May 2, 1951

Honorable Herbert H. Lehman
United States Senate
Washington, D. C.

Dear Senator Lehman:

The 90th birthday of an old and picturesque Pennsylvania industry will be celebrated on May 9. On that date, a plaque will be dedicated in the old Pennsylvania Dutch community of Lititz, marking the anniversary of the first commercial pretzel which today represents a multi-million dollar industry. The plaque, suitably engraved, will be dedicated by the National Pretzel Bakers Institute, composed of members of this industry throughout the nation.

Please accept this package of Pennsylvania-made pretzels with my compliments and in behalf of the members of this old industry of my State.

Sincerely yours,

James H. Duff