"I said when we arrived in Washington that we had been looking forward to our visit for a long time. We were not disappointed in any way. The kindness shown to us at the White House was almost overwhelming and for that we are immensely grateful. To many people our visit may have seemed hectic but Washington has a great deal of interest to see and a first visit to America is the time to see what the Capitol has to offer. A second visit will enable us to see and do a wider variety of things and meet even more Americans. Both my sister and I take back to Britain the most heartwarming evidence of what is known as the special relationship between our two countries and of the great hospitality shown to us by you and your family"

/s/ "Charles, Prince of Wales"