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Springs Foundation. ^{PP.T}
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Your letter of December twenty-ninth

has been received. The President thanks you

very much for the Year Book which you were

good enough to send. M. A. LeHand has asked me to

express his sincere appreciation of the friendly

spirit which your letter evidences.

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

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1939 Year Book, bound in blue leather and stamped in gold, "Franklin
D. Roosevelt", presented to him by J. F. Cummings of the Kennedy &
Ely Insurance Company, 15th Floor Congress Building, Miami, Florida,
and sent to Dr. C. I. Irwin, Surgeon-in-Chief of the Georgia Warm
Springs Foundation.

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

J. F. Cummings, Esq.,
Kennedy & Ely Insurance, Inc.,
15th Floor Congress Building,
Miami,
Florida.

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January 11, 1939

My dear Mr. Cummings:

Your letter of December twenty-ninth has been received. The President thanks you ever so much for the Year Book which you were good enough to send to him and has asked me to express his cordial appreciation of the friendly spirit which your letter evidences.

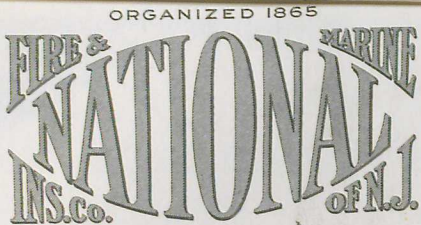
Very sincerely yours,

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Kennedy & Ely, Inc., AGENTS

Fifteenth Floor Congress Building
Phone 2-1736 Miami, Florida

December 29, 1938

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

Dear Mr. Roosevelt:

We have had prepared for your personal use an attractive 1939 Year Book, bound in leather with your name in gold letters on the cover.

You will receive this book through the mail in the next few days and we hope that it will prove to be useful to you.

With best wishes for a very Happy and Prosperous New Year, we are

Sincerely yours,

J. F. Cummings

J.F. CUMMINGS

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Greater New York, Inc.,

Handkerchief

SUMMERLIN, Hon. George
Chief of Protocol, Department of State
January 16, 1939

Transmitted to Miss LeHand, at the request of the Japanese Ambassador, Hon. Kensuke Horinouchi, a portrait (kakemono) tendered to the President by Mr. Ryozo Asano of Tokyo, Japan, a Harvard classmate of the President's. Mr. Summerlin also enclosed a sealed letter to the President from Mr. Asano, dated November 19, 1938, in which the latter advised that the picture was painted by Bungaku Arai from a photograph which the President sent to Mr. Asano. (A kakemono is a hanging scroll. Mr. Summerlin offered to prepare draft of reply and he indicated that he advised the Japanese Ambassador that the President's reply will doubtless be forwarded through the American Ambassador at Tokyo. -- The President wrote Mr. Asano on January 18th that it is a great pleasure to have his letter and the interesting kakemono, adding that all of the family agree that it is a most excellent likeness. He indicated that the picture will have a place of honor in the new Library which is soon to be built at Hyde Park.

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Greater New York, Inc.,

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January 11, 1939

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My dear Friends:

The President has asked me to tell you that he is glad indeed to have the year book which you were good enough to send to him. He thanks you sincerely for your thoughtful courtesy and sends his best wishes to everyone concerned.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Conqueror Lodge K. of P. #559,
910 Eastern Parkway,
Brooklyn,
New York.

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Greater New York, Inc.,

February 8, 1939

My dear Mrs. Kowalski:

The President asks me to express to you his grateful appreciation of your recent note and card and the little birthday token which you were kind enough to send him. He is pleased to accept it and thanks you very much for your thoughtfulness.

The President is glad to know that you also celebrate your birthday on January thirtieth and extends his very best wishes to you.

In accordance with your request, the President has had pleasure in signing a card for you and I am sending it herewith.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. John Kowalski,
7705 North Fowler Avenue,
Portland,
Oregon.

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Greater New York, Inc.,

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Here's hoping in your Book
of Years
That each new chapter holds
Still sweeter joys and memories
As the happy tale unfolds!

Mrs. J. Kowalski

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KOUNTZE, deLancey, Boy Scout Foundation of Greater New York, Inc.,
New York, N.Y.
Jan. 30, 1939.

Letter to Mr. McIntyre, saying he is sending under separate cover, the final book gotten up by the Boy Scout Foundation of Greater New York, which he would like to have presented to the President and Mrs. Roosevelt. In regard to the movie which the March of Time is making for them, and which will be shown all over the country beginning with the Music Hall in New York, Feb. 8th, they are wondering if the President would like to look at the movie at the White House sometime at his convenience. - Also writes he wants to send the President some quail, and wants to know when President is leaving.

Penciled notation - "Mac - tell him to send the movie and we will show it when we can - Missy".

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January 20, 1939

KEY WEST FLORIDA January 12, 1939

My dear Mr. Singleton:

The President has noted with interest your letter of January sixteenth, with the enclosed booklet. He thanks you for your friendly thoughtfulness in sending him the "Key Limes" and asks me to express his appreciation of your kind invitation.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Leland
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Stephen C. Singleton, Esq.,
Key West Chamber of Commerce,
Key West,
Florida.

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Stephen C. Singleton
Key West Chamber of Commerce

CHARLES E. SMITH
President

FRED J. DION
Treasurer

STEPHEN C. SINGLETON
Executive Secretary

*Thank
M.A.H.*

Key West Chamber of Commerce

SERVING THE FLORIDA KEYS

"From Key Largo to the Dry Tortugas, Inclusive"

KEY WEST, FLORIDA January 16, 1938

The President,
The White House,
Washington, DISTRICT of COLUMBIA.

Dear Mr. President,

I think you will remember how much better wild strawberries used to taste than the much larger cultivated ones.

I think the same thing can be said of our "Key Limes" as compared to the rest of the lemon family

At any rate, I would like you to try these limes which I am sending under separate cover and compare their flavor with that of any other citrus fruit.

If you could manage to try our limes on their native rocks and the fish that swim in the surrounding waters, I believe you would understand why our people are fanatically in love with Key West. I think you would find our Navy Yard a very lovely and restful place, and I know of no place that has better reason to greet you with gratitude.

I have the honor to remain most respectfully yours.

Stephen C. Singleton Exec. Sec.
Key West Chamber of Commerce.

**Albert Pack Turns In Best
Fishing Of Year; Tarpon
100 Pounds, Shark 200
Pounds, Jewfish 300**

The most amazing fishing story of the year happened Sunday to Albert Pack, who hardly had to add at the end of the day that he "had far better fishing in the last four days than I have had at east coast points in the last four years".

For Mr. Pack's day of luck started before his charter launch, "Gorilla", went out, and ended late in the evening after his launch had been berthed. Most readers will never believe this:

Pack's guide, Guy Stantani, who, by the way, once had a party catch two sailfish on one line, was cutting bait for the day's fishing, and flipping the scraps overboard, a huge green-backed tarpon popped out of water grabbing the scraps. Pack grabbed a rod and reel and hooked on a mullet head, not the regular mullet trolling bait, mind you, and dropped it into the water. Slam! bang! and the big fellow had it and was streaking out like a lightning flash. Under the boat he went, under another boat. Whoowie!—and the rod and reel went out of Pack's hands into the water!

Euric Sterling, on the dock, spotted the fish jumping around the end of the pier when all were looking down below the Gorilla. So Pack, Frank Barzilia, local guide, and Frank Haskins, captain of Pack's yacht, Chieftain, jump in the yacht's small motor tender and came around the pier.

Seizing the line with a boat-hook, the missing rod and reel was pulled up and the line attached to the line from another rod and reel. Then the fight started. Up and down the Yacht Basin, in and out of piers the big tarpon ran and ran. Finally, bringing him in the tarpon was hoisted on the dock—100 pounds, six feet long even!

Is that all!!!

No, sir! Pack, not satisfied, goes fishing in the Gulf Stream, and hooks six sailfish, bringing one up to the boat, and Mrs. Flo Coffery another before sportsmanlike, releasing them. One of the two sailfish brought up to the launch was about eight feet long, an unusually large size. Besides this, a "doubleheader" of two sails on the line at one time featured the day. Jack comes home at the end of the day with scores of bonito, big mackerel and barracuda, also.

Is that all, now? Sorry, but—

Pack decided he wanted to catch a jewfish to top off the day's catch. So out to the end of the Breakwater he went with a heavy line and big hook. Did he catch the jewfish? Sorry, he didn't, but he did bring in a mere 200-pound shark!

Well, how about it now, is that all? Well—

Pack, just before calling it quits, dropped the jewfish line over the bow of his yacht berthed at the pier. Yep, you guessed it, he got a heavy strike, and after battling up and down, landed—you bet your sweet life—a 300-pound jewfish.

They say Pack just sits in the lounge of his yacht, muttering and mumbling—still in a daze. He'd seen nothing like it!

FRED J. DION
Treasurer

STEPHEN C. SINGLETON
Executive Secretary

West Chamber of Commerce

SERVING THE FLORIDA KEYS

"From Key Largo to the Dry Tortugas, Inclusive"

KEY WEST, FLORIDA

February, 14, 1939

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Sincerely yours,

Stephen C. Singleton

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Key West Chamber of Commerce

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KEY WEST, FLORIDA

February, 14, 1939

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Miss M.A. LeHand,
Private Secretary to the President,
Washington, D.C.

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Dear Madam,

I want to thank you for your kind acknowledgment of my note of January 16, as expressed in your letter of January 20. It is just one more evidence of the President's regard for even the least known of his people.

I read with regret of his illness and wish that our invitation might have been accepted in time to forestall it; for we are ^{that it} sure/is that Island of Avalon where he might find healing.

I trust that you will be with him on his announced visit here and, while I have nothing to ask of the President, it would be something to remember if I might see him.

I know you have plenty to do and I will not be disappointed if more important matters preclude your replying to this. I remain,

Sincerely yours,

Stephen C. Singleton

Mr. LeHand

Hanky A.
Mr. Norris

February 13, 1939

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My dear Miss Kaleko:

The President has received your very nice letter of January twenty-second, with the handkerchief which you were good enough to send him for his birthday. He appreciates your kind thought of him and sends you his thanks and his best wishes.

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I regret that we must disappoint you as to your desire for the pictures to which you refer, but we have none available.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Miss Margaret Kaleko,
R.F.D. 1, Box 53,
Manchester,
Michigan.

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corona and jewelry I am trying to sell
salve to earn a gold wrist watch but
I know I'll never get it sold in the given

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Hamlet, Michigan,

January 22, 1939.

My Dear Friend and President:

You are going to read a letter from a poor girl from Michigan, I read in the paper that your birthday was soon. I being a poor girl and unable to give you a gift am sending you the best luck and wishes. I am 16 years old and live with my grandparents. I haven't any father. I have to work to earn a little money to spend. I walk 3 miles to church on Sunday. Today it stormed so I couldn't go. My mother hasn't enough money to buy a car for me so I walk. Sometimes in the summer we walk to town. I am happy even though I have many difficulties to meet. I am 6ft and have black eyes and hair. I am through school in the country but I couldn't go any further. I like to go to shows but I don't have much opportunity to go. I am very fond of nice clothes and jewelry I am trying to sell some to earn a gold wrist watch but I know I'll never get it sold in the given

time. I like to hear your speeches on
the radio. I would like to get a picture
of you and your wife if you please
would send me one. Those in the news-
papers aren't as good as you look I know.
I think I will close now. Wishing you
wife and family good luck. Please answer
me soon if you can for I have been
told that you never would answer
me. How may God bless you and have
a happy birthday. I would like to get
a little souvenir from Washington if I
could. Please answer soon.

am sending you a little rem^{embrance} I remain good as ever,
the best I can afford.

Mrs Margaret Hale

Manchester,

Michigan.

wishing you R. N. D. T. Bx 53

Happiest birthday ever.

May God bless you,

With many more years,

and blessings flow from God on high,

To thee for evermore my friend.

WILL L. KRIETENSTEIN, OWNER

TELEPHONE - ORLAND 709
TELEGRAPH - ORLAND, IND., VIA ANGOLA

February 9, 1939

My dear Virginia:

Mrs. Roosevelt has referred to this office your letter of January twenty-fifth, with the enclosed picture of yourself and the two drawings. I want to thank you in the President's behalf for this evidence of your friendly interest, and to assure you that your kindness in writing is appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Virginia Kelsey,
Ohio City,
Ohio.

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WILL L. KRIETENSTEIN, OWNER

TELEPHONE - ORLAND 709
TELEGRAPH - ORLAND, IND., VIA ANGOLA

LAKE PROPERTIES
TERRACE SUBDIVISION

LOTS FOR A SUMMER OR PERMANENT
ORDERING ONE OF THE BEST FISH-
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SHORE LINE AND AN EXCEPTIONALLY
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W. L. Krietenstein

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Ohio City, Ohio
Jan. 25, 1939
Dear Mr. Roosevelt, 2/9
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The students of our
county schools were drawing
posters for the fight against
Infantile Paralysis. As I
was too late to enter mine,
I decided to send this draw-
ing which I drew free-hand-
ed of the president to you.
Thinking you might app-
reciate it.

This year I am a soph-
omore at the Ohio City Liberty
School. I will be sixteen
this coming February 20th

I am very much inter-
ested in art and hope to
make it my life work,
some day.

Inclosed you will

find a snapshot of my-
self taken at Celina, Ohio

Yours sincerely,
Virginia Kelsey

As I have never seen
the president I can
only hope that this
picture will not be
too unlike him.

I have just decided
to enclose another draw-
ing. It's one of the best I
have drawn.

Virginia Kelsey
Ohio City, Ohio

Mr. D. J. Krietenstein,

WILL L. KRIETENSTEIN, OWNER

TELEPHONE - ORLAND 709
TELEGRAPH - ORLAND, IND., VIA ANGOLA



WALL LAKE PROPERTIES
EDGEWOOD TERRACE SUBDIVISION

CHOICE BUILDING LOTS FOR A SUMMER OR PERMANENT
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ING LAKES IN THE MIDDLE WEST

A WONDERFUL SHORE LINE AND AN EXCEPTIONALLY
CLEAN, SAFE AND SANDY BATHING BEACH

ORLAND, INDIANA, R. R. 2

February 12, 1939

Mr. McIntyre,
to the President,
D.C.

Mr. McIntyre:

May 23rd you wrote me a letter
I appreciated very much. In my letter to you

I made mention that I was for Franklin D. Roosevelt
one hundred percent. I am still for his program
and I wish to add that President Roosevelt is the
most persecuted man since Washington. I have just
completed a history of George Washington. One
year I have devoted to writing a book of three
hundred pages, starting from the year 1188. I was
just wondering whether the President would enjoy to
read it. If so, I will mail same to you for his
perusal. I love Mr. Roosevelt and I am trying to
tell the populace that they voted for starving the
children and for unemployment on November 8th. last.

Your friend,

Will L. Krietenstein

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Will L. K.
Orland, Ind.
Indiana.

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WILL L. KRIETENSTEIN, OWNER

TELEPHONE - ORLAND 709
TELEGRAPH - ORLAND, IND., VIA ANGOLA

Miss Virginia
Kelley
Ohio City, Ohio

Sophomore -
13 yrs old.

I am the (center)
girl.

My sister is the
girl in the left
hand corner.

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WALL LAKE PROPERTIES
EDGEWOOD TERRACE SUBDIVISION

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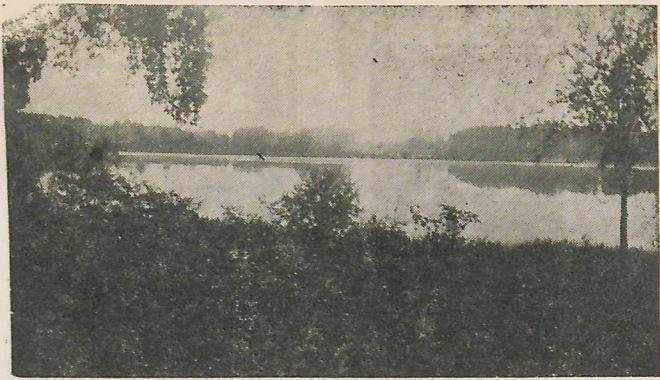
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Your friend,

Will L. Krietenstein

WILL L. KRIETENSTEIN, OWNER

TELEPHONE - ORLAND 709
TELEGRAPH - ORLAND, IND., VIA ANGOLA



BEAUTIFUL WALL LAKE

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ORLAND, INDIANA, R. R. 2

February 12, 1939

Mr. M. H. McIntyre,
Secretary to the President,
Washington, D.C.

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Your friend,

Will L. Krietenstein

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mail 2/23/39

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February 23, 1939

Dear Mr. Krietenstein:

I am sorry I have not replied sooner to your letter of February twelfth, which came just before the President's departure on his cruise.

As he was ill with the grippe for a week prior to his leaving, I did not have a opportunity to show him your letter but I know he would be glad to have a copy of your book and, if you would like to send one in my care, I will be sure that he gets it upon his return.

Sincerely yours,

M. H. McINTYRE
Secretary to the President

RB/mma

Will L. Krietenstein, Esq.,
Rural Route 2,
Orland,
Indiana.

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February 10, 1939

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My dear Mr. Kelly:

It was good of you to send the President a copy of that book "The Gateway to a Continent" and he is very much pleased to have it. He asks me to thank you for your courteous thought of him.

Under separate cover I am sending a copy of "The Gateway to a Continent" which was created and prepared by our organization and of which we are naturally very proud.

The book was prepared in conjunction with the New York World's Fair with the idea of focusing M. A. LeHand's properties in the Grand Central Station that you would be interested in seeing some of the work of our organization.

With every best wish

Jack Kelly, Esq.,
30 Rockefeller Plaza,
Rockefeller Center,
New York, N. Y.

Sincerely yours,

Jack Kelly

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

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Sincerely yours,

Jack Kelly

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

JCK:JA

February 14, 1939

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My dear Mr. Kennerley:

The President has asked me to thank you very much for your courtesy in sending him a copy of "Britain by Mass Observation".

He is delighted to have it to add to his collection and asks me to send you his best wishes.

Sincerely yours,

M. H. McINTYRE
Secretary to the President

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Mitchell Kennerley, Esq.,
15 East 53rd Street,
New York, N. Y.

Yours faithfully,
Mitchell Kennerley

has
to thank him very
much -
"Butamby has observation"

MITCHELL KENNERLEY

15 East 53rd Street
New York

Feb 9:39

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Dear Mr President: I am sending
you this book because I am
sure you will find it the
most valuable book to come
out of England in many moons.

Yours faithfully
Mitchell Kennerley

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o join with

knife and

Mr. Norris:

What was done
with the book?

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Sent to State Dept.

January, 1939, at the Roman Gardens,
its 80th anniversary dinner, at
their splendid service. Extends
board to be present and to join with

President a souvenir pen knife and

val.

FRASER, James M., Esq.,
President, Masonic Board of Relief,
Brooklyn, N.Y.

January 9, 1939

Writes the President that on the 14th of January, 1939, at the Roman Gardens, Brooklyn, N.Y., the Board of Relief will hold its 80th anniversary dinner, at which time they will honor the physicians for their splendid service. Extends invitation to the President, on behalf of the Board to be present and to join with them on this celebration.

Under date of 2-3-39 Mr. Fraser sent the President a souvenir pen knife and asked for a penny in return. Penny sent 2-3-39.

SEE Invitation - Brooklyn, N.Y.

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March 13, 1939

My dear Mr. Kohn:

The President has asked me to thank you ever so much for that delightful volume of "Internal Improvement in South Carolina, 1817 - 1828", which was presented to him through the courtesy of Governor Maybank.

He is very happy to have it to add to his collection and wants you to know how deeply he appreciates your thoughtfulness in sending it to him.

The President sends you his best wishes.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHAND
Private Secretary

David Kohn, Esq.,
5425 Connecticut Avenue,
Washington, D. C.

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BURNET R. MAYBANK

GOVERNOR OF
SOUTH CAROLINA

COLUMBIA

KOHN
TICUT AVENUE
STON, D.C.

10 March 1939.

The President,
The White House.

Mr. President:

Permit me to present this book,
"Internal Improvement in South Carolina,
1817-1828." It is a reproduction of
valuable early records relating to public
works, a subject near to your heart.

It is my sincere wish that this
volume will serve to bring into clearer
view the accomplishments of those far-
visioned engineers of a century ago, whose
names are familiar to you. I trust also
that the fact that these are the reports
of an official governmental agency of
public works, instituted over a century
ago, will stir your interest in the book
and perhaps arouse your admiration for the
progressive early leaders of my State.

Very respectfully yours,

David Kohn

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DAVID KOHN
5425 CONNECTICUT AVENUE
WASHINGTON, D. C.

10 March 1939.

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of an official governmental agency of
public works, instituted over a century
ago, will stir your interest in the book
and perhaps arouse your admiration for the
progressive early leaders of my State.

Very respectfully yours,

David Kohn
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March 17, 1939

My dear Mr. Kirschenbaum:

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The President has asked me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March eighth and to tell you how much he appreciates your father's courtesy in sending an inscribed copy of his book. He is most grateful for your expression of approval.

The President sends his best wishes to you and to your father.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

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Walter L. Kirschenbaum, Esq.,
156 Second Avenue,
New York, N. Y.

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✓ N.Y. City March 8th, 1939
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My dear Mr. President: - Sincerely

Under separate cover

I am enclosing a Yiddish
book about America,
written by my father,
Jacob Kirschenbaum, a
prominent Yiddish journal-
ist.

An entire chapter which
begins on Page 324 is
dedicated to you. My
father wrote this
book primarily for



New York; Philadelphia;
Washington, D.C.; Chicago;
and other cities of the
United States. I am
certain that your Ex-
cellency will be proud
to have this book as
a token of a Yiddish
journalist to a man
whom he loves and
respects.

My father is at present
at Miami Beach, but he
has asked me to send you
the inscribed volume as
a present to you.

I know that many
of the illusions and
disillusions that the

European consumption,
so that they might know
the wonders of our
nation. The title of the
book is (translated):
"America - The Land of
Wonders."

It gives in graphic
description a tour of
the United States which
my father, (in which my
mother + I joined him), took
a few years ago. The
book begins with a chapter
on George Washington, and
from there consistently
goes from Ellis Island,
through the streets of



Yiddish reading populace
of Europe and at home
have will be satisfactorily
cleared up.

Please accept this
little token as our
tribute to you.

With many best
wishes for your continued
success, I am,

Respectfully yours,
Walter L. Frankelbaum



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March 17, 1939

My dear Mr. Kerner:

Thank you in the President's behalf
for the framed photograph which you sent to
him. I can assure you that he is most grate-
ful for your friendly thought of him.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

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Sam Kerner, Esq.,
1111 James, North,
Minneapolis,
Minnesota.

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President of the U.S.
Washington, D. C.

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Dear President,

I have begged God to make
a new contract with you, that you
should live the full hundred years
with the family. I have begged him
to send you his greatest detective to
take good care of you. He follows you
wherever you go, and is taking care of you.
The detective's name is Moses. He is
the one who will take care of you. I
thank you for your answer.

Respectfully yours,

Sam Kerner

1111 James N

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Mr. Kutch's
Room

March 15, 1939

My dear Mr. Kutch:

Your recent letter has been received
and the President has asked me to thank you for
your kindness in writing and sending him the draw-
ing which you enclosed. He much appreciates your
thought of him.

Very sincerely yours,

M. H. McINTYRE
Secretary to the President

Michael Kutch, Esq.,
444 East Thirteenth Street,
New York, N. Y.

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444 East 13th Street
New York City, New York
March, 1939

Mr. President,

I Michael Kutch am
sincerely sending you a
souvenir picture of your-
self, which I made myself
by hand. It is not such
excellent art because I'm not
an A-1 artist. But I know
that you are just as good a
President as Lincoln and
Washington.

I am a jobless boy of over
eighteen years old. I live with
only one living parent which
is my mother. I hope you like
the picture Mr. President, for it
links you with Washington
first President of the United

States of America.

I thank you Mr. President

Sincerely yours

Michael Hutch

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March 22, 1939

My dear Mr. Kuhns:

Thank you, in the President's behalf,
for the copy of the book which you sent to him.
You may be sure that your kind thoughtfulness
is much appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Leland
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Barton H. Kuhns, Esq.,
1140 North Dearborn Street,
Chicago,
Illinois.

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Joe Keller
595 East, 167th Street
N. Y. C.

Feb 11th, 1939

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Dear Mr President:

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Please accept this Litograph which was
inspired by your Radio message on increasing
our nations defense-forces.

May you have health and strenght to
succeed in your efforts so that the events
pictured will never take place in our country.

In deepest gratitude
a humble citizen

Joe Keller
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(Miss Lettman/room)
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March 23, 1939

My dear Mr. Keller:

The lithograph which you sent to the President has been received. I want to assure you of his appreciation of your courtesy and of your friendly good wishes.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Leland
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Joe Keller, Esq.,
595 East 167th Street,
New York, N. Y.

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Don't forget to see Mr. Keller at home

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MEMORANDUM

March 13, 1939.

Memo for the Files that the following papers have been sent to Capt.

Callaghan,-

Card - "Greetings to President from City of Key West" Notation on envelope

"Capt. Callaghan - Thank the City for the flowers."

Letter from Admiral Wilson Brown, U.S. Naval Academy, 1/23/39 to Capt. Callaghan, with attached list of speakers at Friday evening lectures to the Midshipmen of the First Class, 1938-1939. Notation on letter - "Capt. Callaghan - Tell Brown this is a grant list of people - he is doing a good job."

Letter from A.W. Stuckie, Savannah Beach, Ga., 2/16/39 to the President. Presents President with very latest device known to fisherman for catching fish. Notation on letter - "Capt. Callaghan to thank."

Above sent to Capt. Callaghan 3/13/39.

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The President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

May 10, 1939

My dear Mr. Knopf:

It was most thoughtful of you to
send the President a copy of the book "The
New Deal in Old Rome". Please let me assure
you that he much appreciates your courtesy.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Leland
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Alfred A. Knopf, Esq.,
501 Madison Avenue,
New York, N.Y.

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The President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

from office of THE PUBLISHER of Borzoi Books
ALFRED A. KNOPF
501 Madison Avenue · New York
May 2, 1939.

Dear Mr. President,

I am taking the liberty of sending you
under separate cover an advance copy of THE
NEW DEAL IN OLD ROME by H.J. Haskell, editor
of the Kansas City Star. I think you will
find much in this volume to interest you and
hope that it will be possible for you to look
it over.

With sincere regard, I am

Yours faithfully,

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June 15, 1939

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My dear Mr. Kimberly:

It was nice indeed of you to send
the cigarettes to the President while at
Hyde Park. He much appreciates your friendly
thought and asks me to convey his cordial
thanks.

Very sincerely yours,

H. A. Leland
PRIVATE SECRETARY

F. S. Kimberly, Esq.,
P. O. Box 463,
Poughkeepsie,
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My dear Mr. Kennedy:

The President has received your letter of recent date and asks me to express his thanks to you for the pictures which you were so kind as to send to him. He wants you to know that your friendly thought is more than appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

M. H. McINTYRE
Secretary to the President

John F. Kennedy, Esq.:
681 First View Street,
Norfolk,
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Franklin 681 Firstview Street
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My Dear Shipmate

As once a shipmate always a shipmate as
we know is true to the tradition of our
glorious Navy there is always cooperation. In
the past few years I know you have ap-
preciated my cooperation and suggestions to
you. I know that you will have highly
honored guest at the White House and your
Hyde Park home so I am sending to you
these pictures of the King & Queen of England
which I know you will appreciate in
having for decorations at White House and
home. These pictures placed in frame
with American Flag and British Flag
sure will make a beautiful display
for decorations for you in their honor.
Shipmate of mine when you were Asst.
Sec of Navy I was in London during
World War with Admiral Sims and made
lots of friends there and these pictures
were sent to me from London. I had
them home here in closet so seeing

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that the King & Queen of England (are)
going to be your guest I am
sending them to you which I
know you will appreciate ship-
mate. Will you please acknow-
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pictures so I will know you have
received them ok. Hoping to hear
from you shipmate

I remain

Your shipmate
John F. Kennedy
Chief Printer USN Retiree
689 First Street
Ocean View Norfolk Va

the interest of education. I am also
sending you a left-over printed letters the same as this for souvenirs,
which you can either keep, or give away, or destroy. Yours etc., W. F. Knapp

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120 West Maple Ave.,
Denver, Colorado
June 19, April 23, 1939

Hon. President Franklin D. Roosevelt,
Hyde Park, N. Y.
~~To the Librarian of the Public Library,~~

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Yours very truly, W. F. Knapp.

P.S. Because it is so near to June 30, I am sending you a free set of the above books without any request from you, and please do not send me any postage. Since the above low rate of postage went into effect, I have distributed 400 free sets in the interest of education. I am also sending you a few left-over printed letters the same as this for souvenirs, which you can either keep, or give away, or destroy. Yours etc., W. F. Knapp

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(Descriptive Circular Of)

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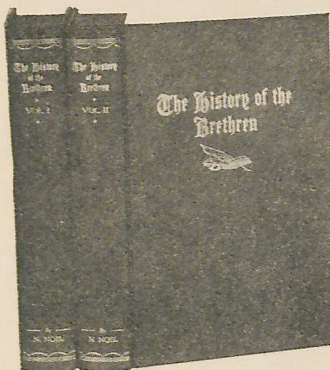
The late Mr. Napoleon Noel, having served the Lord faithfully for many years; and having long been a resident of London where many of the most important events and meetings or conferences of the Brethren have taken place; and having heard and been an eye-witness of very much that was said and done, and for many years carried on an extensive correspondence with other eye-witnesses and many other well-informed brethren, and thus gained accurate and almost full and complete information; was probably the best man living to

write the History of the (so-called Plymouth) Brethren.

He became identified with the Brethren in 1871. The editor of the History, W. F. Knapp, became identified with them in 1891.

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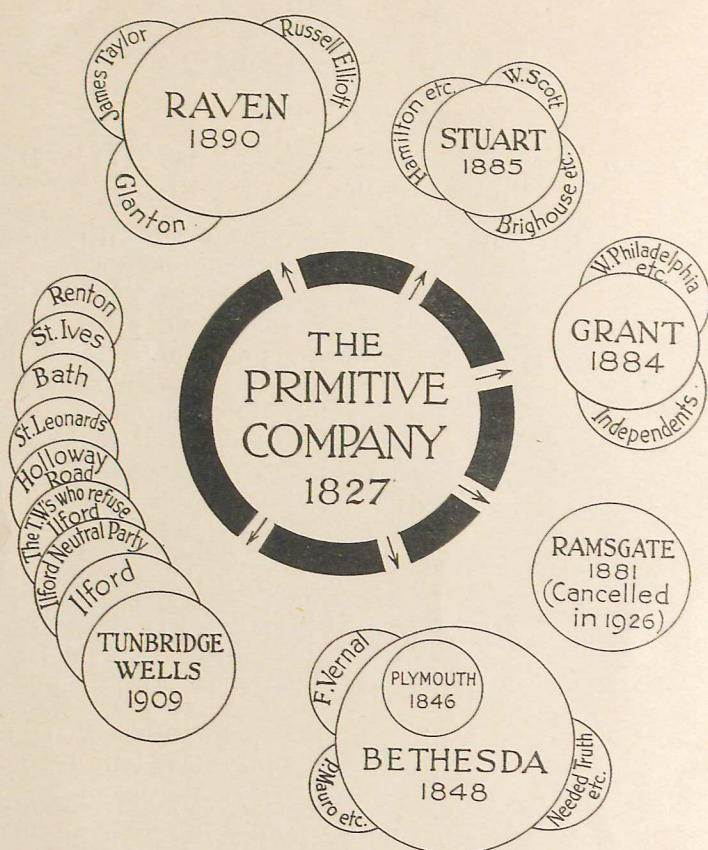
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Yours very truly,

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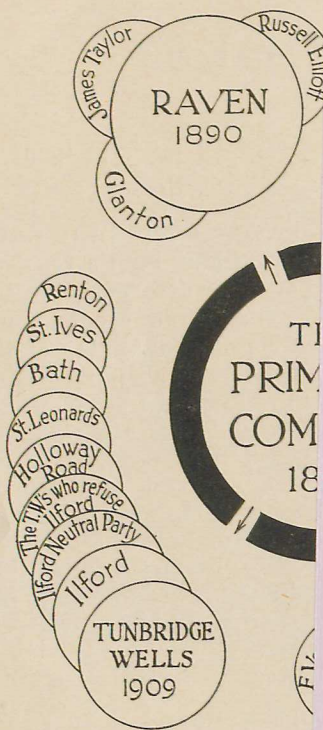
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MAP OF ENGLAND AND WALES

With the aid of this Chart, the Tables of Contents are easily remembered. It might also be called *A Chart of the Secessions Among the Brethren*, for it illustrates that particular phase of their History since the year 1846. The six arrows point to the several Secessions to which the various Groups of Christians went out, when they separated themselves, on the dates here shown.

The Secessions are called Divergencies, and the Bethesda (including Plymouth), Ramsgate, Grant, Stuart, Raven and Tunbridge Wells Divergencies are represented by six Circles. Within the Ramsgate Circle, the words "Cancelled in 1926," mean that at the "Reunion of 1926," this breach or Divergence was healed, and no longer exists.

As each Circle represents one particular Section of the Brethren, its attached semi-circles represent minor Cleavages within that Section only. Beginning with the Bethesda Circle, at the lower right hand, read the names of the other Circles or Divergencies around counter-clockwise.

The Primitive Company, or those who seek to follow the Primitive principles and practices, as printed and published by Mr. J. N. Darby in 1828 (see Jer. vi. 16), are firmly and unalterably opposed to any neutrality in the face of known or proved and admitted evil; but where the excuses offered for any particular Secession were of a purely ecclesiastical nature, there is no godly, scriptural, moral nor doctrinal reason why the outward movement of individuals who were carried away by them should not by God's grace be reversed, and the arrows turned in the opposite direction. That the Brethren have failed, they themselves freely admit; but let any would-be critics consider these questions: "Would they have done any better?" and, "What are they now doing to seek the correction of past mistakes?" The author, Mr. Napoleon Noel, gives one the impression, that, "One-hundred and ten years are looking down upon you." Mr. F. W. Grant once said: "Instead of a harvest-field, Scripture looks like a battle-field. . . Truth cannot live without warfare in a world away from God."

In the past there has been much aimless and fruitless occupation with, and discussion about, the troubles that have arisen among the brethren, and so it is sometimes remarked: "I do not believe in being occupied with the divisions among the brethren." With this we are in full agreement, for this History of the Brethren is designed to definitely and finally remove all need for anyone to be so occupied, for after having once read these two Volumes of their History, all such occupation is superfluous.

Not that we should be careless or indifferent about these matters, but, understanding them now fully, we are to confess to God any faults that have been committed, and to pray that any harm that has been caused by them may be remedied, and that blessing

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may follow. This being done, we will receive spiritual benefit, as illustrated by Samson's riddle: "Out of the eater came forth meat, and out of the strong came forth sweet" (Judges xiv. 14).

Scripture itself tells of many faults and failings of God's people in times past, and it is all "profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness; that the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works" (2 Tim. iii. 16, 17). "Now all these things happened unto them for examples; and they are written for our admonition, upon whom the ends of the world are come" (1 Cor. xi. 11).

But for some, the Lord has no word of reproof, like the Philippians, and Philadelphians (Rev. iii. 7-13); and Nehemiah, who "was a faithful man," and who rebuilt the wall; as the true remnant, of those who "depart from iniquity," and "who call on the Lord out of a pure heart" (2 Tim. ii. 19, 22), does today.

There are 400 pages in each Volume of the History of the Brethren. Printed on superior dull finished paper, watermarked "Ticonderoga," without any glare, and very easy to read. Size of pages $5\frac{1}{4} \times 8\frac{1}{2}$ inches. Printed in clear 10 point type (same as this); with some references, quotations, etc., in 8 point type (same as this). The wise use of subheadings, and the occasional use of smaller, 8 point type, assists in understanding and remembering, and in referring to any desired subject.

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For a limited time, an extra Map of England and Wales will be placed in Volume 1; and important tracts pertaining to the Brethren's history, to the value of 20c, will be sent free, with each set ordered. It is a long-range work, written in view of future needs, as well as for present use. Know the Brethren, and let justice be done. Order a set now. To many, it is priceless, and an aged and esteemed English brother wrote: "It is more than money to me."

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E. KLAVERSON, M. D.
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
New York, N.Y.

July 7, 1939

July 6, 1939

Mr. Morris

My dear Mr. Key:

Please accept the President's thanks
for the copy of the book which you sent to him.
You may be sure your courtesy is appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Leland
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Lydon Key, Esq.,
597 West End Avenue,
New York, N.Y.

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University City and Medical Center

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My dear Dr. Klaveness:

Please accept the President's thanks
for your letter of May twenty-ninth. He is glad
to have the copy of your book, "The Enchanted
Islands" and much appreciates the friendly
thought which prompted you to send it to him.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Lolland
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Dr. E. Klaveness,
1954 University Avenue,
St. Paul,
Minnesota.

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in any official capacity. —*

*Respectfully yours
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May 29th 1939.

His Excellency, President F. D. Roosevelt,
The White House
Washington, D.C.

Mr. President: -

Under separate cover
I have today taken the liberty to
transmit to you a copy of my
book: "The enchanted islands",
hoping that you may find some
spare moments when away from
Washington, D.C. to peruse at
least the chapters dealing with
the Philippine islands and thus
learn how this colonial empire
of ours in the Orient appears
to one not visiting the islands
in any official capacity. -

Respectfully yours
E. Klaveness.

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July 18, 1939

My dear Mr. Krappe:

Reference is made to your letter of July seventeenth in which you ask that an appointment be arranged with the President for you to present to him a copy of your book 'La Genese des Mythes'.

I regret that it will not be possible to comply with your request. It has long been the custom at the White House for a member of the Secretariat to receive on the President's behalf all gifts, later presenting them to him with a suitable word of explanation.

May I suggest, therefore, that you send the book to the President, addressed in my care, and I will be glad to see that it reaches him immediately.

Sincerely yours,

EDWIN M. WATSON
Brigadier General, U. S. Army

Alexander H. Krappe, Esq.,
Box 221,
Princeton,
New Jersey.

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Box 221,
Princeton, N.J., July 17, 1939.

My dear Mr. Roosevelt,

A number of years ago I had the honor of presenting to you, as a modest and unassuming Christmas gift, a copy of my book 'Mythologie Universelle', and its receipt was graciously acknowledged by your staff.

Since then I have published a second volume on the same subject, under the title 'La Genèse des Mythes'. I should have liked to dedicate it to you but on second thought decided not to do so, because I realized the shortcomings of the work.

I should very much like, however, to present to you in person, if I may, a copy of the book, not for the sake of newspaper publicity or anything of that sort, but from a sincere desire to see face to face the man whom I consider the greatest of my contemporaries and to exchange, if possible, a few friendly words with him.

In the hope that you will pardon this simple request and grant me an interview, entirely at your own convenience, I am

Yours very respectfully,

Alexander H. Krappe

Alexander H. Krappe, Ph.D.

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

Box 221,
Princeton, N.J., July 20, 1939.

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Edwin M. Watson, Esq.
Brigadier General, U.S. Army,
The White House,
Washington, D.C.

My dear Mr. Watson:

In reply to your courteous letter of the 18th, let me assure you that I understand perfectly the reasons making necessary the rules and regulations outlined therein.

As I plan to be in Washington in the early fall, I shall, with your kind permission, communicate with you then and hope, in addition to having the pleasure of your personal acquaintance, to give you the volume in person, with the request that you present it to the President.

Sincerely yours,

Alexander H. Krappe

Alexander H. Krappe, Ph.D.

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August 8, 1939

My dear Mr. Kahn:

Your letter of August fourth to the President has been received, and I want to assure you of his appreciation of the friendly spirit which prompted you to present some samples of your handicraft to him. I must explain, however, that they are accepted with the understanding that you will not give any publicity to the presentation of the gift.

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Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

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Paul M. Kahn, Esq.,
10 Hanover Street,
New York, N. Y.

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10 HANOVER STREET
NEW YORK

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August 4, 1939

President Franklin D. Roosevelt
Hyde Park
New York

Mr. President:

When I immigrated to this country about six (6) months ago, I had to leave everything behind that meant home, life and happiness to me and start life anew in this continent.

I succeeded in creating an adjustable cover for books made of U.S.A. products exclusively (patent pending) and am beginning to get a new lease on life.

May I, in consideration of the opportunity and freedom offered me here, present to you, Mr. President, a few examples of my handicraft as a sign of appreciation from a prospective citizen.

Respectfully yours,

Paul M. Kahn
PAUL M. KAHN
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ADDRESS OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS TO
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WASHINGTON, D. C.

Mr. Norris



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In reply refer to
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Guillermo Kraft, Ltd.

September 6, 1939

*PR 811.001
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My dear Miss LeHand:

In the belief that the President may wish to have it for his library, I am returning herewith the illustrated publication sent to him by Mr. Guillermo Kraft of Guillermo Kraft, Ltda, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

The American Consular Officer in charge at Buenos Aires has been requested to make appropriate acknowledgment of the receipt of this magazine.

Sincerely yours,

L. J. Zimmerman
Chief of Protocol.

Enclosure:
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Miss Marguerite A. LeHand,
Private Secretary to the President,
The White House.

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Mr. Morris

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September 5, 1939

My dear Mr. Kennedy:

Permit me to thank you, in the President's behalf, for your courtesy in sending him that book. I know he will appreciate your kind thought.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Julian Kennedy, Esq.,
c/o Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen,
Pittsburgh,
Pennsylvania.

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September 12, 1939

My dear Mrs. Knopf:

The President has received your letter of September sixth and thanks you very much for the copy of the book Modern Man in the Making, by Dr. Otto Neurath. He asks me to express his sincere appreciation of your thoughtfulness in sending the volume to him.

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Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Leland
PRIVATE SECRETARY

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Mrs. Alfred A. Knopf,
501 Madison Avenue,
New York, N.Y.

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Office

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Yours faithfully,

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Mrs. Alfred A. Knopf

The President
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5 NORTH WABASH AVENUE

September 12, 1939

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My dear Mrs. Ketcham-Kirk:

Permit me, please, to acknowledge the receipt of your note of September fourth. It was nice of you to send a copy of your book to the President. He has asked me to express his appreciation of your courtesy.

Very sincerely yours,

H. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Mrs. Murray Ketcham-Kirk,
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Mr. Kruska

BRADMAN PUBLISHERS

5 NORTH WABASH AVENUE

ROOM 512

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

August 31, 1939

August 25, 1939

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My dear Dr. Kruska:

Your letter of August twenty-fifth, to the President has been received and he appreciates your kindness in sending him a copy of your book "You Wouldn't Believe It." He asks me to thank you also for your friendly reference and to assure you of his appreciation of the good wishes you express.

Very sincerely yours,

Aside of the above mentioned factors, this testimony represents a high percentage of spiritual, psychological, philosophical and sociological, making it one of the most interesting documents throughout the entire world.

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Dr. Peter P. Kruska,
5 North Wabash Avenue,
Chicago,
Illinois.

May this missive find you in the best of health, with highest regards, I remain,

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*Very respectfully yours,
Dr. Peter P. Kruska*

Stephanie Bradman

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5 NORTH WABASH AVENUE
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August 25, 1939

P.S.
HIS EXCELLENCY HON. PRESIDENT
Franklin Delano Roosevelt
Washington, D.C.

Your Excellency-

Allow me to call attention to a book entitled
"YOU WOULDN'T BELIEVE IT", a biography of Dr. Peter
Paul Kruszk, sent to your Excellency recently.

The contents of the book treats with the vital
points of the current scene, including Americanism,
the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and the issue--
IMPERSONATORS OF THE KU-KLUX-KLAN.

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The author undertook to assign a number of chapters
in tribute to YOUR EXCELLENCY- President Franklin Delano
Roosevelt, which may be found on pp. 223 ff.

May this missive find you in the best of health, with
highest regards, I remain,

Very respectfully yours,

Dr. Peter P. Kruszk
Dr. Peter P. Kruszk,

by

Stephanie Brafman

Given to Miss L. Hand

Mr. Norris

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November 7, 1939

My dear Mr. Kiddy:

Permit me, in the absence of the President, to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of November fourth and to thank you in his behalf for the coffee. I want to assure you that your courtesy is much appreciated.

I might add, however, that this gift can be accepted only with the understanding that there will be no publicity in connection with the presentation.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Leland
PRIVATE SECRETARY

R. K. Kiddy, Esq.,
21 Main Street,
Beckley,
West Virginia.

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Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt
Washington D. C.

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HARRIMAN, Hon. Florence Jaffray,
Minister of the United States,
Oslo, Norway
Oct. 23, 1939.

On the above date the President personally acknowledged the book of
photographs of the trip of the Crown Prince and Princess of Norway. Asks that
she convey his thanks to Mr. Knutsen. (Initials unknown.)

See P.P.F.1082

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H. A. Leland
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Walter B. Lipp, Esq.,
20 Madison Street,
New York,
New York.

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December 7, 1939

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My dear Mr. King:

The President has asked me to thank
you for the very lovely tie which you presented
to him through Mr. McIntyre on his recent visit
to Asheville. He sincerely appreciates this
lovely gift and the thought which prompted it.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

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Ralph R. King, Esq.,
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Asheville,
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RALPH R. KING

90 CHARLOTTE STREET
ASHEVILLE, N. C.

Sent the President a black pot, or what might be called a kettle, that was used by the "Cuff Links Gang" on the occasion of the President's birthday celebration last year. Mr. Somerville feels that it would fit into the fireplace of the "Cottage on the Hill". The President wrote to Mr. Somerville on Dec. 18, 1939 thanking him for all the trouble he took in securing the kettle for him.

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The President a black cat, of which
"Black Cat" is the name of the cat.
The President's cat is a black cat.
The President's cat is a black cat.
The President's cat is a black cat.

W. V. G. G. G.

The President's cat is a black cat.
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To Mr. Marvin McIntyre
With Best Wishes of
R. H. King

December 15, 1939

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SOMERVILLE, Harry P.
Washington, D.C.
Dec. 14, 1939

Sent the President a black pot, or what might be called a kettle, that was used by the "Cuff Links Gang" on the occasion of the President's birthday celebration last year. Mr. Somerville feels that it would fit into the fireplace of the "Cottage on the Hill". The President wrote to Mr. Somerville on Dec. 18, 1939 thanking him for all the trouble he took in securing the kettle for him.

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Mr. [unclear]

December 15, 1939

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My dear Mr. Klingberg:

Permit me, please, in the absence of the President, to thank you for your letter of December thirteenth, which will be brought to his attention upon his return to the city. I can assure you that he will be very glad to have the book of poems and will be most grateful for the friendly thought which prompted you to present it to him.

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Very sincerely yours,

M. A. Lohand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

J. E. Klingberg, Esq.,
Box 397,
New Britain,
Connecticut.

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J. E. Klingberg

THE CHILDREN'S HOME

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m. A. L.

New Britain, Connecticut, December 13, 1939

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

My Dear Mr. President:

Through the Bonnier Publishing House in New York I ordered a book to be sent to you yesterday, which I think you may like. It is a collection of poems by the Finnish Professor J. L. Runeberg, and is called "The Songs of Ensign Stål". The background of this fine poetry is the war of 1808-1809 between Russia and Finland, the time when Finland was torn from Sweden by the Russians. As far as I know there is no people in the world that have a more beautiful collection of poems on the heroes of war than Finland. The poems were written originally in Swedish and the book I send is an English translation of these poems, by Clemens B. Shaw, a music teacher in Cleveland, Ohio.

I know you are too busy to read through the whole book, so I would suggest: Ensign Stål, page 9, an old soldier the poet met when he was a student and who told him the stories of all these men he writes about. Also, Sven Dufva, page 67, which is a true type of Finnish character, and, Number Fifteen Stolt, page 270. A friend of mine, a physician, could never read this last poem without shedding tears.

My dear Mr. President: I hope you will kindly accept this book as a Christmas present from

Yours truly,

J. E. Klingberg

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December 26, 1939

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My dear Mr. Kroch:

The President has asked me to express his sincere appreciation of your friendly thought in sending him the inscribed copy of your book "A Great Bookstore In Action". He is glad to have the volume and sends his best wishes to you for the holiday season.

Very sincerely yours,

M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

Adolph Kroch, Esq.,
206 North Michigan Avenue,
Chicago,
Illinois.

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Respectfully yours *Chas. D. Wallis*

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December 21, 1939

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Mr. Norris

(stairroom)

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My dear Mr. Kellis:

The President has asked me to acknowledge your letter of December eighteenth and to thank you heartily for your good wishes.

While it will not be possible for the President to accept your kind invitation, he is indeed glad to see the picture of your window display and appreciates your very friendly thought of him.

Very sincerely yours,

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M. A. LeHand
PRIVATE SECRETARY

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George G. Kellis, Esq.,
26 West Main Street,
Norristown,
Pennsylvania.

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6 weeks hence. Wishing you a very Merry
Christmas and Happy New Year
Respectfully yours Geo. G. Kellis

George G. Kellis, Proprietor

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Home Made Candies

Home Made Ice Cream

Modernistic Atmosphere



26 West Main Street

Norristown, Penna.,

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To His excellency
President of the United States

My Dear Mr. President

Am sending you a
photograph of my window display which repre-
sents our national "Capitol".

The entire structure is made
of pure chocolate, Dark, Milk, white, and weight
about 675 lbs, dimensions are 8 feet long x
9 feet high.

I shall be greatly honored
if by any possible chance you will be able
to see it. It will be displayed for about
6 weeks here.

Wishing you a very Merry
Christmas and Happy New Year
Respectfully yours Geo. G. Kellis