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Letter, Harry S. Truman to Father Paul White

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Summary:

Harry Truman dismisses the request from Father Paul White to build a hospital in South Korea bearing Truman's namesake.

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