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January 24, 1944.

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

My dear Mr. President:

In honor of your birthday, the Aged Hebrew Scholars of our Home have composed a prayer for you, a copy of which is enclosed.

This prayer will be said on the Saturday nearest your birthday, and every Saturday Service thereafter.

The original prayer, inscribed by hand, according to ritual, on sacred parchment, is being bound and will be forwarded to you.

You are ever in our hearts.

Sincerely yours,

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Herman Bieler

Herman Bieler,
Acting President.

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our armed forces in all parts of the world,
and the power of the nations allied with us
Destroy the insolent enemy, crown us with
victory and establish peace with justice. Make
us worthy to behold Zion and rebuild the
holy temple. Amen.

ח' בשבט כצדק על כל
מלך יעצו ושרו יום הדין
ו יצילנו ונקו מעלה מעלה
ב' חק ואמין את צבאת ארצנו
אשכי תכל יחד עם צבאות
ישימדים לימים. חן טר הנצחה
הרדת ערצים ולבנה הודונום
שלים בעדק ודשי על מלכו
במיהם וימנו נוכח פראת קובנו
רעית פורטו ולשם הארצנו ובנו
דשנו במהרה בימנו ואמין אמן

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HEBREW PRAYER FOR THE PRESIDENT

Merciful father: Thy blessings from on high on Him who leads the battle for justice and righteousness

Franklin Delano Roosevelt
President of our beloved United States of America and on his family, members of his cabinet and advisers.
Our Father in heaven, strengthen and sustain our armed forces in all parts of the world, and the power of the nations allied with us. Destroy the insolent enemy, crown us with victory and establish peace with justice. Make us worthy to behold Zion and rebuild the holy temple. Amen.

בְּרַחֲמֶיךָ יְיָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ שְׁלַח בְּרַכָּה מִשְׁמֵי מְרוֹם בְּכָל מַעֲשֵׂה יָדֶיךָ הַיָּשָׁר כְּאִדָּם מְהֻלָּל בְּפִי כָל לֹחֵם מִלְחַמַּת הַצֶּדֶק וְהַיּוֹשֵׁר נְשִׂיא אֶרֶצְנוּ הַאֲהוּבָה, אֶרְצוֹת הַכְּבוֹד,

פֶּרַעַנְקֵלֵין דִּעֲלִינָה רַחוּמֵיכֶם

נְרוּ יְאִיד וְיִזְרַח בְּשֶׁמֶשׁ בְּצַהֲרֵים עַל כָּל מִשְׁפַּחְתּוֹ הַרוֹמְמָה, יוֹעֲצָיו וְשִׁרְיוֹ יְרוֹם הָאֵדָם בְּכָל אֲשֶׁר יִפְנוּ יַצִּילֵהוּ וְיַעֲלֶה מַעֲלָה מַעֲלָה. אֲבִינוּ שְׁבַשְׁמִים, חֹק וְאֱמוּנָה אֶת צְבָאוֹת אֶרֶצְנוּ הַיְקָרָה בְּכָל אֲפִי תִבֵּל יַחַד עִם צְבָאוֹת הַמְּמַשְׁלֹת הַעוֹמְדִים לְיָמֵינוּ. הֵן נֹר הַנִּצְחֹן בְּרֹאשׁ לַחֲכָרִית עֲרִיצִים וְלַבֶּעַר הַזֹּרֵנוֹם וְלַהַעֲמִיד שָׁלוֹם בְּצֶדֶק וְיוֹשֵׁר עַל מַכּוֹנוֹ בְּמַהֲרָה. בְּיָמֵיהֶם וְיָמֵינוּ נִזְכֶּה לִרְאוֹת קִיבוּץ נִדְחֵינוּ מֵאֶרְצוֹת פּוֹרְנוֹ וּלְשׁוֹב לְאֶרֶצְנוּ וּבְנוֹן בֵּית מִקְדָּשְׁנוּ בְּמַהֲרָה בְּיָמֵנוּ, וְנֵאמַר אָמֵן.

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Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Ernest D. Hiday, Esq.,
710 West Main Street,
Greenfield,
Indiana.

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Yours very respectfully,

Ernest D. Hiday
Ernest D. Hiday.

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January 1, 1944

My dear Mr. Hiday:

Thank you, in the President's behalf,
for your letter of December twenty-sixth and for
your kindness in sending that interesting potato
to him. You may be sure that your thoughtful
courtesy is appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

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Private Secretary

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Yours very respectfully,

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HIDAY'S GROCERY
710 WEST MAIN STREET
GREENFIELD, INDIANA
December 26, 1943.

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1/1/44
Ed.

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

Dear Mr. President:

Please find enclosed a real Victory potato, which I hope reaches you in perfect condition. This tuber was raised in New Jersey and I received it in a bag of potatoes early in June. It has been on display in my grocery and has grown a Victory sprout since then, so it is determined to forecast Victory! I ask of you to place this on your desk as an insignia of The World's Day of Prayer on January 1st, 1944.

This morning before the Cumberland, Indiana, Baptist Sunday School, I presented this potato and told them I was sending it to you with the following explanation: this Victory potato represents the lives of our noble sons and daughters who shed their blood and made the Supreme Sacrifice so we might attain that Victory for which they were willing to give their last full measure of devotion that we might live again in peace with all mankind. It also represents a hard, cruel, wicked world full of sin, cruelty, murder, drunkenness and greed for riches which we pray is changed through our Victory, to a Christian world rid of isms and hatred, into an ideal world of peaceful homes.

Again, this potato represents Our Savior who shed his precious blood upon the Cross of Calvary for us, but in three days he arose in Victory and overcame death and the grave, that we might live in the hope of eternal life and peace.

I hope that you may use this insignia as you see best. It is a living thing, watch it grow and may it soon prove to be a real sign of an early Victory and help to make The World's Day of Prayer a greater success.

Praying that you may receive an inspiration from this lowly Victory potato and that Peace may soon come, I am,

Yours very respectfully,

Ernest D. Hiday
Ernest D. Hiday.

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January 6, 1944.

Respectfully referred to the
Department of State for acknowledg-
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Attention: Mr. Summerlin.

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Mrs. G. Hoyle,
4, Buller Street,
Braford, Yorkshire, England.

Letter to the President and Mrs. Roosevelt. Sends Christmas greetings on
behalf of self, husband, and little daughter. Encloses small 1944
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Fordell
61 Hall, N. 2.
April 7, 1941

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From Mrs. G. Hoyle,
4 Buller St.,
Braford, Yorkshire, England,
12/3/43.

PI Hall, N. C.
ber 7, 1947

as been sent to

Allentown, Pa.
(ack. 1-4-44)

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(Copy of acknowledgment with two handkerchiefs sent to Miss Thompson)

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January 6, 1944

Dear Mr. Henderson:

This is by way of acknowledging and thanking you for your recent letter and for forwarding those copies of the Carolina Play-Book. I shall be very glad to see that the President and Mrs. Roosevelt receive these books, and I know that they would want me to express their sincere appreciation for your thoughtful- ness. Very fine doughnuts -- prepared by my landlady.

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Very sincerely yours,
STEPHEN EARLY
Secretary to the President

x
Mr. Archibald Henderson,
Fordell,
Chapel Hill, North Carolina.

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Mrs. Roosevelt's copy sent to Miss Thompson.
President's copy sent to Mrs. Eben.

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Sincerely,

/s/ Archibald Henderson

Carolina. As you know, I am sure, the world, I am sure, is a better place for the Carolina Play-Book.

P.T.O.

The book for Mrs. Roosevelt has been sent to Miss Thompson.

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mber 7, 1943

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Paul Greene's play about Sir Walter Raleigh's colonists. I enjoyed chatting
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with some very fine doughnuts -- prepared by my landlady.

The Carolina Playmakers is, I believe, the most remarkable
organization of its kind in the world. Some of the history of the
organization is related in this work (this issue of The Carolina Play-Book).
The chronicle play on Roanoke Island was written by Paul Green, one of the
most famous of The Carolina Playmakers; and was produced under the auspices
of the organization by one of its officials, Professor Samuel Selden. The
director of The Carolina Playmakers, Frederick H. Koch, is a genius of
extraordinary qualities of enthusiasm, stimulation and ability.

You will oblige me greatly if you will see that the President &
Mrs. Roosevelt each receives a copy. A word of acknowledgment from them
would, I am sure, be deeply appreciated by The Carolina Playmakers.

Thanking you, believe me,

Sincerely,

/s/ Archibald Henderson

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Fordell
Chapel Hill, N. C.
December 7, 1943

Mr. Stephen Early,
Secretary to the President,
The White House,
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Early:

Under separate cover, addressed to you, I am mailing two
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January 6, 1944

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Very sincerely yours,

STEPHEN EARLY
Secretary to the President

Mr. Archibald Henderson,
Fordell,
Chapel Hill, North Carolina.

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THE CAROLINA PLAY-BOOK
Frederick H. Koch, Editor
CHAPEL HILL, NORTH CAROLINA
(Return Postage Guaranteed)

January 6, 1944

Dear Mr. Henderson:

This is by way of acknowledging and
thanking you for your recent letter and for for-
warding those copies of the Carolina Play-Book.
I shall be very glad to see that the President
and Mrs. Roosevelt receive these books, and I
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Secretary to the President

Mr. Archibald Henderson,
Fordell,
Chapel Hill, North Carolina.

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January 26, 1944
January 33, 1944

My dear Mr. Hobbs:

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Thank you ever so much, in the President's behalf, for your kindness in sending him the first copy of your book, GOLD - the Real Ruler of the World. I want to assure you that he more than appreciates your friendly thought which prompted this presentation.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Franklyn Hobbs, Esq.,
c/o The Business Foundation,
210 East Ohio Street,
Chicago 11,
Illinois.

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January 26, 1944

My dear Mr. Hawk:

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In acknowledging the receipt of your recent letter, I wish to thank you in the President's behalf for your kindness in sending him the copy of the Holy Bible. I can assure you that he deeply appreciates the friendly thought which prompted its presentation.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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Jesse Hawk, Esq.,
63612 Coit Road,
Cleveland,
Ohio.

Franklin D. Roosevelt

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Perhaps you have plenty of Bibles,
But I wish to present you with this one
if you will accept it.

I am 32 years of age live at 13612 East Rd
Cleveland Ohio, work at Chase Brass & Copper Co
making shells.

I have here a message for Mr. Hitler
if you approve of this and will send
it to him it might save the lives of some
of the men who are dying at war.
For I believe if Mr. Hitler would pray, he would be
a different man. I believe that you are a
man who believes in God, for otherwise I
do not believe that you could have done
what you have for this country.
Maybe Mr. Hitler will not take heed to this note
But at least I can try.

John
Stacy
S. S. T.

Leslie Hawk
13612 East Rd
Cleveland O.

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Dec 23 - 1943

Mr. Adolph Hitler

Did you ever pray? for the power
of God the creator of the Universe
is the greatest gift that man has ever known.
And God will help any man that
will pray. I am a German born 1911 in
in United States and I have freedom of speech
and freedom of religion and liberty and
justice for all. No man on this earth has
ever been a successful ruler, without the power
of God. I have heard you believe in astrology,
I do also, but I believe that God controls the
planets that govern men's lives.
So if a man does not believe in God it is useless
to believe in astrology.

Perhaps you will not take heed to this message
But if you will pray to God, you will
find more power than you have ever known

Jeane Hovick

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January 25, 1944

My dear Mr. Harris:

It was kind of you to send the
President that copy of the New Testament.
Many, many thanks in his behalf. It is
indeed gratifying to him to know that he
has your friendly thoughts during these
critical days.

Very sincerely yours,
Respectfully, very respectfully

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

X
Bret H. Harris, Esq.,
432 So. Normandie Avenue,
Los Angeles,
California.

vb ✓

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have gift
1/22/44
P. H. H.
Mrs. Eben:

There was no return address given by the sender of this book, however, it is inscribed by Bret Harte Harris and the file room supplied the following address: 432 So. Normandie Ave., Los Angeles, Calif.

I believe this to be the address of the sender, as you will note it is postmarked Los Angeles, Calif.

Graham

SAVIOUR JESUS CHRIST:
CEK: AND WITH THE
PARED AND REVISED
- Published 1871

" This previous New Testament Volumn is most lovingly sent to our dearly beloved President Franklin Delano Roosevelt for his recreational hours during the entire period of the war as indicated on the front page of the Sacred Scrap Book prepared for him by

Humbly, Very humbly

Bret Harte Harris."

BOOK:

THE NEW TESTAMENT OF OUR LORD AND SAVIOUR JESUS CHRIST:
TRANSLATED OUT OF THE ORIGINAL GREEK: AND WITH THE
FORMER TRANSLATIONS DILIGENTLY COMPARED AND REVISED
NEW YORK: AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY, - Published 1871

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

January 28, 1944

Memo for Miss Edna Rosenberg:

A parcel containing a fifty cent War Savings Stamp, 12 cakes of Fleus Deluxe soap, a necktie and a pound box of Whitman's Sampler candy was received by mail from Clifford Hunn, 1543 7th St., Milwaukee, Wis.

I have not received any letter in connection with this gift, however, several of the sender's cards were enclosed.

The parcel and it's entire contents were sent to the U. S. S. S. this date.

E. N. Groshon
E. N. Groshon

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...the only ... the great French statesman.

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January 22, 1944

My dear Mr. Hill:

Thank you, in the President's behalf,
for your kindness in sending him the carton of
cigarettes received recently. I want to assure
you that he is most appreciative of your friendly
thought.

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

x
Henry L. Hill, Esq.,
621 Missouri Avenue,
Jeffersonville,
Indiana.

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Note.

Groshon says were given to
the boys at home.

to the young & tried diplomat, the great French statesman.

February 28, 1944

January 31, 1944

My dear Miss Hunt:

The President asked me to thank you
for remembering his birthday and for sending
him those beautiful violets. This little note
conveys his sincere appreciation of your friendly
thought.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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Miss Emma Jane Hunt,
2013 Chester Street,
Bakerfield,
California.

to the only & true successor, the great French statesman.

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February 22, 1944

My dear Mr. Hoffenberg:

Your letters of January twenty-fifth
have been received.

It was kind of you to remember the
President's birthday and to send him those vases
and the stamps. He is grateful for your friendly
thought.

Thank you, too, on behalf of Mrs.
Roosevelt. She is indeed appreciative of your
kindness in wanting her to have the souvenir
which you enclosed.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

x
Nathan Hoffenberg, Esq.,
3801 Main Street,
East Chicago,
Indiana.

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cover sent to
Mrs. Eden
2/24/44

copy sent to Miss Thompson

Humanitarian You are. God Bless You.

Yours obediently

Nathan Hoffenberg

3801 Main St.
East Chicago, Ind.

Jan. 25, 1944

My dear Mrs. Roosevelt:

I am sending you a little South African souvenir which I hope you will wear in the best of health. The President likes South African souvenirs very much so I am taking great pleasure in sending you this South African - British Gold Broach. I would very much appreciate if you will personally acknowledge receipt of same. You are the darling of our Nation and may God Bless you and keep up your good work.

I beg to remain

Yours obediently,

Nathan Hoffenberg

*Humanitarian You are. God Bless You.
Yours obediently
Nathan Hoffenberg*

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Present copy of
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articles Series
B. - send letter
Mrs. Thompson
3801 Main St
East Chicago
Indiana
Jan 25th 1944

Another hard & solemn
Year rolled around again and time
to wish you another Happy Birthday
and many many more of them. As I know
by now you are very fond of South African
souvenirs it gives me very great pleasure
in sending you the enclosed Vases
made in South Africa by hand by the
Kaffres of Wire and I hope you will
put them among your other Souvenirs.

I am also sending you some South African
stamps on an envelope received by my
daughter in law from my sister which live
in Neilbron Orange River Colony. The
First Lady cannot be slighted for her
good work, so I also enclosed for her
a South African British Gold Brooch which
I hope she will wear in good health.

Mr President You are the Worlds Guiding Star, Without
your advise we cannot go very far, and we all
Pray nothing in your health shall mar, for the great
Humanitarian you are. God Bless You.

Yours obediently

Bathau Hoffenberg

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February 1, 1944

Respectfully referred to the State
Department for appropriate acknowledgment.

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Attention: Mr. Summerlin.

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Large basket of assorted flowers sent to the President for his birthday and for his continuous political and military victories in 1944.

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Soon Kyo Hahn,
(now staying at the Willard Hotel)
Oriental Importing Co.,
900 So. Wabash Ave.,
Chicago, Ill.

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marmalade and candy

to the enemy, called Gambetta, the great French statesman.

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February 3, 1944

My dear Captain Hallett:

I want to thank you, in the President's behalf, for your kind letter and to tell you that the President appreciates your friendly thought in sending him the birthday remembrance in the name of your baby daughter, Helen. He is grateful, too, for your contribution to the Infantile Paralysis Fund.

I am sorry to have to disappoint you but during these exceedingly trying days it simply is impossible for the President to personally acknowledge the many, many nice letters constantly being received. I feel sure that you will understand and will bear with us.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Captain Clements Hallett,
Lakeview Lodge,
Casselberry Gardens,
Fern Park,
Florida.

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marmalade and candy

the enemy, called Gambetta, the great French statesman.

1/28/44

Mrs. Eben:

This letter is for 1 small jar of orange marmalade, 1 small jar of grapefruit marmalade and a dish of crystallized citrus fruit candy. Received broken and "T.A." by your order. 30 cents enclosed sent to IPT.

E. Groshon

Mr. Hallett
We are glad to have another opportunity of sending you Birthday greetings. This year the package is from our little baby daughter "Helen". If you could find a spare moment to write a line to her with your signature, she would always

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"History of Europe"; Ferrero's "Principles of Power". The curse of Italy, Spain and Latin America has been religious intolerance. "Clericalism - there is the enemy", cried Gambetta, the great French statesman.

30 cents
sent to L. P. F. G.
E. H. G.

Lakeview Lodge.
Casselberry Gds.
Fern Park, Fla.

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Treasure it.

Your Sincerely,
Capt Clements Hallitt
Retired British Army.
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October 8, 1943

My dear Mr. Hann:

Permit me, in the President's behalf, to
acknowledge the receipt of your telegram of Septem-
ber twenty-seventh. It will be made available to
him.

Very sincerely yours,

M. H. McINTYRE
Secretary to the President

Samuel M. Hann, Esq.,
3902 Canterbury Road,
Baltimore,
Maryland.

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WHITE HOUSE WASHDC

IF YOU WILL ACCEPT AND READ I DESIRE TO PRESENT TO YOU
THE TWO MOST IMPORTANT BOOKS WRITTEN IN YEARS ON ITALY AND
SPAIN WHAT TO DO WITH ITALY AFTER THE WAR, BY PROFESSORS
PIANI AND SALEMENI OF HARVARD UNIVERSITY AND APEASEMENTS
FRIEND OF FRANCO'S SPAIN BY JNO T HAMILTON NEWYORK TIMES
CORRESPONDENT IN SPAIN FROM 1937 TO 1941 STOP. THE SENDER

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3902 Canterbury Road,
Baltimore,
Maryland.

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OF THIS WIRE FOR MANY YEARS WAS A VICEPRES. OF THE FIDELITY
TRUST CO OF BALTIMORE AND LIFELONG FRIEND OF SENATOR
RADCLIFFE STOP PLEASE REPLY AT MY EXPENSE

SAMUEL M HANN 3902 CANTERBURY RD BALTIMORE MD.

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if you will mail them
to me here at the White House
I shall be glad to see that the President receives them.

November 15, 1943

My dear Mr. Hann:

I have for acknowledgment your telegram of November twelfth, which Secretary McIntyre has referred to this office. The delay in writing to you further about the books has been due to the fact that I have just been able to bring the matter to the President's attention. He asks me to thank you for your generous offer and to say that he would be delighted to have copies of the books you mention. If you will mail them to me here at the White House I shall be glad to see that the President receives them.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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The White House
Washington

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HON M C MCINTYRE

SECTY TO THE PRES THE WHITEHOUSE

ON SEPTEMBER 27TH IN A TELEGRAM I EXPRESSED THE DESIRE TO
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EIGHTH IN A LETTER YOU ADVISE " YOUR TELEGRAM OF SEPTEMBER
27TH WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE TO HIM." IT IS NOW NOVEMBER
TWELFTH I WOULD APPRECIATE THE COURTESY OF BEING ADVISED
IF MY TELEGRAM HAS BEEN OR WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE
PRESIDENT. VERY RESPECTFULLY YOURS

SAMUEL M HANN 3902 CANTERBURY ROAD BALTIMORE MD.

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January 11, 1944

My dear Mr. Hann:

The President thanks you most heartily for your kindness in sending him those three books. He asks me to tell you that he looks forward to reading them.

The President's best wishes go to you with this little note.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
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January 5th, 1944

In consonance with assurance contained in Miss Tully's note of November 12th, "that you would be delighted to have copies of the books mentioned in my telegram of November 12th", I am this day forwarding them under separate cover.

The titles of the books are:

- (a) "Appeasement's Child - The Franco Regime in Spain"
Thomas J. Hamilton
- (b) "The Fruits of Fascism" - Herbert L. Matthews
- (c) "What to do with Italy?" -
Professors (Harvard) Piana and Salmemini

These are three outstanding books. The authors by training, scholarship, intellectual integrity, and long residence in Spain and Italy, are well qualified to portray the religious, political and economic conditions in these two unhappy countries.

The authors, independent of each other, confirm the teachings of history, viz. that there can be no political or economic freedom without religious freedom; the right of every man and woman to worship Almighty God according to the dictates of his or her conscience. Religious freedom is the mother of all the other freedoms. Vide: Lord Acton's, "Essays on Freedom and Liberty"; Toynbee's "Study of History"; H. A. L. Fisher's "History of Europe"; Ferrero's "Principles of Power". The curse of Italy, Spain and Latin America has been religious intolerance. "Clericalism - there is the enemy", cried Gambetta, the great French statesman.

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Washing.
Baltimore,
3902 Canterbury Road,
Baltimore, Md.

PLEASE REPLY
TO THE ABOVE

VERY RESPECTFULLY,
Yours truly,

Don't miss this chance.

The President, a great man, is to

give a talk to the people of the

country. This is an event of great

importance. It is a chance to hear

the President speak to you.

Mrs. Eber

My dear Mr. President:

In consonance with assurance contained in his

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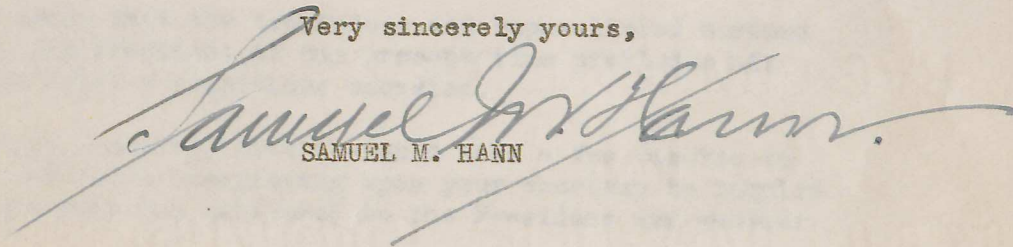
Abraham Lincoln told the politicians of his day, "We cannot escape history". Madame Chiang-Kai-Shek in her great Madison Square Garden speech told the politicians of our day, "We live in the present, we dream of the future, but we learn the eternal truths from the past."

I am but a voice from the crowd, one of that great inarticulate mass of humanity who daily pray, that Justice, Truth, and Righteousness may not again (as so often in the past) be sacrificed upon the altar of expediency.

"Out of the darkness of this stygian night,
The world moves slowly into light,
May it soon be day-break everywhere."

With expressions of esteem and great respect, I am,

Very sincerely yours,


SAMUEL M. HANN

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

3902 CANTERBURY ROAD
BALTIMORE, MARYLAND

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January 17, 1944

Miss E. Tully, Private Secretary
President Franklin D. Roosevelt
White House
Washington, D. C.

My dear Miss Tully:

Your note of January 11th was received and I assure you your courtesy in delivering the three books to the President is much appreciated.

I am fully aware that the tremendous and unparalleled burdens being carried by the President at the present time precludes his reading the books until a propitious occasion.

It was my hope, however, that he would take a few minutes to read my note. I am again trespassing upon your courtesy to inquire whether or not the note was delivered to the President and whether he read it.

I assure you your continued cooperation and courtesy will be much appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

Samuel M. Hann
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over for his answer
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BALTIMORE, MARYLAND *filed*

February 11, 1944

Miss Grace G. Tully, Private Secretary
President Franklin D. Roosevelt
White House
Washington, D. C.

My dear Miss Tully:

Under date of January 17th I wrote you as follows:

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When you advised that you would deliver the three books to President Roosevelt it never entered my mind that the letter of transmittal accompanying them would not also be delivered. Will you please acknowledge receipt of this letter.

I assure you your continued cooperation and courtesy will be much appreciated.

Very sincerely,

Samuel M. Hann
SAMUEL M. HANN

January 29/44

February 9, 1944

To President Roosevelt

MEMORANDUM FOR HONORABLE GEORGE T. SUMMERLIN:

Will you not be good enough to have an appropriate note addressed to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hill, acknowledging receipt of the moccasins sent to the President.

Please return the gift to this office when it has served its purpose.

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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January 29, 1944.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hill,
Caughnawaga,
Quebec,
Canada.

Heard the broadcast of President's birthday and sent a pair of moccasins, which they made themselves. Would like reply.



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January 29/44

To President Roosevelt:

We heard the broadcast of your Birthday, so we thought of giving you a present of an Indian handmade moccasin. We make this ourselves, we hope that this present will please you very much, of course, its not much.

We are a little too late to wish you A Happy Birthday.

We would appreciate it if you would reply to our letter and let us know how you received the present.

The present is sent from

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hill
Caughnawaga,
Prov. Quebec,
Canada

We don't know your size, we hope that this will fit you.

Sincerely yours,

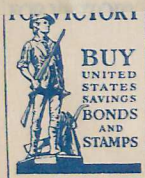
Chief of Protocol

Enclosed:

Box containing a pair
of moccasins

Miss Grace G. Kelly

The White House



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ON

February 12, 1944

My dear Miss Tully:

In compliance with your memorandum of February 9, 1944, I am returning herewith the pair of hand-made moccasins sent to the President by Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hill, of Caughmawaga, Canada, upon the occasion of his birthday.

The appropriate American consular officer has been requested to convey a suitable expression of the President's thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Hill.

Sincerely yours,

G. D. Tamm
Chief of Protocol

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Miss Grace G. Tully,
The White House.





DEPARTMENT OF STATE
WASHINGTON

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J. D. Sumner
Chief of Protocol

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GEORGE T. SUMMERLIN

Chief of Protocol

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Miss Grace G. Tully,
The White House.

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SOUTHERN LUMBERMAN

J. H. HARRIS, Editor
S. F. HORN, Business Manager

January 25, 1944

917 BERRYHILL STREET

NASHVILLE, TENN.

January 17, 1944

My dear Mr. Horn:

Miss Grace G. Tully,
The White House, Washington, D. C.
seventeenth, and it gave me pleasure to bring it
to the attention of the President. He asks me
to thank you for your kind offer to send him a
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Knowing that the President must be overwhelmed
with unsolicited gifts, Grace G. Tully, Private Secretary
At the same time, I have written Dr. Brown that the
President is genuinely interested in forestry and such matters,
and he thinks that perhaps Mr. Roosevelt might be glad to look
my book over.

Stanley F. Horn, Esq., Editor,
Southern Lumberman,
917 Berryhill Street,
Nashville,
Tennessee.

Yours very truly,

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SOUTHERN LUMBERMAN

J. H. WHALEY, PRESIDENT
S. F. HORN, EDITOR

917 BERRYHILL STREET

NASHVILLE, TENN.

January 17, 1944

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

My dear Miss Tully:

Dr. Nelson C. Brown, of the New York State College of Forestry, has given me your name, which will explain my taking the liberty of writing to you.

I have recently written a book entitled "This Fascinating Lumber Business", published by The Bobbs-Merrill Company, which discusses among other things the subject of sustained-yield forestry, the use of lumber in the war effort, etc. In the latter connection I have made reference to the oak ship timbers made from the trees cut on President Roosevelt's estate, and it occurred to me that the President might be interested in having a copy of my book.

Knowing that the President must be overwhelmed with unsolicited gifts, I hesitate to add to the avalanche. At the same time, I understand from Dr. Brown that the President is genuinely interested in forestry and such matters, and he thinks that perhaps Mr. Roosevelt might be glad to look my book over.

If you think this would be at all interesting to him, I shall be mighty glad to send a copy to you to be handed to him at some convenient time when he might be glad to have some diversion from his more pressing problems.

Assuring you of my appreciation of your interest, and again apologize for my intrusion, I am

Yours very truly,

Stanley Horn

SFH:MD

Thank & say
the President would
be delighted to
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SOUTHERN LUMBERMAN

February 9, 1944

917 BERRYHILL STREET
NASHVILLE, TENN.

J. H. WHALEY, President
S. F. HORN, Editor

My dear Mr. Horn:

February 2, 1944

This little note conveys the President's hearty thanks to you for your courtesy in sending him the inscribed copy of your book, THIS FASCINATING LUMBER BUSINESS. He much appreciates your friendly thought in presenting the volume to him.

Very sincerely yours,
Today sending to you a copy of my book "This Fascinating Lumber Business" which I shall be pleased to have you deliver to the President. I hope he may have time to read it - at least those parts of it referring to the forestry situation. Grace G. Tully Brown tells me that the President is Private Secretary much interested in forestry and has an excellent practical knowledge of its possibilities.

Assuring you of my appreciation of your

Stanley F. Horn, Esq.,
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Yours very truly,

Stanley F. Horn

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SOUTHERN LUMBERMAN

J. H. WHALEY, PRESIDENT
S. F. HORN, EDITOR

917 BERRYHILL STREET
NASHVILLE, TENN.

February 2, 1944

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

My dear Miss Tully:

Thank you very much for your courteous letter of the 25th. I am today sending to you a copy of my book "This Fascinating Lumber Business" which I shall be pleased to have you deliver to the President. I hope he may have time to read it - at least those parts of it referring to the forestry situation. Nelson Brown tells me that the President is personally very much interested in forestry and has an excellent practical knowledge of its possibilities.

Assuring you of my appreciation of your attention, I am

Yours very truly,

Stanley Horn

SFH:MD

Baltimore Md

February 12, 1944

My dear Miss Hering:

This little note conveys the President's sincere thanks to you for your kindness in sending him that lovely scarf as a birthday remembrance. He wants you to know that he more than appreciates your friendly thought.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Miss Louise Hering,
Box 785,
Albany,
New York.

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Mrs Green
Lambert
Mary

your returns of the
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Louise Hering.

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Pennsylvania.

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add 2/17/14 Box 785,
Albany, N.Y.

Ack.
kind to me
H.H.J.

To President Roosevelt,
wishing him many
happy returns of the
day.

Louise Hering.

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Pennsylvania.

Calvin B. Heller
Greene Street
Germantown, PA.

February 16, 1944

My dear Mr. Heller:

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter of February second, I want to thank you for your kindness in sending the President the inscribed copy of Volume III of your book of Poems. You may be assured that your friendly thought is appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Calvin B. Heller, Esq.,
4925 Greene Street,
Germantown,
Pennsylvania.

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Poem about

MR. CALVIN B. HELLER
4825 GREENE STREET
GERMANTOWN, PA.

ackd 2/16/44 ✓

President Franklin D. Roosevelt
Washington D. C.

My Dear Mr President:-

I am sending you a
gratuitous copy Vol # 3 of my
poems. Many of these poems I
wrote some years ago

Note the poem "Mother" page 29
also the unknown soldier "Dear Brother of
mine" page 17 written when they brought
the body over after the last world war

I enclose the "Helmsman" You are
the first person to see this
(None of these books
will be sold)

With my best wishes I am
Sincerely Yours
Calvin B. Heller

y. Ackd. 2/14/44.

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THE HELMSMAN

Oh, God, with all Thy might and force
Protect and guide our ship of State,
If storms beset the helmsman's course,
Help him to steer from reefs of hate.
Oh, listen to his humble pleas,
And guard him by Thy divine might,
And may he sail through troubled seas,
Guarded by Thy beacon's light.

God bless him with perceptive sense,
And by his side strong men assign,
Give him that inner confidence
That comes to those whose souls are Thine.
Oh may the stars gleam long and late,
To light the helmsman on his way,
Oh, God defend our Ship of State,
While battles' smoke obscures the bay.

Calvin B. Miller
2/3/44

Bellmore, Md.
P.F. 1
BENNINGER, Jean Louise
Villa Park, Illinois
February 14, 1944 - Ackd.

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Sent the President a handkerchief and tie for his birthday. Ackd. 2/14/44.
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The President has received the handkerchief and tie which you sent him for his birthday. He appreciates your thoughtfulness and wishes you to know, too, how grateful he is for your interest in sending the contribution for the Infants' Paralysis Fund.

Very sincerely yours,

Franklin D. Roosevelt

William Harrington, Jr.
121 Franklin St.,
Portland,
Maine.

February 14, 1944

My dear Mr. Harrington:

The President has asked me to thank you sincerely for your kindness in sending him the destroyer model for his birthday. He appreciates your thought of him, and wants you to know, too, how grateful he is for your interest in sending the contribution for the Infantile Paralysis Fund.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

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William Harrington, Esq.,
182 Franklin Street,
Portland,
Maine.

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10 cents sent to D.P.F.
E.N.G.

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J.D.

Dear, President,

Happy Birthday to
you I am enclosing
a destroyer model I
hope you like it.

I am also enclosing
ten cents for the
drive against Infant
ile Dysalises.

one of your
admieres.

William Harrington
182 Franklin St. Portland,
Me.

Sent to
Garage

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Baltimore (1),
Maryland

February 11, 1944

Sent to
Garage

My dear Mr. Holder:

Your letter of January twenty-sixth, with the enclosed clipping has been received and noted with interest. The President thinks it was especially kind of you to remember his birthday and thanks you very much indeed for your friendly thought in sending him that beautiful yarn doily, made by your own hands.

Your contribution to the Infantile Paralysis Fund is greatly appreciated by the President. It is being sent on to the appropriate officials of the Fund.

The President asks me to convey his cordial wishes to you and to Mrs. Holder.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully
Private Secretary

Walter A. Holder, Esq.,
Room 332,
Maryland General Hospital,
Howard and Madison Street,
Baltimore 1,
Maryland.

Baltimore (1),
Maryland

Baltimore Md.

Ack. Jan - 28/1943

Dear Mr. President:

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Am Sending you a small
Birthday present, which I made myself.
I do hope you will like it. I was hurt
in the ship yard, and have been in the
Hospital over 2 years, I am paralyzed
from the waist down. I am sending you
a clipping from the paper of the work I
am doing, I am unable to go out to
the War, but I am trying to do my best to
help the boys who are helping us win this
War. Wishing you the Best of Health
and Happiness in the coming years and
Best of Luck.

Sincerely

Wm. A. Holder

Marford General Hospital
Room 332

Howard & Madison Street

Baltimore (1),
Maryland

BALTIMORE, WEDNESDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 29, 1943

Paralyzed Ironworker Finds Way To Help Beat The Axis

Crippled For Two Years, He Has Bought \$450 Of Bonds By Selling Products He Has Made

Walter Aubrey Holder, 39-year-old structural ironworker, who has been paralyzed from the waist down for nearly two years, has found his own way of helping to beat the Axis.

Rag dolls made from men's socks, toy dogs made from wash cloths, tufted baby-carriage covers and bright-colored pillow tops are the "weapons of war" fashioned by Mr. Holder.

"I make these articles with my own hands, then I sell them and use the proceeds to buy war bonds," Mr. Holder said yesterday while seated in a wheel chair in his room at the Maryland General Hospital.

Has Bought \$450 Bonds

"Since last February I have made enough of these things to enable me to purchase twelve \$25 bonds, one \$50 and one \$100 bond," he added. "That's only a little bit but nobody in the Axis is going to like me any better for doing even that small part."

Mr. Holder's home is in the 3500 block Eastern avenue. But he has seen nothing of it since October, 1941, when he fell from a tower crane in a shipyard. Doctors have told him, he said, that he would never be able to walk again and he has been a patient at the hospital since the accident.

Soldiers Are His Favorites

"No use quitting, especially in this war business," he said cheerfully. "I feel the boys who are doing the fighting are having a harder time than I am having."

Soldiers are favorites of Mr. Holder and several hundred, in-

cluding servicemen of other countries, have visited him at the hospital.

Although trained to handle iron and steel in his work, the patient said, making toy dogs, rag dolls, pillow tops and carriage covers came easy to him.

"My wife taught me knitting but I found that too slow and then devised my own way of making these articles," he declared. "I use a shuttle needle and scissors and sometimes a penknife."

Finds Ready Sale

He finds a ready sale for the things he has made—to nurses, friends, defense workers who visit him and, in on case, a British naval officer who bought two pillow tops to send to his wife in England.

"Before I was hurt, I was pretty

active and liked to bowl, watch a good ball game or even a horse race at times," he said.

"A few months before I was hurt I wanted to enlist in the army, but that is all over now."

Recently, his doctors have allowed him to be wheeled to a neighboring moving-picture theater.

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N. BALTIMORE WEDNESDAY MORNING



Just to

From Mrs Walter Holder
Room 332 (11)
Maryland Gen. Hospital Balt ma

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two words - HAPPY BIRTHDAY -

So simple, but expressing

The hope that you may long enjoy

Freedom's boundless blessing!



Melt shortening in saucepan,
crumbs; stir until well mixed;