



EMBASSY OF THE  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Habana, July 21, 1941

AIR MAIL

Dear friend:

I wrote you on June 30 with regard to Mrs. Mallol. I have gone further into this matter, and I find that there is nothing whatever that can be done through the Consulate General here. Whatever arrangements are made must be made through the Department of State in Washington. My suggestion, therefore, is the same as that which I made in my letter of June 30 to you, and that is that you keep in touch with Mr. Julian Harrington in the State Department with regard to this matter.

My plan is, if at all possible, to leave here on August 14 with Mrs. Messersmith. We will take the car and go via Miami direct to Cape Cod, where we have a little camp. We will take our chauffeur with us. I will be on the Cape for at least two or three weeks. We will not be passing through New York, as there is a way we can go which takes us to the north of the city, and I wish to get to the Cape as soon as possible. My wife and I are both finding the heat very trying, and we need a change very much. In fact, we should be going sooner.

I shall be keeping in touch with you if there is any change in my plans, but, as I see it, I will not be in New York until some time early in September, when I hope very much to have the opportunity of seeing you.

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I do hope you all are well, and I would be glad to have a word from you as to how things are with you. This is just a hurried note, as I am more and more pressed every day.

With all good wishes,

Faithfully yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'L. M. Smith', written in a cursive style with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.