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January 11, 1945

Mr. Robert A. Young
753 Elkmont Drive, N. E.
Atlanta, Georgia

Dear Sir:

I have yours of the 19th instant in reference
to House Resolution HR 5256.

I am glad to get your views on this subject.
As yet, the new Congress has not been called upon to
take any action on this measure. As soon as it comes
up for consideration, I assure you that I shall be
pleased to give it serious and conscientious study.

Thanking you for calling this to my attention,
I am

Yours very truly,

George B. Schwabe, M. C.

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753 Elkhorn Dr., NE
Atlanta, Ga.
19 December, 1944

Hon. S. B. Schwabe
House Office Building
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

For eight years the people of our nation have been covered by unemployment insurance. But for eight years Congress has refused to include merchant seamen under this vital benefit.

A bill now before Congress, HR 5256, will give us unemployment insurance, and I urge you to support it fully.

But we do not want administration of this insurance to be in the hands of the separate States. That would largely defeat the purpose of the bill. Federal administration is the only way to operate this unemployment insurance.

May I hear from you on HR 5256 soon?

Respectfully,
Robert A. Young.