

**THE WHITE HOUSE**  
**WASHINGTON**

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MEMORANDUM FOR

HON. MARRINER ECCLES

I went over the question of the sixth member for F. R. B. just before leaving and find it almost impossible to replace either Evans or M. L. Wilson in the places they now occupy. The other available man is Appleby. He has been a splendid Administrator, he knows the agricultural situation and, finally, I am very certain that you will like him when you come to know him.

Frankly, I think this is in every way the best choice I can make. Therefore, I am having the papers prepared for his nomination and hope this is agreeable to you.

 F. D. R.