

THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY
WASHINGTON

9 June 1945

My dear Marriner:

We could hardly have asked for a heavier vote in favor of the Bretton Woods Agreements than the House cast on Thursday and I know that you must be as delighted with the result as I am.

Your suggestion concerning an Advisory Council had a great deal to do with the Republican support that the Agreements received. I want to express to you my sincere thanks for the splendid work that you and the Federal Reserve Board have done in connection with the Bretton Woods proposals.

Sincerely yours,

(Signed) Henry.

Honorable Marriner S. Eccles, Chairman,
Board of Directors,
Federal Reserve System,
Washington 25, D. C.

June 11, 1945.

Dear Henry:

Your thoughtful note of June 9 in regard to the overwhelming acceptance by the House of the Bretton Woods Agreements is very much appreciated. It was most fortunate that the vote was so heavily in favor of the Agreements and was on a bi-partisan basis, signifying to all the world this Nation's desire for international cooperation.

It is gratifying that you feel the suggestion concerning the Advisory Council was helpful in obtaining the widespread support which the House gave to the enabling legislation.

Sincerely yours,

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

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