

PSF F.D.R. Finances (Comm. Nat'l. Bank, Raleigh N.C.)

Box 179

Subject File

May 14, 1935.

Dear Mr. Lentz:-

The President asks me to acknowledge your letter of May eighth, and to say that this account represents part payment on a loan to his former colored servant.

Will you be good enough to send check to the White House?

Very truly yours,

M. A. Le Hand  
PRIVATE SECRETARY

L. A. Lentz, Esq., Receiver,  
The Commercial National Bank,  
Raleigh,  
North Carolina.

(Enclosure)



FILE No. 1906

9067

**THE COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK** <sup>28</sup>  
CAPITAL & SURPLUS \$750,000.00.

B. S. JERMAN, PRESIDENT  
E. B. CROW, VICE PRESIDENT    A. M. HAYNES, ASST. CASHIER  
A. P. BAUMAN, VICE-PRES.    W. M. UPCHURCH, ASST. CASHIER  
B. W. KILGORE, VICE-PRES.    E. HEADEN, ASST. CASHIER  
B. H. LITTLE, CASHIER    J. M. SHERWOOD, ASST. CASHIER

**L. A. LENTZ,**  
~~A. D. BURROWES~~ RECEIVER <sup>21</sup>  
RALEIGH, N.C. <sub>13</sub>

*has this notarized*

May 8th, 1935.

To The President,  
White House,  
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Re: Liab. #4448 - \$50.00

Listed among the liabilities of this bank at date of suspension was a credit balance in checking account carried in the name of Franklin D. Roosevelt, 55 Liberty Street, New York, N. Y., in the sum of \$50.00.

Dividends totaling 45% have been declared by this trust to all creditors who have proved their claims. Upon return of the enclosed proof of claim signed in the presence of a Notary Public you will be entitled to share in the distribution of dividends heretofore paid and those which may be paid in the future.

Yours very truly,

*L. A. Lentz*  
L. A. Lentz, Receiver.

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enc.

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Tilithus  
carefully

M. G. L. H.

July 8, 1937.

Mr. Lentz:

Attached is certificate of proof of  
-- No-6579 which you asked to be re-  
l with the enclosed receipt signed by  
resident.

Very truly yours,

M. A. Le Hand  
Private Secretary

Lentz, Esq.,  
Social National Bank,  
h,  
Carolina.

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**THE COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK**

**L. A. LENTZ, RECEIVER**

RALEIGH, N. C. July 13, 1936

Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt,  
The White House,  
Washington, D. C.

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Third Dividend--Ten Per Cent

Claim No. 6579      Check \$ 5.00

The Receiver takes pleasure in forwarding herewith check covering payment of Third Dividend of Ten Per Cent on your claim against this bank, and returning your Receiver's Certificate No. 6579

The Receiver's Certificate must be carefully preserved in order that it may be presented to the Receiver when and as further dividends are paid.

Very truly yours,

*L. A. Lentz*  
L. A. LENTZ, Receiver.

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# THE COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK

ROBERT J. POWELL, RECEIVER

RALEIGH, N. C.

July 9th, 1937

Honorable Franklin D. Roosevelt,  
White House,  
Washington, D. C.

Fourth Dividend--Ten Per Cent

Claim No. 6579      Check \$ 5.00

The Receiver takes pleasure in forwarding herewith check covering payment of Fourth Dividend of Ten Per Cent on your claim against this bank, and returning your Receiver's Certificate No. 6579.

The Receiver's Certificate must be carefully preserved in order that it may be presented to the Receiver when and as further dividends are paid.

Very truly yours,

ROBERT J. POWELL, Receiver

P. O. Box 1342



For Value Received.....hereby assign.....the within Claim to.....

Witness:.....

Entered.....193....., Receiver.

**THE COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK**  
of RALEIGH, N. C.

RECEIVER'S CERTIFICATE OF  
PROOF OF CLAIM

No. **6579** \$ **50.00**

Franklin D. Roosevelt

The White House,

Washington, D. C.

NOTICE!

**VALUABLE**

Must Be Presented in Order to Collect  
Dividends

Dividends on the within Claim have been paid as follows:

First Dividend	20	per cent paid \$	10.00	Date	7-24-35
Second Dividend	25	per cent paid \$	12.50	Date	7-24-35
Third Dividend	10	per cent paid \$	5.00	Date	<b>JUL 13 1936</b>
Fourth Dividend	<b>10</b>	per cent paid \$	<b>5.00</b>	Date	<b>JUL 9 1937</b>
Fifth Dividend		per cent paid \$		Date	
Sixth Dividend		per cent paid \$		Date	
Seventh Dividend		per cent paid \$		Date	
Eighth Dividend		per cent paid \$		Date	
Ninth Dividend		per cent paid \$		Date	
Tenth Dividend		per cent paid \$		Date	

Commercial National Bank  
Raleigh, N. Car.

Certificate for debt owed Pres. by servant in  
Special folder marked-

Personal Financial (Comm.Nat'l. Bank-Raleigh, N. C.)

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