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Dear Senora Mistral,

My good friend, your neighbor Dr. Martha Kohl, will hand you this, and also tell you with what very special interest I learned that you are her neighbor. I envy her that privilege!

Martha also asked whether I might have any suggestions whereby you might be enabled to "tell more about Chile" here in the United States. I therefore went to suggest at least ONE matter, which is already partially under way.

It may be that Martha has mentioned this project to you, but I cannot tell whether she has shown you any of the "forms" etc. that we use. (If we ever get any real money, we shall have a brochure nicely printed, and then it will be easier.) However, I enclose at least the story of how this organization happened to be born.

It happens that last spring, under American Military Government auspices, the following questions were put to the entire youth of Germany (of course in the Russian zone they could not hear of it "officially" but we've had a generous response even from there); First it was explained that it was the purpose of Youth of All Nations to help build world peace through getting the young of all races, nations, and religious creeds really to understand each other. We asked whether Germany's youth would be interested in working for world peace within such an organization, and requested that all who were so interested should write to us, answering the following questions:

1. What are your chief problems today?
2. What do you believe German youth can contribute to the building of a peaceful world?
3. What are you as an individual doing about it, and what would you like to do?

The result has been simply astounding! We have about EIGHT THOUSAND letters! I really believe that we have, here, more information about what young Germans are thinking and feeling than any agency on earth!

Well, in November we decided to "sound out" the young of the entire world on the same matters. Now the letters are beginning to pour in from Greece, China, Finland, France, Egypt, Belgium, Holland, Denmark. BUT NOT ONE FROM LATIN AMERICA! Except for two letters from Mexico, NOT ONE LATIN AMERICAN - neither Central nor South America - has thus far been heard from! I don't understand this. Of course it may be that

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