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VERMONT



UNITED STATES SENATE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

October 5, 2018

Dear Deputy Sheriff Gould:

Marcelle and I wish to extend our warmest wishes to our fellow Vermonters as we remember the life and achievements of Montpelier native Admiral George Dewey. Born across the street from the Statehouse, Admiral Dewey graduated from what was then Norwich Military School before embarking on his storied career in the U.S. Navy, eventually rising to the highest rank ever achieved in that service.

Following his famous victory at Manila Bay, Admiral Dewey returned to his hometown on October 12, 1899, which Vermont proclaimed Dewey Day. Today, 119 years later, we wish to join you and our fellow Vermonters in remembering the historic contributions that George Dewey made to this nation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "P. Leahy".

Deputy Sheriff Jason Gould
Vermont Supreme Court
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Montpelier, Vermont 05609

*As a child
my family
and I would
visit his home.*