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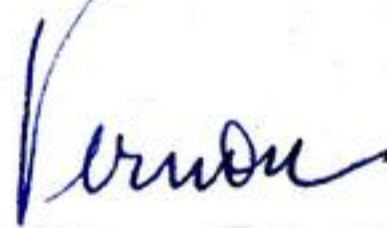
Brigadier General, Fred W. Rankin,
Office of the Surgeon General,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Fred:

I want to congratulate you on
your promotion, and I was sorry I did not
know about it when I wrote you.

Thanking you very much for your
letter concerning my son, Charles, and with
kindest regards, I am

Very sincerely yours,



EVM.G