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Honorable Marriner S. Eccles The Federal Reserve Board Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Eccles:

As you requested last Friday evening, I have asked the Business Manager of the University to send you a check for \$100.00 to cover the expenses of your trip to Cincinnati. The balance of your honorarium, \$300.00, has been set aside by the University for scholarships in the School of Commerce, in accordance with your request.

You asked also that we send on to you a list of the questions which were submitted to you for discussion at our meeting but which you did not get to because of the time limitation. You mentioned that you wanted to write out a statement on most of the questions. If you will be good enough to do this, we shall mimeograph the questions and answers and send a copy to each member of the group who was present that evening. I know that the men would be delighted to have your point of view on these questions, and that they would also greatly appreciate such a special courtesy from you.

Since Friday evening quite a number of the members of our group have gone out of their way to tell us how much they enjoyed meeting you. They mentioned also that your talk was very interesting and significant to them.

It is our hope that you enjoyed the meeting to such an extent that you will not hesitate to accept another invitation from us on the occasion of a future series.

Sincerely yours,

V. H. Drufner

Director, Business and Professional Men's Group

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April 27, 1936.

Mr. V. H. Drufner, Director, Business and Professional Men's Group, University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Dear Mr. Drufner:

Your letter of April 2d arrived at my office while I was in the west and was called to my attention upon my return to washington. I have received the \$100 check covering the expenses of my trip to Cincinnati and wish to thank you for having it sent on to me.

I appreciate your sending the list of questions which were submitted to me for discussion at your meeting but which I did not get to because of the time limitation. I find them very interesting and informative. They indicate that many of the men in the audience have been giving some thought to economic and monetary problems. As you know, it will be quite a task to give consideration to and prepare proper answers to the questions and it may be some little time before we can complete the job, as we are all very busy at this time with current operating matters as well as many other problems of immediate importance. I hope, however, to get a reply to you before long.

I enjoyed meeting with your group and becoming acquainted with them.

Sincerely yours,

M. S. Eccles, Chairman.

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