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WALTER R. BIMSON.
PRESIDENT

October 23rd, 1950

Mr. Marriner S. Eccles
c/o Hotel Ben Lomond
Ogden, Utah

Dear Marriner:

Mrs. Mildred May tells me that your request for additional reservations is a simple matter to arrange, and you will doubtless have a letter in the next day or two confirming the space.

We are all looking forward to having you in Arizona and will order our finest fall weather for those golf games.

Cordially,

WRB/pjp

October 19, 1950.

Dear Walter:

I appreciated receiving your letter of October 5, relative to my expected visit to your City.

I am looking forward to my first trip to Phoenix when I attend the Arizona Bankers Convention in November. At present I am planning to drive down to Phoenix via Boulder Dam, and do not expect to arrive there until the 10th as I am not on the program until the morning of the 11th. So it will not be possible for me to attend the dinner party you are having on the night of the 9th. I appreciate your thoughtfulness in inviting me.

I would like to stay in Phoenix for four or five days, playing golf and getting acquainted with your part of the country. There will be at least four in my party, including myself, and we would need one double and two single rooms. My present reservations, commencing the 8th, are for two single rooms. Would it be possible to change those reservations to begin the 10th and to get a double room in addition? If not at the Biltmore, is there another equally satisfactory place where we would enjoy staying and where a golf course would be available? I would greatly appreciate it if you would have your Miss Mildred F. May, who I understand is handling the reservations for the Convention, or someone else in your Bank change the reservations from the 8th to the 10th and, if possible, get a double room in addition.

I am leaving Washington on Sunday, October 22, for Utah, where I expect to be until I leave for Phoenix. Therefore, I will appreciate it if you will have me advised at the Hotel Ben Lomond, Ogden, Utah, relative to hotel reservations in Phoenix.

With kind personal regards,

Sincerely yours,

M. S. Eccles.

Mr. Walter R. Bimson,
President, Valley National Bank,
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