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The Honorable John F. Kennedy President of the United States The White House Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. President:

Thank you very much for the appointment you so kindly afforded Mr. Edward Werle, Mr. Keith Funston and myself yesterday, March 13th. It was a great pleasure on my part to have the opportunity to meet with you.

I would like to have you know, Mr. President, that I am an American first, and a member of the New York Stock Exchange second. If I could ever be of help to your high office, I would deem it a privilege to have you call on me.

Respectfully yours,

J. Truman Bidwell

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