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Mr. President:

As Bob Ginsburgh notes -- and
as you well know -- your predecessors
have also faced difficulties and
opposition.

This was during the tough guerrilla
campaign in the Philippines.

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*Walt. Dissent about Vietnam
is not unprecedented.*

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Dear Colonel Ginsburgh:

I came across one other interesting item concerning the public dissent over U.S. "imperialist" policies in the Philippines and thought you might be interested.

In January 1901 the Missouri House of Representatives passed the following resolution:

"Whereas the sympathies of the American people go out to all nations and all peoples struggling for liberty; therefore be it

"Resolved, that the House of Representatives of the Forty-first General Assembly of Missouri extend sympathy to the people of the Philippine Archipelago in their heroic struggle for freedom."

The quote was taken from Soldiers in the Sun by Sexton (p. 255) and is attributed to the 17 Jan 1901 issue of Nation Magazine, p. 39.

Sincerely,

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