

March 21, 1939.

Dear Senator Downey:

Enclosed is a copy of the remarkable letter sent by a young Virginia housewife to Senator Byrd, with a copy to me. This is the one I mentioned to you yesterday as one of the most extraordinary letters I have ever received in its fundamental grasp of essentials.

I think you will be as interested in reading it as I was.

Sincerely yours,

Honorable Sheridan Downey,
United States Senate,
Washington, D. C.

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May 9, 1959.

Dear Bob:

At luncheon yesterday I mentioned what I thought was an exceptionally interesting letter written by a Virginia woman to your colleague, Senator Byrd, and I am enclosing a copy on the chance that you might find a few spare moments in your crowded life to read it over.

Sincerely yours,

Honorable Robert F. Wagner,
United States Senate,
Washington, D. C.

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March 23, 1939

Mrs. Rodelle Sawyers
Marion
Virginia

Dear Mrs. Sawyers:

Mr. Eccles has forwarded to me a copy of your letter to Senator Byrd, dated February 11th, 1939. Permit me to congratulate you upon a powerful and logical economic and political statement. I think it should be in the Congressional Record, and, with your permission, I shall be happy to introduce it for that purpose.

Sincerely yours,

SHERIDAN DOWNEY

SD/mr
c/c Mr. M. S. Eccles

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March 23, 1939


Mr. M. S. Eccles
Board of Governors of the
Federal Reserve System
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Eccles:

Thank you for your letter of March 21st with its enclosed communication from Virginia. I have read it with interest. It is indeed a fine contribution to our economic discussion, and I shall be happy to introduce it into the Congressional Record.

I am writing its author and herewith enclose a copy of the letter to her.

Sincerely yours,


SHERIDAN DOWNEY

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