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Brigadier General Fred W. Rankin Surgeon General's Office Washington, D. C.

My dear Fred:

Sarah, the children and I wish to congratulate the President of the United States on the good judgment he has shown in advancing your rank in the United States Army. I assure you that there is no one in the world that deserves the highest ranking any more than you and it is indeed a great pleasure to be classed among your many loyal friends and admirers.

At the same time we wish to congratulate you on your birthday on the 20th and also to wish Edith and the young Rankins the merriest and best Christmas they have ever had.

With kindest personal regards, I am

Yours very truly,

Buck

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