped with lifeboats, fire-buckets, axes and numerous other safety devices, and provided heavy penalties for violators.

Hamlin, who was born at Paris Hill, Maine, the same year as Lincoln, worked on the bill for two years before it became law, in 1852. The certificate of inspection that the traveler finds in every public passenger ship in this country is a living testimony to his untiring efforts.

Rising from Lawyer to Congressman to Senator, under the Democratic party, the twice-married statesman, filled with Unionist sympathies, changed his political ties in 1856 to become Republican Governor of Maine. This office he held only a month, being returned, under the Republican banner, to the Senate, where it was felt he could best serve his party.

With Lincoln, whose assassination occurred 78 years ago this month, Hamlin served with marked ability as Vice-President, from 1860 to 1864. And not the least of his contributions was his part in furthering the Emancipation Proclamation. Yet he is forgotten.

One night, after dining at the White House, Lincoln turned to him and said: "Mr. Hamlin, you have been repeatedly urging me to issue a proclamation of emancipation freeing the slaves. I have concluded to yield to your advice. Now listen, while I read this paper; we will correct it together as I go on."

Reflecting his usual modesty, Hamlin, who later became Minister to Spain, would countenance no share of credit for the document which freed four million slaves. Here indeed is America's forgotten man!

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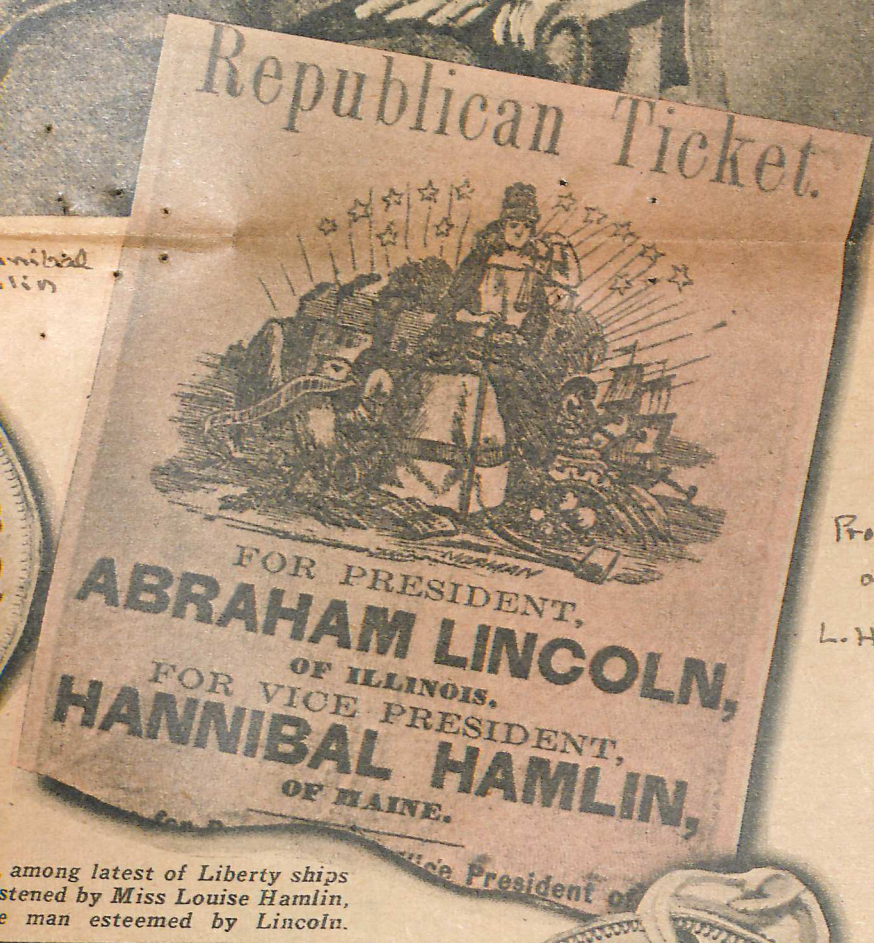

Property of L. Hamlin

The S. S. Hannibal Hamlin, among latest of Liberty ships launched in Maine, was christened by Miss Louise Hamlin, great-granddaughter of the man esteemed by Lincoln.





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Memorabilia of the Lincoln-Hamlin election campaign of 1860 (above), at which time Hamlin, who began his career as a Democrat, became a Republican party spearhead. The campaign tokens, as shown, carried Lincoln's likeness on one side and Hamlin's on the other, and were about the size of a quarter.



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S.S. "Hannibal Hamlin"

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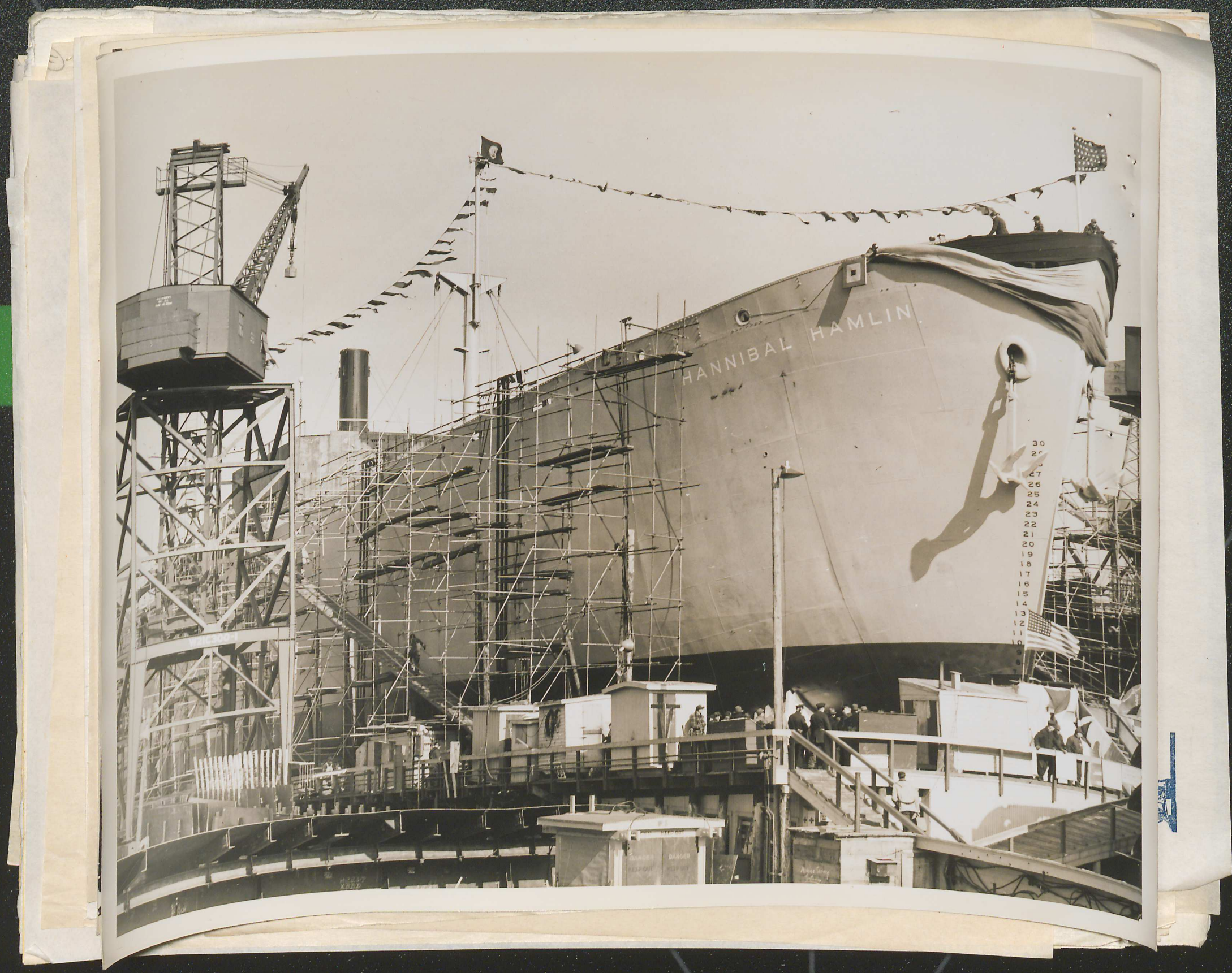
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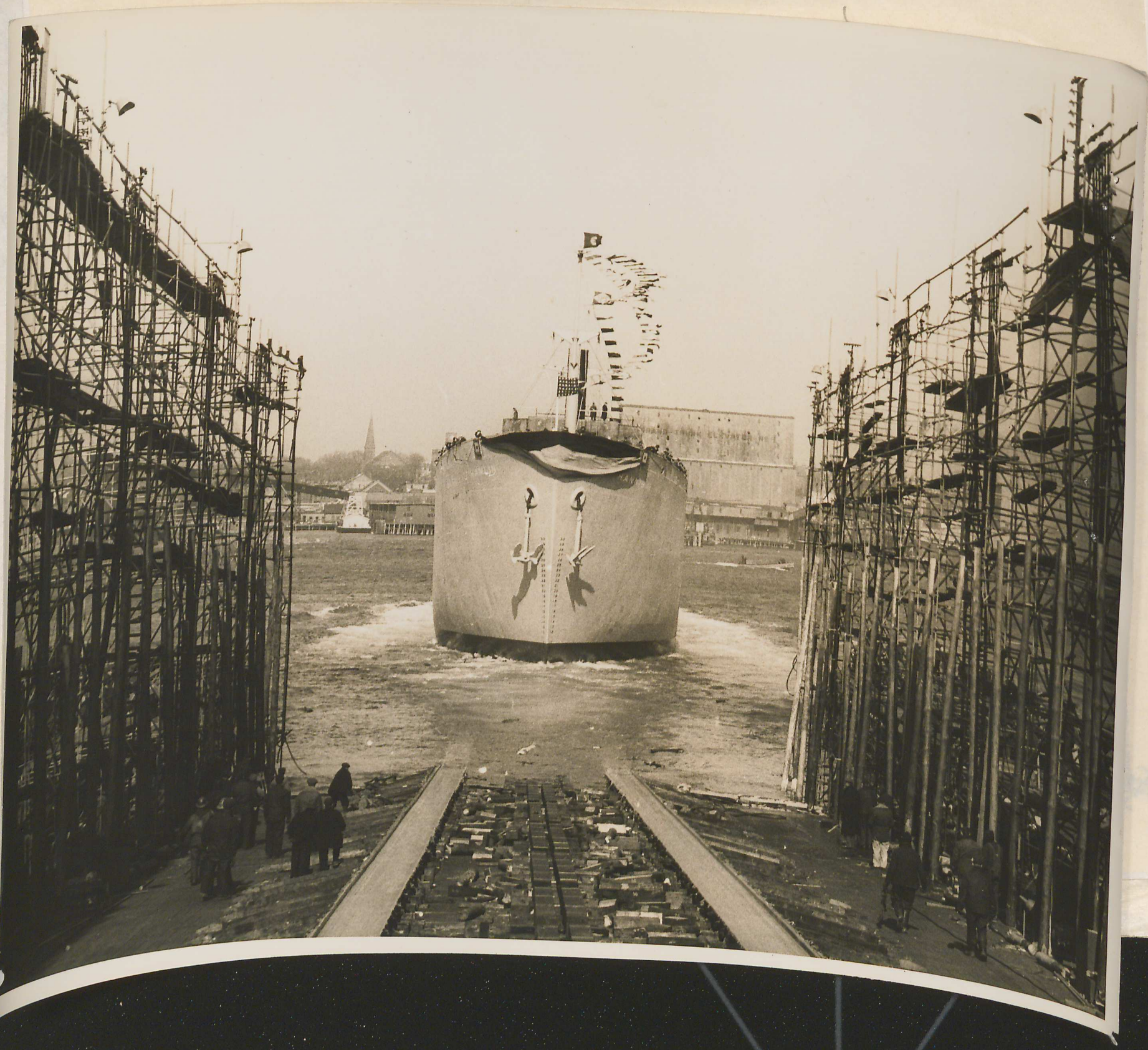

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UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

May 10, 1943

MEMORANDUM FOR
HONORABLE GEORGE T. SUMMERLIN:

Will you please be good enough to have an appropriate note sent to Dr. Hans Heymann, acknowledging receipt or the copy or his book as well as the pamphlet.

Please return the publications to this office when they have served their purpose.

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Dr. Hans Heymann, according to the cover information, came to the U. S. from German in 1936 and is now Research Prof. of Economics at Rutgers Univ.; will be an American citizen in August. Book: PLAN FOR PERMANENT PEACE.

Inscription in book: "To Franklin Delano Roosevelt, President of the United States of America, with profound admiration for his memorable service to the nation and the world. Respectfully, Hans Heymann, Rutgers University, May 1943."

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Sincerely yours,

Chief of Protocol

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Book and pamphlet,
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Miss Grace G. Tully,

The White House.

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May 14, 1943

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE STATE DEPARTMENT,
ATTENTION OF MR. SUMMERLIN:

I attach a card from Mr. John Hunt, President of the Florists' Telegraph Association, Great Britain. Will you not be good enough to have appropriate acknowledgment made?

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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Card from Mr. John Hunt, President of the Florists' Telegraph Assoc., Great Britain, sending greetings on the Tunisian success on behalf of the florists in G. B. and their Empire, and 61 roses which were placed on the President's desk, through Gude Bros. who received cable from the Assoc. x

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BENNINGER, Jean Louise
Villa Park, Ill.
Ackd. May 14, 1943.

Sends Easter card and handkerchief with initial "B"; T.A.

SEE: PPF 9-B

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May 14, 1943

Gentlemen:

I have for acknowledgment the copy of AMERICA'S ROLE IN ASIA, which you so courteously sent to the President. I thank you, in his behalf, for your kind thought.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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Howell, Soskin, Inc.,
11 East 45th Street,
New York, N. Y.

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9-H

May 14, 1943

My dear Mr. Herman:

The President wants you to know that he is most appreciative of the kindness which prompted the presentation of the book DYNAMITE CARGO, which bears the good wishes and signature of Miss Madeleine Carroll. In his behalf, I thank you for your thoughtful courtesy.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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M. H. Herman, Esq.,
466 Broadway,
Newburgh,
New York.

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APRIL 24. 1943
619 West 143 Street

P.P.F.
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CROMIE, Mrs. A.,
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania,
May 14, 1943 - ackd.

Note of thanks from Miss Tully for sending the President a card and handkerchief and says the President is grateful for her prayerful wishes. Given to Miss Tully.

See P.P.F. 9-C

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APRIL 24. 1943
619 West 143 Street

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MC CORD, Miss Louise Marie
Healdsburg, Calif.
Ackd. May 14, 1943.

Sends 3 miniature straw hats to the President; given to GGT.

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APRIL 24. 1943
619 West 143 Street

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May 13, 1943

TA

My dear Lieutenant Holt:

I want to thank you ever so much, on behalf of the President, for your nice thought in sending him that carton of matches. Your remembrance of him in this friendly way is appreciated, you may be sure.

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Lieutenant F. W. Holt III,
A V S, U. S. N. R.
Naval Air Station,
Hutchinson,
Kansas.

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Carton of matches - marked "TA".

APRIL 24. 1943
619 West 143 Street

VIOBIN CORPORATION,
Monticello, Ill.
5-14-43 (ack.)

Sends President a package of Viobin Health Food. (Storeroom)

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APRIL 24. 1943
619 West 143 Street
New York, N. Y.

PPT 9-X

Dear Mr. President,

I'm sending you the best Easter greeting I can think of. Represented as very smashable and tender eggs. X PPT 9-E are, nagissimo, fascissimo and jap-iccimo. Someday when you get really mad at either Mr? Hitler, Mr? Mussolini or Tojo take a good grip on them and smash them, I can assure you that they will leave a big splash.

I've make them myself, especially for you and I sure hope you will enjoy them. I am sixteen years old and go to the High School of Music + Art in New York City.

"HAPPY EASTER!"

Sincerely Yours,
Peter Hollander

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May 14, 1943

T.A.

My dear Mr. Hollander:

Your letter of April twenty-fourth with the novel Easter token, which you sent the President, has been received. In his behalf, I thank you for your friendly thought of him.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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Peter Hollander, Esq.,
619 West 143d Street,
New York, N. Y.

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May 17, 1943

My dear Mr. Hourani:

The President has received with deep appreciation your kind letter transmitting a copy of your extremely interesting pamphlet entitled Manchester and Abraham Lincoln, and has asked me to thank you for your courtesy in sending this to him.

Very sincerely yours,

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Edwin M. Watson
Major General, U. S. Army,
Secretary to the President.

Mr. F. Hourani,
Westholme,
22, Pine Road,
Didsbury,
Manchester, 20,
England.

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. SUMMERLIN: X20

Dear Summy:

Will you please be good enough to have a draft of reply prepared for the President's signature to the attached letter from Mr. F. Hourani.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

EDWIN M. WATSON
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letter of Apr. 30 to Gen. from Lord Halifax, enclosing letter from F. Hourani, Westholme, 22, Pine Road, Didsbury, Manchester-- sends pamphlets "Manchester and Abraham Lincoln" to Halifax and one for President.

UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

May 7, 1943

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UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 4, 1943.

MEMORANDUM FOR

GENERAL WATSON:

Will you thank Lord Halifax and prepare a nice letter to Hourani?

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
WASHINGTON

May 13, 1943

MEMORANDUM FOR GENERAL WATSON:

Dear Pa:

With reference to your memorandum of May 7th, together with its enclosures which are returned herewith, do you really think this requires a letter for the President's signature, since it is noted that the Ambassador hopes that you may feel able to write a line on behalf of the President? I am inclined to agree with Lord Halifax and accordingly have drafted a brief reply for your signature. If you do not agree, I shall be glad to draft one for the President's signature.

George T. Summerlin

Enclosures:
Your file;
Draft letter.

FOR DEFENSE
BUY UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

PERSONAL.

BRITISH EMBASSY,
WASHINGTON, D.C.
April 30th, 1943.

My dear Pa,

I shall hope to be seeing you one of these days, but meanwhile I send you the enclosed with the covering letter that came to me, in the hope that you may feel able to write the man a line on behalf of the President to say that he has received it with much interest.

I don't suppose he will want to look at it himself but it will make the fellow happy if he thinks it has got to his desk. I don't want his letter back so tear it up.

I hope you had a good trip. You must have been kept pretty busy.

Yours ever,

Halifax

Major General Edwin Watson,
The White House,
Washington, D.C.

"Westholme,
22, Pine Road,
Didsbury,
MANCHESTER, 20

April 2nd. 1943.

The Right Honourable The Viscount Halifax,
The British Embassy,
WASHINGTON,
U.S.A.

My Lord,

I have the honour to send your Lordship copies of a pamphlet which I had published in the autumn of last year, and am making so bold as to ask your Lordship to hand one with the letter attached to President Roosevelt, and accept the other for yourself. I am taking this course on the advice of a friend in the American Diplomatic Service here to whom I confided that I had sent this pamphlet with a letter to the President soon after publication but had not had an acknowledgement. My friend advised me to take this course as he felt quite sure that my communication would have been acknowledged had it been received.

I trust, my Lord, that you will forgive me for trespassing on your time in this way and that you will find some compensation in reading the contents of this pamphlet which seems to have escaped the attention of most historians.

I have the honour, my Lord, to remain,

Your most obedient servant,

F. Hourani

22, Pine Road,
Didsbury,
MANCHESTER, Eng.

His Excellency President Franklin D. Roosevelt,

Sir,

I am taking the liberty of sending you the enclosed leaflet in the hope that you will find it of some interest. In doing this I am following, ever so humbly, in the footsteps of Abel Heywood, the worthy Mayor of this city who early in 1863 forwarded to your illustrious predecessor an address and resolutions from the working-men of Manchester on the burning subject of the day. These are fully reported in this leaflet along with President Lincoln's reply. The last sentence in this reply declaring " that whatever misfortune may befall your country or my own the peace and friendship which now exists between the two nations will be, as it shall be my desire to make them, perpetual", has such a striking resemblance to the sentiments which you have so often expressed to the British people that one feels it is the same voice and the same prophetic spirit.

There is yet another reason which has emboldened me to take the liberty of addressing you thus. It is that I am a graduate of the American University of Beyrout and therefore I feel I may address myself to the Head of that Great Nation which, under God, has b been the chief instrument, through this and other humanitarian

institutions in the regeneration of the Near East.

I have also visited the United States in 1929 as an Elder Delegate from the Presbyterian Church of England to the Presbyterian Alliance Conference held in Boston in June of that year, and saw for myself as I travelled through the length and breadth of the land how my fellow-countrymen from Syria, Lebanon and Palestine live a happy and prosperous life under the protection of your glorious flag.

Having known and seen all this and having followed very closely the trend of events in the present struggle with especial attention to the part which you, Sir, have played, may I be allowed to invoke with all my heart God's blessing upon you and your people.

" The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face to shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace".

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Yours very sincerely,

F. Hourani

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May 13, 1943

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My dear Mrs. Herring:

Many thanks for your kindness in sending the President those prints, products of your own work, and for the blocks. He appreciates the friendly thought which prompted you to present them to him.

I have pleasure in conveying the President's best wishes to you.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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Mrs. Louise Herring,
Box 785,
Albany,
New York.

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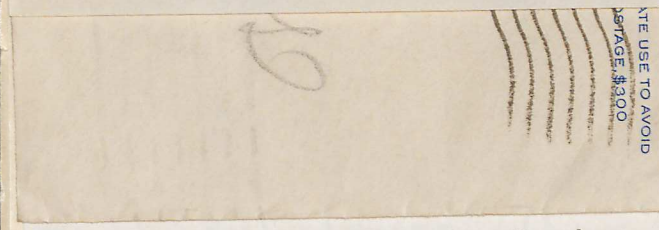

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THE WHITE HOUSE
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Mr. Ira Smith:

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HOCKENSMITH, O. T., Postmaster,
Albany, Oregon,
May 14, 1943 - acknd.

P.P.F. 9-H

Letter to the President, forwarding a wooden hat that Mr. Jesse G. Triplett had made and desires the President to possess one.——On above date, Miss Tully thanks Mr. Triplett for the wooden hat presented to the President through the courtesy of Postmaster Hockensmith.——Also on above date, Miss Tully wrote to Mr. Hockensmith, saying a note of thanks is being addressed to Mr. Triplett direct.—Wooden Hat sent to Storeroom.

See P.P.F. 9-F

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Mr. Ira Smith:

P.P.F. 9-H

NAYLOR, Luppie,
Freehold, New Jersey,
May 20, 1943 - acked.

Sent the President a Hydrangea plant as an Easter greeting, enclosing card.————On 5/15/43, Taylor & Kincaid, Florists, Freehold, N.J., wrote to Mr. Early, wanting to know if the flowers had reached the President and request an ack. be sent to Walter Naylor.————Miss Tully wrote to Mr. Luppie Naylor on above date, thanking him, for the President's plant.————Flowers sent to Mr. Reeves.

See P.P.F. 9-H

5/20/43

Mr. Ira Smith:

No record of having read this.

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Vera Huddle
1949 Addison Street
Chicago, Illinois
May 3, 1943

Having read in the paper that you are subject to head colds, I have taken it upon myself to forward my remedy for the slightest sign of a sneeze or cold coming on. The medicine is in the form of a tablet and is put out by Norwich Pharmacal Company. The name of the tablet is, Rhinitis and one tablet taken in time cures the cold.

Where I work, I pass information like that along because it helps all our plant workers. In closing I hope you remain well for many years to come.

Very Sincerely Yours,

Vera.

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May 14, 1943

My dear Mrs. Hubbard:

Many, many thanks, in the President's behalf, for your kindness in sending that scrap-book to him. Please be assured that your friendly thought of him is much appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Mrs. U. J. Hubbard,
2629 Homer Street,
Chicago,
Illinois.

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The vogue for zany gals has died.
The wacky gents are stopped in stride.
No more grapefruit's smartly smacked
In any lady's puss; in fact
The least *galant* of gangdom's clucks
Don't kick one's teeth in just for ducks.
A Higher, Nobler Force has gripped us—
Desire Under the Eucalyptus;
The paying public, white and darky,
Hanker for Dat Ol' Mullarkey.
Ah, Love, could you and I conspire,
We'd set the Box Office on fire!
With truly Goldwynesque complacence
We could premeer your smash renascence
Whilst Donald Duck doth soft unfold
The Sweetest Story Ever Told.

—ETHEL JACOBSON.

Came the Dawn

THE eggnog holidays are past,
The festive turkey's gone at last,
Which means that we can celebrate
With steak and spinach, tête-à-tête.

And oh, my darling, what a blessing
To have you minus guests and dressing!

—MARGARET FISHBACK.



"I'm starting a neighborhood poll. Now what do you think of Mrs. Katz?"



"The prices you guys charge, I don't blame you for wearing masks!"

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THIS is the witching hour of noon;
Bedlam breaks upon us soon.
When the stroke of twelve has tolled
What a pageant doth unfold.
Drawers slam on pads of notes,
Eager fingers clutch at coats;
Compact, lipstick, comb and hat,
Here a dab and there a pat.
The vital letter just begun
Can sulk in the machine till one.
Stenographers on clicking heels
Scurry forth in quest of meals;
Secretaries arm in arm
Fill the corridors with charm;
The stolid air with scent grows heavy
As bevy scuttles after bevy,
Like the pipers on the beach,
Calling shrilly each to each,
Sure as arrows, swift as skaters,
Converging at the elevators.
From the crowded lift they scatter,
Bursting still with turbulent chatter.
The revolving door in rapture whirls,
Its quarters full of pretty girls.
Soignée, comme il faut and *chic*
On twelve to twenty-three a week.
When One upon the dial looms
They hurry to their office tombs,
There to bide in dust till five,
When they come again alive.

—OGDEN NASH.

I WENT to the movies,
And what did I see?
The hat on the woman
In front of me. —FIGENSHU.

Spoilage

WHERE children's parties were simple
They are now becoming cults
With costly prizes and presents—
And what are the net results?

They are often as formal and stilted
And dull as those of adults.

—W. E. FARBSTEIN.

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V for Victory

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May 4, 1943

My dear Mr. Herring:

This little note conveys the President's hearty thanks to you for your courtesy in sending him that personal copy of the 1943 TAPS. Your friendly thought is much appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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James Crayton Herring, Jr., Esq.,
Editor-in-Chief 1943 TAPS,
Box 882,
Clemson,
South Carolina.

Sali Hertz
V For Victory

May 24, 1943

PPF 9-H

My dear Mrs. Hertz:

I have for acknowledgment your letter of May twentieth and want to express thanks to you on behalf of the President and Mrs. Roosevelt for the friendly motive which prompted you to make and send them the crocheted emblems. You may be sure that your nice thought of them is deeply appreciated, and this note takes to you their best wishes.

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Mrs. Sali Hertz,
216 Beach 71st Street,
Arverne, Long Island,
New York.

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Very truly yours,

Sali Hertz

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May 20th 1943
216 Beach 71st St.
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5/24/43

Mr. Franklin Delano Roosevelt,
White House,
Washington, D.C.

My Dear Mr. President.—

As an appreciation of America, permitting my Husband and myself to enter this great country as refugees from war torn Europe, and enjoy this great country's freedom, and the privilege of becoming one of its citizens, we express our thanks.

Since Decoration Day, is a day that is close to the hearts of all Americans, and our hearts, are also with all America, I, Mrs. Sali Hertz, send you Mr. President, and Mrs. Roosevelt, four American Emblems which I personally Knitted especially for you, and Mrs Roosevelt to wear on Decoration Day.

Wishing you Mr. President, and Mrs. Roosevelt continued good health and long life, with all your family.

Very Truly Yours

Sali Hertz

V For Victory

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are for you + Mr Ingling
to wear Decoration Day
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SHIELDS, Hon. Leighton,
Washington, D. C.,
April 19, 1943 - ackd.

Sends handkerchiefs to the President.——Card enclosed sent to Miss Tully with hankies for the President.————On the date of 5/24/43, the President personally wrote to Mr. Shields, thanking him for the handkerchiefs that he brought from China, particularly the monogramming.

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Letter from Byron S. Huie, Jr., Commander, U.S.N.R., Commanding Officer, U.S. Naval Repair Base, Eritrea Service Command, U.S.A. F.I.M.E., Massawa, Eritrea, 4/26/43, to the President, enclosing large framed portrait of the President, done by Silvio Di Paola, an Italian employee of the above base. States that during the time of the American occupany of this base, the portrait hung in the Officers Recreation Room. Now that the base has been rebuilt and is soon to be turned over to the Royal Navy, it was thought proper that the portrait should be sent to the President. The following address appears on envelope addressed to the President - "War Department, E.S.C.-U.S.A.F.I.M.E.-S.O.S., A.P.O. 686".

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May 25, 1943

My dear Mr. Haimo:

Permit me to acknowledge the re

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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Oscar Haimo, Esq.,
252 East 61st Street,
New York, N. Y.

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BOOK: COCKTAIL DIGEST, Oscar Haimo or the Hotel Pierre.

JRF:MT

Delegate from Hawaii

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Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Bruce Leffingwell
Portrait of the President

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May 25, 1943

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Respectfully referred to the
officials of the Department of
State for appropriate action.

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GRACE G. TULLY
Private Secretary

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Letter from Byron S. Huie, Jr., Commander, U.S.N.R., Commanding Officer, U.S. Naval Repair Base, Eritrea Service Command, U.S.A. F.I.M.E., Massawa, Eritrea, 4/26/43, to the President, enclosing large framed portrait of the President, done by Silvio Di Paola, an Italian employee of the above base. States that during the time of the American occupany of this base, the portrait hung in the Officers Recreation Room. Now that the base has been rebuilt and is soon to be turned over to the Royal Navy, it was thought proper that the portrait should be sent to the President. The following address appears on envelope addressed to the President - "War Department, E.S.C.-U.S.A.F.I.M.E.-S.O.S., A.P.O. 686".

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Delegate from Hawaii

x 400 Hawaii

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May 25, 1943

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My dear Mr. Haimo:

Permit me to acknowledge the receipt of the inscribed copy of your booklet which you were good enough to send to the President. I can assure you that your kind thought is much appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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Oscar Haimo, Esq.,
252 East 61st Street,
New York, N. Y.

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BOOK: COCKTAIL DIGEST, Oscar Haimo or the Hotel Pierre.

JRF:MT

Delegate from Hawaii

$400 Hawaii

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May 14, 1943

My dear Lieutenant Hooper:

It was good of you to present to the President that inscribed copy of your GUIDE TO ADMINISTRATION U. S. MARINE CORPS. This little note carries to you the President's thanks for your kind thought and his best wishes.

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

First Lieutenant Walter R. Hooper,
United States Marine Corps,
Marine Barracks, Navy Yard,
Philadelphia,
Pennsylvania.

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JRF:MT

Delegate from Hawaii

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May 4, 1943

My dear Mr. Hilton:

This little note conveys the President's hearty thanks to you for your kindness in sending him the inscribed copy of your book, THE STORY OF DR. WASSELL.

He much appreciates your friendly thought.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

James Hilton, Esq.,
2225 Maravilla,
Hollywood,
California.

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JRF:MT

J. R. Farrington
Delegate from Hawaii

JOSEPH R. FARRINGTON
DELEGATE FROM HAWAII

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

June 10, 1943

Major General Edwin M. Watson,
Secretary to the President,
The White House,
Washington, D. C.

Dear General Watson:

This letter follows a telephone conversation with my friend Stephen Early, who in turn referred me to Miss Roberta Barrows, and she suggested that the best way for bringing the subject of our conversation to your attention was to present it in a brief note.

I have today received from Senator Alice Kamokila Campbell* of the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii a wire saying she is arriving in Washington next week to present to the President a gift from the wives of the Hawaiian homesteaders of the Islands.

I understand this gift is a calabash (a large Hawaiian bowl of koa) and for the purpose of its presentation a me-le (chant) has been recorded, expressing the sentiments of the Hawaiian homesteaders.

Senator Campbell is a resident of the Island of Molokai where the chief Hawaiian homesteading project is located, and is very actively interested in this attempt to rehabilitate the Hawaiian race. She is a sister of Princess Kawananakoa, whose late husband, David Kawananakoa, would have succeeded Queen Liliuokalani in the event the Hawaiian monarchy had been perpetuated.

In view of the fact that she has come from such a long distance and from a war zone, any arrangements that you can make to carry out this mission in an appropriate way will be greatly appreciated.

Yours sincerely,

J. R. Farrington

J. R. Farrington
Delegate from Hawaii

JRF:MT

June 23, 1943.

MEMORANDUM FOR HON. GEORGE T. SUMMERLIN:

Dear Summy -

The President has asked that you be good enough to have prepared in the Department, a letter of thanks for the President's signature, to Senator Alice Kamokila Campbell, of the Legislature of Hawaii, for the lovely bowl (calabash) which she presented to him today. Senator Campbell called upon the President this morning.

I attach herewith a copy of letter addressed to me by Delegate Farrington from Hawaii, which describes the purpose of this gift. It was the President's thought that I should also send you the calabash as it might aid in the preparation of the letter.

Thank you.

EDWIN M. WATSON
Secretary to the President.

BUY UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

Series B

June 30, 1943

or Campbell:

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hers of Hoolehua, Molokai. May I
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shall keep it always as a valued manifestation
of their friendly sentiments and good-will.

Very sincerely yours,

(Sgd)FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

The Honorable
Alice Kamokila Campbell,
Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii,
Honolulu.

BUY UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

June 30, 1943

My dear Senator Campbell:

It was with a great deal of pleasure that I received the beautiful bowl which you so graciously presented to me on behalf of the Hawaiian mothers of Hoolehua, Molokai. May I request that you convey to them my deep appreciation of the gift, and the assurance that I shall keep it always as a valued manifestation of their friendly sentiments and good-will.

Very sincerely yours,

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Alice Kamokila Campbell,
Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii,
Honolulu.

BUY UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
WASHINGTON

In reply refer to
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June 29. 1943

My dear General Watson:

In compliance with your memorandum of June 23, 1943, I am enclosing herewith, for the President's signature, a draft of a suggested letter thanking Senator Alice Kamokila Campbell for the Hawaiian bowl.

The bowl is returned herewith.

Sincerely yours,

G. J. Summerlin

Chief of Protocol

Enclosures:

1. Draft letter.
2. Bowl, returned.

Major General Edwin M. Watson,
Secretary to the President,
The White House.

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Major General Edwin M. Watson,
Secretary to the President,
The White House.

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June 28, 1943

My dear Mrs. Holland:

Your nice card has been received and I want to thank you, in the President's behalf, for your thoughtfulness in sending him the picture and statuettes which you enclosed. You may be sure that he is most appreciative of your good wishes.

Very sincerely yours,

P.P.F. 9-S
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Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Mrs. Holland,
243 E. 18th Street,
New York, N. Y.

Given to FDR

TO FATHER

of our Country
Von Father's Day



Also Luminous Paint in Bottles

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Joseph L. Grosse, Esq.,
Faculty Adviser,
The High School of Commerce,
155 West 65th Street,
New York, N. Y.

Hon. President

Kindly accept from a 58 year
old humble person who adores
Jane 42 years on Fathers Day
best wishes to you
and our first boy
(Mrs Holland now
at 243 E. 18 Street
New York

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RUST CRAFT BOSTON, U. S. A.

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I am the light
That shines both night and day.

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The High School of Commerce,
155 West 65th Street,
New York, N. Y.

June 7, 1943

My dear Mr. Grosse:

Thank you, in the President's behalf, for your courtesy in sending him a copy of the 1943 Year Book of the High School of Commerce. All that you say in your letter of June third has been noted with interest and he asks if you will not be good enough to convey his very best wishes to the members of the graduating class.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Joseph L. Grosse, Esq.,
Faculty Adviser,
The High School of Commerce,
155 West 65th Street,
New York, N. Y.

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155 WEST 65TH STREET
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EDWARD J. McNAMARA
PRINCIPAL

June 3, 1943

Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt
Washington, D.C.

My dear Mr. President:

It is a distinct pleasure for me to inform you that the June 1943 graduating class of The High School of Commerce of New York City, dedicated its Yearbook to you and your memorable Four Freedoms. A copy of the book accompanies this letter.

This is truly a war class, born during the early days of the global conflict and now, immediately after commencement, ready to enter into the service of its country. I speak for the class when I say that every member of it feels privileged to serve under you, and anticipates the immediate future with that special excitement of youth. The Yearbook indicates this in its theme, its stories and pictures. It is typical of a big American school of today.

Very sincerely yours,

Jos. L. Grosse

Joseph L. Grosse, Faculty Adviser

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Mr. Stephen J. Early
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Early:

Under separate cover, with explanatory letter enclosed, I am sending the President a copy of the Yearbook of the Class of June 1943. This issue was dedicated to President Roosevelt and The Four Freedoms.

I know just how busy a man our President is today but I feel that some acknowledgement, however slight, will mean much to a class headed right for service in the armed forces immediately after graduation.

Thank you.

Sincerely yours

Jos. L. Grosse

Joseph L. Grosse, Faculty Adviser

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The City of New York
The High School of Commerce
155 West 65 Street
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Edward J. McNamara
Principal

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Sincerely yours

Jos. L. Grosse

Joseph L. Grosse, Faculty Adviser

May 14, 1943

My dear Mr. Hill:

I want to thank you, on behalf of the President, for the friendliness which prompted you to send him that carton of cigarettes. You may be sure that your kind thought of him is indeed appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Henry I. Hill, Esq.,
1268 Lakeview Avenue,
Richmond,
Virginia.

Carton of Luckies - marked "TA".

Jeffersonville Ind
June 3-1943

To-
Hon. Franklin D Roswelt
Pres. United States of America
Comanding Chief U.S Army

Dear mr.

Pres,
I thought I would write and thank you for my appointment to the Jeffersonville Quartermaster as leather worker, also for placing me in a better place, so I can give more aid in the war efforts I will continue to buy Bonds and Bonds until we have capture the enemys, God know I am a true amercan and I am proud to be a Soldier of Production I am very glad you Received the cigarettes

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will send another Cartoon
Soon. I left my home,
1268 Lakeview ave, Richmond
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monday a week ago. I met a
number of Smiling Officers
of Some I use to Soldier with
I Wish the face of Gen Hunter
a Gentlemen, oh I love him
his ways and his work.
may God Bless him for making
Jeffersonville a Place of
production and refinery. I wish
The President would write him
for me so I can lecture to
men. Thinking of you I took
Thime off from Lunch to
write So Good Bye Mr Pres
may God Blers you.
you. Henry J Hill
613 missouri ave

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June 12, 1943

Gentlemen:

Thank you, in the President's behalf, for your courtesy in sending him the advance copy of the book received recently. Your kind thought is much appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Harper & Brothers,
49 East 33rd Street,
New York, N. Y.

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"The Blood Transfusion Murders"

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49 EAST 33RD STREET
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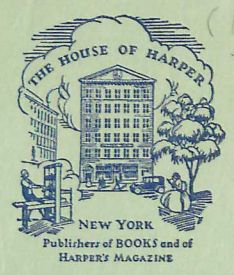

TO THE LITERARY EDITOR:
Direct quotation in reviews is limited to 500 words unless special permission is given.

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Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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Bryan Hinshaw, Esq.,
3079 NAS,
Pensacola,
Florida.

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BOOK: "NOW" by Bryan Hinshaw.

NARVAEZ, Miss Andrea,

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PPF 9-H

June 21, 1943

My dear Mr. Hinshaw:

This will acknowledge the receipt of the inscribed copy of your book which you were good enough to send to the President. I want to assure you that your kind thought is appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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Bryan Hinshaw, Esq.,
3079 NAS,
Pensacola,
Florida.

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BOOK: "NOW" by Bryan Hinshaw.

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NARVAEZ, Miss Andrea,
San Antonio, Texas,
May 19, 1943 - (ackd. 6/22/43).

Writes to the President, sending him a gift of her own handiwork, "Birgen de Guadalupe" so God would help us in everything.——————Given to Mr. Hassett.

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See P.P.F. 9-N

PPF 7
9-H

June 24, 1943

My dear Miss Hamel:

The President has received your recent letter and has noted it with interest. He asks me to thank you ever so much for your kindness in writing and sending him the sketch which you enclosed.

This little note takes to you the President's best wishes for improvement in your health.

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Miss Virginia Hamel,
South Ryegate,
Vermont.

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Sketch received in Staff Room with letter.

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South Ryegate, Vt.
May 16, 1943

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Dear Mr. President,

I am a sixteen year old high school student. Since last January I have been out of school because of illness. During this period I made several drawings of which this is one. I am very interested in art although I have never had a lesson. I hope you will accept this pencil sketch as a token of my esteem.

Virginia Hamel

F. D. ROOSEVELT

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Virginia Hamel
F. D.
Roosevelt

April 3, 1943

Virginia Hamel

age 16

PPF 9-H

June 17, 1943

My dear Mr. Heine:

It was kind indeed of you to write the President as you did in your note of June eleventh. Permit me to thank you, in his behalf, and to assure you that he appreciates the friendly thought which prompted you to send him a copy of the booklet, MENTAL REFRESHMENT.

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

J. C. Heine, Esq.,
6237 Dover Street,
Oakland 9,
California.

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June 11, 1943

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Dear Mr. Roosevelt,

The excellent judgment which you have shown in fulfilling the arduous tasks of your office, has proven your great wisdom and shows that you are in harmony with the Divine Teachings which inspired the writer of this book of poems, "Mental Refreshment," by Mrs. Clara Masters.

I trust you will have an affinity with the truths therein.

Respectfully yours,

J. C. Heine

6237 Dover St
Oakland 9, Calif.

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6237 Dover Street
Oakland, 9, California

Miss Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary
The White House
Washington, D. C.

My dear Miss Tully:

From your letter of June 17, I presume that the little booklet, "MENTAL REFRESHMENT," was never examined nor read by the President.

This book was written by spiritual inspiration and worthy of <u>even</u> the President 's attention.

If by lack of discernment "MENTAL REFRESHMENT" was ignored or neglected, kindly use the enclosed dollar to return this book to me by <u>registered, air mail</u>, so that I may put the book into the hands of one worthy to be benefited by the words therein.

Very truly yours,

J. C. Heine

J. C. Heine

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Heine, J. C.
6237 Dover Street,
Oakland, 9,
California.

One dollar bill returned via registered mail, 6/29/43, without comment.

Mr Wagner

Mr Dorsey suggests
he return the $1 with-
out Comment

M. E.

(For your info the book
is on its way to H. P.
which means waiting for
its return, etc) WE

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June 24, 1943

My dear Mr. Hinlein:

Permit me to thank you, in the President's behalf, for the carved caricature to which you refer in your letter of June eleventh. I want you to know that he appreciates the friendly thought which prompted you to send him this product of your own handiwork.

PPF 9-C

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Stanley H. Hinlein, Esq.,
1420 Walnut Street,
Philadelphia,
Pennsylvania.

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Series "B"

Stanley H. Hinlein

REAL ESTATE

1420 WALNUT STREET · PHILADELPHIA · PENNYPACKER 0644

June 11, 1943

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

Dear Mr. President:

Under separate cover, I am forwarding to you a caricature carved by the writer with a penknife. This hobby has proven particularly interesting, at this time, because of the fact that it represents complete mental relaxation.

It seemed to me that the "famous smile," known the world over, should be fixed in permanent material as I think it typifies the spirit of our American people when at peace with the world.

I trust this modest offering will find a place among your momentoes of a life well spent. May your smile be forever present.

Cordially,

Stanley H. Hinlein

Stanley H. Hinlein

SHH/b

GLAZE, Clarence E., Chairman,
LOCKHEED OVERSEAS CORPORATION,
Glendale, California and A.P.O. #636, N.Y.C., N.Y.,
May 5, 1943 - (acknd. 7/13/43).

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Let. to the President, attaching scroll, which is indicative of the goodwill and friendship existing between the Irish and the American Masonic Brothers stationed in Northern Ireland and souvenir handkerchief, program and various mementos of his social gathering at Belfast. Attached to correspondence are letters re above from the following people; to the President: John W. Gillmour, Belfast, Northern Ireland, dated, 5/4/43, Harry Mulholland, Stormont, Belfast, Northern Ireland, dated, 5/6/43, James S. Shaw, Major, Air Corps, Co-ordinator, New York, N.Y., dated, 5/10/43 and David H. Martin, Antrim, Northern Ireland, dated, 5/10/43.—

On 7/13/43, Miss Tully referred the above correspondence to the State Dept. for further ack. as may be deemed appropriate. The scroll is being retained at her office. Atten. Mr. Summerlin.————On 7/16/43, Stanley Woodward sent memo to Miss Tully, with reference to her memo of 7/13/43, transmitting the file containing the letters which were sent to the President by Mr. Glaze of Glendale, Calif., the White House file is enclosed since it appears that nothing further need be done.————Scroll and souvenir handkerchief sent to Hyde Park Library Series "P".

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See P.P.F. 9-L

PPF 7
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July 1, 1943

My dear Mrs. Hartman:

Your letter of June twenty-ninth has been received and it was indeed kind of you to send the President a copy of the book STREAMS IN THE DESERT. Permit me to thank you in his behalf and to tell you how grateful he is for your friendly thoughts and your prayerful wishes during these critical days.

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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Mrs. Myra Hartman,
622 Second Street, N.W.,
Canton,
Ohio.

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Gone to prayer, it seemed I should send it.

I was a little like Jonah I would not follow through.

But I have come to the place where I am more afraid of offending God than man.

So I prepare it now with prayer that God will lay the cloak of His protecting love — Wisdom and Strength about You for the trying days ahead.

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Mary Eben

Canton Ohio
June-29-43

Dear Mr President:-

Please believe me when I say I still feel somewhat presumptuous to write to You and send this little book.

As though I had better spiritual advice to offer than those about You.

But for many months as I have gone to prayer, it seemed I should send it.

I was a little like Jonah I would not follow through.

But I have come to the place where I am more afraid of offending God than man.

So I prepare it now with prayer that God will lay the cloak of His protecting love — Wisdom and Strength about You for the trying days ahead.

Arkansas.

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Especially fitting is todays ~~reading~~ June 29. please read it or have someone read it to You.

It is not nessary that I write much, the book speaks for itself.

Every days reading is the essence of Faith in compact form and speaks with beautiful simplicity.

Caleb and Joshua Saw God first and their giants second;

So I hope will you, no matter how big they get, or how threatening, right here at home or abroad.

Never in the history of our Country has any President had to face so many Giants political or otherwise. But You are not there by accident, But by Providence;

So You are the man to face them.

I pray that the Dear Lord will work through You as the Joshua of today, to set the example of bringing unselfishness out of the tangle of selfishness and greed of today. To some thing of the Vision You must have carried in Your heart these many years.

My warm regards to our Dear First Lady I saw and heard her talk when she was with us in Canton.

Sincere best wishes to you and Yours, from an ordinary Woman of America trying to be a good Soldier of our Country and just a little better one for God. Mrs Myra Hartman.

Reverend I. Robert Hamilton,
Chastain,
Arkansas.

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July 5, 1943

My dear Mr. Hamilton:

Thank you, on behalf of the President, for your letter of recent date. It is thoughtful of you to want to present to him the cane made of stamps and the bust which you have carved, but it is felt that you should not be deprived of the possession of your handiwork. Your kindness is appreciated, nevertheless.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Reverend I. Robert Hamilton,
Chastain,
Arkansas.

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Wants permission to carve bust from the Prest., also to send cane.

Thanks
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It is an old reason I know, that you will see that I write you. I am not your political group kind, but I do admire grit.

Hale for sending the President

3 Chastain, Ark.
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Washington. D.C.

ack. 7-5-43 and

dear Sir:- Should you see fit to endorse this, I should be glad to forward the, items indicated. "Come & "Stone bust-
I have been re-reading Dorothy Thompson's "Political Guide" in Life.
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Hale for sending the President

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Hale for sending the President

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England. & Robert
Bruce of Scotland
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Hale for sending the President

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Hale for sending the President

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* Part of "Churchill & Roosevelt. Whether I wanted or not, I am "Handicapped" (?!!!) as far as I lost 18" I lost sight-eye Born "Myopic" I had 2/5 of left eye. N.B. at 15 I was making a canoe & had stamps stolen so I had to quit & never did anything as it ought at 18. I had to

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Siam as a missionary &
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blind.

I acted as "Juen
Pig" for years &
can still see
some to do a
few things.

Hale for sending the President

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Hale for sending the President

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Ex
M. Box Spruce

From many quotes
I've read of you
M. Russell, I'm
curious as
"Small but
a composite of
what I see in
your photos & learn
over Rudi's & Reed
in Russ.

Will you accept
it? & tell me
if I get you
at all as you
are? Please.

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Norfork Dam-
a War & Peace
Power Project
is 4 miles North
of my land.
The Boat is
carved from
Stone common
here. I am not
a Geologist. Dr
don't know if
it has any value
as stone. But
I like to whittle it

Hale for sending the President

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P.S. The case N.B.
Do stamps you
may have as you
perhaps will
find some
you will not
able to obtain
My collection (See
my background
World Scale (30¢ to
and letter to Mfr.
Stein from Pa. then
Join an ordered
Minute. I do
some marching

I avoid Stuff Cow
up to 1898 -
I had neglected
to cover with water
proof varnish -
If I had plastic
I you with
about 2 inch
free length
from both sides
Rear, Front
+ 3/4 + 3/4 :
I could cover
a new frame
for Mondrian
for at no charge

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Please excuse
poor writing. ▽
At least get
what I want in
reference to page
Very Rev.
J. Robert Hamilton
Chaplain Usn.
L. B. 10

Let you might
fear to accept
the gift mutilated
would do my
damage to them
I enter you to
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Sheet A
I Robt Hamilton to
the President.
Record of life
& acts fr many
years on
files at Washgtn
& in other State
& Consular files
from 1898 to date.

I will send a cane
& Bust to President
to do as he wishes
If he feels cane
valuable he may
place small gift
to World Freedom
for Christ.
Robt Hamilton

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Cane & Bust. Will be
sent in old box sent
Wm Hamilton, from East
with a cane cut from Mt of
Olives. So box is a relic.

Stamps of Old Dakes. were
given sender by Bethia Rollins.
a close friend of Henry W. Longfellow
& a nurse in Civil War. Died
in Chicago Past 100 years in age

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of American
Stamps prior to 1893
Robert Handler
minister

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STEVENS, Bob,
Floresville, Texas,
July 8, 1943 - ackd.

Note of thanks to Mr. Stevens and Mr. B. L. Hale for sending the President a watermelon.——Distributed.

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See P.P.F. 9-8

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July 24, 1943

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Dear Dr. Hinman:

Please accept the President's thanks for your thoughtful letter of June thirtieth. He greatly appreciates your action in sending him copy of your brochure titled "War is Preventable", and was delighted to receive it.

Very sincerely yours,

STEPHEN EARLY
Secretary to the President

Dr. G. F. Hinman,
6 West Galer Street,
Seattle, Washington.

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G. F. Hinman, D. M. D.
DENTISTRY
6 WEST GALER STREET
SEATTLE

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

Your Excellency:

I am sending by "special messenger" a plan to which I hope you will find time to give consideration. Should such a plan as the I.P.U. eventually achieve material existance it will need behind it the brains and heart of a man of your calibre. If you are not too tired by the Presidential labors and when you have retired from your present work it is my prayer that your genius may choose to exert itself in an even greater humanitarian capacity than has yet graced it. The possibilities for even a greater work and position of responsibility than you have yet undertaken lie in this plan.

Faithfully yours
G. F. Hinman

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G. F. Hinman, D. M. D.
~~DUNLEAVY~~
~~6 WEST BAKER STREET~~
~~SEATTLE~~

1001 Renton Highlands
Renton, Washington

1-15-44

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

Your Excellency:

It is very seldom that I will ever be in position to bargain with you but I feel that perhaps you may see fit to accept this sporting proposition

I am writing a book and in my writing I have coined a new word which I believe is most expressive and ~~for~~ to be which at some time in the future will prove most valuable to you. My book will be out in about three months. Its name will be "War is Preventible". the short brochure of which has been sent to you some time ago. I will gladly turn over the word to you if you will not use it prior to the publishing of this book unless you mention the book or myself in connection. This word is a humdinger, especially adapted to your style and infinitely better than Mrs. Luce's famed contribution

Yours truly,
G. F. Hinman

January 31, 1944

Dear Dr. Hinman:

Please accept the President's thanks for your letter of January fifteenth. All circumstances considered, I think it is better for you to release that new word by publication in your book.

Very sincerely yours,

STEPHEN EARLY
Secretary to the President

Dr. G. F. Hinman,
1001 Renton Highlands,
Renton, Washington.

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June 24, 1943

My dear Mrs. Hoyle:

Thank you, in the President's behalf, for your kindness in sending him that souvenir button received recently. He is most appreciative of your friendly thought and I have pleasure in conveying his best wishes to you.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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Mrs. Charles Hoyle,
422 Broadway,
Methuan,
Massachusetts.

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Button with picture of Churchill recd in Staff

From Mrs Charles Hoyle, 7422 Broadway
Bethmen, Mass.
July 8th 1943

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Dear Madam

I was very glad to receive your letter of thanks written June 24th. I was afraid that the small parcel containing souvenir, had gone astray, though I said "letter of explanation following"! Please forgive me for being so remiss, but I'm old & tired & have sole care of a mentally afflicted son, who has to be cared for at home, as we cannot pay Sanitarium charges: It has been so hot too, & I just been "all in"! We love our son. He is 27 now, was one of the grandest babies ever seen, until 3½ yrs old, when he began to go the wrong way in intellectual pursuits, & gradually lost his speech & understanding: He is very

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2/ good looking & fine physically, & we
love him very, very much or we
couldn't carry on, he is all we have!
I didn't mean to tell you this, but
I got started & had to explain!
The little photograph of our loved
"Winston", was one of a set of rest
buttons which my husband bought
when he was young. he thinks it was
1904! There were photos of Lloyd George,
Lord Haldane, Byrne, don't know title or if
any, & two others besides Mr Churchill.
The one of the latter & Lord Haldane are
the only ones left, we have always set
great store by "Winnie" & cherished it,
although it is of no particular monetary value:
I thought perhaps the President might
have it re-set in gold or something
worthy of so great & loved a man:
Please thank him so much from
me, for all the hope & encouragement,

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3/ strength to go forward, he has given to my dear people who are still in England: We have been here since 1914, my husband in Feby., I in June, & no thought, of what we thought then "the final conflagration, which broke out so soon after: We are, of course citizens of the United States & love our adopted country & its privileges, though we still have tender feelings for the old place: God bless the President of these United States! my people think there is no-one like him in the whole world: Perhaps sometime, when this terrible struggle is decided, he can again think of that idea he had, years ago of help to "stay at home mentally afflicted"! How I hope he can stay in power to see "This thing through"! Please thank him so much for good wishes! Very Sincerely

Mary S. Hoyle

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during Mr Roosevelt's first campaign & liked him very much. I was glad to read all the nice things which Cecil Brown said about him, in "Suez to Singapore": Dr Harvey Cushing saw my boy, but he said there was nothing to be done. We were corresponding with him again, from New Haven, in the hope that conditions might be different in my boy's case & also that methods might be better now. The Dr died before we again got to see him: However, we visited another specialist later, who said he would just have to go through the same thing as at "Mass. General" in 1921! that was before Dr Cushing saw him! It was a terrible time for all of us & he got nearly frightened to death, & made much worse, so I couldn't face it all again would rather he & I, faced our Maker, than that again. Thank you for reading this. Oh! & please, I'm not asking for charity!

M. S. H.

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P.S.
My husband is one of the "poor white collar brigade"! worse still, "time off" for any holiday, which he would rather not have! so as you can imagine, we, perhaps selfishly, favour "subsidies"
Yr S-H.

If I am wrong in putting "Miss" Grace G. Tully please forgive.

P.P.S.
I know we should be very grateful also to Mrs Roosevelt, for help that England has got & is getting; she is a wonderful woman & I admire her very much indeed & all those fine sons of theirs. I once met James

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July 12, 1943

My dear Mr. Howland:

The President has asked me to thank you for your generous thought in sending him those delicious mangoes. They were very much enjoyed.

I have pleasure in telling you, too, that the President is especially grateful for the kind words expressed in your letter of July third.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Fred Howland, Esq.,
1113-14 Postal Building,
Miami,
Florida.

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

Dear President Roosevelt:

Last year, newspaper reports stated that your son, returning from the Pacific, brought back with him some mangoes, of which reports stated you were very fond. However, an accident occurred, and the mangoes were destroyed.

Remembering this, and desiring to express in this small way my appreciation for the great service you are doing for the benefit of our country and mankind, I am sending you some mangoes, and trust that you will enjoy them.

Yours most respectfully,

Fred Howland

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Fred Howland

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July 22, 1943

My dear Dr. Hamner:

The President has enjoyed reading your letter of July nineteenth and he has asked me to thank you very much for your generous thought in sending him those delicious mangoes from your own garden.

I have pleasure in conveying to you and to Mrs. Hamner the President's very best wishes.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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Dr. George P. Hamner,
102 South Twentieth Avenue,
Hollywood,
Florida.

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July 22, 1943

My dear Dr. Hamner:

The President has enjoyed reading your letter of July nineteenth and he has asked me to thank you very much for your generous thought in sending him those delicious mangoes from your own garden.

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I have pleasure in conveying to you and to Mrs. Hamner the President's very best wishes.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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Dr. George P. Hamner,
102 South Twentieth Avenue,
Hollywood,
Florida.

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Thanks W.H.T. 6 mangos distributed (11)

GEORGE P. HAMNER, M. D.
102 SOUTH 20TH AVENUE
HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA

July 19, 1943.

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

My dear Mr. President:

Well, "All I know is what I read in the papers."

Saw last season where your son tried to bring in some mangoes, but the Plant Board, or some other nefarious organization confiscated them.

I am sending by today's express a small box of Hadens, grown on my vest pocket home lot in Hollywood.

They should get about as mellow as a Georgia peach (of the tree variety, I mean) before serving. And we Florida Crackers serve them in various ways; on cereal, as fruit salad, with gelatine jelly, and even make mango ice cream; which we think as delectable as peach cream.

Well, Mr. President, things are going grandly in all the theatres of war,"as planned",(by Roosevelt and Churchill), and it induces a spirit of reminiscence in an old soldier.

On July 1st., 1898, along about three o'clock in the afternoon when we had taken the last of the San Juan Hills that overlooked Santiago de Cuba, your illustrious kinsman, and my beloved colonel, was stalking up and down his line oblivious to the fact that men were still getting hit every once in a while, literally shaking hands with himself, and with every incisor displayed; he was constrained to make the following remarks:

"Men, I'm exceedingly proud of what you have done today; and I consider it an honor to command such a body of men: if, after this, a Rough Rider should get into trouble he can certainly call on me with the assurance that I will help him in any way I can."

The doughty colonel did not

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know what he was letting himself in for; for hardly had the regiment been mustered out when the calls for aid began coming in. But be it to his everlasting honor and glory, he never refused to come to the aid of a single one of his men in trouble.

Some of the plainsmen decided that they wanted to live in the east, and he got jobs for them: but soon the bright lights began to pall, and they longed for the expansive "prarairies" and the great open spaces; so he had to ship them back west, and at his own expense, of course.

Soon after he had taken up his residence in the Governor's Mansion in Albany, a hulking, six-foot four cowpuncher appeared one morning before breakfast and applied for the job of "bouncer-out", explaining that he had held that position in several prominent saloons in Arizona. He thought the Governor needed someone to take care of the rough stuff.

The colonel received many letters from his ex-Rough Riders in the west. They all began alike: "Dear Colonel: I am in trouble etc."

One especially notable plea for urgent aid read as follows:

"dere Kunnel:

i am in trouble. i shot a lady in the eye. the Lady is my wife's sister: but Kunnel, i was not shootin' at the Lady a-tall: i was shootin' at my wife.

Please get me out of jail at once because the fall roundup starts in a few days

yours Truly---"

The colonel replied that he was sorry he was powerless to secure his release, and admonished him to correct his aim next time, and thus maintain the integrity and tradition of the hard riding, straight shooting Rough Riders.

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F.D.R.-3

Well, I saw by the papers a few days ago that a man was haled into court for beating up a young woman. He told the judge that it was all a mistake; and that it occurred in a rather dark alley and he thought he was beating his wife. History always repeats itself.

As every sportsman knows, staunchness is the chief requisite of a perfect shooting dog; and I owned one once that met all of the requirements. While hunting a brushy field in my native state of Virginia, I lost this dog. After searching the field for several hours, I concluded that he had gone home. But he was not at home, and then I thought he had been stolen by someone who knew his fine qualities.

Two seasons later, while hunting the same field, I caught a glimpse of something white in a dense sassafras thicket, and parting the bushes I was amazed to discover the skeleton of my valuable dog, still on point! Identity was certain from the brass name plate with my name on it which had fallen from the skeleton by the rotting away of the leather collar.

Now, Mr. President, I'm sure you'll not question my veracity when I tell you that I'm a ruling Elder in the Presbyterian church, as well as a member of the party, and descended from a long line of Jeffersonian Democrats.

This one I cannot vouch for, but an uncle who lives at Sand Hill, Alabama, the home of cyclones, relates it as an experience of his own.

He said, while watching the approach of a cyclone, he observed a large tree coming over the house with a gray squirrel in its branches. He called to his wife to bring his long barreled, Kentucky rifle and shot the squirrel. Then, more trees came sailing over with one to three squirrels in them, and without moving, he killed ten squirrels. He said he could have killed many more, but ten was the legal bag limit.

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F.D.R.-4

An East Indian Rajah told this one in Miami recently.

He said that there was a man in a farming community that was so hopelessly lazy that he was absolutely no good. After feeding him and his family a number of years the other farmers decided to put him to death; and as a son of the soil, they thought burial alive was the most appropriate method. When was covered to his eyes, nose and mouth, one had a softening of heart and called: "Hold on boys, lets give him one more chance, and see if we cannot reform him, I'll give him ten barrels of corn to start him out."

The victim spat out the loose dirt and asked:

"Is it husked?"

"No", said his intercessor.

He closed his eyes and said:"Keep on shoveling, boys."

While resident physician at the Memorial Homes Community for retired ministers, missionaries and their wives, established by J.C. Penney, the chain store magnate, near Jacksonville, I enjoyed some very fine quail shooting. And one day I took one of the old ministers out with me and divided my bag with him. He gave one to a widow of a minister. She held the quail up by the legs, and said: "Oh thank you mr. G." And then in a plaintive voice, she asked:

"Are you going to pick it for me?"

I had the good fortune to befriend one of your splendid young airman last fall, and in about four months he walked into my office and presented me with cigars from Bahia, Brazil, and a package of Egyptian cigarrettes from Cairo, Egypt; explaining that he had been to both places since seeing me. I, of course, asked him no questions, but the Egytian cigarrettes(my especial weakness) were the real McCoy, and I hope you got a drag at a few of them while at Casablanca. If Cleopatra served

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that particular brand to Mark Anthony it is quite understandable why he fell for her so hard.

I enjoyed the joke you told the Prime Minister while in Casablanca about the sailor and the parrot.

Without any apologies for this terrible medley, I am, with every good wish,

Sincerely yours,

Geo P. Hamner

P.S. Mrs. Hamner says she does not like the jokes about the wives.

G.P.H.

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Consignee President Franklin D Roosevelt Enter Date Shipped July 19 1943

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HRDLICKA, Dr. Ales
Washington, D. C.
Ackd. July 22, 1943

On above date, the President sent personal thank-you letter to Dr. Hrdlicka for inscribed copy of his book ALASKA DIARY. Sent to Hyde Park Library, Series "A".

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July 26, 1943

My dear Mr. Cullen:

Your letter of July ninth has been noted with interest. It was especially kind of you to send the President that personal copy of the Houston Symphony Society Brochure. This little note conveys his cordial thanks for your friendly thought.

Very sincerely yours,

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Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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H. R. Cullen, Esq.,
13th Floor Sterling Building,
Houston,
Texas.

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July 9, 1943.

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

Dear President Roosevelt:

It is with pleasure that we are sending you herewith the Houston Symphony Society Brochure covering the operations for the past season, which we hope you will enjoy.

The great respect we have for the armed forces, particularly those in Texas, with whom we have come in contact, has prompted us to have this brochure prepared. If you can find time from your many duties to glance through this book, we feel sure you will realize the cause of our admiration for your soldier and sailor boys in our great State.

Yours very sincerely,

HOUSTON SYMPHONY SOCIETY,

By H R Cullen
President.

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July 30, 1943

My dear Mr. Hering:

I am especially pleased to have that bust of Lincoln. Many, many thanks. I do appreciate your friendly thought in presenting it to me.

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My best wishes go to you with this little note.

Very sincerely yours,

xPPF 9-B

(Sgd)FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

Henry Hering, Esq.,
Waldorf Building,
10 West 33rd Street,
New York, N. Y.

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FOR VICTORY
BUY UNITED STATES WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

July 30, 1943

My dear Mr. Wilson:

The President wants you to know that he appreciates your courtesy in sending on to him that bust of Lincoln, a gift from Mr. Henry Hering.

A copy of the letter addressed to Mr. Hering is enclosed.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

C. E. Wilson, Esq.,
War Production Board,
Washington, D. C.

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Enclosure — Copy of Presidential letter to Mr. Hering, dated July 30, 1943 sent.



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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Mr Wagner

Miss Tully said
please thank "J"
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send copy of CE
Wilson —

M Eben

Mrs Eben



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Mrs Eben

7-8-43

MEMORANDUM FOR MRS. EBEN:

Dear Mary:

Bill Simmons accepted this bust of Lincoln and the attached correspondence from Mr. C. E. Wilson of the War Production Board, in the absence of General Watson.

No other acknowledgement has been made.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

7-8-43

MEMORANDUM FOR GENERAL WATSON:

As per instructions from Miss Barrows, in your absence I accepted this bust from the messenger of Mr. C. E. Wilson's office. The letter attached is self-explanatory.

W.D.S.

Mrs Eben



Mrs Eben

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a resting place on your desk.

Respectfully yours

June 2/43 Henry Fleming



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Mrs Eben

Dear Mr. President

May I be so bold and present to you a small Terra Cotta bust of Abraham Lincoln, which is a reduction of the large bronze seated Statue I executed for Indianapolis Indiana; a photograph of which I am sending you by mail.

I hope this bust will appeal to you and that it may find a resting place on your desk.

Respectfully yours

June 2/43 Henry Hering



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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Mrs Eben

7-8-43

MEMORANDUM FOR GENERAL WATSON:

As per instructions from Miss Barrows, in your absence I accepted this bust from the messenger of Mr. C. E. Wilson's office. The letter attached is self-explanatory.

W.D.S.

Ltr 7-8-43 to Gen. Watson from C.E.Wilson, WPB, Washington,D.C.incl. ltr 6-2-43 to President from Henry Hering, Waldorf Bldg.,10 W. 33d St., NYC,presenting to President Terra Cotta bust of Abraham Lincoln.

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7-8-43

MEMORANDUM FOR MRS. EBEN:

Dear Mary:

Bill Simmons accepted this bust of Lincoln and the attached correspondence from Mr. C. E. Wilson of the War Production Board, in the absence of General Watson.

No other acknowledgement has been made.

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White House -
N.W. Gate - Pennsylvania
Avenue on the State
Department Side -
ask for Mr. Simmons

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