

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK
OF
ST. LOUIS

September 10, 1935.

Mr. Lawrence Clayton,
Assistant to the Governor,
Federal Reserve Board,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Clayton:

When you were here you spoke of the possibility of Governor Eccles visiting us on his return to Washington. As I do not know where to reach him I am writing to you to ask that you tell him we are most anxious to see him and will do our best to make him have a pleasant visit here. I have talked to Governor Hamilton and he is hoping that he will also visit Kansas City.

Please tell the Governor that if he finds he can visit us to wire me how he will arrive in St. Louis and the time so that I can meet him and to let me know how long he thinks he can stay. It would be fine if you also could visit us at the time the Governor is here.

Yours sincerely,

W. M. Martin

Governor.

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September 13, 1935.

Mr. W. McC. Martin, Governor,
Federal Reserve Bank of
St. Louis, Missouri.

Dear Governor Martin:

Replying to yours of September 10, Mr. Eccles' plans are somewhat dependent upon the date of the President's visit to Boulder Dam. It has been my guess, however, that he will be returning east along about the first week in October.

I noted from a press despatch yesterday that Chairman Eccles was listed as one of the speakers at the convention of the Mortgage Bankers Association of America at French Lick, Indiana, October 2nd and 4th. Since your Director's meeting at St. Louis comes on October 2nd, it might be that you could write Governor Eccles urging him to visit with you on the 2nd which would permit him to speak at French Lick either October 3rd or 4th.

While I am forwarding a copy of your letter to Mr. Eccles, I would suggest that you write him regarding the above. His address is care of the Eccles Investment Company, Ogden, Utah.

With best wishes, and again expressing my appreciation for your courtesies during my recent visit, I am,

Sincerely, yours,

(Signed) Lawrence Clayton

Lawrence Clayton,
Assistant to the Chairman.

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Per letter 9/16/35