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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
WASHINGTON

May 28, 1931.

My dear Huntington:

In compliance with your request of May twenty-fourth, I take great pleasure in sending to you a letter introducing Mrs. Robert Gordon Butler to the diplomatic and consular officers abroad.

The book of which you speak is a book on the Foreign Service of the United States by Tracy Lay, who was on detail in my office assisting me in connection with the so-called Rogers Bill in 1924. After the bill was passed and put into operation, Lay wrote the book with a view to putting on record the various steps that had culminated in the Rogers Act. It is a private publication, and copies were purchased by the Department and sent to the Foreign Service. I happen to have an extra copy which Lay gave me and I am mailing it to you. Please accept it with

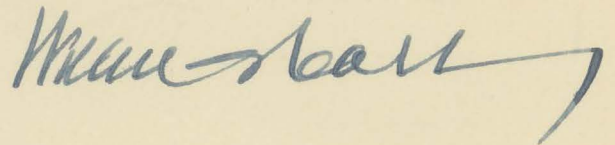
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The Honorable F. M. Huntington-Wilson,
Hopelands,
Woodbury, Connecticut.

my compliments. Lay is now out of the Service and living in Washington. He told me some time ago that he contemplates issuing a revised edition of the book in the near future.

Asking to be remembered very kindly to Mrs. Wilson, and with best regards to yourself, I am,

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Max Baer", with a long, sweeping flourish extending to the right.