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HORACE D. TAFT
WATERTOWN, CONNECTICUT

July 17, 1941

Dear Mr. Wilson,

Thank you very much for your note with the copy of your letter to Major Phillips enclosed. The Major is off for a few days. He has tried to enlist Ex-Governor Baldwin as Chairman of Fairfield County. I wrote to Baldwin urging his acceptance. It would be a splendid thing if he would, but he is a very busy man.

The National Office sent me, and I suppose sent you, a copy of a statement signed by quite a long list of prominent Catholics urging us to leave the war question to the President. It was distinctly along our line and signed by men of great weight. The man at the top of the list was Bishop Hurley of Florida. The man at the bottom was General O'Ryan. It seems to me that that ought to be circulated very widely in the cities containing large Catholic elements.

A fine holiday to you! Please remember me very kindly to Mrs. Wilson.

Sincerely yours,

Hon. F. M. Huntington-Wilson
Woodbury, Connecticut

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