12. Thurston.

The attached came in addressed to Mr. Ransom's attention and was, therefore, not stamped with our receipt stamp.

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## THE UNDER SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY WASHINGTON

June 3, 1943

Dear Marriner:

For your information, at the request of the Secretary, there is attached a copy of another article which appeared in the New York Journal American last night.

Sincerely,

Dan

Honorable M. S. Eccles, Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Washington, D. C. This file contained a transcript of a copyright-protected article that has been removed.

The citation for the original is:

Gould, Leslie. "Proven War Loan Drive Setup Loses to Politics." *New York Journal-American*, June 2, 1943.

June 7, 1943.

Dear Dan:

As you know, the Chairman is on a brief visit in the West and will come back, I understand confidentially, with an L.L.D. from the University of Utah. I hope this doesn't qualify him as a braintruster.

In his absence, I wanted to acknowledge your note of June 3 enclosing a copy of that poisonous essay by Leslie Gould in the New York Journal American of June 2. Happily, there has been a minimum of this kind of stuff.

Sincerely yours,

(Signed) Elliott Thurston

Honorable D. W. Bell, Under Secretary of the Treasury, Washington, D. C.

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