

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,

Washington, D.C.

July 20th 1865.

Mr George T. Canfort
No 8 Französisch Strasse
Berlin, Prussia

My dear Sir,

I thank you for
your letter of the 30th of June
I shall use my best
endeavor to make my Admin-
istration National and not
Partisan.

Perverting power or influ-
ence to Partisan ends is
only less criminal than
Attempting.

attempting the Nation's Life

Our Nation has come
out of its four years' struggle
for Existence, Strengthened and
Purified and with a Capa-
bility for a growth in the
future unparalleled in
History

I am pleased to learn
from so intelligent an obser-
ver as yourself that the
fact that our government
is a government of the
people - deriving all its
powers from the people
and existing only for the
people - is being appreciated
in Europe

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I trust our National Success
will prove the success of
popular principles through-
out the world

I am Sir very truly yours

Andrew Johnson

Pres. U.S.

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