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Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt,

My dear Sir,

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

I am writing
you in regard to my
farm, on the Blue Ridge
mountain, where the Park-
to Park high way goes.

It goes through the middle
of my farm. The right of
way takes 20 acres out of
the middle of my farm.

I just have 70 acres of
land in all, just leaves
me a small piece of land
on each side. The state
don't offer me the worth
of my land, not counting
the damages anything.

they have ruined my spring, and take all of my wood. They just offered me \$5.50 dollars and said they would not give any more, my land is good land, and better than some, along the Blue Ridge Parkway. That they have payed big prices for.

This land is for government use, and it looks like they could afford to pay a fixing price for it.

Since I don't have enough land left to make my support I would like to sell it all to the government.

I don't want no great big

Price for my land. I just want a reasonable price. Just what it cost me, would satisfy me. I don't believe that the government would ask me to take less than I give.

I have always supported the Democratic Party and always expect too, and I feel like they ought to help me when I need help.

Maybe some people would say, that the land on the Blue Ridge isn't any good, well we people have made our support on it, and it is some good to us and the Park to Park high-

It way isn't any benefit
to us according to what
they tell us, we aren't
allowed to put any
buildings near it and
not even cross it to our
land on the other side -
will you please write
me, and tell me if I
'am wrong, and what for
me to do.

With Best Wishes I am
yours Truly
S. A. Miller.