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My dear McKean:

I received only yesterday the letter with the Secretary's action on my administration in Guam. It was dated February 8, but had been on various travels, to the Naval Academy, twice to Washington and twice to New York.

The letter is very complimentary and gives me much satisfaction. I want to thank you for it personally, for I owe it entirely to you that the matter was taken up as it was, and I think I owe the letter to you too.

Yours very sincerely

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