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Brigadier General George R. E. Shell
Commanding General, Marine Corps
Recruiting Depot
Parris Island, South Carolina

Dear General Shell:

This is just a note to express again my genuine thanks for the generous hospitality you and Mrs. Shell showed to the Dulles and [redacted] party last Monday. We were delighted to have this chance to meet you both and we thoroughly enjoyed the tour of Parris Island.

I should also like to take this opportunity to extend my congratulations on your appointment as Superintendent of the Virginia Military Institute.

With every best wish.

Sincerely,

Allen W. Dulles
Director

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