

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF KANSAS CITY

KANSAS CITY 18, MISSOURI

March 26, 1949

Mr. Marriner S. Eccles, Governor
Board of Governors of the
Federal Reserve System
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Marriner:

The program we have planned for the day you are to spend with us next week, Friday, April 1, is as follows:

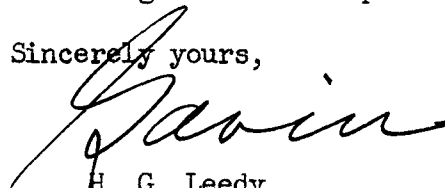
Our board will meet at 10:00 A.M. In addition to members of the board and our senior officers here at the head office, the Chairman of each of our three branch boards will be present as well as the Vice President in charge of each branch. As you perhaps know, the meeting is a special one which has been arranged on your account. No particular order of business is planned other than to provide ample time for you to discuss with the board any matters you may desire.

Following the meeting the group will have lunch together in our dining room, but this will be quite informal, with no program arranged. The afternoon will be free for anything that may appeal to you. If you are interested in a golf game we will arrange that, and I believe Bob Caldwell is writing you about that possibility.

That evening we have invited for dinner the principal officers of our member banks in both Kansas City, Missouri, and Kansas City, Kansas. With our own directors and officers the group will number around sixty. It will be at the Kansas City Club, and the hour has been set for 6:30. Whatever you choose to talk about I know will be of interest to those present. If you are so inclined, I should like to see you offer to answer questions. With your skill with answers that is the best possible way of disarming critics, and there may be one or two present.

It will certainly be good to have you with us, and I am looking forward to it with a great deal of pleasure.

Sincerely yours,



H. G. Leedy
President

March 29, 1949.

Dear Gavin:

I just received your letter of March 26, giving me the details of the arrangements you have made in connection with my visit to Kansas City.

I greatly appreciate the special consideration you are giving me. The program outlined in your letter, or any other you may arrange is agreeable to me, and I will do everything I can to be helpful.

I am looking forward to being with you.

With kindest regards.

Sincerely yours,

Mr. H. G. Leedy, President,
Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City,
Kansas City, 18, Missouri.