Dear ...:

I have given considerable attention to the bill which was drafted by the American Farm Bureau and other experts to meet the many-sided farm problem which confronts us today. I believe this to be a sound approach and you may be assured it will have sympathetic consideration.

Sincerely,

Everett McKinley Dirksen
On Friday, July 26, the Senate completed action on the Omnibus Farm Bill but it was so unlike the Administration's original bill that the parent would scarcely recognize the child.

I am sure we made considerable progress in this field and resisted the Administration's efforts to impose upon farmers a measure that, in my judgment, was a far cry from a sound, efficient concept for aiding agriculture. My disposition has generally been to support the efforts of the Farm Bureau for in the main I have always felt that they were on sound ground.

Sincerely,

Everett McKinley Dirksen