

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
BUREAU OF THE BUDGET
WASHINGTON, 25, D. C.

25 September 1946

Dear Mr. Bailey,

On a separate page I shall give an outline of some of my education and experience so that you will not have to resort to the statement that I was thrown out of school in the third grade but managed to struggle along somehow. I am including more material in the outline than you will wish to circulate. Feel free to delete any of it that is irrelevant. I am looking forward to being with you on October 18th. With kind regards I am,

Sincerely yours,

W. Edwards Deming

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Adviser in Sampling

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W. EDWARDS DEMING

Present position

Adviser in Sampling, Bureau of the Budget, Washington

Also serving as

Head, Department of Mathematics and Statistics, Graduate School,
Washington, since 1933

Lecturer in mathematical statistics, New York University, since 1946

Consultant to the Secretary of War, since 1940

Consultant to Director of the Census, since 1942

Past positions

Instructor in engineering, University of Wyoming, 1921-22

Assistant professor of physics, Colorado School of Mines, 1922-24

Assistant professor of physics, University of Colorado, 1924-25

Instructor in physics, Yale University, 1925-27

Mathematical physicist, Department of Agriculture, 1927-39

Adviser in sampling, Bureau of the Census, 1939-42

Publications

Author of numerous professional articles on sampling, curve fitting
and statistical inference. Author and editor of several books
on the same subjects.

Learned societies

Degrees

Fellow, American Statistical Association
Fellow, Institute of Mathematical Statistics
Fellow, Royal Statistical Society, (London)
The Mathematical Association (London)
Philosophical Society of Washington
Washington Academy of Sciences
American Sociological Society
Population Association of America
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Sigma Xi

B.S., U. of Wyo., 1921
M.S., U. of Colo., 1924
Ph.D., Yale U., 1928

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October 3, 1946

Mr. F. M. Schrock
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Dear Mr. Schrock:

I am enclosing two communications from Dr. Deming that will answer all your questions regarding that situation.

In talking to Dr. Deming by telephone, I suggested that if he arrived early enough on the night of October 18 I would be very glad to have his company at dinner. I do not know exactly where we would go, but suggest that you and anyone else you may desire to bring along will join us at a time and place that I will notify you of later. I am also extending this invitation to Mr. Hoffer.

Sincerely yours,

F. R. Bailey
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Vice-Chairman

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