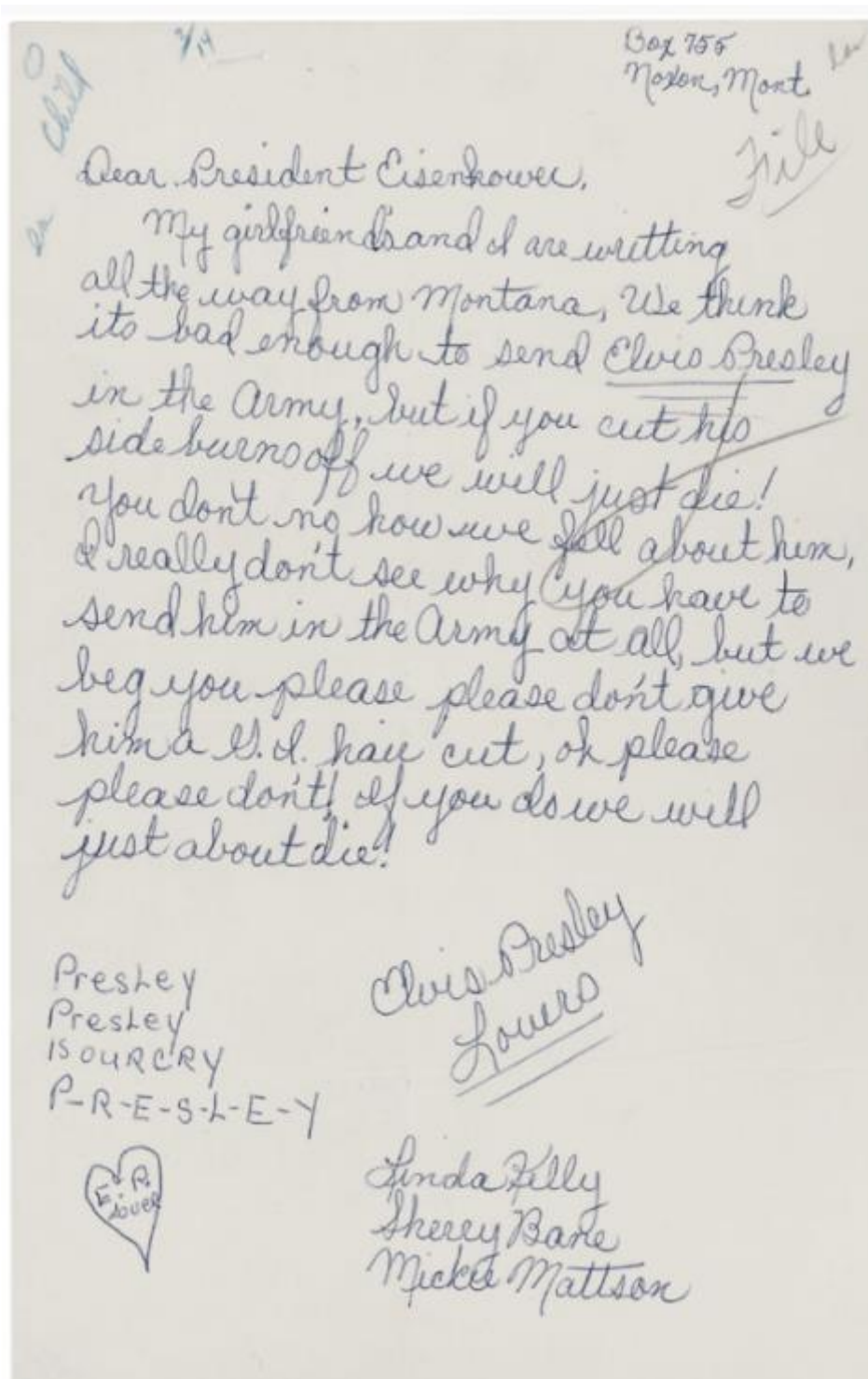


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President of the United States  
Washington

If you like, give me a  
ten dollar bill green some-  
times and I would like  
to have one of them.

My address is:  
Dr. Fidel Castro  
Polegón de Sabores,  
Carrizosa de Cuba  
Cruce de Cuba.

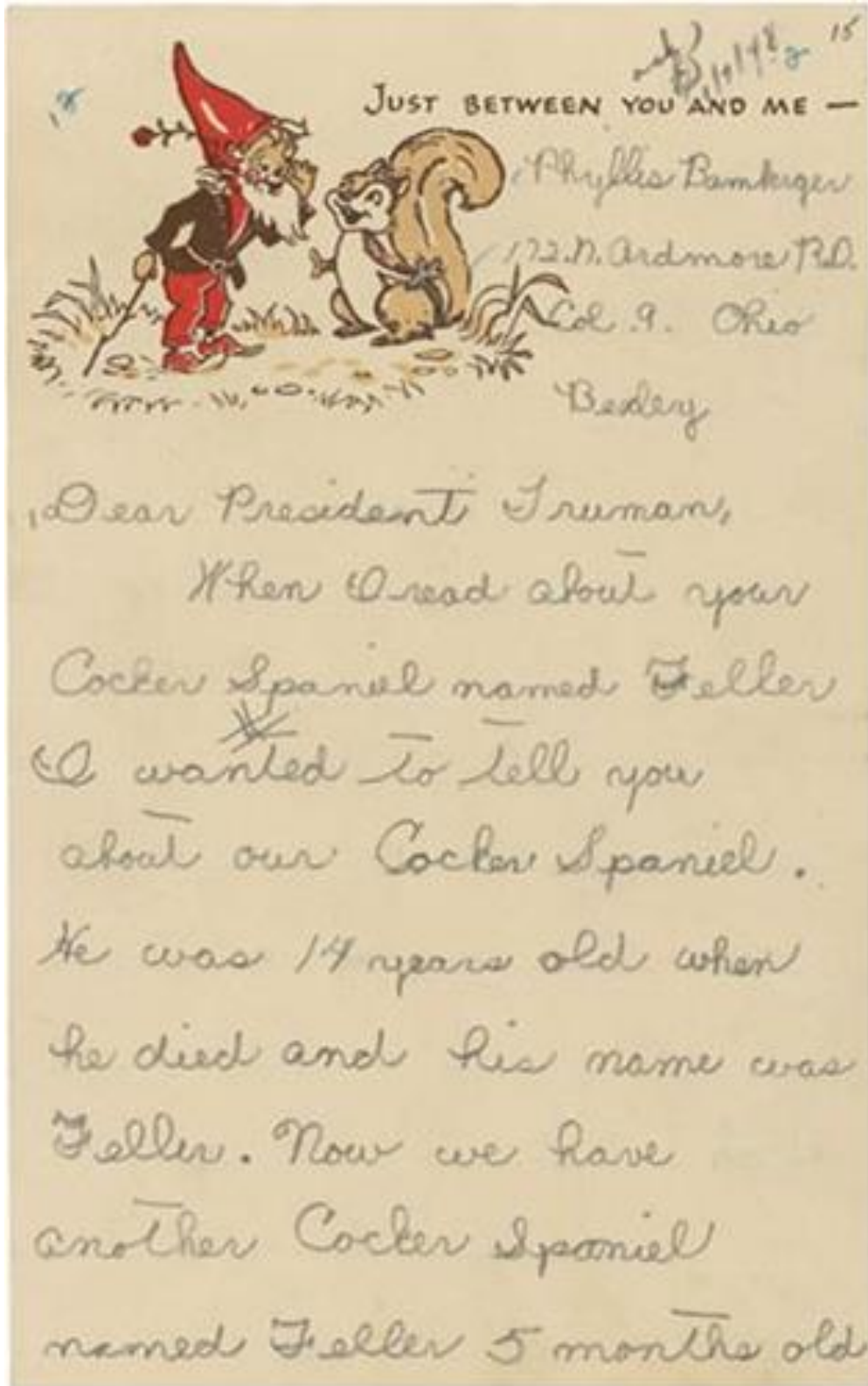
I don't know very English  
but I know very much  
Spanish and I suppose  
you don't know why you  
speak but you know why  
English because you  
are American but I am  
not American.

Thank you very much,  
Good by, your friend,

Fidel Castro

If you want iron to make  
your ships I will  
show to you the highest  
(mineral) of iron of the land.  
They are in Mayari, Trinité  
Cuba.

Carta de Fidel Castro al presidente Franklin D. Roosevelt. Correspondencia de 1940, Parte 12, 800-800.1. Registros generales, 1936-1961. Registros de los Puestos del Servicio Exterior del Departamento de Estado, 1788 aprox. 1991. Archivos Nacionales en College Park. <https://catalog.archives.gov/id/302040>



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# Goek Full o' Nuts

425 LEXINGTON AVENUE  
New York 17, N. Y.

May 13, 1958

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The President  
The White House  
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. President:

I was sitting in the audience at the Summit Meeting of Negro Leaders yesterday when you said we must have patience. On hearing you say this, I felt like standing up and saying, "Oh no! Not again."

I respectfully remind you sir, that we have been the most patient of all people. When you said we must have self-respect, I wondered how we could have self-respect and remain patient considering the treatment accorded us through the years.

17 million Negroes cannot do as you suggest and wait for the hearts of men to change. We want to enjoy now the rights that we feel we are entitled to as Americans. This we cannot do unless we pursue aggressively goals which all other Americans achieved over 150 years ago.

As the chief executive of our nation, I respectfully suggest that you unwittingly crush the spirit of freedom in Negroes by constantly urging forbearance and give hope to those pro-segregation leaders like Governor Faubus who would take from us even those freedoms we now enjoy. Your own experience with Governor Faubus is proof enough that forbearance and not eventual integration is the goal the pro-segregation leaders seek.

In my view, an unequivocal statement backed up by action such as you demonstrated you could take last fall in deal-

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Carta de Jackie Robinson al presidente Eisenhower del 13 de mayo de 1958. Asuntos de negros - Cuestión de color (6). Archivos oficiales, 1953-1961. Archivos centrales de la Casa Blanca (Gobierno de Eisenhower), 1953-1961. Biblioteca Dwight D. Eisenhower. <https://catalog.archives.gov/id/186627?q=jackie%20robinson#.VgWq9gMY1jM.link>

DEAR MR. PRESIDENT

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The President

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ing with Governor Faubus if it became necessary, would let  
it be known that America is determined to provide -- in the  
near future -- for Negroes -- the freedoms we are en-  
titled to under the constitution.

Respectfully yours,

*Jackie Robinson*  
Jackie Robinson

JR:cc

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U. S. NAVAL COMMUNICATION STATION

Navy Number 128 (one two eight)  
Fleet Post Office  
San Francisco, California

10-3 PM

Attention: OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

Mr. President:

My name is Charles Alexander. I am a member of the United States Armed Forces. My race is Negro, and I am eighteen years of age.

The purpose of this letter is to find out, first hand, what is being done about the situation now at hand, in the south concerning the intregation problem. This is very important to me because it concerns the welfare of my people, and of the United States. I am but eighteen years of age, and yet I am willing to lay down my life in the defense of a country where my people are not even wanted; I feel very self-conscious about this.

Here in the navy, where both white and others are living together, the problem is still the same, with insults coming from right and left.

When I came into the navy I was eager to do my best and get ahead. I have lived in California all my life and have never been confronted with anything like this before. It is not because I am a Negro that I feel this way, It is because I have a sense of decency and feel that I should do all that is in my power to correct the awful mistakes so many people are making on both sides.

When two people of different races can't live together something has to be done or ~~dis~~aster follows; and I feel that it is reaching the disaster point now.

The Declaration Of Independence states that every man has rights, it doesn't include that his skin must be white to receive them.

Carta al presidente Dwight D. Eisenhower de parte de Charles Alexander referente a la integración. Archivos de correo masivo, 1953-1961. Archivos centrales de la Casa Blanca (Gobierno de Eisenhower), 1953-1961. Biblioteca Dwight D. Eisenhower. <https://catalog.archives.gov/id/6092843>

DEAR MR. PRESIDENT

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Address reply to  
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United States Navy  
NAVY POST OFFICE  
Navy No. 128 (one two eight)  
Fleet Post Office  
San Francisco, California

Mr. President I can't express clearly enough how I feel about this. People being abused because of the color of their skin is not only unconstitutional and indecent, but is a threat to all humanity and an open invitation for communists and fascists to move in. If a group of people can't find protection and leadership in their own government they look elsewhere for it.

Something like this could very easily lead to another civil war, with the people of the United States fighting among themselves; other countries would lose confidence in the leadership of this country and things could very easily end up in chaos. I know that this is probably not the only letter you've received pertaining to this problem, but as I've stated above, I feel that I should do all in my power to correct before there is any more bloodshed. I sincerely hope that this letter will have some effect upon the actions taken by the government.

Sincerely,

*Charles Alexander*  
Charles Alexander

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DEAR PRESIDENT,  
I AM GLAD THAT  
YOU ARE PRESID  
ENT OF THE  
UNITED STATES.  
I LISTENED TODAY  
WHEN YOU  
WERE INAUGU  
RATED. I  
THOUGHT IT WAS  
VERY NICE. I  
STILL THINK  
THAT GOD  
COMES FIRST  
AND THEN YOU.  
I AM SORRY  
THAT IT RAINED  
TODAY WHEN  
YOU INAUGURATE  
D. LOVE FROM JUDY.

Carta de un niño al presidente Franklin D. Roosevelt. Archivos personales del presidente, 1933-1945. Documentos como presidente, Archivo personal del presidente, 1933-1945. Biblioteca Franklin D. Roosevelt. <https://catalog.archives.gov/id/6728529>

DEAR MR. PRESIDENT

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15 Walnut Avenue  
Beverly, Massachusetts  
July 15, 1964


President Lyndon B. Johnson  
White House  
Washington, D.C.

Dear  
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Mr. President,  
I wish to Congratulate you and our  
Country for passing John F. Kennedy's  
Civil Rights Bill.

I would appreciate a copy of the  
Bill if that is possible. or the Department  
to which I should direct my request.

Thank you  
Respectfully,  
David S. Ferriero



Carta al presidente Lyndon B. Johnson de part de David S. Ferriero. Archivos de nombres de la Casa Blanca, 22/11/1963-20/01/1969. Archivos centrales de la Casa Blanca (Gobierno de Johnson), 22/11/1963-20/01/1969. Biblioteca Lyndon Baines Johnson. <https://catalog.archives.gov/id/18482221>

"An  
Teenager

10/2/57  
September 29, 1957

My Dear President Eisenhower,

I am what you might call a typical teen-ager. Lately I've been reading the newspapers more carefully and I'm finally realizing what a great and wonderful leader America has.

I am an American, and I can proudly say that and mean it. A person cannot be a true American and not believe in equal rights. He is not worthy of walking of living or thinking on American soil, nor attending American schools, nor entering a Christian church if he does not believe as an American.

Carta al presidente Dwight D. Eisenhower de parte de la adolescente Dana Anderson referente a la igualdad de derechos. Archivos de correo masivo, 1953-1961. Archivos centrales de la Casa Blanca (Gobierno de Eisenhower), 1953-1961. Biblioteca Dwight D. Eisenhower. <https://catalog.archives.gov/id/6092838>

DEAR MR. PRESIDENT

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There is no such a thing as a  
shame on people of different color  
abroad in their sight.

I have believe me President Eisenhower  
I do not wholly condemn these trouble-  
makers. They were entitled with  
this racial hatred since they were young.

It is so hard to explain something that  
is so deeply instilled. I feel confident  
though that if these people would read  
The Constitution and the Declaration  
of Independence, and ask our God to  
judge their thinking, many heads  
would be hung in shame.

The hardest words in the world  
to say are "I'm sorry" or "I was wrong."  
Give truly sorry for the people who

doubt believe in equal rights for all  
because they are in a sense "then  
without a country." These ignorant  
people need much more help than  
you and I can ever give them my  
Dear President,

Soon I will be getting married  
and when I do, my children will be  
taught that there is no superior race  
or class of people.

Our service does not coming to  
Washington the last of May for our  
annual Senior trip. How can anything  
I would like to meet you. But since  
this will probably be impossible I  
only hope that you will personally  
read my letter.

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God bless you President  
Eisenhower and all the good you  
stand for.

Sincerely,  
Dana Anderson

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