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Gabriela Mistral
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Dear Gabriela Mistral:

Your Ambassador, Senor Anibal Jara, has written to me that he has forwarded information to you pertaining to our Fifth Annual June Conference to be held in Hartford at St. Joseph's College, June 21-24. I wish to extend to you a most cordial invitation to attend this conference and we would be greatly honored to have you with us.

Our first conference was planned four years ago at the request of the Women's Bureau, Department of Labor, to offer an opportunity to foreign women visiting in this country to meet the leaders of women's organizations and discuss their common interests and responsibilities together. Each year we have had a considerable number of foreign visitors, usually from Europe, Asia, and Africa, but we have not had an opportunity to know many people from countries south of our border. It is my firm conviction that one of the best ways to develop international understanding is through personal contact and I am disturbed by the lack of knowledge or understanding that exists between the people of this country and South America. I would like to help develop a more understanding attitude.

This conference has now become one of great interest to our women leaders in Connecticut and neighboring states, and last year's attendance numbered some three hundred people. The general theme this year is "The World's Children." The program is partially developed as we go along, depending upon the group of participants and their special interests and experiences. There is, however, a core program--three rather formal evening programs with a panel of speakers, courses in organization techniques in the mornings, and small informal conferences in the afternoon. Last year at the first evening meeting, the subject presented was, "The Family as a Social Institution." We heard an

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