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March 25, 1947

Dear Mrs. Roosevelt:

I send you enclosed an advance copy of the March 29 issue of The Nation, which is devoted to a discussion of the Greek crisis and a presentation of proposals in opposition to those of the President.

As you will note from the leading editorial by Freda Kirchwey, The Nation opposes any funds to Turkey, and suggests that the following program be enacted for Greece:

- 1) If action is required to restore the economy of Greece, it should be carried out through the agencies of the United Nations in accordance with the proposals of the Food and Agricultural Organization.
- 2) Such funds as are required for this purpose should be granted to the UN by an appropriation of Congress. But no funds should be released until there has been established in Greece a coalition government replacing the present Royalist government. The function of this coalition government should be to hold office during a transition period in which honest attempts would be made to end the civil war by conciliation and by the promise of fundamental reforms.
- 3) No action should be taken by the United States with respect to the alleged border violations and threats of military aggression against Greece from neighboring states until the UN Commission, now in Greece, shall have completed its investigation and made its report. Such measures as are agreed to on the basis of this report should be carried through by the UN.

If you wish to quote from the issue, the release date is Thursday, March 27.

Sincerely yours,

Lillie Shults
Lillie Shults
Director

*I regret before you
stand before working
for immediate release report*

I read the advance copy of the March 29 issue of the Nation and I regret ~~some~~ ~~standards~~ the stand you have taken before Gen. Marshall returns and makes his report.

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October 2, 1947

Dear Mrs. Roosevelt:

I am sending you enclosed a Memorandum entitled "Could the Arabs Stage an Armed Revolt Against the United Nations?"

The document represents a study of the social, economic, political and military strength of the Arab states comprised within the Arab League, six of which are members of the United Nations.

It is our hope that you will find an early opportunity to study this document and that you will find the information contained therein relevant to the current discussions on Palestine by the General Assembly of the United Nations.

Sincerely yours,

Freda Kirchwey

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