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Hon. M. S. Eccles, Governor Federal Reserve Board Washington, D. C.

My dear Governor Eccles:

It seems to me that I should express in writing what I said to you upon your departure yesterday - that is that the bankers of this state greatly appreciate the compliment paid through your appearance on the program of our Mid-Winter Meeting and thoroughly enjoyed the very able address which you gave. Your appearance made possible a most successful meeting.

I hope that you feel that the large audience (750 people were present from eight states) afforded you at least a reasonably good opportunity to present the new principles which you have embodied in the Banking Act of 1935.

I personally appreciated the pleasure of making your acquaintance and want you to know that you may feel free to call upon me at any time for information or such aid as might be given in connection with matters pertaining to this state.

Please understand our willingness to defray the expenses of your trip. If you will advise us as to the amount of such expense, we shall be glad to act accordingly.

Again thanking you, I am

Sincerely yours,

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Mr. David M. Auch, Secretary, Ohio Bankers association, Columbus, Ohio.

Dear Mr. Auch:

I appreciate your letter of February 13th regarding my appearance before the Ohio Bankers Association in Columbus, Ohio, on February 12th. I sincerely thank you for your proffered cooperation and assure you that if at any time you can be of assistance I will not hesitate to call upon you.

In regard to expenses in connection with my trip, the Federal Reserve Board advanced the necessary expense money to me and I have requested Mr. Noell, Assistant Secretary of the Board, to get in touch with you regarding it.

Sincerely yours,

M. S. Eccles, Governor.