

May 6, 1942

Mrs. Franklin Delano Roosevelt,
The White House,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mrs. Roosevelt:

Thank you so much for your letter telling me about the Southern Leadership Institute. I have handed the announcement to our Dean of Women, Miss Hopper, and I do hope that we shall be able to have a representative at the Southern section of the Institute this summer.

I am glad to see that Dr. Mims will be in charge of the Southern section. His father and my father have been good friends for many years, particularly as both of them have been disciples of Sidney Lanier.

Our War Bond Scholarship Campaign is coming along nicely, and I shall send you one of the bulletins which the students are getting out just as soon as it comes from the press. Practically every student organization on the campus has put on some little show to raise money, and hundreds of dollars already are invested in war bonds.

At a diving exhibition the other day, some one suggested that spectators toss in coins for the War Bond Scholarship Campaign, --- and the girls brought up something over ten dollars from the bottom of the pool!

With kind personal regards to you and Miss Thompson,

I am

Sincerely yours,

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