

PRESIDENT'S PERSONAL FILE

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*Mr. Kelly*

January 18, 1945

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My dear Mr. Kelly:

Your letter of January fifteenth has been received and will be made available to the President. Meanwhile, I want to thank you in his behalf for your kind thought in sending him the accompanying book, OUR LADY OF FATIMA.

x PPZ  
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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

Mr. Charles Kelly,  
1161--19th,  
Des Moines, X  
Iowa.

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Des Moines Ia.  
Jan 15-1945

My study

I am enclosing  
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s many of the  
Predictions in it concern the Present  
War. I thought you might be  
interested in reading it. also that  
you might see fit to visit Fatima  
while in Europe. many wonderful  
Cures have taken place there since  
1917. your humble servant

Charles Kelley

1161-17<sup>th</sup>

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Des Moines Ia.  
Jan 15-1945

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Des Moines Ia.  
Jan 15-1945

Miss Eben

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paritions at

Fatima Portugal, as many of the  
Predictions in it concern the Present  
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Hon. Dear President

Des Moines Ia.  
Jan 15-1945

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1161-19<sup>th</sup>

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January 3, 1945

Gentlemen:

Many thanks for your kindness in sending  
the President that 1945 Year Book. He is most ap-  
preciative of your friendly thought.

Very sincerely yours,

x Pf79-3  
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Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

Kennedy & Ely Insurance, Inc.,  
x Congress Building,  
Miami 32,  
Florida.



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KGVO,  
Missoula, Mont.  
filed - 1/5/45.

A small desk size flag sent the President.....returned to Mr. Groshon.  
(no correspondence)

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*miss Gleen*  
January 5, 1945

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Gentlemen:

Please accept the President's thanks  
for your kindness in sending him those two  
decks of cards with your holiday greetings.  
He wants you to know that he appreciates the  
friendly thought which prompted your action.

*x PPZ  
9-C*

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

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X Kilgore Lions Club,  
c/o Brown & Bigelow,  
St. Paul 4,  
Minnesota.

*x 964*



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Cards to them

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HOUSE,

x PP79-13

which was received through the courtesy of Mr.  
Harold Young, Assistant to the Vice President.  
He wants you to know how pleased he is to have  
it.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

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Mr. Henry Koppell, x  
Reader's Book Service, Inc.,  
220 Fifth Avenue,  
New York, N. Y.

Inscription in book: "With sincere congratulation to our re-elected  
President and deep gratitude to our people! Most respectfully,  
Henry G. Koppell, Publisher, November 7th, 1944."



Season's Greetings  
From  
Kilgore Lions Club

January 2, 1945

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My dear Mr. Koppell:

The President asks me to thank you  
for your kindness in sending him that beauti-  
fully bound copy of THAT MAN IN THE WHITE HOUSE,  
which was received through the courtesy of Mr.  
Harold Young, Assistant to the Vice President.  
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x PP79-B

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29, 1944

Miss Grace Tully  
Secretary to The President  
The White House  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Miss Tully:

The other day Mr. Henry Koppell, whose address is Reader's Book Service, Inc., 220 Fifth Avenue, New York City, gave me for transmittal to the President the attached beautifully bound copy of "That Man in the White House." Mr. Koppell published the book. As you know, several hundred thousand paper-bound copies of this work were sold, and all Democratic speakers and workers were furnished with copies by the Democratic National Committee. It is not the most profound book in the world but a great many facts in it influenced voters who read it, and the material in it was used by speakers during the campaign.

It may be that the President will wish to thank Mr. Koppell for sending the book to him.

Sincerely yours,

*Harold Young*  
Harold Young  
Assistant to the  
Vice President

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OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT  
WASHINGTON

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Thank Mr.  
Koppell  
JES

December 29, 1944

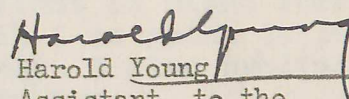
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Assistant to the  
Vice President

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READERS BOOK SERVICE, Inc.

220 FIFTH AVENUE, NEW YORK 1, N. Y.

Telephones: LExington 2-0643-0644

January 16, 1945

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

Dear Miss Tully:

Thanks for your kind note of January 2nd, with respect to my publication THAT MAN IN THE WHITE HOUSE by Dr. Kingdon.

As the publisher of the only pro-Roosevelt book during the campaign I am taking the liberty to ask you for a pass to the President's inauguration this Saturday.

Although I know that admission is granted only to special guests, and many requests have been turned down, I wonder whether last minute cancellations could make it possible to grant me a pass.

Apart from my personal desire to witness this important event it might further my idea for a historical work, which I am going to publish at the end of this year. By the way, I also published a book by Mrs. Roosevelt several years ago.

I would deeply appreciate it if I could see the President and Mrs. Roosevelt on this unique occasion.

Sincerely,

HENRY G. KOPPELL

HGK/es



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January 19, 1945

My dear Mr. Koppell:

Your letter to Miss Grace Tully has been given to me for reply and I am very sorry that the lists are closed and all tickets have been allocated.

I know how much it would have meant to you to attend this Inaugural but the guest lists were quite restricted and no additions may be made to them. I am sure you will understand that this is in accord with the wishes of the President that the ceremonies be kept simple and strict attention be given to war-time regulations.

Many persons will be disappointed I am sure, but I hope this explanation will help you to understand why we cannot comply with your request.

Very sincerely yours,

Mrs. J. M. Helm  
Secretary to Mrs. Roosevelt

Mr. Henry G. Koppell  
Readers Book Service, Inc.  
220 Fifth Avenue  
New York 1, New York

Remarks



January 10, 1945

MEMORANDUM FOR HONORABLE GEORGE T.  
SUMMERLIN:

Will you not be good enough  
to have an appropriate acknowledgment  
made of the accompanying books if, in  
your opinion, an acknowledgment should  
be made.

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

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

Letter to the President dated 11/4/44,  
from Mr. Malatios Khouri, Carril Nacional  
348, San Jose, Mendoza, Argentina.

Sends the President a copy of book - THE  
POWER OF GOOD.

Also book sent to The Librarian, The White  
House, from Mr. Walter Owen, 356 Sarmiento,  
Buenos Aires. Book - JOSE ZORILLA DON JUAN  
TENORIO.

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Remarks



DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Central Translating Division  
TRANSLATOR'S SUMMARY OF COMMUNICATION

TC no. 7530

Language: Spanish  
Date of communication: November 4, 1944  
Addressed to: The President

Name and address of writer: Mr. Malatios Khouri,  
Carril Nacional 348,  
San José, Mendoza,  
Argentina.  
Substance of writer's statements:

TRANSLATION OF INSCRIPTION OF FLY-LEAF OF BOOK  
ENTITLED "EL PODER DEL BIEN" (THE POWER OF GOOD).

To His Excellency the President of the United  
States of North America, who strengthens the human  
civilization of Love in America for the world.

November 4, 1944

(Signed) Malatios K.

Carril Nacional 348

San José

Mendoza,

Argentine Republic

Remarks



January 4, 1945

Respectfully referred to the  
Department of State for translation  
of inscription.

M. C. LATTA  
Executive Clerk

Malatios Khouri,  
Carril Nacional 348,  
San Jose,  
Mendoza,  
R. Argentina.

Communication addressed to the President, undated.

No covering letter. Sends book to the President written in  
foreign language. Notation inscribed on fly sheet of book  
bearing dated of 11/4/44. --to be translated.

JMM

*anecdotes of those good  
people who made our  
country what it is today*



To Study

DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
Washington

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In reply refer to  
PR

January 17, 1945

My dear Miss Tully:

In compliance with your memorandum of January 10, 1945, I am returning herewith the book El Poder del Bien sent to the President by the author, Mr. Malatios Khouri, of Mendoza, Argentina, and the book Don Juan Tenorio sent by the author, Mr. Walter Owen, of Buenos Aires, Argentina.

The American Embassy at Buenos Aires has been requested to convey to the senders an appropriate expression of thanks and appreciation.

Sincerely yours,

G. T. Summerlin  
Chief of Protocol

Enclosures:

Two books returned.

Miss Grace G. Tully

The White House

anecdotes of those good  
people who made our  
country what it is today



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January 29, 1945

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My dear Mr. Konkle:

Your letter of January fourteenth has been received and will be made available to the President. Meanwhile, I want to thank you in his behalf for your kindness in sending him that old volume and to assure you that he will much appreciate your friendly thought.

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

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Mr. James E. Konkle, II,  
36 Thompson Street,  
Apartment 1,  
St. Paul,  
Minnesota.

TITLE OF BOOK: THE OLD MERCHANTS OF NEW YORK CITY.

anecdotes of those good  
people who made our  
country what it is today



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#36 Thompson St  
apt 1  
J. Paul Minn  
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11-29-45

F.D. Roosevelt, Esq.  
Washington, D.C.  
Dear Mr. Roosevelt,

Under separate  
cover, I am sending you  
a book I obtained in  
a collection left by an  
old collector of books,  
it is quite interesting  
especially pages 274-275-276.

Then pages 12-32-33-88-89  
90-91-111-165-166-194-210-211-285-  
286-287-314-325-326-382-391-392-393  
413-414-415-416-417-418-419-420-421-422

I hope you will enjoy  
this book, and put it in  
your collection, and it will  
be of interest to anyone  
who appreciates the  
anecdotes of those good  
people who made our  
country what it is today



Last night on the radio  
there was a Quiz Program  
1<sup>st</sup> Question was.

What is the name  
of one who comes  
back from the dead?

Answer:- A. REPUBLICAN.

This is one for  
the Republican's who  
have been in the happy  
hunting grounds, for  
12 long years.

Hope you are  
enjoying all the good  
that comes to one who  
has made the world  
a better place to live  
in.

Adding my kind  
regards, and best wishes,

I am  
Sincerely,

James E. Konkle II  
St. Paul Minn.

#36. Thompson. St. Apt #1.



*Study*

February 3, 1945

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*9-K*

My dear Miss Kibbe:

Many thanks in the President's behalf  
for your kindness in sending him that copy of the  
booklet AMERICA'S GREATNESS, as a birthday remem-  
brance. I want to assure you that your friendly  
thought is particularly pleasing.

*x PP79-B*  
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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

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Miss Tyla Mary Kibbe,  
1512 Park Street, x  
Des Moines 14,  
Wisconsin.

Apartment #1.

*Should have been Iowa.*  
*will probably come back*  
*files.*



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INSCRIPTION IN BOOK

January 19th, 1945

To President Franklin Delano Roosevelt,

Thought you might like this book.

Happy Birthday.

TYLA MARY KIBBE



With best wishes

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February 6, 1945

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My dear Mrs. Koplan:

The beautiful hand-knit sweater which you sent to the President, through the courtesy of Mrs. Boettiger, has been received and given to me for presentation to him. May I assure you that your thoughtful remembrance of his birthday is deeply appreciated.

I want to thank you, too, on behalf of the President, for your friendly good wishes. The fine loyalty which you express will do much to lighten his burdens in these grave times.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

Mrs. Sylvia <sup>X</sup>Koplan,  
876 Van Sicklen Avenue,  
Brooklyn 7,  
New York.

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With best Wishes

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Sweater to President  
for the President

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I said, at the time  
of the election returns  
that, if our Greatest man  
come through again, I  
am going to make him  
a very beautiful sweater,  
for his Birthday. And now  
I have it ready for him  
to wear.

my dear I only hope that  
I won't be putting you

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With best Wishes

Mrs Eben

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of the election returns  
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With best Wishes

Mrs. Sylvia Koplan  
376 Van Sicklen Ave.  
Bklyn N.Y.

Dear Mrs. Boettiger:

I hope you won't think  
that I am a crank. I  
really am not.

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of the election returns  
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came through again, I  
am going to make him  
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2.  
through to much trouble in giving  
it to Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt. (your Dad).

The sweater is for the Greatest & Grand-  
est person in the world.

We all in my ~~ma~~<sup>2</sup> family hope  
he should wear this sweater for many  
& many happy & healthy Birthdays.

With him & Gods help he will  
see this war over soon. I am  
sure. I have a son in. Land in  
Australia now three years. And my  
son is going in to the Navy. Jan 27/45.

Thank You very much  
Mrs. Sylvia Koplan.

P.S.

Dear Anna Boettger  
I am sending to you because  
I don't want it handle by too  
many hands. Please don't think  
that there is any thing wrong  
because I made it for him & I

I made it because we  
love him. It is made of the  
Botany Yarn.



With best wishes

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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

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February 5, 1945

Memorandum for Miss Tully:

I have acknowledged this,  
saying only that, as Mrs. Boettiger  
is away, I have given it to the  
President's personal secretary.

Irene Orndorff

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With best wishes

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February 9, 1945

Dear Mr. Kung:

May I, in the President's name,  
thank you for those lovely roses which you  
sent him for his birthday. He was delighted  
to be thus remembered by you.

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Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

Mr. L. K. Kung,  
Room 4201,  
The Waldorf Astoria,  
New York, N. Y.

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With best wishes

L. K. Kung

January 2, 1945

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PPF 9-K

My dear Mr. and Mrs. Kiefer:

Your interest in aiding the humanitarian cause of fighting infantile paralysis, evidenced by the contribution which you enclosed with your letter of recent date for the March of Dimes is, I assure you, deeply appreciated.

Your remembrance of the President in your prayers is especially gratifying and, in his behalf, I thank you for the kind thought which prompted you to send for his collection that coin which bears his birth date.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Kiefer,  
2364 Fauver Avenue,  
Dayton,  
Ohio.

Silver dollar sent to President 1882

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Silver dollar sent to President 1882

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February 9, 1945

Dear Miss Kung:

It was so kind of you to remember  
the President's birthday by sending him those  
lovely roses. Please accept his heartfelt  
thanks.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

Miss L. W. Kung,  
Room 4201,  
The Waldorf Astoria,  
New York, N. Y.

wdh:aw



best wishes

L. W. Kung

February 14, 1945

Given to  
Mr. Goshon

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My dear Mr. Kim:

Many thanks for your kindness in sending the President that beautiful tie and scarf. I want to assure you that the friendliness which prompted this presentation is especially pleasing.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

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Mr. Sung Mun Kim,  
U.S.E.D. Mess Hall, x  
Punahou Campus,  
Honolulu,  
Hawaii.

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Punahou Campus,  
Honolulu,  
Hawaii.

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KUNG, The Hon. Dr. H. H.  
New York, N. Y.  
Jan. 29, 1945.

Wrote the President that he is sending a small portion of Chinese tea, jasmine tea from Fukien, for the President's birthday. States that this tea is of a blend between green and red tea and is popular with the people of North China. Offers heartiest congratulations upon the President's birthday. --Letter to the President dated Jan. 29, 1945 from H. H. H. Kung wherein he expresses his congratulations for the President's coming birthday. --The President replied on Feb. 13, 1945 expressing thanks for the gift of jasmine tea from Fukien which came with birthday greetings. Further states that he is not surprised to learn that this blend is very popular with the people of North China for the President has found it truly delicious, and appreciates his kindness. --

Penciled notation - "P" tea given to GGT for P.

See - PPF 1178



February 15, 1945

My dear Corporal Kolaczek:

Thank you most heartily in the President's behalf for your kindness in sending him that framed portrait as a birthday remembrance. I want to assure you that the friendly thought which prompted this presentation is particularly pleasing.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

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Corporal Joseph A. Kolaczek,  
Hq. Det. 17th I.T.R.,  
Camp Howze,  
Texas.

HYDE PARK LIBRARY



Mr. Wagner.

This is too large to send  
you to see - please ask &  
make copy of card to go  
with framed portrait to  
library - S. G. T.

(This is at the garage.)

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Hq. Det. 17th I.R.  
Camp Hange Tex.

izen of Poland.

nd, citizen -

man of these great United States.

I am in uniform for Poland; I am  
in uniform for the United States;  
I am in uniform for decency, for  
freedom, for democracy - in short,  
humanity. To this must also be added  
my personal right - to create as I see  
fit.

For your birthday, Mr. President, I have  
created this portrait. I saw the print  
first in "Coronet Magazine" and to me,  
the face seemed like a symbol of my  
faith in our government. The slaves  
of the world are awaiting the Demo-  
cratic Order, not the New Order.

With best wishes and good health  
on your birthday, Mr. President,

I remain,  
An American Soldier,  
Capt. Joseph J. Holmseth

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SERVICE CLUB  
CAMP HOWZE, TEXAS

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Hq. Det. 17th I.T.R.  
Camp Howze Tex.

My Dear Mr. President:

I am a former citizen of Poland.  
Recently, I became a proud, citizen-  
-soldier of these great United States.

I am in uniform for Poland; I am  
in uniform for the United States;  
I am in uniform for decency, for  
freedom, for democracy - in short,  
humanity. To this must also be added  
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With best wishes and good health  
on your birthday, Mr. President,

I remain,  
An American Soldier,  
Capt. Joseph J. Holaczek



February 14, 1945

My dear Mr. Klein:

It was kind of you to send the President the tie to which you refer in your letter of January twenty-fourth. I want to thank you in his behalf and to assure you that your expression of confidence in his leadership and your prayers will mean much to him during these difficult days.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

Mr. Ernest A. Klein,  
5124 Kenwood Street,  
Chicago,  
Illinois.

Ack.  
Give to Mr. K.





# LAUNDRY & RENTAL CO.

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ICE OUR SPECIALTY

KDALE AVENUE  
GO, ILLINOIS

January 24, 1945

5724 Kenwood St.  
Addison, Ind.

Dear Mr. President:

In the January 26th issue of the United States News there appeared some pictures of you taken at four year intervals. In the pictures taken in 1941 and again in 1945, I noticed that you wear the same tie.

Knowing that upon your shoulders rest the successful prosecution of the war, as well as many of the complex burdens of our home economy, I can well understand your lack of attention to such an unimportant item as a tie.

I am therefore taking the privilege of sending you, under separate cover, a tie that I have selected for you.

May you wear it in good health and with it go the prayers of my fellow countrymen as well as my own that you may continue your fine work and secure for us and the world a truly lasting peace.

Very truly yours,

*Ernest A. Klein*

Ernest A. Klein

EAK/MVM

Ack.  
Give to me  
G.B.T.



ms. Eber

ALL PHONES  
BITTERSWEET 3110

**MECHANICS OVERALL LAUNDRY & RENTAL CO.**

DRY CLEANERS AND LAUNDERERS OF INDUSTRIAL GARMENTS AND WIPING MATERIALS  
RENTAL SERVICE OUR SPECIALTY

2221 OAKDALE AVENUE  
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS



January 24, 1945

5124 Kenwood St.  
Addison, Ill.

Ernest A. Klein

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May you wear it in good health and with it go the prayers of my fellow countrymen as well as my own that you may continue your fine work and secure for us and the world a truly lasting peace.

Very truly yours,

Ernest A. Klein

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EAK/MVM

Ack.  
Give to me  
G.B.T.



ms. Elen

ALL PHONES  
BITTERSWEET 3110

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2/1/45

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DIVISIONS  
CHICAGO OVERALL SYSTEM  
INDUSTRIAL WIPING CLOTH  
SUPPLY CO.



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5/24 Kennard St.  
Addison Hotel

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LEM

SIENKIEWICZ, Mr. William  
Chicago, Ill.  
1/16/45

Sends knives for the President's sons and for General MacArthur.  
Clipping enclosed. ----Acknowledged 2/15/45 by Miss Tully.---Given to  
Miss Tully for Elliott and Jimmy. - Sent to Secretary of War, 2/15/45,  
for the General.

SEE - PPF 9-S

PPF

9-K



IBM

Mrs. Rupert L. King  
New York, N. Y.  
1/14/45

Letter to the President stating that she is sending a pair of socks for him.  
-----Acknowledged 2/10/45 by Miss Tully. States that the socks sent were  
for a child and expresses the opinion that the packages were mixed. -----  
Mrs. Eben has the socks.

SEE - PPF-4228

On Feb. 16, 1945 Mrs. King wrote to Miss Tully  
stating that she regrets the error and cannot  
understand it. Promises to send more socks.  
-----Acknowledged 2/27/45 by Miss Tully. Miss Tully  
returned the socks to the writer.



March 1, 1945

My dear Mr. Kost:

The drawing which you recently forwarded  
to the President has been received. Many thanks,  
in his behalf, for your courtesy.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

Mr. Henry N. Kost,  
1680 North Wilton Place,  
Hollywood,  
California.

mgs

HENRY N. KOST  
1680 N. WILTON PL.  
HOLLYWOOD



Victory

ack'd  
3/1/44



HENRY N. KOST  
1680 N. WILTON PL.  
HOLLYWOOD - CALIF



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file

1680 N. WILTON PL.

HOLLYWOOD, CALIF

March 7, 1945

Miss Grace S. Tully  
Private Secretary.

Dear Miss Tully:

Thank you for your  
kind letter in regard to my cartoon.

I mailed you another one shortly  
after. I noticed President Roosevelt's  
picture in newspapers the other day  
and he looked so serious. I thought  
my cartoon might make him laugh  
and see the less serious side of life.



We all get serious and heavy at times and a little laugh at something comic brightens and lightens us up and brings relaxation.

I admire President Roosevelt for his devotion to duty, and self sacrifice. A number of years ago I was looking out the window of an old building on Main St. in Liberty, N.Y. The President looked up as he rode by and had one of those happy bright smiles on his face which made the world seem brighter.



I hope this war will soon  
be over and <sup>that</sup> the President will  
have less to burden him and be  
happy and smiling and see the  
happier side of life.

With best wishes

Sincerely yours

Henry H. Kost

P.S. I am ~~an~~ old friend of  
Guernsey Cross.



OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF GENERAL

PPF

9-15

IBM

HEINRICH, Peter R.  
Newark, N. J.  
3/14/45 (File)

Presented a fishing kit to the President. This was sent through the courtesy of Congress member Mary Norton. ---Acknowledged 3/8/45 by Miss Tully. ---Acknowledgment made to Hon. Mary Norton, 3/8/45, by Miss Tully. ---Given to Charley Fredericks for the President.

SEE - PTF 9-N

Grace E. Tully  
Private Secretary

Mr. Martin A. Smith,  
1111 West North Avenue,  
Chicago 10,  
Illinois.

Also 1 AM ENCLOSING HERewith ONE (1)



Mr. Smith (Mail Room) —

Contribution of \$1.00 attached  
for infantile paralysis fund

th 12, 1945

My dear Mr. Kovach:

PPF-2

Mrs. Roosevelt has presented to the President that necktie you sent him as a birthday remembrance and your contribution to the Infantile Paralysis Fund. The President has asked me to thank you for your generous thought of him and for your good wishes.

Your interest in aiding the humanitarian cause of fighting infantile paralysis is especially gratifying to the President.

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

X  
Mr. Martin J. Kovach,  
1048 West Buena Avenue,  
Chicago 13,  
Illinois.

mpl

100-1111 sent to  
J.P. 7. 1945

PPF-  
9-K

x P.P. 7.9-72  
x P.P. 7.310  
Contribution  
folder  
"K"

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THAN GIVE IS YOURS, FOR HIM.

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March 12, 1945

100 will sent to  
J.P.F. Mrs

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1048 West Buena Avenue,  
Chicago 13,  
Illinois.

PPF-7  
9-K

X PPF 9-72

X PPF 310

Contribution  
folder  
"K"

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mpl

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Also I AM ENCLOSING HEREWITH ONE (1)



JAN. 26 - 1945.

ack'd.  
3-10-45  
mpe

Thank for \$1.00  
necktie & 1.00  
for mail gratulation  
JST  
2 segments to Mrs.  
R.

DEAR HONORABLE ELEANOR ROOSEVELT,  
(MRS. F. D. ROOSEVELT.) :—

LADY ELEANOR ROOSEVELT, DO  
ALLOW ME TO SEND YOU A NECK-TIE  
(CRAVAT) ?

I DO HAVE ON MINE MIND ABOUT  
THIS NECKTIE; THAT, YOU MAY, IF SO  
WISHES, TO GIVE IT TO HON. FRANKLIN D.  
ROOSEVELT, MR. PRESIDENT FOR HIS BIRTHDAY  
ANNIVERSARY.... THROUGH YOUR APPROVAL,  
AS YOU KNOW MORE ABOUT, IF THIS 'TIE'  
IS PRESENTABLE, TO WEAR FOR INFORMAL  
USE.

THAN "GIFT" IS YOURS, FOR HIM.  
ALSO I AM ENCLOSING HERewith ONE (1)  
DOLLAR BILL; FOR HONORABLE MR. PRESIDENT,  
AS A GIFT; FOR HIS 63<sup>RD</sup>. BIRTHDAY-  
ANNIVERSARY.

MAY HEALTH, AND HAPPINESS BE  
ALWAYS WITH YOU BOTH.

MARTIN J. KOVACH,  
1048 WEST BUENA AVE.,  
CHICAGO 13, ILLINOIS.



March 14, 1945.

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P.P. 7.  
9-K

Dear Captain Kirk:

I am indeed sorry for the long delay in writing to thank you and all concerned for that very attractive boat cape which you sent to me sometime ago. It fits perfectly and, as you know, I had an opportunity to make good use of it on my recent trip.

My grateful thanks to you and your workers, and much appreciation for your thought of me.

With every best wish to you all,

Very sincerely yours,

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

×  
Captain Chas. D. Kirk,  
Supply Officer in Command,  
Naval Clothing Depot,  
× 29th Street and 5rd Avenue,  
Brooklyn 32, N. Y.

x P.P. 7.9-N

x P.P. 7.9-C



OFFICE OF THE SURGEON GENERAL

POT

March 10, 1945

Memo- for Miss Tully  
Private Secretary to  
The President

This is the letter I inquired  
about this morning. Admiral McIntire re-  
ceived the cape and evidently presented  
it to the President.

*Clare R. Murphy*  
Clare R. Murphy  
Private Secretary to  
Admiral McIntire

en I informed them  
chief would be welcome.  
forwarded to you this  
to the President with  
d happiness.

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ed uniform garments each  
you and the President  
ly believe to be the

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*Wiel*  
N.  
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P.S. If there is anything we can do for you at the Depot at any  
time, please let me know, and the matter will receive my  
personal attention.

*par*



Address Reply to Supply Officer  
In Command and Refer to No.

(A)

NAVAL CLOTHING DEPOT

29th Street and 3rd Avenue  
BROOKLYN 32, N. Y.

22 November 1944

Vice Admiral Ross T. McIntire, MC, USN.  
Chief of the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery  
Navy Department  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Admiral McIntire:

The clothing workers were overjoyed when I informed them that a new boat cape for the Commander-in-Chief would be welcome. Accordingly, the finished product has been forwarded to you this date with the request that it be delivered to the President with their sincere good wishes for his health and happiness.

These loyal workers have kept pace with our expanding personnel, and are now turning out 35,000 completed uniform garments each day. They join me in hoping that some day you and the President will find the time to visit what we sincerely believe to be the finest clothing factory in the world.

Thanking you for your kindness, Admiral, and wishing for you the very best always,

Sincerely,

*Chas D Kirk*

CHAS. D. KIRK  
Captain, SC., USN.  
Supply Officer in Command

P.S. If there is anything we can do for you at the Depot at any time, please let me know, and the matter will receive my personal attention.

*Par*



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March 21, 1945

PP7  
9-1K

My dear Miss Kent:

Please accept the President's thanks for  
your nice card and for your kindness in sending him  
that little crocheted potholder as a birthday remem-  
brance. Your friendly good wishes are deeply appreci-  
ated.

x PP79-P

Very sincerely yours,

Grace G. Tully  
Private Secretary

B

Miss Bessie M. Kent,  
Battle Creek Hospital, x  
Battle Creek,  
Iowa.

rhg



Supposing they shouldn't  
let Birthdays  
fall due



Till you filled out completely  
form 7-9-2, ~

Mr. George <sup>x</sup>Korson,  
c/o The American Red Cross, <sup>x</sup>124  
Washington, 13, D. C.

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And before birthdays  
were ever permitted  
They'd say: "Birth certificates  
must be submitted!"  
With ten carbon copies, all giving your age  
And a notary public must sign every page!



Best Wishes  
from  
a nurse  
at the  
Baile Creek Hospital  
Baile Creek, Iowa.



So quick -  
have some fun  
While this birthday is here ---  
Cause all this red tape  
Might be added  
next year!

*W many  
wishes*

Mr. George <sup>x</sup>Korson,  
c/o The American Red Cross, <sup>x</sup>124  
Washington, 13, D. C.

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Gift.  
Give to me to  
Give to Mrs. D. Brady  
H.G.T.

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RWJ

Greetings  
inc.  
T 4159  
MADE IN U.S.A.

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, 1945

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osevelt.

yours,

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ULLY

Mr. George Korson,  
c/o The American Red Cross, x  
Washington, 13, D. C. 124

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Library

April 18, 1945

April 18, 1945

PP7  
9-X

My dear Mr. Korson:

Thank you for your kindness in sending on the copy of your book, AT HIS SIDE, received through the courtesy of Honorable Basil O'Connor. I have handed it to Mrs. Roosevelt.

xpp7  
9-B

xpp7  
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Very sincerely yours,

xpp7  
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GRACE G. TULLY

Mr. George <sup>x</sup>Korson,  
c/o The American Red Cross, x  
Washington, 13, D. C. 124

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AMERICAN RED CROSS  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

CHAIRMAN'S OFFICE

April 10, 1945

My dear Miss Tully:

Mr. O'Connor has asked me to send to you the enclosed book AT HIS SIDE, which the author, George Korson (one of our staff) wishes to present to The President and Mrs. Roosevelt.

The Chairman is assuming that you will have proper acknowledgement made. Mr. Korson may be addressed c/o American Red Cross, Washington, 13, D.C.

Yours sincerely,

*Gladys R. Newman*  
Secretary. X

Miss Grace Tully  
Secretary to The President  
The White House  
Washington, D.C.

ram



Stamps (sheet of German  
stamps) sent to  
Big House at H.P.  
to put with Collection.  
M.E.

PPF  
9-K

It was kind of you to send those  
stamps which accompanied your friendly letter  
of April eighth. Your thoughtfulness is  
indeed appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

Pfc Stanley Kesselman, 33577709,  
41st Evacuation Hospital,  
APO 339,  
c/o Postmaster,  
New York, N. Y.

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9-K

April 30, 1945

My dear Private Kesselman:

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Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

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New York, N. Y.

ram



Miss Jolly

ack  
4/30/45  
rmw

8 April 1945  
Germany

DF  
-K

To: President Franklin D. Roosevelt

Dear Sir:

Knowing your interest in stamps and being a collector also; I know that you will fully appreciate the collectors value of the inclosed.

I came upon them quite recently during my units movement here in Germany. The majority of the stamps were burned before the Germans left; but I was fortunate in salvaging these few.

It is my sincere hope that you will enjoy having them.

Thank &  
give to Mrs. Glen  
HST

Pfc Stan Kesselman  
335 77709  
41st Evac. Hosp.  
Apo 339 % P.M. N.Y.



RECEIPT FOR

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Mrs. Tully

Letter Apr. 30, 1945

Mrs. Soraine E. Kimbell,

281 Parke St.

Pasadena, Cal.

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My dear Mrs. Kimbell:

We feel that you ought not be deprived of the possession of that beautiful plate and those interesting old photographs you sent on sometime ago and we are returning them under separate cover. I want you to know, however, that the friendliness which prompted the presentation is sincerely appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,

GRACE G. TULLY

Mrs. Lorine E. Kimbell,  
281 Parke Street,  
Pasadena,  
California.

hs



SPECIAL

John Boardley -

Will you please send this pkg  
on? Letter has been signed. As it is a  
beautiful plate guess it should be marked  
FRAGILE. - What do you think?

Mrs. E. S. Smith

1945

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IMPORTANT.—READ OTHER SIDE REGARDING ENDORSEMENTS AND INDEMNITY.

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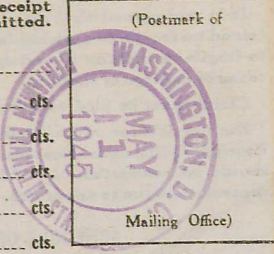
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Form 3813

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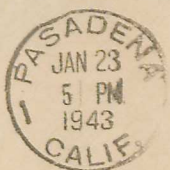
FROM Mrs. E. Kimball  
881 Parker St.  
Pasadena, Cal.

President Roosevelt,  
White House,  
Washington D.C.

RETURN POSTAGE GUARANTEED

hear of President Roosevelt's death!  
Not only America, but the world has lost their best friend.





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

My Hawaiian pictures to me.

I was deeply grieved to  
hear of President Roosevelt's  
death!

Not only America, but the  
world has lost their best  
Friend.



Mrs. Lorine E. Kimbell,  
281 Parke Street,  
Pasadena, Calif.

Received Jan. 30th, 1943.

China Plate and  
Old Photographs  
Return to sender.

thoughtful in returning  
my Hawaiian plate and  
pictures to me.

I was deeply grieved to  
hear of President Roosevelt's  
death!

Not only America, but the  
world has lost their best  
Friend.



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PPF 9-K

Pasadena, California

May 17, 1945.

My Dear Miss Lully:-

Your very  
nice letter received and I  
want to thank Mrs. Roosevelt  
for being so very kind and  
thoughtful in returning  
my Hawaiian plate and  
pictures to me.

I was deeply grieved to  
hear of President Roosevelt's  
death!

Not only America, but the  
world has lost their best  
Friend.



My heartfelt sympathy to  
Mrs. Roosevelt and family.  
Thank you, Miss Tully.

Very sincerely yours,  
Lorine E. Kimball.