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Paris,      July 2, 1924.

Mr. Philip A. de Laszlo, M.V.O.,  
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London, England.

My dear Mr. de Laszlo:

General Pershing has asked me to thank you for your kind note and invitation of June 24th and to express his regret that owing to his departure from London early on the morning of June 25th he was unable to attend the Private View of your Portraits and Studies. He also regrets that the pressure of business in London made it impossible to reply to your note while in London.

Very truly yours,

  
Private Secretary.