



15 February 1951

His Excellency
Syngman RHEE
President of the Republic of Korea

Dear Mr. President:

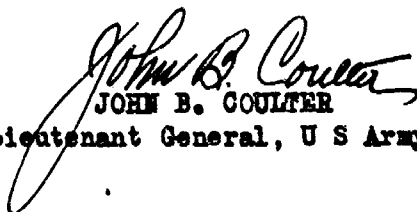
I regret exceedingly that I misunderstood you about the letter reference damaged tanks. I thought you said you had sent me a letter on the subject and I have been awaiting its receipt.

In the meantime, however, I brought the matter to the attention of EUSAK headquarters and they are now looking into it.

I am forwarding your letter and hope to have the information for you at an early date.

Accept, Mr. President, the renewal of my highest consideration.

Yours respectfully,


JOHN B. COULTER
Lieutenant General, U S Army