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Dear Mr. Singleton:

Thank you for your letter of May 11, 1944,
enclosing a resolution regarding action for war refu-
gees.

Your interest is much appreciated.

Very truly yours,

J. W. Fehle

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Executive Director

Mr. Ogle Ridout Singleton,
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May 11, 1944.

Lawrence S. Lesser, Esq.,
War Refugee Board,
Room 152,
Main U. S. Treasury Building,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

I enclose herewith a copy of the resolution regarding action for war refugees, which was adopted at the Forty-Ninth Session of The Convention of the Diocese of Washington, on May 10th 1944.

Sincerely,
/s/ Ogle Ridout Singleton

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WHEREAS: On March 24, 1944, The President of the United States in speaking of the victims of enemy oppression in all lands declared that "we shall find havens of refuge for them, and we shall find the means of maintenance and support until the tyrant is driven from their homelands and they may return",

BE IT RESOLVED: That The Convention of The Diocese of Washington, of The Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States of America respectfully urges the Executive and Legislative Authorities of the United States to take without delay such action as may be expedient to implement this expression of the moral obligation now resting upon us as a free people.

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