

SCHWABE COLL

January 29, 1945

Mr. J. M. Matthews
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Dear John:

I have almost said "Dear Jim" as I have been accustomed to for so many years but I caught myself in time and address you correctly.

I was indeed pleased to have your letter of the 24th instant, and I appreciate your congratulations and other nice things you had to say. It shows you're keeping up on what is going on. My committee assignments were very fortunate and more than usually good for a first term.

The old-age pension bill is one in which I am very much interested and it is drawn largely along the lines I advocated during my campaign. It incorporates most of the ideas I expressed in my campaign speeches and literature last fall. Hence, I assume that I will have no difficulty in voting for it. I know that I am in sympathy with the ideas that permeate this measure and will vote for it unless amendments are adopted which will still make it as objectionable as the present law.

You solicit the opportunity of doing something for me there. I think of nothing just now except I would like to have you give me Jim Smith's address. There is a little favor he requested and I don't know his address or just how to reach him. Please furnish me this at your earliest convenience.

With best wishes, I am

Your friend,

George B. Schwabe, M. C.

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Hon. George B. Schwabe
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Dear Sir:

Congratulations on your assignment to serve on various important committees. I also thank you for co-operating with your colleagues on the old age pension act.

If there is anything that I might do on this end for the good of our cause in the future, please advise.

Yours for continued success,

J. M. Matthews
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Jan. 24, 1945.