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Brig. Gen. Fred W. Rankin Washington, D. C.

· My dear General:

And to think that in the last world war I held myself fortunate indeed to know one or two majors personally! Now I can say I have more than a passing acquaintance with a general.

My heartiest congratulations. Your rank may be temporary so far as the War Department records are concerned right now, but from here on in it's going to be a permanent one so far as I am concerned, and one well deserved.

Kindest regards.

Cordially yours

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