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Mr. Fred J. Smith
Adams
Minnesota

Dear Mr. Smith:

You will recall writing me a little over a year ago in the interest of your grandson, Frederick J. Smith, who was interested in receiving consideration for an appointment to the United States Military Academy. I made it possible for Frederick to undergo the qualifying tests for the Military Academy, and he qualified as the No. 2 competitor.

It did not appear possible that Frederick could receive an appointment this year, and I wrote him accordingly several weeks ago. However, a development occurred which now moves Frederick to the status of the next in line to receive an appointment because the first competitor declined to accept it.

I am enclosing a copy of a letter which I have written today to Frederick, which is self-explanatory, and I know that you will be pleased to learn that he will enter the Military Academy around July 1st of this year.

If Frederick has signified that his actual home residence is Adams, Minnesota, there should be no question as to the legality of his appointment. He could not claim legal residence in more than one state, and I, therefore, hope that he has indicated that his actual residence is in the First District of Minnesota.

Sincerely yours,

Albert H. Quie
ALBERT H. QUIE
Member of Congress

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*Please send this back.
Don't make it to hard for him
He is so young. But you know
I guess he likes growth up since
I've seen him last to us he seems still
a little boy.*