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## Office Correspondence

Date March 30, 1940To Chairman Eccles

Subject: \_\_\_\_\_

From Henry Edmiston

I thought you might be interested in the attached clipping from this morning's New York Times with reference to the discussion of relief needs by the President at his Press conference yesterday. It appears that the President is setting the stage for a definite request for more relief funds, although it is not clear just how the President himself will present the request. Apparently he has in mind asking for an amount sufficient to meet relief needs for the first seven months of the fiscal year 1941, and perhaps to recommend the repeal of the Woodrum Amendment.

*H.E.*

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