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The Hon. Marriner S. Eccles,
Chairman of the Board of Governors,
Federal Reserve System,
Washington, D. C.

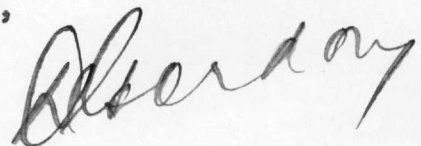
Dear Mr. Eccles,

I am planning to make a short visit to Washington during the week, commencing March 31st. If you have a free moment during March 31st, April 1st or 2nd I should like to have a chat with you and am, therefore, sending you this advance note to see if you will have some time to spare on any one of these dates. I should also like to take advantage of the opportunity to have a chat with some of your officers and hope, for example, that Dr. Goldenweiser and Mr. Gardner may be available.

I have very pleasant recollections of my visit to Washington in February of last year and I am sorry that I have not had an earlier occasion to renew our association.

With kindest regards,

Yours sincerely,



Deputy Governor

March 24, 1941.

My dear Mr. Gordon:

Chairman Eccles was obliged to pay a visit to the West, but before leaving he handed me your letter of March 19 and asked me to express to you his regret that he will not be in Washington during your visit.

I shall be very happy to see you while you are in the city and I would appreciate it if you would communicate with my office upon your arrival so that we may have the privilege of having you in at luncheon with the Board Members, if that fits in with your schedule.

At the same time I am advising Dr. Goldenweiser and Mr. Gardner of your visit for I know they will welcome an opportunity to see and talk with you.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely yours,

Ronald Ransom.

Honorable D. Gordon, Deputy Governor,
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