

Form F. R. 511

TO

Gov. Eccles

FROM

REMARKS:

Ed Smead sent me  
this - you might be  
interested to take note.

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CHAIRMAN'S OFFICE

*W. Thurston  
Extract from  
letter received  
yesterday E.H.*

Nov. 30, 1944

Dear Ed:

The envelope containing the Eccles talk arrived the other day, and I promptly turned contents over to the  
✓ Forum Executive Committee which was at the house to plan the topics for the next three months. We discovered that page 2 seems to be missing--I hope Mr. Eccles wasn't censored!

Have read the talk through (except for P.2) and have found it most interesting and promising. . . looks, what with your gang having won the election (!), and what with ideas such as Eccles propounds as if we might get through the next few years without the upheavals I have been imagining lay ahead. I still don't like F.D.R. though! Amusing to think of how men (myself included) were hounded as subversives ten years ago for talking the way Eccles talks today--speaking for the level-headed and conservative strata of our society! I wonder what we'll be hearing at the end of the next decade.

Thanks heaps for remembering me with the talk; do hope you won't let this be the last time.

✓ Members. Judge Otis. C.W. Allendoerfer - Pres 1<sup>st</sup> Nat.  
and others beside my son-in-law.