

March 22, 1955

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Howland
Tidalholm
Beaufort, South Carolina

My dear Mr. and Mrs. Howland:

I am glad to know that my daughter Antoinette is at this time enjoying your hospitality.

Since I saw you last, we have made much progress with a book, "Mother and Child," which we mentioned to you. I am extremely happy to mail you a copy.

I am enclosing with this letter a brochure about the book, together with some comments about it and a short story regarding my wife that I think add to its interest. Backed by The Dorr Foundation, it has now been accepted by the United States Information Agency who have asked for 150 copies to send abroad so that its opportunity for usefulness will be great. If anyone who sees it at your delightful home would like a copy, the brochure tells them how to get it. We would, of course, prefer them to purchase it from us rather than through a bookstore.

I also enclose some data regarding the White Line which I discussed a year ago and which has gone a long way since. A young flier I met there told me of the value of the idea on a landing field. The fact that New Jersey has painted 300 miles and Utah has decided to paint 1,000 miles this year shows the appreciation. It should be extremely valuable in your country where fogs occasionally arise.

Our recollection of our trip is most pleasant and my wife and Mrs. Brown would join me in warmest regards.

Sincerely,

John V. N. Dorr

Enclosures: Brochure, County Fair reprint and comments on the book;
D. F. Memo #3 with N. Y. Times reprint of 1-5-55.

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