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## 05/10/1940 Letter from Joseph Edward McCarthy to Oliver V. Pelletier

Joseph Edward McCarthy Diocese of Portland, Maine

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May 10, 1940

Mr. Olivier V. Pelletier
212 Third Street
Auburn, Maine

My dear Mr. Pelletier,

I do appreciate deeply your very gracious invitation to attend the May Festival of your esteemed Association, and while nothing would give me more pleasure to be present at such an unusual evening entertainment by your excellent artists, I am afraid that my Confirmation exercizes in two cities on the nineteenth of May, will rather prevent me from assisting.

May I not take this occasion to wish you a very deserving success in a work that is of such high class Catholic entertainment.

With sentiments of profound respect, I remain

Sincerely yours in Ahrist,

Bishop of Portland