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Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt Hyde Park, New York

Dear Mrs. Roosevelt:

Thank you for your cooperation during your brief visit to Stockton.

Photographer Fred Feary thought you would like to have this excellent likeness of yourself.

> Sincerely, Irvine Sproque

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By IRVINE SPRAGUE

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sion about restrictions" she continued. "It is much wiser to look ahead, five or 10 years. The world is looking toward us."

The displaced person problem is not just a Jewish problem, she pointed out, saying that only 25 per cent are Jewish. Of the remainder, four-fifths are Catholic,

"People shouldn't be forced to go back to their countries," she said. "They had undergone two invasions, seen their homes and cities completely destroyed by first the German and then the Russian armies. They have the right to a fresh start.

"The most terrible comparison I have ever had to make was looking at the continent of Europe after the last war and remembering it following the First World War.

"The comparison showed me what we had learned in the power of destruction in 20 years. CIVILIZATION PERILED

"We had so increased our ability to destroy—without the atomic bomb—that I got the feeling that if we kept on there would be nothing left of civilization."

Interviewed before her speech, Mrs.'Roosevelt denied that she has objected to having a motion picture made of the life of Mr. Roose-

"I only object to having full face pictures made. As long as he is shot from over the shoulder or the side, I cannot object to such a movie. I have no objection to any particular actor playing the

Her disapproval of full face shots stemmed from the picture of Woodrow Wilson, she said. "It just didn't seem real to me."

Whom does Mrs. Roosevelt prefer on the Democratic ticket for tir 1948?

She laughed that off, remarking she wouldn't know for sure until 1948 rolls around. m-COMMUNIST BAN

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There is very little disagreement on our position on Japanese mandate islands. Mrs. Roosevelt commented, 'probably because the other nations intend to take a similar position elsewhere.

Making a point during UN conferences is an endiess process, according to Mrs. Roosevelt to a point today, they just come back tomorrow and argue as if the problem had never been argued before. They just keep on arguing until everyone else goes home and they get what they want.

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Need of leadership from America is pressing. Mrs. Roosevelt said, pointing out how time and

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SOME DAY SOON

Some Day Soon we'll find the road to peace
Paved with Good Will for all mankind;
Some Day Soon bickerings shall cease,
And the whole world enjoy peace of mind.

Folks who've forgotten how to laugh and play
Will rejoice as they greet each new-born day;
Hearts bowed down will be filled with joy and cheer
When the earth is freed of hatred and fear.

Some Day Soon greed for power will die,
Green fields will replace the waste and ruin;
Faith in God and man will multiply,
And Right reign over Might -- Some Day Soon.

Dedicate 1947

98 March 4, 1947 Spring My dear Mrs Rosevelt. The writer of the enclosed article, Mc Dilworth dupton a Plain Dealer writer was a former paster of the Unitarian aburch here in Cleveland. I fulthat menoho merits this tributeshould have it to read and share with ones friends. after your husbands sad death there was a picture of him on the cover of a current magazinest had a many blue border, that with his gray suit,

navy blue the and gray hair made a nice combination for his fine personality. I never had the pleasur of seeing or meeting him, but have the preture framed and hung in my My father who died years ago was a staurch Republican but & always voted for your husband Un Uncle at The Pophian Home in agdone burg, 11-9. aften visited in Poughhepire He sent me several colores post-cards of the Hyde Sach home It must be a lovely place. I have been a Supervisor of Music in the

Public Schools for thirty-ten years, but for some time? have been just a maiden lady on a pension. Sincurely, Grant Spring.



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Vhy Mrs. Roosevelt's Popularity

America.
She was in Clevelland for the United Anto Workers conference and had a press conference, to which she walked pursued by autograph hunters, correspondents, hewe photographers, reporters, and columnists, including this one.

On that hurried trip Mrs. Roose-velt didn't show by a single move-ment or voice inflection that she was conscious of herself. That was her No. 1 secret to popularity.

At the conference I sat within a sew feet of her. She appeared to be completely uncritical of her questioners, never giving them the impression for a moment that she was using a tape measure on them, best clostes, their ideas, their manners. That's secret No. 2.

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Secret No. 3: She's not a
commatic extremist. Both at the
ress conference and at the 1:30
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outsides, yet she usually gave
out the feeling that there was
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For instance, when questioned about her attitude toward the U.S. S. R. delegates to the UN, and theirs to her also said they finally grew to Ilke one another, but that at first the Russians looked on her as a "misguided woman." The group chuckled.

their conversation Mrs. Roose-had suggested that he go to South Pacific instead of to so on his next trip. He wrote:

Africs on his next trip. He wrote: You have such a sense of Mrs. Roosevelt's sincerity and general interest in people that I had to held onto myself to keep from saying 'Okay, I've changed my plans. I'm going to the Pacific.'... I felt as though I were with somebody without "side.'... We shook hands in the lobby, and I left with the feeling that I had been talking to a woman who is unique, who is rearkable, and who is all good!"

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My guess is that most people dislike Eleanor Roosevelt have uet her as Ernie Pyle did, e did on Sunday, face to

Ta Grange, Gr. Dear Mrs. Rasseviel: Do you know who wrate tand in what publication the factioning quantition appeared. "The third lesson is that you can't go not tunting lins with a per shorter. and has heen running since leger laster. As me seems to get the correct answer. you are cligible or answer when you du called by shore. I am most anxions

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