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AIR MAIL

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

Dear Chairman Eccles:

Be assured that we are very happy to have your tentative acceptance of a place on our program for May 18. Appreciating the many invitations of this nature that you must receive, we are truly grateful to you and feel splendidly honored that you say "yes" to the proposed visit to Texas.

In the meantime, we are preparing for your coming, and shall invoke the aid of all the favorable gods in our behalf!

It is difficult to express by letter the eagerness with which our people will welcome you. The jovial and genial Randle Gilbert, so recently elected President of our Dallas Bank, will see you about the time this letter arrives. We have asked him, as a favor to the general officers of our Association, as well as your many friends in Texas, to tell you in person just how pleased we will be to have you with us.

Most cordially,

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