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My dear Mrs. Willson,

I have received a very lovely letter from Mrs. Roosevelt's secretary and I hope that you will soon hear about your appointment. Or at any rate receive some word of encouragement. Please be sure to let me know.

I am ordering another copy of The Seminoles of Florida for I want to send the first book to Mrs. Roosevelt. My check of \$5.00 covers both copies I believe and I will add .50 cents for mailing these two copies. I am always so deeply interested in your book and not only in the book, but in the work you have achieved for the Indians. I am wondering whether you can give me any suggestions regarding a question brought to me by a group of young girls? Is there any thing these girls can do for the Indians for Christmas? Can these young American girls make anything with their fingers to please their Indian neighbors or will colored cards, or Christmas cakes, or dresses for babies, or children's toys give pleasure? Or picture books for the children or books for any grown folks or what might be done? I am eager that these young girls should not lose their desire to help by not knowing what to do!

Have you any names of Indian men, everywhere and everyday men and women? What names are they using now?

With many affectionate greetings and hoping that ere this letter reaches you, you will have heard from Mrs. Roosevelt,

Yours cordially,

Margaret Miner Robins