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Dear Joe:

I have read your letter of April thirteenth with a great deal of interest and am glad to know that the speech of explanation regarding the situation in the Far East convinced some of the listeners that the decision to replace General MacArthur is the right course to follow. I do not see how I could have done otherwise.

Thanks a lot for your kind words of commendation and approval, as well as for your personal expression of good wishes.

Very sincerely yours,

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My Dear Mr President;

We have just returned home after spending the week in Kansas City, when the big news came over the radio there was a great deal of talk at the Hotel both For and Against, my observation from the intelligent remarks from those at Kansas City and here in Joplin is that without knowing the FULL FACTS we should say nothing and leave the business of running the Government to YOU and your advisors who are in possession of ALL THE FACTS.

You made a wonderful speech and we are very proud of you, after that speech the talk died down and even some republicans agree that YOU DID RIGHT.

The radio talk by Mr Martin tonight was just a republican running off at the mouth.

YOU are doing a wonderful job and in giving the opposition all and everything they want for a BIG SHOW you are making friends and showing folks that you are a REAL PRESIDENT.

Stay right in there and GIVE THEM HELL

Kindest personal regards

Sincerely Yours

~~Joe~~  
Joe Tingle



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