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"While I am grateful with all my heart for this expression of the confidence of my fellow Americans I realize keenly the responsibility I shall assume and I mean to serve with my utmost capacity the interest of the nation.

The people could not have arrived at this result if they had not been informed properly of my views by an independent press and I value particularly the high service of the New York Times in its reporting of my speeches and in its enlightened comment."