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My dear Mr. and Mrs. Ward:

I want to tell you how much the President appreciates that letter you sent him. Expressions such as yours are a source of strength and courage and he asks me to extend his thanks.

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Very sincerely yours,

WILLIAM D. HASSETT  
Secretary to the President

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Ward,  
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July 18-50  
No 8/5/50  
635 Ave L  
Fort Madison  
Iowa

Dear Mr. President.

We are all behind  
you 100%, and will  
work to the best of  
our ability to  
stop this aggression  
to keep Peace among  
all Men. So whatever  
you do, we want you  
to know we are  
pulling for you and  
will do all in our  
power to help.  
May God in

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his heaven keep  
you and may he  
watch over our  
most wonderful  
country.

your countrymen  
Mr & Mrs Gilbert Ward  
& sons Gilbert Jr 19  
in the Navy and  
Clifford who is 6 1/2