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Dr. Hector P. Garcia
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Dear Hector:

I received the picture album that you sent and will try to keep up the album by adding some more pictures.

The "Special Recognition" for Jimmy DeAnda is certainly worthwhile because it is not very often that you can get people to help out in such difficult matters.

I have now on hand 340 men's G. I. Forum pins, and the treasury can now stand to order some caps so I will order ten dozen G. I. Forum caps. As soon as the caps arrive I will let you know. ~~Thirty~~ pins will be sent by separate mail.

Fifty

Sincerely,

Vicente

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VTX/sr



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Dear Hector:

I have been receiving copies of your various letters sent out to the forums, and they have been of a great deal of help since they help me to get names and addresses of people to whom we can send correspondence and information about the G. I. Forum.

I received a letter from the Daughters of the Revolution in which they tell me that Mrs. Groves has been away from the office. They thanked us for the letter that we sent and promised to write before Memorial Day to make arrangements for the exchange of flags at the G. I. Forum building.

As yet, the only state that has met the pledge has been New Mexico. I realize that all of the state organizations are hard pressed, but I would like for you to bring it up at the next Board meeting in Dallas, Texas. Do not press for it if it means that the Texas group will have to give up their own plans, but you know, what it means is that the National Office cannot ask people to organize other groups and promise them the expense. I will keep doing the work as before. The Albuquerque groups have been helping the National Office out with many of the expenses.

I have ordered men's caps and our treasury will be able to stand it. I hope to have enough caps, pins, and all types of written material in Albuquerque for the convention so that people can buy them here and take back with them all information that they feel they can use.

Tu amigo,

Vicente