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Congress of the United States

House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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Mr. Amon G. Carter, President Fort Worth Star-Telegram Fort Worth, Texas

Dear Mr. Carter:

I want to thank you very much for your letter. I agree entirely with what you say except that it is my firm belief that Congress and not the President should have the power to pull the trigger insofar as controls are concerned.

I shall probably have to vote today on the control legislation. With a group of other young Republican Congressmen, almost all of us Purple Heart veterans, I intend to sponsor an amendment to the legislation to that effect, and I certainly will not favor any legislation which would place controls on prices and not on wages. It is my opinion that we simply must make certain that this time no segment of the American population profiteers from the blood of American boys.

I am taking the liberty of enclosing a copy copy of a joint statement released last Sunday by the group I have mentioned. I hope this statement will find you in some degree of agreement.

Yours cordially,

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