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OFFICE OF THE COMMANDANT
NAVY YARD, MARE ISLAND, CALIFORNIA

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Nov. 23, 1918

My dear Mayor Rolph:

I acknowledge with great appreciation your letter of Nov. 18th, 1918, commending the medical unit detailed by this Navy Yard for duty in connection with the Red Cross Hospital at the Civic Center.

I have directed that copies of your letter be attached to the official records of Doctors White, Judy and Hare, and will communicate your thanks to the other members of the unit on their return to Mare Island.

I wish to express my admiration of the excellent way in which the City of San Francisco has handled the epidemic of influenza. We have been in close touch with the situation, both in San Francisco and adjacent cities, and the reports received of methods used in San Francisco for combatting influenza reflect the greatest credit on your efficient administration.

Very sincerely,

Harry George
Captain, U.S.N., Ret.,
Commandant.

Hon. James Rolph Jr.,
Mayor of San Francisco,
San Francisco, Cal.

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