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Senator Byrd of Va.,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Senator:

I have read in the press of your controversy with the political-banker Eccles on the philosophy of "PUMP-PRIMING" and to any sensible responsible person you are self-evidently right, and I congratulate you.

However, talk is not going to get us anywhere when dealing with Revolutionaries, and communists who are out to sabotage our American system of economics. Action is needed. I propose the following:

- 1- take away the power of Roosevelt to toy with the currency-
- 2- take his power over the Gold horde away from him, and put the 13,000,000,000.00 dollars back in the hands of the people where it belongs--and not buried like a squirrel would bury its nuts --in the ground--of all the hair-brained imbecilic stunts that one will take the cake... Think of it---the people cant be trusted with their own money---isnt that absolute proof that we have a dictator?
- 3- repeal the recent bank act so that Bankers shall again be free men and can loan private funds to private folks , and put a stop to the "Preferred Stock" ownership in our banks by the politicians who are THE FEDERAL RES. BOYS OR THE RFCers.
- 4- put a stop to appropriations to be squandered by hair-brained unfits, who have never done anything in their lives but raise H---and spend their Dadd's money, and all they could borrow from kin folks and friends..
- 5- liquidate the WPA, NYA, CCC, PAW, HOPAC and all the rest of *The* institutions of waste---you are quoted as saying that "THESE IRON LUNGS" are evidently to be a permanent part of American government... That is certainly some accomplishment of Mr. Roosevelt's.... a great "rendevouz" to be arrived at after wasting \$40,000,000,000.00---I guess that is his rendevouz with "destiny" that he has slobbered so much about.
- 6- It is self evident that the crowd in the saddle are unfit and incompetent for great statesmanship and sound thinking and it is vital that ...! A ROUND ROBIN be started in the Senate with the open purpose of creating a RING to destroy the hold of these wreckers on our country. It can easily be done--and the country will be with you. All emergency powers should be hastily taken from every bureau and executive in Washington. All money to be used for press agents and propaganda must be stopped, and then you will see private business improve and absorb the unemployed, but not until you do.



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