

FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD

WASHINGTON

ADDRESS OFFICIAL CORRESPONDENCE TO
THE FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD

X-9313.

September 10, 1935.

Dear Sir:

There is inclosed, for your information, a copy of a letter dated September 4, 1935, received by the Board from Mr. Guy T. Helvering, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, requesting the Federal Reserve banks to carefully examine the October 15, 1935 coupons from all \$10,000 U. S. Treasury 4½% Bonds, series 1947-1952, presented for payment, and to mark and retain the envelopes containing coupons from bonds numbered J-00017449 and F-00063816, if found.

The Board will appreciate it if you will make the arrangements referred to in Mr. Helvering's letter and, as requested, immediately notify Mr. Elmer L. Irey, Chief of the Intelligence Unit, Bureau of Internal Revenue, Washington, D. C., if coupons from either of the above described bonds are located.

Very truly yours,

Chester Morrill,
Secretary.

Inclosure.

TO GOVERNORS OF ALL F. R. BANKS

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT

Washington

Office of
Commissioner of Internal
Revenue

September 4, 1935

The Board of Governors of the
Federal Reserve System,
Washington Building,
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

The Intelligence Unit of this Bureau has under investigation an important case involving income tax liability and possible fraudulent evasion of payment of tax. In this connection it is essential to identify and locate the owner of two \$10,000 United States Treasury 4½% Bonds, series 1947-1952, numbers J-00017449 and F-00063816, on which semiannual coupons may be cashed October 15th.

It is requested that instructions be issued to all Federal Reserve Banks to have coupon tellers carefully examine the contents of each coupon envelope as they are received from the banks around October 15th and mark and retain the envelope in which coupons from either of the above numbered bonds are found so that inquiries may be made at the respective bank by agents of this Service.

It will be appreciated if you will kindly notify Mr. Elmer L. Irey, Chief of the Intelligence Unit, Bureau of Internal Revenue, Washington, D. C., immediately if coupons from either of the above described bonds are located.

Respectfully,

(Signed) Guy T. Helvering,

Commissioner.