July 30, 1941.

Dear Henry:

Enclosed is an advance copy of an article which I prepared at the request of Fortune Magazine. It is to appear in their August issue which comes out in a few days. I hoped that you might have an opportunity to look it over because I think it accords in general with your views and what you are trying to accomplish.

Actually the article is largely repetition of what I have said before. After my talk to the Chamber of Commerce and my testimony before the Ways and Means Committee, the Fortune people asked me to expand in this article the views I had expressed. This is what I have sought to do insofar as possible in an informative and not a controversial way. The only trouble is that the article may be somewhat out of date by the time it appears since it was written nearly a month ago and things are moving with such rapidity.

While I know you are terribly swamped, I would appreciate it if you could take a moment to look it over.

Sincerely yours,

Honorable Henry Morgenthau, Jr., Secretary of the Treasury, Washington, D. C.

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