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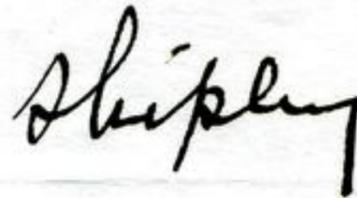
Brigadier Gen. Fred W. Rankin, M.C.  
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Dear Fred:

I have your letter and you are always most helpful. Thank you very much for sending the packages to Hull. You are always prompt and efficient.

You have been a great comfort to me and I am proud of the fact that you had your first training with me. You are my outstanding satisfaction as a teacher of surgery, not that I taught you anything, but I like to claim some credit for having started you on your way.

Sincerely yours,



Arthur M. Shipley.