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January 24. 1939.

Mr. Marriner S. Eccles, Chairman of the Board of Directors, Federal Reserve System, Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

The January 3rd. 1939 issue of The United States News, on Page 8, publishes what is alleged as your reply to a speech made in Boston, December 10th. 1938, by Senator Byrd of Virginia. If this reply of yours is true, I would be pleased if you would send copies of it to the following people, namely,

Mr. Morris Aaronson, c/a Order of the United Hebrew Brothers, 5 Columbus Circle, New York City, N. Y. Mrs. Leroy Caldwell, Silver Lake, Kos. Co., Indiana.

Mr. Reginald Pfersick, 132 Surrey Lane, Tenafly, New Jersey.

Mr. Clinton Cavender, Mahwah, New Jersey.

Francis S. Stickle, Esq., Rockaway, New Jersey. Samuel Weinreb. /5 Columbus Circle, New York City, N. Y.

Mr. J. C. Cavender, Hobart, Lake County, Indiana.

Mrs. Chas. I. Kamerer, 120 Riverside Drive, New York City, N. Y.

The above people I am acquainted with.

The following I am not.

Mr. Thomas E. Dewey, District Attorney, New York City, N. Y., who is reported to have said, that Prest. Roosevelt had accomplished nothing, although he had tried, and

ex-President Hoover, who said over the Radio, that the Democrats claimed That people were starving when Roosevelt became President, "That's a Lie".

If younwish make a memorandum on the copies that you are sending them by request of the undersigned and maybe they will read instead of melling putting them aside.

Thanking you, I remain,

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January 27, 1939

Mr. Morris Aaronson c/o Order of the United Hebrew Brothers 5 Columbus Circle New York City

Dear Mr. Aaronson:

At the request of Mr. McClure Jaques of New York City, I am enclosing herewith a copy of Mr. Eccles' letter of December 22, 1938, to Senator Byrd of Virginia.

Very truly yours,

Lawrence Clayton Assistant to the Chairman

enclosure

Identical letter to:

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