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Dear Mrs. Roosevelt:

I have read with interest and appreciation your summary report concerning the last meeting of the United Nations General Assembly. You did a fine job. #

I know that it must have been difficult to carry on with the staff problems you had, especially during a session where the problems up for discussion were tough to deal with. But I know that your leadership of the United States delegation was inspiring and I feel that what you did at Paris carried all of us further along the road towards peace. I think particularly of action taken on such problems as disarmament and collective security.

As your letter makes clear, the General Assembly is invaluable in offering a forum for consultation and cooperation with other delegations. It gives us a chance to make our views widely known to other peoples, and vice versa. I think it speaks well for United States policies, and the way they were presented at Paris, that our position was supported by the Assembly on almost all important items.

I was especially interested in what you had to say regarding Arab aspirations and the trance-like state of mind in Western Europe concerning the Soviet menace.

We must continue steadfast and show the way to greater strength and realism.

I thank you for all you have done.

Very sincerely yours,

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. HOPKINS, THE WHITE HOUSE

Subject: Transmitting Mrs. Roosevelt's preliminary
observations on the Sixth General Assembly

At the request of Mrs. Roosevelt, I am transmitting
herewith for the information of the President her
preliminary observations concerning the Sixth General
Assembly of the United Nations. x x

W. J. McWilliams
Director,
Executive Secretariat



Enclosure:

Letter to Assistant Secretary
of State John D. Hickerson
from Mrs. Roosevelt. x

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