

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

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Mr. Arthur Beal, 827 Hyde Street, San Francisco, California.

Dear Mr. Beal:

The Treasury acknowledges with thanks receipt of your donation of \$75.00 representing a contribution to the United States toward the construction of the aircraft carrier "Shangri-La".

This patriotic and generous action on your part is not merely a financial contribution to the war effort but is a symbol of the real American spirit of individual interest, effort and sacrifice, and is a typical example of the attitude of a united and loyal citizenry.

The proceeds of your contribution will be deposited for credit to the appropriate account which will be available for use in connection with the construction of the "Shangri-La".

Your three songs have been forwarded to the War Savings Staff for consideration.

Very truly yours,

Under Secretary of the Treasury.

