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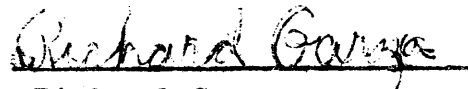
Dear Friend:

In recent weeks we have received appeals for various kinds of aid from several sources. Enclosed is a copy of the letter we have sent to the president of Peru in response to one of these appeals. We are urging you to write or wire a similar communication. The description of Peruvian prison life is included in order to further induce you to write such an appeal.

The note from Mexican student representatives is also self-explanatory. They are in desperate need of funds in order to make a real push in behalf of their companions in the jails of Mexico. A generous contribution sent to the USLA Justice Committee will immediately be sent to the appointed members of the Strike Committee.

We know you will examine the contents of this envelope with care and respond quickly and generously.

Sincerely,



Richard Garza

P.S. We have received inquiries about the next issue of the USLA Reporter. Subscribers have received an issue of Mexico 1968 The Students Speak instead of two regular issues of the USLA Reporter. We are presently working on the next issue and will send it out as soon as it is complete.