

PRESIDENT'S PERSONAL FILE

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U. S. S. HOUSTON,
July 26, 1934.

My dear Sir:

The President asks me to express to you
and through you to the entire membership of
your Association his sincere thanks for their
greetings and thoughtful kindness in sending
him the beautiful flowers on the occasion
of his visit to Hilo.

His stay on the Island of Hawaii will
be remembered always with the greatest of
pleasure.

Sincerely yours,

Rudolph Forster,
Acting Secretary.

The President,
Kona Japanese Association,
X Hilo, Hawaii.

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AUGUST 1934
Date

PRESIDENT

HAWAII

RIES AT

FIVE OFFICER

Kapiolanihono S. Kaunama

gift from

Greetings
President Franklin D. Roosevelt
from
Kona Japanese Association
Honolulu, Hawaii

U. S. S. HOUSTON,
July 30, 1934.

My dear Duke Kahanamoki:

Thank you very much indeed for your kindness in sending me the photograph. I am glad to have it.

I shall always remember my visit to your Islands with the greatest of pleasure.

Very sincerely yours,

Duke P. Kahanamoki,
Honolulu,
Hawaii.

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Kapiolani Kona S. Kaunama

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U. S. S. HOUSTON,
July 30, 1934.

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My dear Mr. Kauhi:

I wish to send you a word of sincerest
thanks for all your courtesies in connection
with my stay on the Island of Hawaii.

I am delighted to have the mat. It
always will be a treasured souvenir of my
very pleasant visit to Hilo and the Crater.

Very sincerely yours,

Mr. Charles Kauhi,
Hawaii National Park,
Hawaii.

RESIDENT

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EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Kapiolanihono S. Kaunama

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To : HOUSTON
Information:

GOVT INT MR RUDOLPH FORSTER ACTING SECRETARY TO THE PRESIDENT
USS HOUSTON

I do want to say again how very sincerely

I appreciate THE MAN WHO GAVE THE STRAW MAT IS CHARLES KAHI HAWAII
NATIONAL PARK THE SAME MAN WHO GAVE THE PRESIDENT OHELO BERRIES AT
KILAUEA CRATER SINCERE BEST WISHES

The bond always will be a most treasured
possession and highly
delightful visit to your beautiful Islands.

SAMEUL M SPENCER CHAIRMAN AND EXECUTIVE OFFICER
COUNTY OF HAWAII

A: LT BOUND..... yours,

Capt. Off.	1st. Lieut	Engineer	Comm.	Supply
Exec. Off.	Gunnery	Nav.	Marines	Ship's Ser.

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Princess Abigail Kawanakoa,
Honolulu,
Hawaii.

Kapiolanihono S. Kaunamano

gift from

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U. S. S. HOUSTON,
July 30, 1934.

My dear Princess Kawanānākoa:

I do want to say again how very sincerely
I appreciate your great kindness in sending me
the beautiful bowl, the leis, and the very gen-
erous supply of fruits and candies.

The bowl always will be a most treasured
possession and highly valued souvenir of my
delightful visit to your beautiful Islands.

Very sincerely yours,

Princess Abigail Kawanānākoa,
Honolulu,
Hawaii.

Kapiolanihono S. Kaunama

Gift from

WITH HEARTIEST ALOHA TO
PRESIDENT FRANKLIN DELANO ROOSEVELT

MAY GOD BLESSES YOU AND
GUARDS YOU WHEREVER YOU GO

From:

TAN KWONG CHINESE SCHOOL

sending to him the friendly note of greetings
and beautiful flowers during his visit to
Honolulu.

His visit to Honolulu was delightful in
every way.

Sincerely yours,

Rudolph Forster,
Acting Secretary.

Tan Kwong Chinese School,
Honolulu,
Hawaii.

Kapiolani Kona S. Kaunama

gift from

U. S. S. HOUSTON,
July 31, 1934.

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9-K.

My dear Faculty and Students:

The President has asked me to tell you how much he appreciates your kind thought in sending to him the friendly note of greetings and beautiful flowers during his visit to Honolulu.

His visit to Honolulu was delightful in every way.

Sincerely yours,

Rudolph Forster,
Acting Secretary.

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Tan Kwong Chinese School,
Honolulu,
Hawaii.

Kapiolanihono S. Kaunamano

Gift from

U. S. S. HOUSTON,
July 31, 1934.

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My dear Mr. Collector:

The President was much pleased to receive from the personnel of your office the beautifully colored greeting card during his delightful visit to Honolulu.

He has asked me to express through you to all concerned his warm appreciation.

Sincerely yours,

Rudolph Forster,
Acting Secretary.

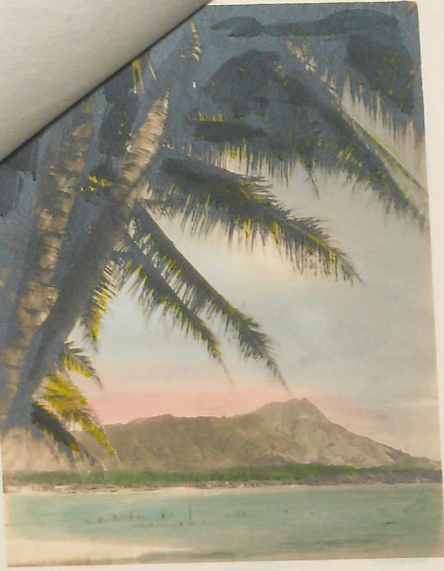
The Collector of Internal Revenue,
Honolulu,
Hawaii.

7 recd H. Kanne

Respectfully yours,

Kapiolanihono S. Kaunamano

2 gift from



Aloha Mui Loa

*U. S. Internal Revenue
District of Hawaii*

*P. P. 7.
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in sending to him the beautiful carnation
lei during his visit to Honolulu.

His stay in the Islands was a most
enjoyable one and will be remembered always
with the greatest of pleasure.

Sincerely yours,

Rudolph Forster,
Acting Secretary.

Mr. Kapiolanihona S. Kaunamamo,
3252 Catherine Oahu,
Honolulu, Hawaii.

Respectfully yours,

Kapiolanihona S. Kaunamamo

Gift from

U. S. S. HOUSTON,
July 31, 1934.

P.P. 7.
9-K.

My dear Mr. Kaunamamo:

The President asks me to tell you how very much he appreciates your kind thought in sending to him the beautiful carnation lei during his visit to Honolulu.

His stay in the Islands was a most enjoyable one and will be remembered always with the greatest of pleasure.

Sincerely yours,

Rudolph Forster,
Acting Secretary.

Mr. Kapiolanihona S. Kaunamamo,
3252 Catherine Oahu,
Honolulu, Hawaii.

Respectfully yours,

Kapiolanihona S. Kaunamamo

Gift from

3252 Catherine Oahu,

Honolulu, Hawaii.

July 25th, 1934.

Franklin D. Roosevelt,

Honolulu, Hawaii.

Dear President Roosevelt:

I herewith present
to you the attached carnation lei companion
to the one I made for you for the Democrat
Delegates from Hawaii, at the Conference
held in the Congress Hotel, in Chicago, on
July the 3rd, 1932. The Carnation is the
Official flower for the Democratic Party
of Hawaii.

It was at this Co-
ference the first Hawaiian Lei was made
by one of Hawaii's Daughter and presented
to one of the first President of the United
States of America.

I was very happy
to had the pleasure and honor of meeting
and shaking hands with you.

Respectfully yours,

Kapiolanichona S. Kaunamano

gift from

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U. S. S. HOUSTON,
August 1, 1934.

P. P. F.
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My dear Mr. Kaahumanu:

The President has asked me to express
his most sincere thanks to you for the beau-
tiful wooden tray which you were so good as
to present to him during his all too short
visit to Honolulu.

Sincerely yours,

Rudolph Forster,
Acting Secretary.

Mr. Ahahui Kaahumanu,
Honolulu,
Hawaii.

*I could not be so
so I enclosed a card making this a gift from*

U. S. S. HOUSTON,
August 1, 1934.

P.P. 7.
9-K.

My dear Sirs:

The President has asked me to express
to all of you his most sincere appreciation
for your thoughtful courtesy in sending to
him the beautiful cane on the occasion of
his most delightful visit to Honolulu.

He enjoyed every minute of his stay
and carries with him very pleasant mem-
ories.

Sincerely yours,

Rudolph Forster,
Acting Secretary.

Kaneohe Committee,
Honolulu,
Hawaii.

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so I enclosed a card making this a gift from*

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U. S. S. HOUSTON,
August 1, 1934.

P.P.F.
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My dear Sir:

The President wishes me to tell you
that he was delighted to receive the sew-
ing basket, bowls, and tray which the mem-
bers of Kau-Tom Post No. 11, American Legion x64
of Honolulu, were so good as to send to him.

He will be obliged if you will convey
to each member of the Post his most sincere
thanks and good wishes.

Sincerely yours,

Rudolph Forster,
Acting Secretary.

The Commander,
Kau-Tom Post No. 11,
American Legion,
Honolulu, Hawaii.

*I could not be -
so I enclosed a card making this a gift from*

Flowers received 1/30/34
through Mr. Reeves, addressed
to Mrs. F.D. Roosevelt.
for the President

August 15, 1934.

My dear Sidney:

Your letter of August ninth has been
received. The President has requested me to
thank you warmly for writing and for the drawing
which you were good enough to send him. He is
greatly appreciates the spirit which prompted
your act.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Sidney Lee Kimbrough,
418 West 115th Street,
Los Angeles,
California.

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I could not be any more of
so I enclosed a card making this a gift from

Received 1/30/34
Reeves, addressed
F. Roosevelt.
President

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Los Angeles Calif.

Aug 9, 1934-

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Franklin D. Roosevelt

Dear Sir:-

Please accept this drawing
I made of you, as a token of my
great admiration of you. I hope
some day to be able to make a
much better one for you. I am
fourteen years old and am attending
George Washington High school.
If you can, I would like very
much to have you send me an
autographed picture of yourself.

Yours Truly

Sidney L. Kimbrough

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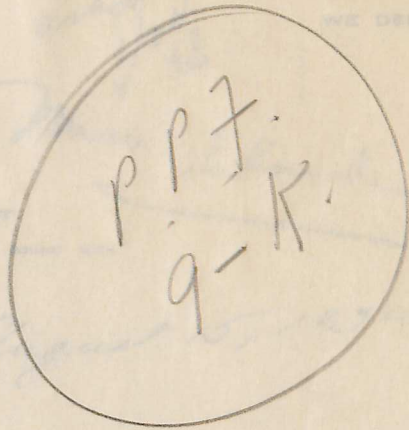
I could not be so selfish as to give this alone
so I enclosed a card making this a gift from

Flowers received 1/30/34
through Mr. Reeves, addressed
to Mrs. F.D. Roosevelt.
for the President,
have not been thanked for.

for Miss Le Hand.

*Thank
M.L.*

st 24, 1934.



Mrs. Roosevelt has handed me your letter of August fifteenth and I am indeed sorry to find that no acknowledgment has been made of the beautiful center piece which you sent to the President on the occasion of his birthday. I regret very much this delay but when I tell you how overwhelmed we are with the large amount of mail which is coming to this office every day, I am sure you will understand and bear with us.

The President was delighted with the gift, and was grateful for the spirit of good will which it evidenced. He has asked me to convey to you and to everyone concerned his hearty thanks.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Hazen Pingree Knoch, Esq.,
10410 West Jefferson Avenue,
River Rouge,
Michigan.

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An unusual centerpiece arrangement including a silver bowl, containing red Carnations, white Sweet Peas and blue Iris, flags and a Statue of Liberty. See Detroit newsletter, page 29.

"SAY IT WITH FLOWERS"

WE DELIVER

HAZEN P. KNOCH

FLORIST LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT

10410 W. JEFFERSON AVE.

RIVER ROUGE, MICH.

asked
8/24/34
Mrs. LeHand
August 15, 1934.

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

Dear Madam:

On the occasion of your distinguished husband's birthday I originated a floral centerpiece for the table of the White House.

This centerpiece consisted of a bronzed laurel wreath of victory surrounding a pedestal that held a replica of the Roosevelt family christening bowl. A Statue of Liberty stood in the bowl and figures of soldiers stood on guard at the base. The bowl was filled with red white and blue flowers.

Copies of this centerpiece were placed on display at the Roosevelt Ball in Wyandotte and Detroit, Mich. a photo made by Harris and Ewing, Washington photographers has been printed in magazines and papers throughout the United States though no credit was ever given me nor any acknowledgement made by the White House.

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RIVER ROUGE, MICH.

the people of River Rouge, Ecorse, Wyandotte and Trenton Michigan representing eighty thousand people without recompence to me. An endless stream of people have inquired whether I had received an acknowledgement of this gift.

Would you be so kind as to let me know whether this gift had been received the morning of January 30th. A letter of acknowledgement from you would make many a humble heart rejoice that this little gift had not been forgotten and strengthen their faith in your beloved and great husband.

Respectfully yours,

Hazen Pinckney Knoch.

Columbia University
in the City of New York
OFFICE OF THE CHAPLAIN

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August 27, 1934.

President Franklin D. Roosevelt
Washington, D.C.

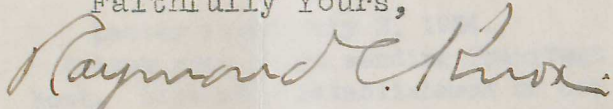
My dear President Roosevelt:

My friend and colleague, Professor Moley, has kindly offered to deliver to you a copy of my book, "Religion and the American Dream", which I should be happy and honored if you would please accept from me.

In this critical period the ideals of democracy can, I believe, be realized only as we lay fresh hold of great convictions as to the worth of life and as to social purpose. This book has been written in the endeavor to present the fundamental convictions which give to democracy a fulfilling faith.

May I ask that you receive the book with the assurance of my high admiration for your courageous, constructive statesmanship in furtherance of the "American dream".

Faithfully Yours,



Raymond C. Knox.

August 30, 1934

Respectfully referred to the
officials of the State Department,
attention Mr. Dunn, for acknowledg-
ment.

We do not appear to have any
record of the receipt of the book
referred to in the translation.

LOUIS McH. HOWE
Secretary to the President

Johann Kung, ^x
Schanzenbergstrasse 30,
Berne,
Switzerland.

Letter dated July 2, 1934.

Writer says he is sending President a
book. Discusses establishment of new
settlements for unemployed and building
houses for them which cannot be bought or
sold - to avoid speculation.

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September 12, 1934.

September 6, 1934

My dear Mr. Keeper:

The copy of the magazine which you

Gentlemen: all enough to send to the President now

I want to thank you heartily, in behalf of
the President, for your courtesy in sending him
the two cases of beer. You may be sure that this
evidence of your interest and good will is warmly
appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE
Secretary to the President

The Kelly Brewing Company,
Marion,
Indiana.

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September 12, 1934.

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My dear Mr. Keeper:

The copy of the magazine which you were good enough to send to the President has been received in his absence, and I want to thank you heartily in his behalf for your courtesy. He will, you may be sure, be glad to have the publication and will enjoy looking through it.

Very sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE
Secretary to the President

George Keeper, Esq.,
907 Pacific National Building,
Los Angeles,
California.

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September 15, 1932.

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My dear Mr. Kotscher:

Representative A. C. Willford has been
good enough to send to the President the
picture frame which you carved for him.

The President is most appreciative of
your thoughtfulness.

Very sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE
Secretary to the President

Bert Kotscher, Esq.,
Route 2,
Waterloo,
Iowa.
A. C. Willford,
Member of Congress,
Waterloo,
Iowa.

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September 15, 1934.

My dear Mr. Willford:

Your letter of September tenth has been received and I want to thank you in the President's behalf for your courtesy in sending the frame carved by Mr. Kotscher to him.

A note of appreciation is being sent to Mr. Kotscher.

Very sincerely yours,

LOUIS McH. HOWE
Secretary to the President

Honorable A. C. Willford,
Member of Congress,
Waterloo,
Iowa.

Very sincerely yours,

A. C. Willford
A. C. Willford, M.C.
1st District Iowa

Mr. Latta.

I have the picture

United States
Representatives

gton, D.C. Waterloo, Iowa
September 10th, 1934

COMMITTEES:
MERCHANT MARINE, RADIO,
AND FISHERIES
MINES AND MINING
WAR CLAIMS
WILD LIFE CONSERVATION

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

My dear Mr. President:

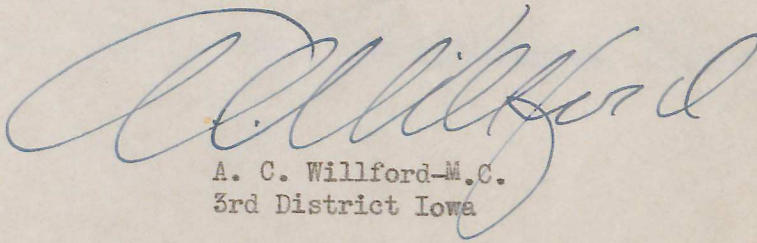
I am sending you under separate cover a frame with your picture. This frame was made with a jack-knife by an Austrian immigrant who has been in this country about ten years. He runs a 320 acre farm with the help of a hired man and milks about twenty to thirty cows. He still had time to set down and whittle out this frame for your picture.

He is one of the greatest admirers you have ever had and can make the best talk on the farm question under your administration than any farmer I have ever heard talk.

The picture in this frame was cut out of a Chicago paper. This man's name is Bert Kotscher, RFD #2, Waterloo, Iowa. He came to me and asked me if I thought you would accept the frame. He is rather timid and I told him I was sure you would find a place for it. He is a wonderful fellow.

I would like to have you accept this frame in the spirit in which it is given and if you care to acknowledge it, you may write to him direct.

Very sincerely yours,



A. C. Willford-M.C.
3rd District Iowa

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THE WHITE HOUSE
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HOME ADDRESS:
WATERLOO, IOWA

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives

Washington, D.C. Waterloo, Iowa
September 10th, 1934

COMMITTEES:
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Very sincerely yours,

A. C. Willford
A. C. Willford-M.C.
3rd District Iowa

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Brown, Wright & Company, Inc.

Newport, R.I., West 44th Street
September 18, 1934. New York

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F. GORDON BROWN, PRESIDENT
WASHBURN WRIGHT, VICE PRESIDENT

LICENSE NO. LL 205

TEL. N. 1-1000
CABLE ADDRESS: BRIGHTCOM

My dear Mr. Wright:

September 12, 1934.

The President asks me to acknowledge receipt of and thank you for your letter of September 12th, and for your courtesy in conveying the three bottles of San Carlos rum to him.

^{Frederic}
Judge Kernochan in on the Nourmahal with the President, and I am sure that the President will thank him in person.
Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt,
Washington

Sincerely yours,

Your Excellency:

M. H. McIntyre,
Assistant Secretary
to the President. ^{Thanks} courtesy of Justice

Kernochan, we are taking the liberty of sending you
Washburn Wright, Esq.,
Brown, Wright & Co. Inc., Carlos Rum.
15 West 44th St.,
New York City. We trust that you will enjoy it.

Respectfully,

BROWN WRIGHT & COMPANY, INC.

By

Washburn Wright

Mac A Thank
Mr. Wright

Brown, Wright & Company, Inc.
15 West 44th Street
New York

F. GORDON BROWN, PRESIDENT
WASHBURNE WRIGHT, VICE PRESIDENT

LICENSE No. LL 205

TEL. MURRAY HILL 2-1974
CABLE ADDRESS: BRIGHTCOM

September 12, 1934.

Mac A Thank
Mr. Wright

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

Your Excellency:

Through the courtesy of Justice
Kernochan, we are taking the liberty of sending you
three bottles of San Carlos Rum.

We trust that you will enjoy it.

Respectfully,

BROWN WRIGHT & COMPANY, INC.

By

Washburne Wright

P.P.F.

(9) K

September 27, 1934.

My dear Mrs. Kemp:

I have received your letter and do indeed appreciate your thoughtfulness in sending the picture of the old German sailing vessel "The Padua" to me. I am very glad to have it for my collection.

X PPF 9.0
X PPF 223

Very sincerely yours,

Mrs. Lorin W. Kemp, X
Chuquicamata,
Chile.

Chuquicamata Chile SA.
August the thirty first. Nineteen Thirty four.

Mrs. Lorin Kemp

Thank
[Signature]

THE WHITE HOUSE
SEP 10 1934
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9-27-34

My dear Mr. President: opening of the door, by means of Federal Act,
to the elimination of slums and to the provision of wholesome living quarters
for those of modern times. Since you are a fellow admirer of ship
Key, stating he hopes to visit the Village some day soon.

pictures and ship models. I am taking the liberty of sending
you a picture of an old German sailing vessel, "The Padua"
The ship is seen leaving the small port of Iquique in
Northern Chile. My twenty years in Chile have afforded
me time to enlarge my ship collection to what I
consider price less. I thought you might enjoy
having one for your collection from South America.
I have entrusted the care of the picture to my daughter
who is returning to school. You ought to receive
the picture some time after September the eleventh.

I have the honor to remain,

Most Sincerely Yours,

Isabel Miller Kemp. x

(Mrs. L. W. Kemp).

Chiquisamatá Chile SA.

August the thirty first. Nineteen thirty four.

Thank
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THE WHITE HOUSE
SEP 10 1934
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4-27 am

My dear Mr President:

Since you are a fellow admirer of ship pictures and ship models, I am taking the liberty of sending you a picture of an old German sailing vessel, "The Padua". The ship is seen leaving the small port of Iquique in Northern Chile. My twenty years in Chile have afforded me time to enlarge my ship collection to what I consider price less. I thought you might enjoy having one for your collection from South America. I have entrusted the care of the picture to my daughter who is returning to school. You ought to receive the picture some time after September the eleventh.

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Isabel Miller Kemp.
(Mrs. L. W. Kemp).

Chuzquisamata Chile SA.

August the thirty first. Nineteen thirty four.

Washington, D.C.

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FRENCH, Fred F. (President - Knickerbocker Village, Inc.)
New York, N.Y.
October 2, 1934

Writes President sending him the first key to Knickerbocker Village, as a symbol of the opening of the door, by means of Federal funds, to the elimination of slums and to the provision of wholesome living quarters for those of moderate income. President replied Oct. 6, thanking him for Key, stating he hopes to visit the Village some day soon.

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Victor Rutledge, Esq.,
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Chicago,
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The White House
Washington, D.C.

1527 Wicker Park Ave
Chicago, Illinois
Sept. 29, 1934

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October 3, 1934

President Franklin D. Roosevelt
Washington, D.C.

My dear Mr. Kutulis:

The President has asked me to acknowledge
your letter of September twenty-ninth, and to
thank you for the portrait which you sent him
recently. He warmly appreciates this evidence
of your friendly interest and good will.

Very sincerely yours,

during increasing periods of un-
employment I turned to painting
as a hobby.

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

I respectfully submit to

you Victor Kutulis, Esq.,
1527 Wicker Park Avenue,
Chicago,
Illinois.

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very sincerely yours
Victor Kutulis

Marvin McIntyre, Esq.
The White House
Washington, D.C.

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President Franklin D. Roosevelt
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Dear President:

I am an unemployed
laborer. I am not married.
my parents died during the
depression.

To occupy my mind
during increasing periods of un-
employment I turned to painting
as a hobby.

I respectfully submit to
you this portrait, which is a
laborers' conception of
our President.

very sincerely yours.

Victor Kestulis

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Yours faithfully,

Alfred A. Knopf

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Marvin McIntyre, Esq.
The White House
Washington, D.C.

October 8, 1934

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My dear Mr. Knopf:

Your letter of October third, addressed to Mr. McIntyre, has come to me for acknowledgment as he is out of the city on a short vacation.

I am sure that your desire to present a specially bound copy of Mr. Wharton's book to the President will be appreciated. May I suggest that you send it either through me or Mr. McIntyre. The tremendous demands on the President's time are such that we have been unable to make personal appointments for presentations of this kind. I am sure you will understand.

Very sincerely yours,

To House

STEPHEN EARLY
Assistant Secretary to
the President

Mr. Alfred A. Knopf,
730 Fifth Avenue,
New York, New York.

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Yours faithfully,

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October 3, 1934.

Dear Mr. McIntyre,

I write at the suggestion of my friend, Henry Pringle, through whom, earlier in the year, I was put in touch with Don Wharton of The New Yorker staff who had a plan for a book to be called THE ROOSEVELT OMNIBUS which seemed to both Pringle and myself something absolutely unique and altogether worth while. Incidentally Mr. Wharton had some discussion with Mr. Early about this book in the spring. It can best be described in a special dummy which I am sending you under separate cover. Please bear in mind that this dummy was prepared exclusively for display in bookstores in advance of publication. The book itself will have to be seen to be appreciated and I will be able to send you advance sheets shortly.

Publication has been set tentatively for October 25, but there is a possibility that it may have to be deferred until December 1st.

It seems to Mr. Wharton and to me that if only as a matter of the merest courtesy a very early copy should be presented to the President, and that this copy should be specially and appropriately bound. This I am attending to and I should be glad to know from you just how such a presentation should be handled. The book, I might add, is really a new kind of biography, quite non-partisan, and one in which I feel certain that the President will take great satisfaction.

Yours faithfully,

Alfred A. Knopf

Marvin McIntyre, Esq.
The White House
Washington, D.C.

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Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Joseph G. Kratina, Esq.,
48 Hicks Street,
Brooklyn,
New York.

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him a "Second Remington..."

I take the liberty of enclosing photographs of some of
his work, in the hope that his work as an artist may not
be forgotten.

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October 10, 1934.

My dear Mr. Kratina:

Your letter of September eleventh, with the enclosed photographs, was received by the President at Hyde Park, and he has read it with a great deal of interest.

He was much pleased with the bronz statue which your son made and which you were good enough to send to him. He will be glad to see that John receives the miniature.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
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M. Kratina
Sculptor

Sep. 11, 1934.

Rec'd at
Hyde Park
48 Hicks St.
100 BERKELEY PLACE
BROOKLYN, N. Y.

J. Roosevelt
United States - Hyde Park N.Y.

your son rowed no 6. in his crew
may I state, that my son George Kratina also rowed
no 6. in the winning freshman crew for Syracuse at
Poughkeepsie in 1929.

In commemoration of this race my son made
a miniature statue of a crewman in action, a
photograph of which I enclose.

I am sending you under another cover if you will be
kind enough to accept it, with my compliments and
on behalf of my son to your son, a first replica of
this statue in bronze, as a remembrance from one
oarsman to another, of your sons achievements.

May I also state that my son graduated 1932-33
with high honors from the N.Y. State College of Forestry
at Syracuse University. 1931, he made competition
for the "Prix de Rome" in sculpture - and the Art Committee
expressed ^{considerable} merit to his work - in the action and
composition. He is now at Yale University Art Department
for sculpture. He has exhibited specimen of his work
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Exhibited in
Olympic Exhibition 1932
under his name K. George
as sculptor

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Sep. 11, 1934.

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Sep. 11. 1934.

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48 Hicks St.
160 BERKELEY PLACE
BROOKLYN, N. Y.

To His Excellency
Franklin D. Roosevelt
President of The United States - Hyde Park N.Y.

Dear Mr President:

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I also take the liberty of enclosing a photograph of a bust of Woodrow Wilson made from life by my self in Sept. 1912, which shows my idea at that time of what his appearance would be in the future, and as you can see my forecast was correct: it is recognized as the best likeness of his spirit.

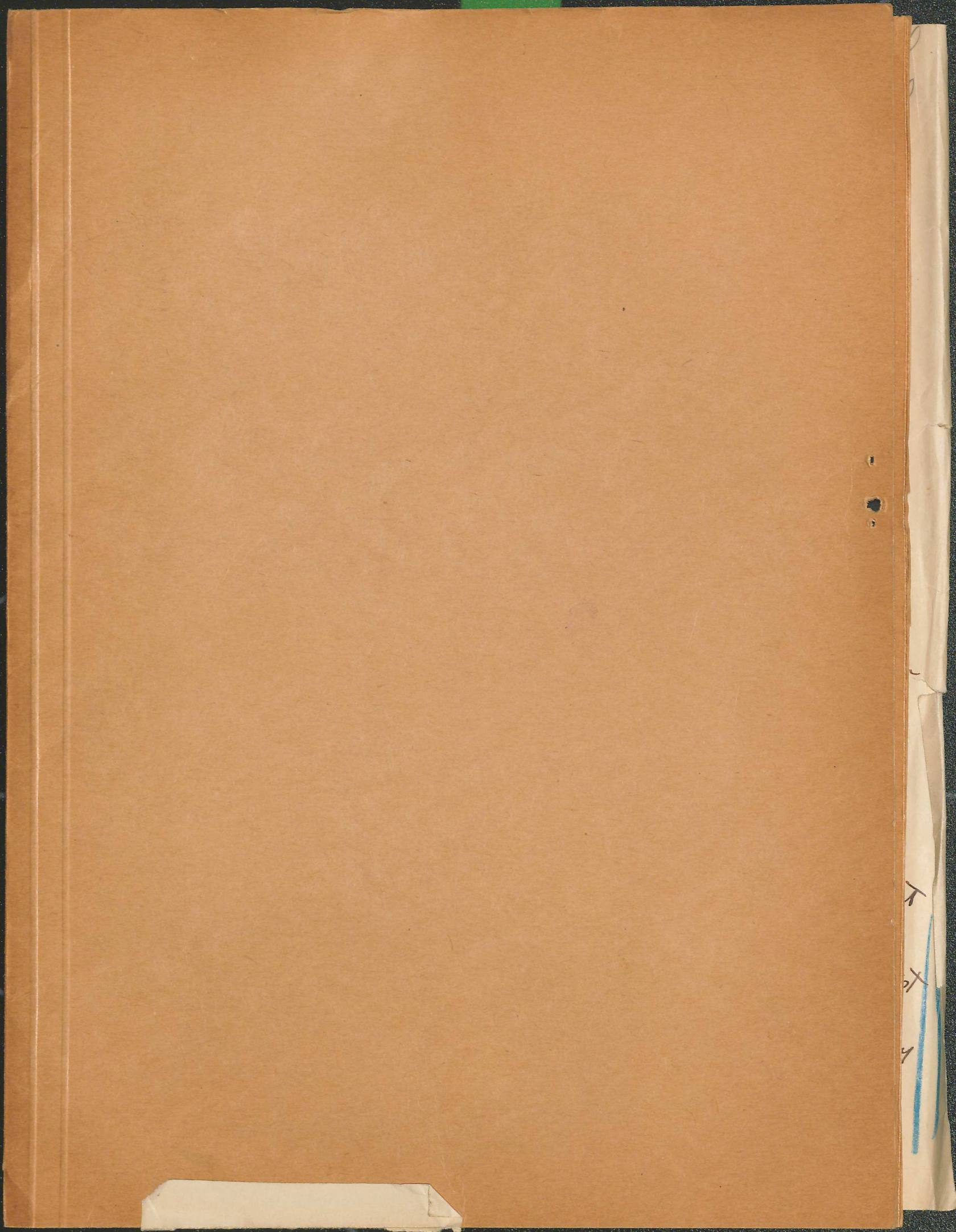
If it would be at all possible I should esteem it a favor if you would permit me to make a similar bust of yourself, which might be handed down to posterity as a lasting remembrance. and for the future organization of the original American Nation of which I am ancestor - as 10,000 year ago. My desire would be, to arrange new school of spiritual development for advanced children - to show the world, what glorious genius we have here - and that our brain is - most complete, Radio! -

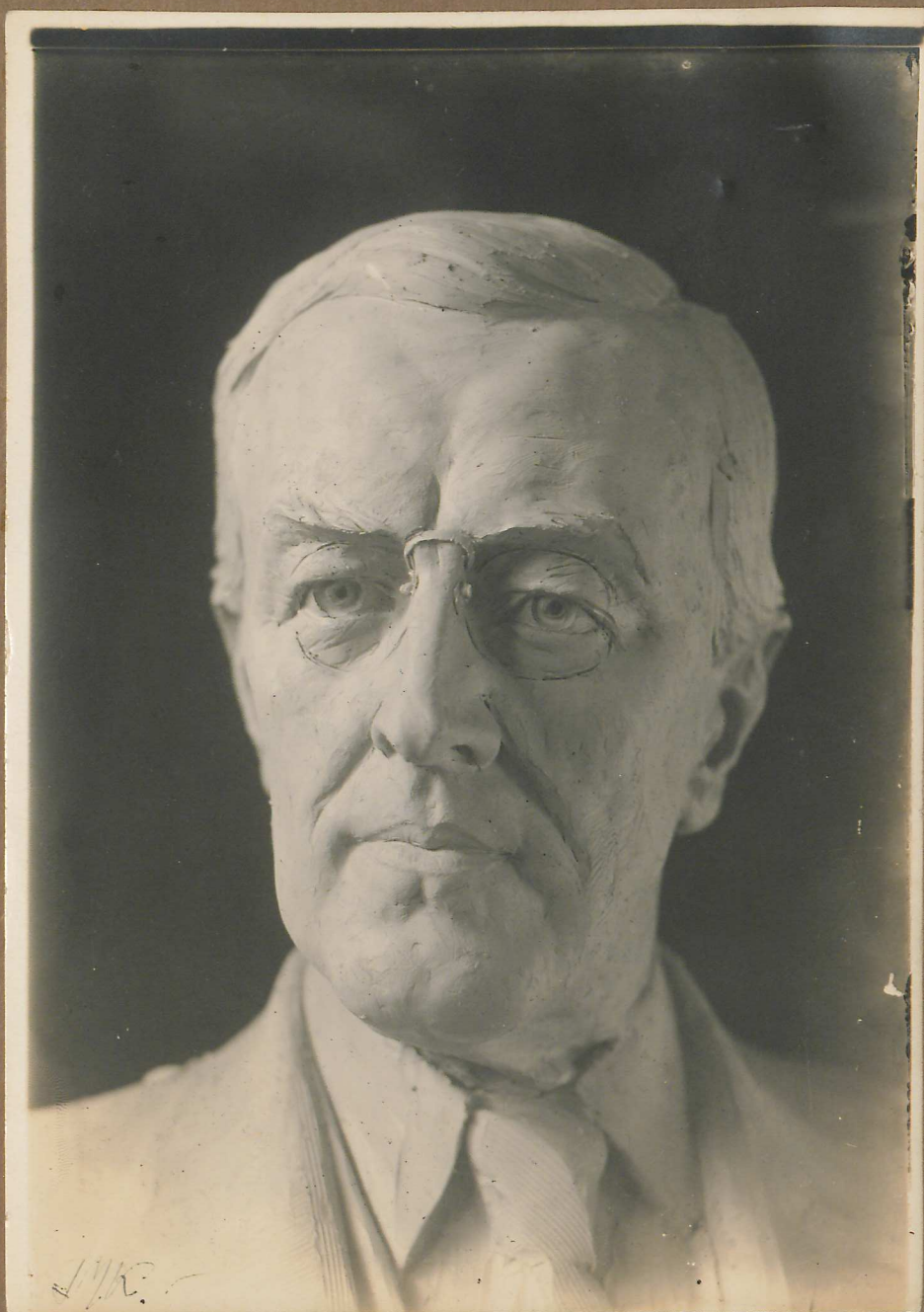
I am in strong belief you will understand me, and may help me to execute such dream. - and "European Harmony" ^{to that} I forecast it Bk. which can bring our prosperity and.

My Paul is with you; with best wishes of happiness

Yours
Sincerely Yours
J. H. Watkins

\$ not herewith enclosed.





MADE FROM LIFE - AUGUST 30, 1912. BY JOS. M. KRATINA

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K. GEORGE: Crew Man

Woodrow Wilson made in ^{30 Aug} Sept 1912 of study
from life - by Jas. M. Kratina. sc.
his vision about W. Wilson. life and
mortality is express in the Clay model.



K. GEORGE: Crew Man

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LEONARD ZAISS: Torso



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BY R. GEORGE.



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ASSAULT ON BALA BY K. GEORGE



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LACROSSE - FOR INTERNATIONAL PROPY
BY K. GEORGE
1921.



SPORT. by George.

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This package contains a piece of
the keel of Perry's old flagship NIAGARA, 934.
also a spike used in the construction
of the vessel, and a gavel made from
the original oak in the hull.

Presented by

The Rev. Harold E. Keller
23rd and Market Sts.,
Harrisburg, Pa.

mementoes.

I am delighted to have them
for my collection, and shall prize
them highly.

Very sincerely yours,

The Reverend Harold E. Keller,
23rd and Market Sts.,
Harrisburg,
Pennsylvania.

will have sent to me a Photo of you for my
collection.

Yours humble admirer

Walter A. Kampshaus
3817 St Lawrence Ave
Cincinnati, Ohio
U.S.A.

October 11, 1934.

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My dear Father Keller:

Many thanks for the NIAGARA
mementoes.

I am delighted to have them
for my collection, and shall prize
them highly.

Very sincerely yours,

The Reverend Harold E. Keller,
23rd and Market Sts.,
Harrisburg,
Pennsylvania.

my drawings... and hourly prayers if you
will have sent to me a Photo of you for my
collection.

Your humble Admirer

Walter A. Kampshaus Ave
3817 54 Lawrence P.M.
Cincinnati Ohio
U.S.A

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

10-11-34

Memorandum for Miss LeHand:

I extended Father Keller every courtesy (showed him around, etc.), except that of presenting this personally to the President. In view of the nature of the gift I thought possibly the President might like to send him a personal letter of thanks.

USS Niagara
souvenirs
gun & spike block -

my drawing... and would be grateful if you will have sent to me a Photo of you for my collection.

Your humble Admirer

Walter A. Kampshaus Ave
3817 St Lawrence P.M.
Cincinnati Ohio
U.S.A

P.P.T.
G.K.

October 19, 1934.

My dear Mr. Kamphaus:

Your letter of October third has been received by the President. He requests me to thank you heartily for your thoughtfulness in sending him the sketch to which you refer, and is indeed grateful for your words of approval.

He has had pleasure in signing one of his photographs for you and I am forwarding it today under separate cover.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Walter A. Kamphaus, Esq.,
3817 St. Lawrence Avenue,
Cincinnati,
Ohio.

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Your humble Admirer

Walter A. Kamphaus
3817 St Lawrence Ave
Cincinnati Ohio
U.S.A.

Wed Oct 3 - 1934

Cincinnati Ohio

President of the
United States of America.

Honorable Sir:-

I hope you will excuse this intrusion
upon your valuable time.

For years I have been collecting
pictures of Famous People. The outstanding
thing I have noticed among my collection
is your smile. It seems to predominate
everything.

The thought occurred to me, why not
capitalize on it? Could not your smile be
used for Campaign purposes? So I am
sending you my feeble attempt. If the
likeness on some of them does not meet
with your approval, Please excuse it, The
only material I had to work with was
newspaper Prints. Out of a collection of
603 Prints I picked the 30 Best and clearest
ones I could find.

I will feel honored if you will accept
my drawing... and doubly gratified if you
will have sent to me a Photo of you for my
collection.

Yours humble admirer

Walter A. Kampshaus Ave
3817 St Lawrence P.H.
Cincinnati Ohio
U.S.A

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October 23, 1934.

My dear John:

Your friendly letter of October fifteenth has been received and the President has requested me to thank you for writing. He is pleased to have the drawing, a product of your own art, and greatly appreciates the spirit which prompted you to present it to him.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand,
PRIVATE SECRETARY

John Klimowsky, —
1729 Fulton Avenue,
New York, N.Y.

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1729 Fulton Avenue
New York, N. Y.
October 15, 1934

Dear Mr. Roosevelt;

My age is fifteen. I
never had professional
instructor of art instructing
me how to draw or paint.
This picture was actually
drawn by me. If you may
not like my occurrence
in this picture please
excuse me.

Yours truly,
John Klimowsky

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October 23, 1934.

My dear Mr. Kallis:

Your letter of October sixth has been received, and I want to thank you in the President's behalf for your good wishes and for your thoughtful kindness in sending the first printed copy of the first edition of "One Man's Philosophy" to him.

Very sincerely yours,

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LOUIS McH. HOWE
Secretary to the President

M. Kallis, Esq.,
M. Kallis & Company,
732 West Van Buren Street,
Chicago,
Illinois.

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CHICAGO, ILL.

October 6, 1934

Franklin Delano Roosevelt
President, United States
Washington, D. C.

Your Excellency:

It gives me great pleasure to present to you the first printed copy of the first edition of "One Man's Philosophy".

I have been in the printing business for twenty-five years and closely associated with City, County and State Democratic politics for the past twenty years, but this is the first time that I have published a book of such universal appeal. Although the idea of publishing in one volume all your speeches to date was only conceived less than a month ago, the second edition is already off the press. I sincerely trust that you will not consider this a presumption but agree with me that your ideas, ideals and policies should be more clearly understood by every American citizen and that the study of your speeches such as are contained in this volume will be the means for doing just that.

Permit me to extend my sincere wishes for your continued success.

Respectfully,

M. KALLIS & COMPANY

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KISHBAUGH, Edward W., Esq.,
Berwick, Pa.
October 30, 1934

Sends the President an emblem of his recovery act which may be of interest to him; writer wants to introduce himself, and takes this means of doing so. Has family of eight children and his wife, and asks if the President could have them placed on one of his farms; would be willing to give his property for security.

Letter from Mr. Kishbaugh, and copy of letter, have been referred to the Farm Credit Administration, and also to the Interior Department.

See Kishbaugh, Edward W.

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