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Dear Mr. Anderson:

This is a note thanking you for your recent letter. I'm familiar with your work; in one or two publications it was reviewed with mine.

I would be interested in the World War II story you mentioned. It would be fascinating to see if there were any parallels between our old battalion's experiences in the South Pacific and its adventures - if they can be called that - in Vietnam.

Here in the States, a group of Vietnam veterans have a bill in Congress to create a memorial to the Americans who died in the war. It looks as though it will pass. I hope so. Something like that has been long overdue.

I wish you luck with your work on Japan. Again, thanks for taking the time to write.

Sincerely yours,
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