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Campobello Island
New Brunswick, Canada
July 30, 1947

Dear Mrs. Ellis:

I am sorry that at the moment I am too busy to write an article for the Vassar Alumnae Magazine.

However, a few weeks ago I wrote an article on the Human Rights Commission for The Methodist Woman, a magazine published by the woman's division of Christian Service of the Board of Missions and Church Extension. Perhaps if you wrote to Mrs. E. Leroy Stiffler, circulation manager, 420 Plum Street, Cincinnati, Ohio, they might be willing to let you reprint it.

With many regrets that I can not do as you ask, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

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Ellis, E.

ASSOCIATE ALUMNAE OF VASSAR COLLEGE

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Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt
Hyde Park
New York

Dear Mrs. Roosevelt:-

So many people who were unable to hear your talks at the Vassar College reunions this May have expressed their regret, and so many who were there have expressed such enthusiastic interest, that I am venturing to ask if you could send us a piece for the VASSAR ALUMNAE MAGAZINE on the work of the Human Rights Commission. It need not be long; and so few people really know anything of the Commission's duties and work that it would not have to be elaborate - in fact, the simpler and more factual the better. The MAGAZINE last year did some intra-family international reporting, in the form of a Roundup of news, solicited from every foreign student who ever attended Vassar. This year I hope to emphasize some of the larger aspects, and in particular the UN, through the report I hope you will give us and other articles.

I am looking forward eagerly to your affirmative reply, and shall be most grateful if you find that you can spare us this time from your busy life.

Yours sincerely,

Constance D. Ellis

Mrs. Frank H. Ellis, Editor