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Subject: Presidential Remarks: Ronald Reagan Library Foundation Luncheon

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- A - Appropriate Action
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SIGNATURE CODES:

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- n - 0 - Unknown
- n - 1 - Ronald Wilson Reagan
- n - 2 - Ronald Reagan
- n - 3 - Ron
- n - 4 - Dutch
- n - 5 - Ron Reagan
- n - 6 - Ronald
- n - 7 - Ronnie

CLn - First Lady's Correspondence

- n - 0 - Unknown
- n - 1 - Nancy Reagan
- n - 2 - Nancy
- n - 3 - Mrs. Ronald Reagan

CBn - Presidential & First Lady's Correspondence

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

July 23, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR JAY B. STEPHENS

FROM: C. CHRISTOPHER COX

SUBJECT: Ronald Reagan Library Foundation Luncheon Remarks

*Noted. JCS
7-28-86*

JCS

For the record, and to close out the file, our office made no comment on the proposed remarks of the President to be given at the Ronald Reagan Library Foundation Luncheon. Shortness of time did not permit a formal response.

WHITE HOUSE STAFFING MEMORANDUM

DATE: 7/16/86 ACTION/CONCURRENCE/COMMENT DUE BY: NOON 7/17/86

SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: RONALD REAGAN LIBRARY FOUNDATION LUNCHEON

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REMARKS: Please provide any comments/recommendations directly to Tony Dolan in ROOM 100 by noon on Thursday, July 17th, with an info copy to my office. Thank you.

RESPONSE:

1986 JUL 16 AM 10:01

David L. Chew
Staff Secretary
Ext. 2702

(Robinson/ARD)

July 16, 1986

8:30 a.m.

PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: RONALD REAGAN LIBRARY FOUNDATION LUNCHEON,
MONDAY, JULY 21, 1986

Good afternoon and welcome to the White House. Before saying anything else I want you to know how lucky I feel -- it's not often these days that I get to have lunch with my roommate.

Whenever the subject of presidential libraries comes up, it puts me in mind of Thomas Jefferson. You may know that Jefferson amassed one of the great private libraries of the young United States -- a library that included thousands of letters and personal records. Today that collection provides historians with invaluable material and laymen with a way of getting in touch with the American past -- some of my own favorite reading is the correspondence that Jefferson carried on with John Adams in their later years.

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The issues have been great ones -- as great as any in this second half of our century. Tax reform. The rebuilding of our defenses. The appointment to Federal benches of judges determined not to make law, but to interpret it -- to derive their opinions from the Constitution itself. The reassertion of America's world role on behalf of human freedom.

Just last week, indeed, the Wall Street Journal said in a major editorial assessing our Administration that we're "remolding the country's primary institutions and the principles of its economic life in a way that will shape the actions of future political leaders." The Journal compared our Administration to that of F.D.R. and said it was beginning to look as though these years would mark "the onset of an era." With so much history being made, we'd better take care to put the documents in good order. And sometimes it takes a little doing. Not long after leaving Sacramento, I discovered that many of our gubernatorial records had been stored in old Coors boxes.

But beyond the documents, Nancy and I are eager to see a library that conveys the drama and feel of these years. How in Tokyo President Mitterand and I found ourselves discussing the way farming had shaped the fundamental values -- hard work, thrift, family -- of both our nations. How Mrs. Thatcher told me at the Williamsburg Economic Summit, "If your American Revolution had ended differently, it might be I who was hosting this Summit, and not you."

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

5/29/86

MEMORANDUM

TO: FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR.

FROM: FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR. *FRJ*

SUBJECT: APPROVED PRESIDENTIAL ACTIVITY

MEETING: Ronald Reagan Library Foundation Luncheon

DATE: July 21, 1986

TIME: 12:00 noon

DURATION: 75 minutes

LOCATION: Residence

REMARKS REQUIRED: Yes

MEDIA COVERAGE: No

FIRST LADY PARTICIPATION: No

NOTE: PROJECT OFFICER, SEE ATTACHED CHECKLIST

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D. Chew
M. Coyne
E. Crispen
M. Daniels
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C. Hicks
J. Hooley
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WHCA Audio/Visual
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A. Kelly

Fred:

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75 min

Remarks needed

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Mrs. Reagan

no

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cc to Anne Kelly

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WHITE HOUSE STAFFING MEMORANDUM 50003
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DATE: 7/17/86 ACTION/CONCURRENCE/COMMENT DUE BY: NA

SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: RONALD REAGAN LIBRARY FOUNDATION LUNCHEON
(July 17 - 4:00 pm draft)

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REMARKS:

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RESPONSE:

David L. Chew
Staff Secretary
Ext. 2702

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RESPONSE:

(Robinson/ARD)
July 17, 1986
4:00 p.m.

PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: RONALD REAGAN LIBRARY FOUNDATION LUNCHEON
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With so much history being made, we'd better take care to put the documents in good order. And sometimes it takes a little doing. Not long after leaving Sacramento, we discovered that many of the gubernatorial records had been stored in old Coors boxes.

But beyond the documents, Nancy and I are eager to see a library that conveys the drama and feel of these years. How in Tokyo President Mitterrand and I found ourselves discussing the way farming had shaped the fundamental values -- hard work, thrift, family -- of both our nations. How Mrs. Thatcher and I joked at the Williamsburg Economic Summit, "If the American Revolution had ended differently, it might be she who was hosting this Summit, and not I."

And something else: How tirelessly Nancy has worked in the campaign to save our young people from drugs.

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(ROBINSON)

JULY 21, 1986

RONALD REAGAN LIBRARY FOUNDATION LUNCHEON

GOOD AFTERNOON AND WELCOME TO THE WHITE HOUSE. BEFORE SAYING ANYTHING ELSE I WANT YOU TO KNOW HOW LUCKY I FEEL -- IT'S NOT OFTEN THESE DAYS THAT I GET TO HAVE LUNCH WITH SO MANY GOOD FRIENDS.

WHENEVER THE SUBJECT OF PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARIES COMES UP, IT PUTS ME IN MIND OF THOMAS JEFFERSON. YOU MAY KNOW THAT JEFFERSON AMASSED ONE OF THE GREAT PRIVATE LIBRARIES OF THE YOUNG UNITED STATES -- A LIBRARY THAT INCLUDED THOUSANDS OF LETTERS AND PERSONAL RECORDS. TODAY THAT COLLECTION PROVIDES HISTORIANS WITH INVALUABLE MATERIAL AND LAYMEN WITH A WAY OF GETTING IN TOUCH WITH THE AMERICAN PAST -- SOME OF MY OWN FAVORITE READING IS THE CORRESPONDENCE THAT JEFFERSON CARRIED ON WITH JOHN ADAMS IN THEIR LATER YEARS.

I THINK YOU'LL AGREE THAT THE POINT HERE IS IMPORTANT. A GOOD HISTORICAL LIBRARY LIKE THE JEFFERSON COLLECTION BRINGS THE PAST ALIVE, ENABLING SUCCEEDING GENERATIONS TO SEE WITH THEIR OWN EYES THE ISSUES AND PERSONALITIES OF ANOTHER TIME. IT REPRESENTS A NATIONAL RESOURCE, A BODY OF KNOWLEDGE THAT CAN BE TAPPED FOR UNENDING INSTRUCTION AND EVEN DELIGHT; A SOURCE OF LESSONS THAT CAN BE USED TO ADAPT THE JOYS AND ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE PAST TO THE PRESENT, WHILE AVOIDING PAST MISTAKES.

THIS IS JUST THE KIND OF LIBRARY THAT NANCY AND I SO FERVENTLY HOPE TO SEE TAKE SHAPE AT STANFORD -- A LIBRARY THAT WILL TELL ABOUT THE DETAILED ISSUES OF OUR DAY AND, IN ALL THEIR VIVIDNESS, THE PEOPLE WHO ACTED THEM OUT.

THE ISSUES HAVE BEEN GREAT ONES -- AS GREAT AS ANY IN THIS SECOND HALF OF OUR CENTURY.

TAX REFORM. THE REBUILDING OF OUR DEFENSES. THE APPOINTMENT TO FEDERAL BENCHES OF JUDGES DETERMINED NOT TO MAKE LAW, BUT TO INTERPRET IT -- TO DERIVE THEIR OPINIONS FROM THE CONSTITUTION ITSELF. THE REASSERTION OF AMERICA'S WORLD ROLE ON BEHALF OF HUMAN FREEDOM.

WITH SO MUCH HISTORY BEING MADE, WE'D BETTER TAKE CARE TO PUT THE DOCUMENTS IN GOOD ORDER. AND SOMETIMES IT TAKES A LITTLE DOING. NOT LONG AFTER LEAVING SACRAMENTO, WE DISCOVERED THAT SOME OF THE GUBERNATORIAL RECORDS HAD BEEN STORED IN OLD COORS BOXES.

BUT BEYOND THE DOCUMENTS, NANCY AND I ARE EAGER TO SEE A LIBRARY THAT CONVEYS THE DRAMA AND FEEL OF THESE YEARS. HOW IN TOKYO PRESIDENT MITTERRAND AND I FOUND OURSELVES DISCUSSING THE WAY FARMING HAD SHAPED THE FUNDAMENTAL VALUES -- HARD WORK, THRIFT, FAMILY -- OF BOTH OUR NATIONS.

HOW MRS. THATCHER TOPPED ME AT THE WILLIAMSBURG ECONOMIC SUMMIT. OUR FIRST MEETING WAS A DINNER FOR THE SEVEN HEADS OF STATE IN WHAT HAD BEEN THE BRITISH GOVERNOR'S HOUSE. I HAD IT ALL PLANNED: I WAS GOING TO SAY, "YOU KNOW MARGARET, IF ONE OF YOUR PREDECESSORS HAD BEEN A LITTLE MORE CLEVER..." AND THAT'S AS FAR AS I GOT. SHE SAID, "YES I KNOW. I WOULD BE HOSTING THIS GATHERING."

AND SOMETHING ELSE: HOW TIRELESSLY NANCY HAS WORKED IN THE CAMPAIGN TO SAVE OUR YOUNG PEOPLE FROM DRUGS.

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WE KNOW THAT YOU SHARE OUR HOPES, AND WE WANT YOU TO KNOW THAT ALL YOUR EFFORTS ON BEHALF OF THE REAGAN LIBRARY MEAN MORE TO US THAN WE CAN SAY. SO LET ME JUST PUT IT AS SIMPLY AS I CAN: MY FRIENDS, WE THANK YOU.

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(Robinson/ARD)
July 17, 1986
4:00 p.m.

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DATE: 7/17/86 ACTION/CONCURRENCE/COMMENT DUE BY: NA

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Administrative. I've verbalized some of the ideas that I've discussed with me.
David L. Chew
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RESPONSE: ** Mr. Reagan will not be there. Therefore, the "Roommate" section should be deleted and the "Nanny & I" section should be reexamined.*

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David L. Chew
Staff Secretary
Ext. 2702

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REMARKS:

The attached has been forwarded to the President.

RESPONSE:

(Robinson/ARD)
July 17, 1986
4:00 p.m.

PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: RONALD REAGAN LIBRARY FOUNDATION LUNCHEON
MONDAY, JULY 21, 1986

Good afternoon and welcome to the White House. Before saying anything else I want you to know how lucky I feel -- it's not often these days that I get to have lunch with so many good friends.

Whenever the subject of presidential libraries comes up, it puts me in mind of Thomas Jefferson. You may know that Jefferson amassed one of the great private libraries of the young United States -- a library that included thousands of letters and personal records. Today that collection provides historians with invaluable material and laymen with a way of getting in touch with the American past -- some of my own favorite reading is the correspondence that Jefferson carried on with John Adams in their later years.

I think you'll agree that the point here is important. A good historical library like the Jefferson collection brings the past alive, enabling succeeding generations to see with their own eyes the issues and personalities of another time. It represents a national resource, a body of knowledge that can be tapped for unending instruction and even delight; a source of lessons that can be used to adapt the joys and achievements of the past to the present, while avoiding past mistakes.

This is just the kind of library that Nancy and I so fervently hope to see take shape at Stanford -- a library that

will tell about the detailed issues of our day and, in all their vividness, the people who acted them out.

The issues have been great ones -- as great as any in this second half of our century. Tax reform. The rebuilding of our defenses. The appointment to Federal benches of judges determined not to make law, but to interpret it -- to derive their opinions from the Constitution itself. The reassertion of America's world role on behalf of human freedom.

With so much history being made, we'd better take care to put the documents in good order. And sometimes it takes a little doing. Not long after leaving Sacramento, we discovered that many of the gubernatorial records had been stored in old Coors boxes.

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WHITE HOUSE STAFFING MEMORANDUM

DATE: 7/16/86 ACTION/CONCURRENCE/COMMENT DUE BY: NOON 7/17/86

SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: RONALD REAGAN LIBRARY FOUNDATION LUNCHEON

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REMARKS: Please provide any comments/recommendations directly to Tony Dolan in ROOM 100 by noon on Thursday, July 17th, with an info copy to my office. Thank you.

RESPONSE:

(Robinson/ARD)
July 16, 1986
8:30 a.m.

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Just last week, indeed, the Wall Street Journal said in a major editorial assessing our Administration that we're "remolding the country's primary institutions and the principles of its economic life in a way that will shape the actions of future political leaders." The Journal compared our Administration to that of F.D.R. and said it was beginning to look as though these years would mark "the onset of an era." With so much history being made, we'd better take care to put the documents in good order. And sometimes it takes a little doing. Not long after leaving Sacramento, I discovered that many of our gubernatorial records had been stored in old Coors boxes.

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RONALD REAGAN PRESIDENTIAL ORAL HISTORY PROGRAM

Oral history programs are integral parts of most Presidential Libraries. Approximately 300 interviews in the Hoover Library were produced by journalist Raymond Henly with financial support from the Hoover Presidential Library Association and the Hoover Institution. The Columbia University Oral History Program interviewed the major figures in the Roosevelt Administration, and the Eleanor Roosevelt Institute funded a project on Eleanor Roosevelt. The Truman Library oral history project, was financed by the Truman Institute, a private foundation created to support Truman Library activities. Columbia University did the Eisenhower years on a contract basis with the Eisenhower Library. The Kennedy oral history program, which produced over 1,000 interviews, was operated privately by Harvard University with Carnegie Foundation money, but was eventually taken over by the National Archives. The University of Texas administered the Johnson program before it was absorbed by the National Archives, which continued it using Johnson Library Foundation money.

No oral history programs exist for the Nixon or Ford Administrations, although President Nixon recorded his daily thoughts on dictaphone belts. President Carter dictated daily entries to his secretary who transcribed them into a private diary. The Carter Library holdings will include both exit interviews of White House staffers, which the National Archives produced, as well as more formal interviews conducted by the Dwight Beckert Miller Center at the University of Virginia.

A program of oral history interviews, based on well-researched questions and designed to fill gaps in the written record, will systematically and objectively record the recollections of major figures in the Reagan Administration, associates of President Reagan, Congressional and Party leaders, and members of the Reagan family. An effective oral history program will capture historical evidence that videotapes, photographs, documents, and other archival materials fail to capture. It will produce commentary that will enable scholars to weigh the relative importance of documents, correct misleading documents, and reveal the significance of personality in the operation of government.

A modest program for oral histories is called for now. At the present time only persons who have left office or friends and associates of the President who are advanced in age will be scheduled for oral histories. As administration officials depart from office, short exit interviews, covering basic background and job responsibilities, will be conducted. Later, after there has been time for reflection and adequate preparation, more formal and longer oral histories focussing on policy issues and accomplishments will be undertaken.

The oral history program will be carefully developed in the following ways:

Funding. The program will be funded entirely by the Ronald Reagan Presidential Foundation.

Staffing. The Ronald Reagan Presidential Foundation will direct the program, using an oral history interviewer who is acceptable to the interviewee and who meets professional standards.

Access. Since the interviews will be privately funded and serve no official function, they will not constitute government records subject to the provisions of the Presidential Papers Act of 1978 or the Freedom of Information Act. Therefore, the interviewee may restrict the oral history for any number of years, during which time it would be available only to him/her. After the taped sound recordings have been transcribed, the interviewee will have an opportunity to review the transcript and delete any information he/she wishes. The tapes and verbatim transcripts will be destroyed, and only the edited transcript will be prepared in the library.

Security. All interview transcripts will be stored in a 24-hour alarmed vault at the Hoover Institution, which meets the security requirements for storage of national security documents classified through top secret. Only the archivist of the Hoover Institution has access to the storage area.

Uses. The Ronald Reagan Presidential Foundation will deposit the oral histories in the Reagan Presidential Library for use by future scholars. The collection will represent an important and irreplaceable addition to the library holdings. It will become a source for scholarly research on the Reagan Administration in particular and government operations and policy in general.

Charles Palm
Archivist
The Hoover Institution
August 8, 1986