August 15, 1947

Dear Rose:

Many thanks for your letter and the kind things you say about Elliott. I thought he handled himself very well.

I am sorry I can not give you a definite answer about the fall and winter. I will be busy after September 9th with the work of the General Assembly of the UN. I imagine the session will last eight or nine weeks. Then I will have to go to Geneva, Switzerland for a meeting of the Human Rights Commission.

If I do not have to be in New York City for work on the drafting committee of the Human Rights Commission, I will probably stay up here in the country in January — in fact I plan to spend most of my time here from now on.
My books is coming along and I hope to be able to send the first 50,000 words to the publisher next week, after I have gone over it again.

Affectionately,
Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt
Campabillo
New Brunswick
Canada

Dearest Eleanor:

Here I am back from my vacation and getting into the swing of things. I am so glad to know that you are vacationing at Campabillo. I never will forget the wonderful vacation Maud and I had with you in 1925 -- it seems like a century ago -- so much has happened. Marion Dickerman and Nancy were there also and you were reading aloud the education of Henry Adams, and Franklin Jr. celebrated his twelfth birthday. What a beautiful, beautiful time we had.

Our education program must go to the printer because recruiting starts early in September and the unions of course have to take up the matter of scholarships at their various meetings. Is it possible for you to say at this time whether you can participate in our Current Events Class? We would like to announce your name on the program as we did last year. I hate to rush you on this since you did write that you were uncertain of your schedule for the fall and winter, but it is only because of the printing job that has to be done that I am writing you now.

I thought Elliott came out on top at the Senate hearing. Hughes also made the Committee look very ridiculous and even the World Telegram derogates the tactics of the Committee.

I suppose you are hard at work on the biography. It is wise that you decided to get away from Hyde Park where there must be endless interruptions. I do hope however that you are taking some time out for rest and relaxation.

With fondest love, I am

Faithfully yours

Rose Schneiderman
President

P.S. I am sending this copy to Hyde Park as it may be that you will be leaving Canada.