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Mr. Agustin Basave, El Norte, Monterrey, N.L., Mexico.

Dear Mr. Basave:

At the present moment Alexandra Tolstoy is President of the Tolstoy Foundation, whose activities are to help the Russian refugees, victims of Communism, stranded all over the world, in immigration to the U.S. and other countries; relief and resettlement in the U.S.

The Tolstoy Foundation also has a Resettlement Center near New York City, which gives temporary shelter to the new arrivals from Germany, Austria, Italy, France, Belgium, Calcutta and other countries.

It also maintains a Childrens Home, a farm and a church.

The headquarters of the Tolstoy Foundation is in New York City, with branches in Washington, D.C., San Francisco, California, Los Angeles, Calif., Detroit, Michigan, as well as branches in Paris, France, Belgium, Austria, with the headquarters overseas in Munich, Germany. We also have representation in Switzerland and Italy.

Up to date the Tolstoy Foundation has brought over to the U.S. 10,365 persons (D.Ps)

Miss Alexandra Tolstoy has just finished writing her book, "My Father, Leo Tolstoy", which is to be published by Harpers Brothers and to be released in the late fall or early 1953.

Very truly yours,

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