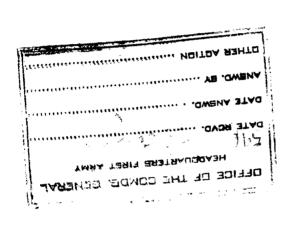
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Condially James. Transillsbury Ford

Mrs. Mary Pillsbury Lord 770 Park Avenue New York, N. Y.

Dear Mrs. Lords

Thanks sincerely for your thoughtful note and for your good wishes on the new appointment. As you can probably imagine, I am leaving Governors Island with great reluctance but in the present situation, there seemed to be nothing to do but say "yes" to what was presented as a duty.

I am really amxious to talk with you and if I do not have the opportunity to do so before you return to New York, I hope you will let me know when you visit Washington after the first of October.

The ulsers are finished! I had them out out. It's an effective method — but rugged and I do not recommend it if you can handle them by milder treatment. I must say, however, that my disposition has improved since the speration.

Faithfully,