

Gali-Gam

Gallagher, C.

December 21, 1946

Dear Mrs. Gallagher:

I understand perfectly why you think Franco is better than Stalin. You seem to have forgotten that the difference is that Franco fought on the side of Germany and Italy, and in fact invited them to help him put down a government of the people. It was only when that government needed help, the Russians were the only power that gave them help and they began to be called communist. They did not start that way and today they are not, as far as I can see, communist, but they are grateful for the help which Russia gave them.

Franco today is the repository of German wealth and of escaped Nazis. The difference between Franco and Stalin is that when Stalin needed more time to prepare, he made a temporary alliance with Germany, but finally fought magnificently against Hitler and we owe him and his people a great deal for their fighting saved thousands of lives which might have been sacrificed on the American side.

Russia is a dictatorship but she is a dictatorship of more than one person. Stalin is the leader but has a group of men with him and the people are gradually learning to take a greater part in their government. They could not be expected to do more after so many years under the Tzar when no education was permitted. I think there is a great deal of difference between Stalin and Franco.

I do not know what Governor Earl is talking about. I happen to know why he was recalled and it had nothing to do with what he saw.

Certainly I am not afraid of the Russians. I have been arguing with them steadily for two months because I believe in certain things and they believe in others, but it is essential that the two nations get on together and I think the arguments have been constructive education.

Of course, you saw Hitler and Molotov shaking hands. You have seen many other people shaking hands when they represented their nations and the nations were not at war. That does not always mean they love each other.

I have never liked what Tito's men did in shooting down our airplanes but I also know that we went where we were not supposed to go because our young men who fly plane are adventurous and saw no reason why they should not take the straightest line to their destination, and they forgot that Yugoslavs shoot before they think. I do not know just what you would have done about it beyond what has been done. I do not think it was taken lightly and I am quite sure the Yugoslavs did not think so.

If the United States decides that communism is better than their own democracy it will be because we do not always make democracy serve the needs of all of the people. If the liberal press which you have been reading is an organ of the Liberal Party which of course, I do not know since I have never seen a copy, then I can assure you that Mr. Dubinsky who is more or less the moving light in the Liberal Party, is very anti-communist. Of course it may represent some other communist controlled union but it certainly would not, if it was communist, represent any large section of labor.

As to your question about formal prayers opening the meetings of the UN, it has nothing to do with the Russians. There are fifty four nations represented and many different religions. I do not question but what a great many delegates open every meeting with a prayer in their hearts, but how would you advise opening a meeting with many different religions?

I never saw anyone cringe or shout in a meeting of the UN, and I am sure it does not happen in the meetings of the Ministers. Your fear of communism is certainly not seen or felt in the UN, or in our own government. I do not have to ask Mr. Molotov what Mr. Franco has done because I know quite well as I told you in the first part of this letter.

If you do not want to see your sons go to war, you had better learn more about the work of the UN and back it with all you have because that is the one hope, and learning to work with the Russians, whether we like their form of government or not, is essential because they are next to ourselves, the strongest nation in the world today and the peace of the future depends on our being able to work together.

Your mother went through what many other mothers went through. I am sorry if she was not able to stand it, and I hope she will be well again if her

boys are now at home. I know it can be a terrible strain when they are away.

After three years of war, it will take a long time to come back to normal and a peaceful world. One has to build an atmosphere in which peace can grow and after that it will take patience and understanding and perserverance to keep the peace. It is fortunate for us in the UN that we do not feel it is a "Tower of Babel." Most of us understand at least the two languages which are the working languages.

There are many mothers serving in the UN in one capacity or another from other lands and from our own, whose voices are heard so you need not be fearful that they have no chance to speak.

Very sincerely yours,

Hallegger

I have never liked the word "democracy" and I have never seen it used in a sense which I can understand. I do not know what it means and I do not know what it is. I do not know what it is and I do not know what it is. I do not know what it is and I do not know what it is.

Dear Mrs. Gaffney,  
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ORIGINAL RETURN FOR PRESERVATION

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Your mother went through it, and I hope she will be well again if her

ORIGINAL REVIEW FOR GREENWICH

Days are now at hand. I know it can be a terrible strain when they are away.

After these years of war, it is not surprising that they to come back to normal and to prosper. One has to build on something in which there is some sense and after that it will take patience and perseverance to hear the voice. It is fortunate for us in this that we have not yet reached the "Tower of Babel", but of us who speak of least the two languages which are the working languages.

There are many voices crying in the night and the capacity of another soul, when they are not their own, these voices are heard as you would not be fearful that they have no chance to speak.

Very sincerely yours,

ORIGINAL RETIRED FOR PRESERVATION

Mitar Lodge  
Hickory Park, Pa.

Dear Mrs. Roosevelt,

When I finished reading Elliott's book I had to take P.D. R.'s picture down from where it had hung ever since my oldest boy read books in 1936, in my boys' room. I was heart sick and disillusioned and I did not want my sons to know that now I felt my "idol had feet of clay". Only P.D. R.'s own son could have had that effect upon me!

Here you are now a delegate to United Nations and should have enough influence upon your fellow American delegates to demand a more American, open, honest method of accomplishing things. Call a spade a spade! This all time, on-the-surface-smooth, empty, untruthful, subtle method of so-called "diplomatic" approach and handling of world problems seems to be getting me one anywhere. The latest "comedy of errors" is all the fuss made over the France case and Spain. It would behoove the U. N. members to "ward their own dirty linen" first. Education in this country is too wide-spread for us to be fooled by high-sounding phraseology and hot and cold blasts of hope and despair coming from that portion of our country called, ironically enough, "Lack Success".

It was the portion of your column in today's Record referring to

Frances that has prompted me to write this letter.

Can you honestly say he is more a threat to World Peace and more of a dictator than Stalin and his puppet dictators who have forcibly captured governments and now rule by terror? ex-Governor Earl of Pennsylvania spent much time in the territory now so firmly gripped by Soviet talons and well behind the iron curtain saw first-hand what happened there yet he was exiled to Samoa for trying to warn our government. Why? Why?

Raymond Gram Swing received a letter of mine some time ago when I asked such questions by intimating that from my vantage point of the newspaper, the radio and my home I was too in-experienced in world affairs to realize just what it was all about or to understand fully why so many in high places seem to be afraid of Russia.

I recall back in 1938 or 1939 seeing pictures of Molotov and Hitler shaking hands & the same Molotov you can shake hands with there at Lake Success. If Frances collaborated with Hitler did not Stalin and Molotov do just the same even more recently?

What would have been your reaction, if American airplanes had been shot down over Spain and if Frances had treated our protestations with the indifference and contempt

what Tito treated us when that happened in Jugoslavia? If that had happened to my brother I would not rest until my country had done something about it. It is a blot on our honor roll and a disgrace we should value the precious lives of our valiant airmen so lightly and while I did not know any of the men I feel like raising my voice now in their honor and defense. Why had the incident been brushed aside so lightly?

At least Truman seems to confine his dictating to his own country - he doesn't foment trouble in the four corners of the world. Why are there Communist Armies and Communist Parties anywhere but in Russia and officially occupied Russian zones? We are plagued here in our own country by communist party members following the Soviet policy faithfully both nationally and internationally.

I voted Republican for the first time in my life last month after learning Earl Browder enjoying F.D.R. and after reading for months previous the "Liberal Press" sent to my husband by his Union. It was so un-American and so pro Russian editorially that I actually feared all capitalists endorsed by them.

Do you "United? Nations" delegates have more respect for Russian atheism than you have respect for God and the Religion of most of the delegates that you fail to conduct meetings with a formal prayer for God's blessing on your efforts?

If news coming from your meetings wasn't so tragic it would be amusing to see how you exclaim with delight and a feeling of having really accomplished something when you manage to get one "yes" after many "noes"; you seem to cringe when they shout, and now the latest is you echo them when they exclaim with sham horror at Franco's dictatorship and his threat to World Peace. It is like screaming in horror at a cock-roach with a wolf at your throat or should I say "Bear"!

How can you honestly trade to one dictator and go through the elaborate procedure of condemning another, lesser one at the same time? It seems like precious time wasted to me. It just doesn't make sense. Why don't you have the courage to lead the American group and to face Molotov squarely and ask him point blank what Franco has done that he isn't equally guilty of?

Your representatives do not ask that they are either downright

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coincidentally or plainly dis-honest!

Perhaps you wonder why I bother to write this letter that may never reach you. I do so because I still have a feeling of reliance upon the honesty of someone in the Roosevelt family. There is still a semblance of that personal trust you had with us despite recent publicity. I recall taking my two boys to the Pauline Station some years ago when you were there after attending an affair at the Veteran's Hospital in Catesville. It is for these two sons age seven and ten I now try to raise my voice. I do not want to see them go to war as my two brothers had to do. Their Daddy and I do not want to go through the tortures my parents experienced during the war years, the Battle of the Bulge, the crossing of Remagen Bridge while my brothers were there. My Mother's health has been ruined, I fear she will never be well again.

I look to U. N. for a chance to convince myself their worry and hardship was not in vain, that the Wheel is now on the road to being a better place but I cannot honestly see where any major issue has been successfully handled to a peaceful solution. I can only read and hear the confusing "Tower of Babel" news coming

from Lake Success and I pray that  
God will enlighten and strengthen  
you who believe in Him, even though  
you are loathe to ask Him to do  
so publicly. To date the United  
Nations Assembly is the Power of  
Hell of our times. Perhaps if  
Mothers of the next war's soldiers  
could be permitted a voice in  
the future welfare of our country  
the U. N. thing would improve.

If relations with our one time  
ally? have reached such a delicate,  
"sitting-on-a-volcano" stage that our  
representatives tremble every time there  
is an obvious difference of opinion, it  
is time to act. History teaches us  
that appeasement never works. A  
savage, un-tamed animal invariably  
bites the hand that feeds him.

Our fore-fathers who said that  
"this Nation under God shall not  
perish from the earth" would hang  
their heads in shame to see our  
present day leaders timidly fumbling  
along trying to build peace  
without God's help and without  
the courage that established this  
great nation when they had great  
odds against them.

Do something! Time flies!

Sincerely,  
Catherine Rositer Gallagher  
(Mrs. John J. Gallagher)

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Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt  
White House  
Washington, D.O.  
U. S. A.

Dear Mrs. Roosevelt:

I have the honour of writing to you on behalf of a group of Argentine Authors and writers, who collaborate in "Un Siècle D'Entente Cordiale", a work of compilation of historical events, published in Spanish, English and French by the principal and most outstanding Allied Journalists of the 6 most important Newspapers of this City.

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On behalf of Argentine writers I remain yours  
very truly

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Lucia Chaplain de Gamboa

*Lucia Chaplain de Gamboa*

I thought of him.  
I travelled in C. Chase  
with a mother &  
daughter who were  
Rep. (belonging to the  
+ staff) anti - Gaining; but Party  
or C. J. P. but after  
the daughter & mother  
returned home (Mr C  
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State Sec. of Illio)  
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White House. told of  
what she said to  
me. I said what  
would Mr R. think if  
she heard or gamed

208. 61<sup>st</sup> Place  
Capital Heights  
Brock 14  
de. C.

W  
GAMMON  
Dear Mr. Roosevelt:-  
You are vice  
of the law good  
woman I have never  
be not written to but  
recently & this a. m. &  
opened before it has  
come to me that I  
want to tell you  
that the late Rep. P.  
your husband's life was  
an "Inspirational" his  
"seems a Benedictine"  
I had been benefited  
especially this a. m.



For Mary Gammon  
from A.E. Johnson

B E N E D I C T I O N

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May the Peace of God  
So possess you  
That your heart  
May scarce discover  
Where its own music ends  
And His takes over.

*I thought this so  
beautiful.*

A.E. Johnson.

*Prof Johnson in  
Prof of English*

at Immunity & for  
~~at~~ Synaxis.

N.Y.

I did not write  
in this for you  
but think you will  
like it.  
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thing about  
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would have it  
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might like  
this. 21

Mr. J. wrote  
that Mr. J.  
was writing a play.



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CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

from

Manning Walker

~~He sent this to me~~

He (M. W.) wrote an  
amusing little novel

The Emily Carroll  
Chinese things so pretty. Loved  
them.

BAMBOO  
PAGE FROM SHIH CHU CHAI (THE TEN BAMBOO STUDIO  
PUBLICATION). WOOD-BLOCK PRINT. CHINESE,  
CH'EN LUNG PERIOD, 1736-1795  
The Metropolitan Museum of Art

I can readily  
understand your  
saying all this.

But I have no  
mercenary <sup>or</sup> motive  
in writing this.  
I could not help  
a little girl of eight  
write to her  
mother - I am  
glad you like  
your poems.  
This is it apropos.  
Shut. Au revoir I hope.  
Shut. in de unite.

Happy Birthday ~~wherever~~  
*it is.*





Here's a little birthday wish

For special birthday cheer

And health and wealth

and happiness

And lots of luck all year!

You and my sister  
(the late Mrs. C. Halliburton  
50 E. 78<sup>th</sup> St N. Y.) revised  
my old loved red rose.  
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