

PRESIDENT'S PERSONAL FILE

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August 30, 1943

Series B

My dear Major Kennedy:

Please accept the President's thanks for your kindness in sending on the facsimile reproductions of the document to which you refer in your letter of August twenty-first. He deeply appreciates your friendly thought in wanting him to have a copy of this document for his collection.

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Very sincerely yours,

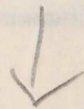
Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

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Major Robert J. Kennedy,  
War Department,  
Headquarters U. S. Army  
Recreational Camp,  
5th Street and Ocean Park Boulevard,  
Santa Monica, California.

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**WAR DEPARTMENT**

OFFICERS U. S. ARMY RECREATIONAL CAMP  
1400 H STREET AND OCEAN PARK BOULEVARD  
SANTA MONICA, CALIFORNIA

21 August 1943

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Washington, D.C.

Sir,

After several years of research and effort I have finally completed the facsimile reproduction of the historic document known as the Association in Westmoreland County, Virginia, which, as you know, Sir, is the "Grandpappy" of the Declaration of Independence. It is my privilege and pleasure to offer you the first copy to come off the press for your personal library at Hyde Park. A second copy is sent in case you should care to present it to Prime Minister Churchill - with your own observations - apropos his remarks upon the lessons in freedom the colonists taught to the mother country.

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As I have said in the explanatory note printed on the document, it was necessary to change the sequence of a few of the signatures in order to have the text at the top of the sheet; but no change whatever has been made otherwise. My special interest in this document developed from assembling the genealogical data required by the Sons of the American Revolution for my son's membership; and I decided to prepare the facsimile for the members of our family who are descended from Alvin Moxley. I used my own signature to the explanatory notes for specific identification since there may be others of my name in the enlarged Army at this time; and in the spirit of a belated subscriber to the document itself.

I am, Sir,

Respectfully,

ROBERT J. KENNEDY,  
Major, Q.M.C.,  
Commanding.

Miss E. Ken

WAR DEPARTMENT  
HEADQUARTERS U. S. ARMY RECREATIONAL CAMP  
FIFTH STREET AND OCEAN PARK BOULEVARD  
SANTA MONICA, CALIFORNIA

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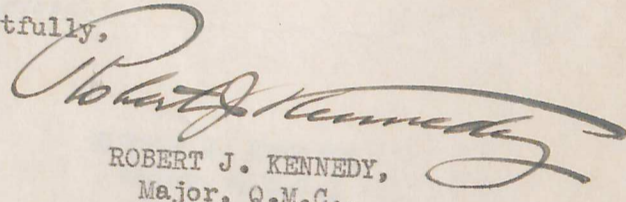
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Major, Q.M.C.,  
Commanding.

BFB  
Private  
M.E.

64 Crichton Street,  
Ottawa, Ontario, Canada.

August 24, 1945.

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~~Mr. Glen~~

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... you  
... and for

the sketch which you made of him. It really  
is quite a good one and we shall add it to  
his collection.

The President asks me to send you  
his best wishes.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

Mr. A. Kimpton,  
64 Crichton Street,  
Ottawa, Ontario,  
Canada.

Cordially yours,

*A. Kimpton*

(Mr.) A. Kimpton.

*Hydrocarbon*

64 Crichton Street,

Ottawa, Ontario, Canada.

August 31, 1943.

August 31, 1943.

*Mr. G. Kimpton*

*P.P. 7  
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Dear Mr. Kimpton:

The President asks me to thank you ever so much for your very nice note and for the sketch which you made of him. It really is quite a good one and we shall add it to his collection.

The President asks me to send you his best wishes.

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

Mr. A. Kimpton,  
64 Crichton Street,  
Ottawa, Ontario,  
Canada.

64 Crichton Street,  
Ottawa, Ontario, Canada.

August 24, 1943.

Michael Riley, Esq.,  
Suite 146,  
Chateau Laurier,  
Ottawa.

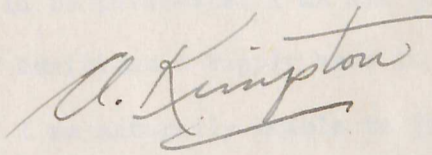
Dear Mr. Riley:

I am attaching hereto a letter to President Franklin Delano Roosevelt and also a drawing of him, which I have done, and which I spoke to you about on the telephone at 12.30 today. At that time you were kind enough to state that you would see that the sketch reached the hands of the President's secretary and therefore I am forwarding same to you for that purpose.

In closing my short note to you, may I extend my deep appreciation to you for your kindness and I hope I am not inconveniencing you in any way.

I remain,

Cordially yours,



(Mr.) A. Kimpton.

Attach.

64 Crichton Street,  
Ottawa, Ontario, Canada.

August 24, 1943.

Dear Mr. President:

As you will see by the enclosed, I am somewhat of an amateur artist and I have done this portrait sketch of you in the hope that you will accept same with my very best wishes and admiration. I have never had art lessons, just deriving a natural talent from my late father. During the last four or five years I have had quite a bit of my work accepted by many famous personages, such as Their Majesties the King and Queen, Prime Minister Winston Churchill, Prime Minister MacKenzie King, Rt. Hon. Anthony Eden, Air Marshall W. A. Bishop and Hon. C. D. Howe, besides many famous sports and movie stars. I have always wanted to do one of you and, in fact, I did do two about three years ago but they were forwarded to the wrong authorities and failed to reach you. However, I do hope that this one gets to you and that you like it. With it goes my deep admiration of a great man and a great leader, and I might also add, with the same emphasis, a great friend.

In case you should be interested I am not quite 23 years of age and work in the Department of Munitions & Supply here in Ottawa. Due to a leg injury shortly after birth, I am naturally unable to join His Majesty's forces, a thing I shall always regret, but, however, after a long struggle with the Department of National Defence, I did manage to get into the Reserve Army so I feel I am doing a bit towards winning this war.

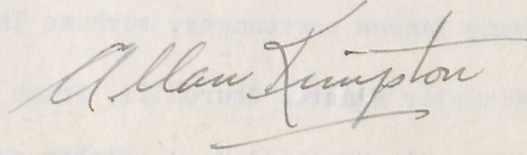
I suppose it would be asking too much to request a photo of you, as I guess you are quite busy these days and naturally can't adhere

to all such requests. However, I should be most pleased to hear how you liked my little effort and if you could send a small photo I should be deeply honoured to add it to my collection.

I will close now with the hope that your all too short stay in Ottawa is a pleasant one and that you have a safe journey back to Washington. Hoping to have a favourable acknowledgement from you,

I remain,

Your obedient servant,



(Mr.) Allan Kimpton.

P. S. I shall be on Parliament Hill to listen to your speech, and am hoping to be able to get close enough to you to get a photograph.

PP7  
9-K  
Box 108

August 24, 1943

My dear Mr. Keller:

It was kind indeed of you to send  
the President those fine peaches. Many thanks,  
in his behalf. I know that he will more than  
appreciate your friendly thought of him.

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

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x

Honorable Kent E. Keller,  
Ava,  
Illinois.

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May I have  
a few of the  
recent "Thank  
You" notes sent  
Cong letter?

Thanks  
Eva S

Att. is latest

Keller  
Illinois

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8/24/43  
st.

Mr Wagner  
8/19

to thank  
Peaches  
WASHINGTON  
THE WHITE HOUSE

(distributed)  
J.G.T.

Thank you for your courtesy.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

Edwin A. Scott, Inc.,  
222 Madison Avenue,  
New York 17,  
New York.

Kent E Keller  
Ara,  
Illinois

mk  
8/24/43  
sd.

8/19  
Mr Wagner  
of Chautauque  
Peaches  
(distributed)  
G.G.T.

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

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Permit me to thank you, in his  
name, for your courtesy.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Kelly  
Private Secretary

Alfred A. Knopf, Inc.,  
250 Madison Avenue,  
New York 17,  
New York.

BARTELT, Miss Alice A.,  
Pewaukee, Wisc.  
8-9-43 (ack. 9-2-43)

Writes President he is sending him a pair of his Blue Ribbon  
Stock Royal Siamese Kittens. (kittens returned)

August 30, 1943

See P.P.F. 9-B

Gentlemen:

This will acknowledge receipt  
of the copy of the book CHICKEN EGG  
which you were good enough to send to the  
President. Permit me to thank you, in his  
name, for your courtesy.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Kelly  
Private Secretary

Alfred A. Knopf, Inc.,  
225 Madison Avenue,  
New York 17,  
New York.

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August 30, 1943

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Gentlemen:

This will acknowledge the receipt of the copy of the book CHICAGO BLUE PRINT which you were good enough to send to the President. Permit me to thank you, in his behalf, for your courtesy.

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

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Alfred A. Knopf, Inc.,  
501 Madison Avenue,  
New York 22,  
New York.

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Ed A. Knopf, Inc.  501 Madison Ave., N. Y. 22

August 18, 1943

Early next week there will reach your desk a document of some importance -- CHICAGO BLUEPRINT. Will you please ask your secretary to be watching for it and to bring it promptly to your attention.

AS A WAR MEASURE WE USE THIS POSTCARD FOR BRIEF MESSAGES.

I want to thank you, in his behalf, and to assure you that he appreciates your friendly thought of him.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

A. E. Kull, Esq.,  
National Press,  
217 N. Harvey,  
Oklahoma City,  
Oklahoma.

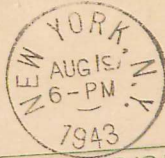
BOOK: ONE COCKEYED WORLD.

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THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS

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

*[Faint, illegible text from the reverse side of the card, including a return address and a closing.]*

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September 9, 1943

My dear Mr. Kull:

It was kind indeed of you to send  
the President the inscribed copy of your book.  
I want to thank you, in his behalf, and to as-  
sure you that he appreciates your friendly  
thought of him.

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

A. E. Kull, Esq.,  
National Press,  
217 N. Harvey,  
Oklahoma City,  
Oklahoma.

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BOOK: ONE COCKEYED WORLD.

To F. Roosevelt  
The Champion of Humanity

Etelle

There is but one debt that we can  
never pay, and that is the debt of  
gratitude that we owe to the men  
and women who are offering their  
lives that democracies may live.

—A. E. K.

11/43. "I take the liberty to  
copy of my new publication a  
(see), published in Bohemian  
edition (with pictures) of  
St. Vincent Millay.

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*Don't call me a fool for writing this  
cockeyed book. My dog thinks that  
I am the greatest guy in the world  
and he knows me better than you do.*

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1/43. "I take the liberty to  
copy of my new publication a  
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dition (with pictures) of  
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September 15, 1943.

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

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

James George Kanka,  
Reporter and Representative Daily "Narod,"  
1637 South Allport Street,  
Chicago, Illinois.

Registered letter to the President, dated 9/11/43. "I take the liberty to  
mail to your Excellency as a gift, one copy of my new publication a  
book "VYVRAZDENI LIDIC," (Murder of Lidice), published in Bohemian  
language." Book is a Bohemian language edition (with pictures) of  
the poem "The Murder of Lidice" by Edna St. Vincent Millay.

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MOTION, West U.,  
Little River, Minnesota,  
September 20, 1943 - (ack. 10/28/43).

September 22, 1943

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Respectfully referred to the  
Department of State.

M. H. MCINTYRE  
Secretary to the President

Victor Kneitschel,  
Sarmiento 418,  
Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Communication to the President postmarked May 11, 1943. (Reg. A 287547.)

No covering letter. Book, foreign language publication, CATALOGO DE  
LOS SELLOS POSTALES DE LA REPUBLICA ARGENTINA Y SUS DERIVADOS. The  
title page bears the following inscription, "With personal regards,  
Kneitschel, 11/5/43."

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MATTSON, Matt H.,  
Kettle River, Minnesota,  
September 20, 1943 - (ack. 10/28/43).

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Let. to the President, mailing him two knives made by writer; one, a fishing knife and the other a plastic handle service knife. Ack. states, that these knives can be accepted only with the understanding that there will be no publicity in connection with their presentation. Sent to Hyde Park Library, Series "B".

See P.P.F. 9-M

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Referred to the Department of State, 1/11/43.

KNAPP, F. B.,  
North Queensland,  
Australia.

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Letter to the President dated Oct. 26, 1942.

Submits a copy of his book, "Black to White", to the President.  
Photograph enclosed.

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Referred to the Department of State, 1/11/43.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

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me that inscribed copy of your book, AND THEY SHALL WALK. Many, many thanks. I do appreciate your friendly thought.

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My best wishes go to you with this little note.

Very sincerely yours,  
an autographed copy of her new book biography entitled AND THEY SHALL WALK. This book is FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

Respectfully yours,

Sister Elizabeth Kenny, + 5788  
Elizabeth Kenny Institute,  
Minneapolis,  
Minnesota.

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*Mrs Eber*

October 13, 1943

*P.P. 7.  
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My dear Sister Kenny:

It was especially kind of you to send me that inscribed copy of your book, AND THEY SHALL WALK. Many, many thanks. I do appreciate your friendly thought.

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My best wishes go to you with this little note.

Very sincerely yours,  
an autographed copy of her new auto-  
biography entitled AND THEY SHALL WALK.  
This book is FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT  
you under separate cover.

*Sister*  
Sister Elizabeth Kenny, *+ 5788*  
Elizabeth Kenny Institute, Representative  
Minneapolis, of Sister Kenny  
Minnesota.

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Douglas Baker  
1200 Como Avenue S.E.  
Minneapolis - Minnesota

Thank  
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October 5, 1943

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

Dear Mr. President:

Sister Kenny has asked me to send you  
an autographed copy of her new auto-  
biography entitled AND THEY SHALL  
WALK. This book is going forward to  
you under separate cover.

Respectfully yours,

*Douglas Baker*

Douglas Baker x  
Personal Representative  
of Sister Kenny

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HOWARD E. KERSHNER  
38 CLINTON ROAD  
GLEN RIDGE, N. J.

Oct. 14 1943

October 28, 1943

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

My dear Dr. Kershner:

In acknowledging the receipt of  
your letter of October fourteenth, I want  
to thank you in the President's behalf for  
your courtesy in sending him a copy of your  
publication, ONE HUMANITY.

Very sincerely yours,

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Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

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*Howard E. Kershner*

Dr. Howard E. Kershner,  
38 Clinton Road,  
Glen Ridge,  
New Jersey.

HOWARD E. KERSHNER  
38 CLINTON ROAD  
GLEN RIDGE, N. J.

Oct. 14 1943

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

Dear Mr. President:

Knowing of your great interest in and desire to rescue the starving children of the Nazi-dominated countries, I am asking the publishers to send you a copy of my new book, "One Humanity", which shows, on the basis of our experience in France, how it would be possible to do this without in any way aiding the enemy.

As I believe you agree, it would furthermore be excellent strategy to help our friends to help us.

Sincerely yours,

*Howard E. Kershner*  
Howard E. Kershner.

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Park Library,

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the President to see  
tson sent memo to  
Chinese Embassy.  
has been informed  
appt. never arranged.

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with file room - 10/20/43

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CURRIE, Lauchlin,  
Oct. 21, 1943.

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Memo to the President transmitting book on China's Struggle for Railroad Development, inscribed by the author, Chang Kia-ngau, who has been sent over here to aid T. V. Soong in post-war planning. Presidential ack. sent to Hon. Chang Kia-ngau, 10/22/43. Orig. corres. and book sent to Hyde Park Library, Series "B". Copy of corres. filed: PPF 9-C

SEE: PPF 9-C

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In above memo of Oct. 21, 1943, Mr. Currie asked the President to see Minister Chang for a few minutes. On Oct. 28, 1943 Gen. Watson sent memo to Mr. Summerlin asking if above appt. is satisfactory with the Chinese Embassy. On Oct. 30, 1943 Mr. Summerlin advised Gen. Watson that he has been informed that there would be no objection re appt. Pencil notation: appt. never arranged. filed July 12, 1944.

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Very sincerely yours,  
Grace G. Kelly  
Private Secretary

A. G. Knapp, Esq.,  
2424 ...  
Washington, D.C.

Reading - LIGHT FOR THE NIGHT. Daily devotions; "Prepare to Meet Thy God."

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October 6, 1943

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My dear Mr. Knippa:

Thank you, in the President's behalf,  
for your kindness in sending him a copy of the  
book THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD and the pamphlets.  
He is most appreciative of your friendly  
thought.

x P.P. 7.9-B

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

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A. C. Knippa, Esq.,  
2414 Harris Boulevard,  
Austin,  
Texas.

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Booklets - LIGHT FOR THE NIGHT, Daily devotions; "Prepare to Meet Thy  
God."

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McCARNEY, Hon. Leighton  
Canadian Legation  
Dec. 28, 1943.

P.P.F.  
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Wrote Miss Tully stating that he is sending to the President a parcel containing a volume of pictures taken at the Quebec Conference which Prime Minister Mackenzie King desired Mr. McCarthy to give to the President with his compliments and good wishes. Extends the Season's Greetings and good wishes. - - -The President wrote Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Jan. 6, 1944, stating that Mr. McCarthy had brought him the delightful album and extends thanks for sending the excellent photographs. The President further states that he wished someone had taken a photograph of all of them at the Laurier House. In conclusion the President said that he went to Oran and Tunis and Cairo and Teheran and Malta and Sicily in perfect health in order to come back to the White House to have a bout with the flu. - - -The President wrote Mr. Leighton McCarthy, Jan. 6, 1944, stating that the album from Hon. Mackenzie King is wonderful reminder of a wonderful week and that he thinks the pictures are excellent. Asks Mr. McCarthy to come to see him when he gets over the flu. - - - Typed notation - Album of photo of Quebec conference - Library B.

See - PPF 3089 to express his sincere thanks for your

friendly thought in sending it to him. This

little note conveys his best wishes to you.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

Captain A. K. King,  
Special Service Officer,  
Hendler Field,  
Mississippi.

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November 10, 1943

Thank you

My dear Captain Klum:

The President is especially pleased to have the copy of ART AND THE SOLDIER and has asked me to express his sincere thanks for your friendly thought in sending it to him. This little note conveys his best wishes to you.

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

Captain A. M. Klum,  
Special Service Officer,  
Keesler Field,  
Mississippi.

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KUNG, Dr. H.H.  
The Executive Yuan,  
Chungking, China,  
Nov. 17, 1943.

Writes the President thanking him for box of cigars which the President sent through Madame Chiang. Understands that this was a gift to the President from the President of Cuba. Is glad of the occasion to present to the President two boxes of Jasmine Green Tea and two boxes of Keemun Red Tea.--The President, Nov. 26, 1943, wrote to Dr. Kung saying he was delighted to have that delicious Chinese tea - especially as he was more and more substituting tea for coffee. The President said his visit in Cairo with the Generalissimo and Madame Chiang had been not only very delightful but it has been a true success. The President said it was, he hoped, the beginning of many such conferences. The President said they had spoken to him in regard to the inflation problem and when in Chungking they will speak with Dr. Kung in regard to a suggestion which the President has made. The President said he had not, of course, had a chance to talk with the Secretary of the Treasury about it and that he would do so just as soon as he got home.

SEE P.P.F. 1178

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November 25, 1943

My dear Father Krull:

Permit me, in the President's behalf,  
to thank you for your kindness in sending him  
copies of your books which were received recently.  
I can assure you that your friendly thought is  
very much appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

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Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

Reverend V. H. Krull, C.P.P.S.,  
St. Charles Seminary,  
Carthage,  
Ohio.

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(Books titled - "A Prophetic Biography of Jesus Christ", "The  
Blessed Virgin Mary" and "Christian Denominations".)

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December 28, 1943

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BARNES, H. P.,  
Lewiston, Idaho,  
November 9, 1943 - (ack. 12/18/43).

Writes to the President, sending him under separate cover, a knife,  
which is a product of his own workmanship. Given to Mr. Goshon.

See P.P.F. 9-B

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Your sincerely yours,

James G. Tully  
Private Secretary

James G. Tully, Inc.,  
1000 Broadway,  
New York 10, N.Y.

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December 29, 1943

My dear Mr. Kehr:

Many thanks in the President's behalf for your kindness in sending him that booklet on Egyptian philatelic history. He much appreciates your friendly thought.

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

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

PS

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Ernest A. Kehr, Esq.,  
Herald Tribune,  
230 West 41st Street,  
New York,  
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Most cordially,

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Major General Edwin M. Watson,  
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**Herald Tribune**

230 West 41st Street, New York

December 24  
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My Dear General Watson:

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Sends the President, cards of Christmas greetings, pictures and  
calendars. - Sent to Miss LeHand, to be presented to the President.-----  
Pictures T.A.

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It was kind indeed of you and those  
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this little note conveys his best wishes to all  
of you.

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

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Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Roosevelt:

We are pleased to send you for your personal use this attractive 1944 leather-bound Year Book with your name embossed in gold letters on the cover.

We hope that you will find this diary a useful article for the coming year.

With best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Victorious New Year, we remain

Cordially yours,

KENNEDY & ELY INSURANCE, INC.

*E. Malcomb Major*

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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

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December 11, 1943

My dear Mr. Knickerbocker:

It was kind indeed of you to send the President that especially fine celery and I want to thank you most heartily in his behalf for your friendly thought. However, as you doubtless know, the President is absent from Washington. Because of this the celery was given to Mrs. Roosevelt and she was indeed most appreciative.

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Very sincerely yours,

*Thank for celery & say  
it was given to Mrs R  
in the President's name  
and she was most appreciative*

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

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F. H. Knickerbocker, Esq.,  
President, Chamber of Commerce  
of Salt Lake City,  
Salt Lake City,  
Utah.



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December 29, 1943

Mrs. Egan

My dear Mr. Kooperman:

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter of December twenty-second, I want to thank you for your kindness in sending the President the little charm which you enclosed.

The President is grateful for your Holiday greetings and I have pleasure in extending his very best wishes to you for the New Year.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

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N. Kooperman, Esq.,  
1016 Beacon Street,  
Brookline,  
Massachusetts.

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*Special Delivery*  
*In that before you...*  
*but now after all...*  
*you please...*  
*and your family...*  
*Happy...*  
*new year...*  
*Mr. Kooperman*  
*International Bank of Deposit & Exchange*  
*1016 Beacon Street*  
*Brookline*  
*Mass*

Urgently  
Special delivery

12/22/43

charm  
sent. Beloved President!

at  
12/29/43  
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In time before going to Europe  
my lucky charm sent to your Excellency  
was just the right thing but now after all  
this war aggravation you need this charm  
which I take the liberty to forward you  
and the Lord God shall give you peace  
and to the all nation.

Wishing you and your family  
Merry Christmas and happy  
New Year

N. Rooperman  
Ex President of  
International Bank of Import & Export  
1016 Beacon Street  
Brookline  
Mass

December 30, 1943

Mrs. Egan

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Dear Martin:

It was a real pleasure to find in my mail that copy of Joseph Auslander's book THE UNCONQUERABLES, so nicely inscribed by him and by you. Thank you so much for your Christmas remembrance -- it is a gift of lasting value and I appreciate it immensely. I am also glad to have the card which accompanied the book.

New Year's greetings and all good wishes to you and Mrs. Kennedy.

Very sincerely yours,

(Sgd) FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

Honorable Martin J. Kennedy, X#  
House of Representatives,  
Washington, D. C.

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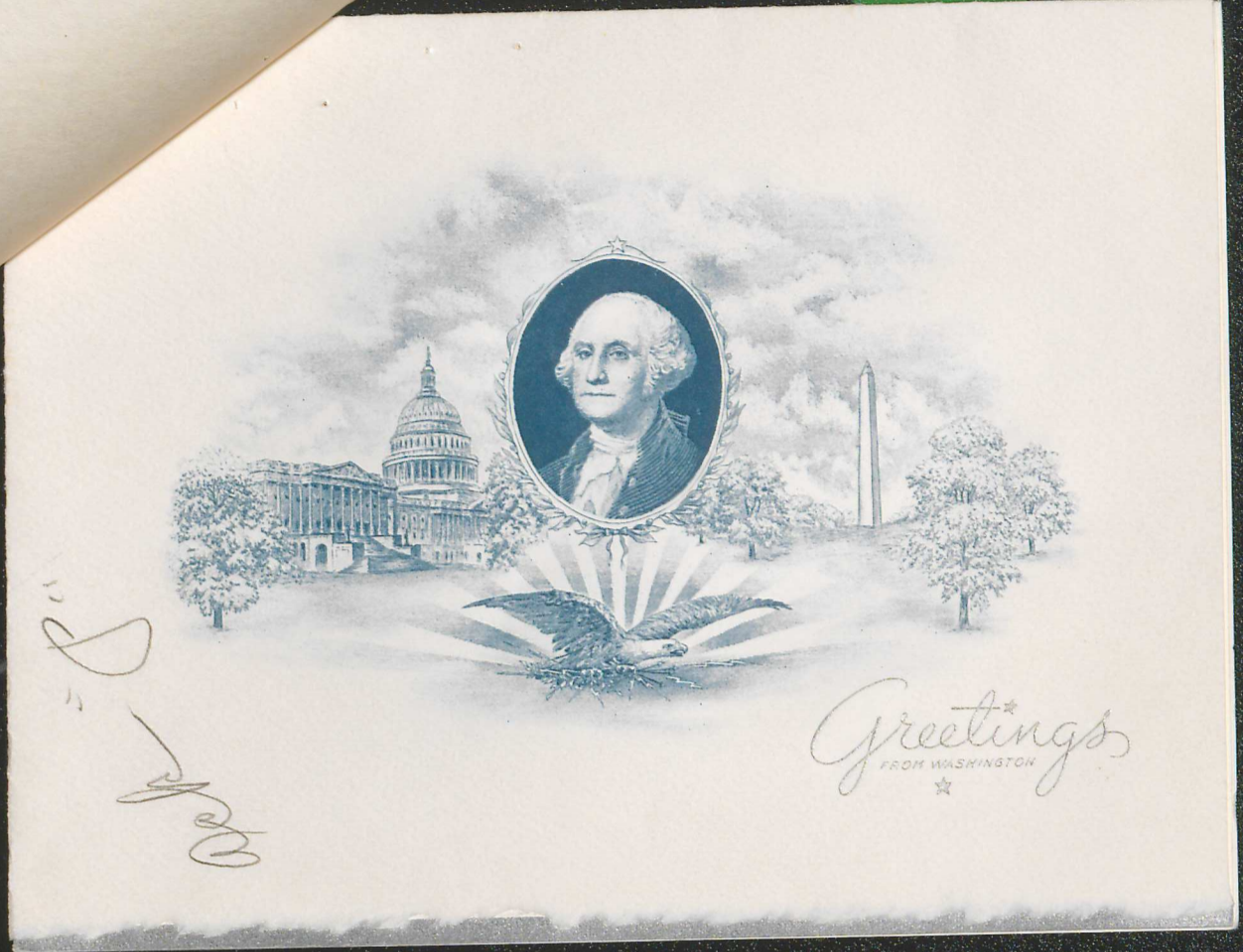
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Honorable Martin J. Kennedy,  
House of Representatives,  
Washington, D. C.

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Greetings  
FROM WASHINGTON  
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"I COMMEND MY FRIENDS, AND, WITH THEM,  
THE INTERESTS AND HAPPINESS OF OUR DEAR  
COUNTRY, TO THE KEEPING AND PROTECTION  
OF ALMIGHTY GOD."

GEORGE WASHINGTON 1783

*Greetings* OF THE SEASON  
AND BEST WISHES FOR  
THE NEW YEAR

CONGRESSMAN AND MRS. MARTIN J. KENNEDY