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Camp: Nabinagar (Gaya)
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Dear Dada,

Many thanks for your letters of June 3 and 11 with their enclosures. While I agree with some of the things you have said, I do not wish to be associated with the political ~~law~~ initiative you are advocating. I do not believe in party - and - power politics, and while occasionally I feel called upon to express myself on an issue of such politics, I have no desire to be involved in it. I do not also believe that armaments can settle any issue, and am trying to convince my countrymen of this truth and explain to them the idea and practice of non-violent resistance. You can thus see that I can have no place whatever in the kind of gathering you are advocating. If, however, there were an effort -- not-party-political in nature and unrelated to winning power -- in short, a national effort to do something positive and constructive I should be happy to give my fullest cooperation.

With love and regards,

affectionately
Sd/ Jayaprakash
(Jayaprakash Narayan)

Acharya J.B.^Kripalani

(True copy)