June 27, 1936.

Miss Marjorie McLachlin, Sec'y, Institute of Public Affairs, University Station, Charlottesville, Virginia.

Dear Miss McLachlin:

I have your letter of June 25. I told Mr. Gay of the New York Exchange that I would be willing to participate in the round table on the morning of Saturday, July 11. I got the impression that the morning session was informal and that no set address was expected. Would you advise me if my impression is erroneous and if you want next week an advance copy of my remarks at the morning round table as well as an advance copy of my address on the evening of July 11?

At the morning round table I plan to talk on "Keeping the Investor Informed". My address at the evening session will be entitled "The Securities Act and the Investment Market".

I will send you by July 1 or 2 an advance copy of my address.

I enclose herewith a brief biographical sketch. I am sorry that I cannot send you a photograph, but I do not have a single one.

Yours faithfully,

William O. Douglas, Commissioner.