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Enclosed brochure, County Fair and comments on "Mother and Child"

April 15, 1955

Mrs. Helen Nason,  
Adirondack Daily Enterprise,  
74 Main Street,  
Saranac Lake, N. Y.

Dear Mrs. Mason:

Thank you so much for your letter of April 14th and still more for your editorial.

The White Line has been backed by a very small organization called The Dorr Foundation, with which I am connected. It takes a lot of fighting to get this thing across and I will send you some more dope on it shortly, but now I want to reach out to you on an entirely different subject.

I am enclosing herewith a story of my wife, Nell Dorr, and take great pleasure in sending you, both as a mark of appreciation and the knowledge that we both belong to the fraternity of "good eggs," the book written about. The book has been taken by the U. S. Information Agency for distribution around the world.

Another thing that will mean a lot to you, I know, is that a few weeks ago two women, young mothers whom she knew slightly, told her that this book had changed their attitude toward life. They had each become out-of-joint with the daily drudgery of children and husbands greatly occupied with their own undertakings, and this book, giving them a picture of the real importance and value of motherhood, they said changed their lives.

You live in one of the loveliest places in the world and I somehow envy you. We are in Westport, Conn. and I am a bit of an inventor and one or two other things.

If you come this way and we are at Westport or New York, plan to break bread with us.

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Also, if you find there are others who would like the "Mother and Child," let them send in a check for \$4.50 to the Dorr Foundation for it. If you come down or we come up, my wife would love to autograph your copy. At present, she is in New Mexico and Arizona to take photographs of the Indians whom she saw there a few years ago.

Sincerely yours,

JVND EFG