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Mr. Matthew Connelly Secretary to the President White House Washington, D.C.

Dear Mat:

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I was rather interested in the enclosed advertisement of an editorial by Oscar Cox, written in behalf of the International Latex Corporation. It was curious to see him thinking along the lines we discussed. Apparently he believes that if all will join together--government, businessmen, etc.-- to meet the problems facing us in the same way we prepared for and waged war, that the depression--if there is to be one--can be licked.

Eddie Cantor would be thrilled to discuss this with the President if the President could give us some time on this. If you think it should be on some other level, your judgment on this will, of course, supersede any thoughts that we may have on the matter.

Won't you be good enough to let me hear from you as soon as convenient.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely yours,

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