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my dear mrs. Hoosevelt
Jam now visiting our Clurch's

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and have received definite word

that our new Eglise der St. Esprit at

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as you may recall, the

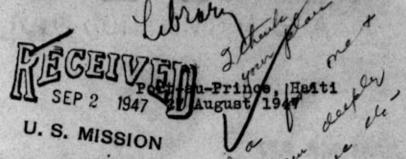
tower is to be in memory of your husband, the late Franklin D.

Torsevelt. He also Lope to have an electronic carillon installed too. Ohe would like to have the dedication on monday, 4th July, and to have you great with us. Could your easile? If not, a later date agreeable to you would be preferable to having the ceremonies without your present would mean ever so much to us and to all the people of Haiti.

Believe me,

Jaithfully yours.





My dear Mrs. Roosevelt:

We are planning to erect a new church building at Cap Haitien, the "second city" of Haiti. Our Haitian people were devoted to the late President Roosevelt and hold his memory very dear. That is quite natural for he expressed and made evident his affection for them.

While President he visited Cap Haitien in July 1934 and his visit is regarded as a significant and historic event for it resulted in the end of the "American Occupation." In view of this high mutual regard and affection and also the fact that he was a leading and loyal member of the Episcopal Church, we would like to install in the tower of the proposed new church the "Franklin D. Roosevelt Memorial Carillonic Bells." These bella: would be similar to those at the University of Pennsylvania (electronic ones).

Before undertaking this project I wanted the assurance of your approval.

It seems to me and to our people of l'Eglise Episcopale d'Haiti that this would be a fitting memorial which we would like to erect to the memory of one whom we admired and loved.

With the sincere hope that you may approve of this proposed memorial and with the assurance of my personal esteem and regard, I am,

Faithfully yours,

C. Alfred Wegeli, Bishop L'Eglise Episcopale d'Haiti

