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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Mr President — Regretfully,
I find I must hold to
my original resignation
decision effective today
despite Jack Marsh's
intercession. I can see
nothing in the next 24
hours that would change
my mind. Louise, on
my instructions, already has
notified the children and
our parents. God Bless
you, sir — again I'm
sorry it is necessary to
for me to resign. I do not
intend to release the text of
my letter to you. Jerry H.