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COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA GOVERNOR'S OFFICE HARRISBURG

October 16, 1969

GREETINGS:

It is a pleasure to welcome to Pennsylvania, Dr. Eva Jessye, the creator, director and conductor of "The Hallelujah Train," which will appear on stage at the Syria Mosque on October 28th during a cross-Country, pre-Broadway tour.

This distinguished artist has had a long and successful career not only in show business but in the fields of literature, education, music and human relations. She has been cited many times for her contributions to our Nation's political, social, civic and cultural life; and it is evident that her wish expressed early in her life--to do meaningful work--has been fulfilled.

As Governor of Pennsylvania and on behalf of my fellow citizens, I hope Doctor Jessye will enjoy health and happiness as she continues to devote her talents to the enrichment of the lives of her fellowmen.

RAYMOND P. SHAFE GOVERNOR

