

4/17/42

Miss Egbert:

As the attached have to do with the material for the proposed fireside chat, I thought you would want it for your files. As you will note from the top memo, the draft itself was sent to the Chairman today by airmail.

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April 17, 1942.

To - Chairman Eccles

From - Mr. Thurston

As Leland told me over the phone that Harold Smith would like to have some draft material by four o'clock yesterday afternoon, when he was to go over to the White House to see Judge Rosenman, I delivered this to him immediately, and he called for another copy this morning.

Until the program is better *jelled* than it is now, it is difficult to deal with it precisely, but aside from that, I think this text can be much further simplified and the subject made more vivid and dramatic.

E.T.

Attachment

ET:b

April 17, 1942.

Honorable Harold D. Smith, Director,
Bureau of the Budget,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Smith:

As Professor Leland told me over the
telephone that you would like to have another
copy of Dr. Goldenweiser's draft, I am en-
closing it herewith.

Sincerely yours,

(Signed) Elliott Thurston

Elliott Thurston,
Special Assistant
to the Chairman.

Enclosure

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sent by messenger 11:40 a.m. - 4/17/42
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April 16, 1942.

Honorable Harold D. Smith, Director,
Bureau of the Budget,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Smith:

In accordance with Mr. Eccles' request before he left town for a brief visit in the West, I am sending you herewith a draft by Dr. Goldenweiser of material that might be suitable for the proposed radio talk. Professor Leland told me over the phone a short time ago that he thought you might wish to have this material this afternoon.

If we have any further suggestions or ideas, we will send them on to you.

Sincerely yours,

(Signed) Elliott Thurston

Elliott Thurston,
Special Assistant
to the Chairman.

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DELIVERED BY MESSENGER AT 3:20 p.m. April 16/42.
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