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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

February 11, 1982

Dear Mr. Clark:

Mr. Morgan Mason has passed on to me the letter from your company requesting the use of some of President Reagan's film "bloopers" as well as the videotape cassette of those "bloopers".

While we fully understand the spirit in which your network "Bloopers" show is produced, after reviewing the material that was sent, with the knowledge that this is all in good fun, I do not feel that it would be appropriate to air these "bloopers".

I am returning your videotape cassette with this letter.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Dick Clark
The Dick Clark Company, Inc.
3003 West Olive Avenue
Burbank, CA 91505

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J. Halpern

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

February 2, 1982

Type

FOR: MICHAEL K. DEEVER
FROM: A. MORGAN MASON *AMM*
SUBJECT: Request by Dick Clark for airing of President's Bloopers

A request by Dick Clark to use some of President Reagan's film "bloopers" on his network television "Bloopers" show was sent to me along with a videotape cassette of the "bloopers".

After viewing these "bloopers" I am convinced that you would not wish them to be aired on national television.

I have attached a sample response from you to Dick Clark.

Attachment

Mr. Dick Clark
the dick clark company, inc.
3003 West Olive Avenue
Burbank, CA 91505

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Sincerely,

Michael K. Deaver
Assistant to the President/
Deputy Chief of Staff

Enclosure

January 26, 1982

Mr. Morgan Mason
THE WHITE HOUSE
Washington, D.C. 20500

SUBJECT: PRESIDENT REAGAN -- "BLOOPERS"
the dick clark company, inc.

Dear Mr. Mason:

Regarding your conversation with Dick Clark, the following will clarify our intentions concerning President Reagan and our next edition of "BLOOPERS".

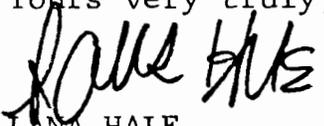
The cassette shows the President's sense of humor and quick wit. There is nothing in the material that would be embarrassing to him or the other participants.

As the producing company of "BLOOPERS", we are responsible for securing all the permissions where required from the Writers Guild, the Directors Guild, the Screen Actors Guild, and of course, from the copyright owner of the films.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me. If you have any further instructions which might help to expedite matters, please advise.

May I thank you in advance for your time and help. We're hopeful the President will give us his permission to include one or more of his bloopers in our next Special.

Yours very truly,


LANA HALE
Clearance Supervisor

cc: Dick Clark
Lee Miller

Enclosure

P.S. I have enclosed a list of some of the people who have been included in our past shows.

company, inc.

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BROOKE SHIELDS
TOM SNYDER



February 15, 1982

Mr. Michael K. Deaver
Deputy Chief of Staff
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20500

Dear Mr. Deaver:

It was a pleasure meeting with you last Friday. I would be honored and extremely excited to serve as your assistant and as Deputy Assistant to the President.

I look forward to speaking with you upon your return from Europe on how I may serve this Administration.

Kindest regards.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Kevin P. Morris'.

Kevin P. Morris
Manager - Legislative
Affairs

KPM/sl

FROM THE DESK OF

William H. Best

*Resume
on BOARD ONLY
sent to Paul*

2/17/82

Dear Mike -

I would appreciate
anything you might
do to help with
this appointment -

I don't know Jerry
Corman but would
appreciate your arranging
an introduction -

Bill

CURTIS FOR CONGRESS

February 17, 1982

Mr. Michael K. Deaver
Deputy, Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mike:

We received the photographs with the President---they turned out great!

Tori and I will remember that wonderful moment forever. Once she can grasp the meaning, Nicole Marie will share this sentiment with even deeper and longer appreciation.

The kindness in the President's eyes as he held our daughter is captured in the pictures as well as in our hearts. I am still stunned that he took the time in a hectic day to pose with us. Your role in arranging the opportunity is so very much appreciated, Mike. Please communicate our profound gratitude to the President.

Best wishes to you always.

Sincerely,



Bob Curtis & Family

BC:cae



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February 19, 1982

Mr. Michael Deaver
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mike:

Thank you so much for calling me back so promptly last week. I know how very busy you are and I sincerely appreciated your response.

I did make a decision to stay as a County Supervisor and will assume the presidency of the National Association of Counties in 1983. It was a hard choice since the Assembly seat was an open seat and for a Republican that is a real plus. However, I really feel I can assist President Reagan to implement his federalism program and block grant proposal plus be a spokesman for him at the county level if I stay where I am.

I thank you for your input in my decision. Keep up the good work, and please give my regards to Carolyn.

Sincerely,

SANDRA R. SMOLEY, Supervisor
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EXECUTIVE EDITOR

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February 19, 1982

Dear Mike:

Someday when you have totally run out of things to worry about, read this correspondence and maybe you'll get a laugh out of it.

I hope he's not a big pal of yours or of Mrs. Reagan's.

Isn't it about time for another lunch?

All the best,

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The Honorable
Michael K. Deaver
Deputy Chief of Staff
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Ave. NW
Washington, D. C. 20500

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1/22/05

312 South Main Street
Harrisburg, Illinois 62946
January 26, 1982

Dear Mr. Bradlee:

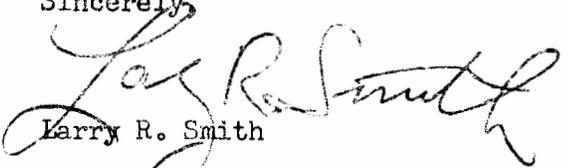
Thank you so much for your prompt and personal reply to my letter to Mr. Graham. Reluctantly, I shall place this piece in another publication of lesser impact. Incidentally, Mr. Bradlee, I have received to date several favorable replies to my proposal of an interview with Mrs. Reagan, but admittedly none of THE WASHINGTON POST'S stature.

I have long been a fan of yours, Mr. Bradlee. I especially enjoyed That Special Grace in the mid-sixties and then about a decade later... Conversations with Kennedy.

By the way, your wife (Sally Quinn) and I were born in the same year -- 1941. Her We're Going To Make You A Star, written as I recall around 1975, proved to be quite insightful about the inner workings of the media.

With all due respect, Mr. Bradlee, should you have any interest in publishing anything along the vein of a personal interview (as opposed to exposé) with any other Washington dignitary other than The First Lady, please be in touch with your "letter of intent," reflecting my commission. As you can recall from my earlier attachment, my "ties" to Justin Dart assure me access to ... President Reagan, any of the White House "triumverate," any of the Cabinet Officers, any other Administration Official, any GOP Senator or Congressman. I would especially recommend the President, William P. Clark, and Sandra Day O'Connor to your attention as interview possibilities. Mr. Bradlee, I look forward to hearing from you soon, should you wish to proceed along this vein. In any event, sir, best wishes -- both to you personally and to your professional endeavors at THE WASHINGTON POST. Thank you. CONTACT: 618/252-1897

Sincerely,


Larry R. Smith

Mr. Benjamin Crowninshield Bradlee
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Washington, D.C. 20009

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BENJAMIN C. BRADLEE
EXECUTIVE EDITOR
(202) 334-7510

January 21, 1982

Dear Mr. Smith:

Your letter to Donald Graham has come to me for reply.

I think we will have to decline your kind offer to write a piece for us, an interview with Mrs. Reagan plus your "associated traveling expenses."

I must tell you, I can't believe that you will get many favorable replies, given the suggestion of intimacy and of arrogance in your letter.

Sincerely,

Benjamin C. Bradlee

Mr. Larry R. Smith
312 S. Main St.
Harrisburg, IL
62946

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312 South Main Street
Harrisburg, IL 62946
January 15, 1982

Dear Donald:

*BCB: would you reply
Dm*

Recently I have been in touch with Sheila Tate, Press Secretary, of course, to Mrs. Reagan, about my interest in interviewing the First Lady. *7/22/85*

Because of my "stamp of approval" from Justin Dart, the President's California mentor (see attached), I have substantive reason to believe my interview request will be granted.

By the way, Donald, I have a master's degree in journalism, Medill, Northwestern University.

As a preliminary step, I expect to provide Sheila, on or about February 15, with a "letter of commission" from the publication I select. Sheila explains, of course, that Mrs. Reagan's policy forbids granting an interview on a freelance basis. In other words, Mrs. Reagan does not wish to read her comments in PLAYBOY, PENTHOUSE, or the like.

So, Donald, I would invite you (and your WASHINGTON POST Editors) to give this subject matter serious thought and see if such an interview meshes with your editorial planning. Should you decide favorably, please forward me, for receipt no later than February 15, 1982, your letter of intent, reflecting my commission. Please also include what you are willing to tender for the article, tailored to your interests. I should add that the publication I select will be expected to assume my associated traveling expenses in conjunction with my White House visit.

I expect to analyze all bids received by February 15, 1982 and make a decision shortly thereafter. Once a selection is made, I would be in touch with the publication's editorial staff to develop a series of questions reflecting the specific publication's interests. As you no doubt well know, Mrs. Reagan insists upon questions in advance. I should add that should the publication in question wish my input at Headquarters, as opposed to handling matters via mail, I, of course, would expect to have my traveling expenses reimbursed. Armed with this list of interrogatives, I would then formally seek with Sheila a firm appointment at the First Lady's earliest convenience.

Donald, I hope such an endeavor, as described, will fit into your future planning for 1982. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 618/252-1897. Deadline: February 15, 1982. Thank you. Best wishes.

Sincerely,

Larry R. Smith
Larry R. Smith

Mr. Donald E. Graham
Publisher
WASHINGTON POST
1150 15th Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20071

PAUL LAXALT
NEVADA



United States Senate

WASHINGTON, D.C.

May 8, 1981

Dear Mike:

Jus Dart sometime ago asked if time could be provided for a "photo opportunity" for Larry Smith sometime this summer.

If it can be worked out, I would greatly appreciate it.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Paul", written over a large, stylized flourish that loops back to the left.

PAUL LAXALT
U. S. SENATOR

PL/pd

Mike Deaver
Assistant to the President
White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 22, 1982

Dear Mr. Fox:

Thank you for your recent letters. I appreciate the time you have taken to send me your suggestions concerning Social Security, Medicare, and Medicaid.

As you may know, President Reagan announced the establishment of the National Commission on Social Security Reform on December 16, 1981. This Commission has been directed to propose realistic, long-term reforms to put Social Security back on a sound financial footing. Regarding the other two programs you discussed, the President has included them in his proposed exchange of entitlement programs between the Federal government and State governments. Under this plan, the Federal government would assume full responsibility for Medicaid as well as Medicare. Currently, discussions are beginning between members of the Federal government and state and local governments to work out the details of the President's proposal.

Again, thank you for your letter. You can be sure that your comments will be brought to the attention of the appropriate members of the Administration.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Gerald Fox
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Tequesta, Florida 33458

GERALD FOX
9521 S. E. LITTLE CLUB WAY NORTH
TEQUESTA, FLORIDA 33458

1/30/82

Mr. Deaver,
President,
Mr. Deaver:

re.- The Exhorbitant Cost of Medicare and Medicaid
Bergen County, New Jersey, I was a trustee of a non-profit,
voluntary hospital and I served actively on several committees.
In the years prior to 1965 whenever a patient could not afford
the full medical and hospital bills, there would be a conference
between the doctor and the executive director. The patient and
the doctor were long-time area residents. The result of the con-
ference would be a cancellation of 25% or 50% or 75% of the amount
of the bills. Beginning about 1965 the number of elderly patients
-- all on the Medicare program -- increased rapidly. It was observ-
ed that the doctors shortened their daily working hours and their
weekly working days. Also that the doctors spent more time in lei-
sure pursuits as participants and spectators. Later in the 1960's,
a monthly meeting of the doctors' organization, theretofore devot-
ed to medical affairs in the hospital and to new medical practices,
was preempted by a symposium on the subject of "Investments". The y
years go on and health care costs rise phenominally to the point
where it is now unbearable. The industry has become a monopoly,
a cartel worse than OPEC, with dictatorship in the hands of A.M.A.
and its tentacles in every State and County, and moneyed lobbies
in every Capital of the Union. It is taking far too much out of
the Nation's economy.. It must be brought under total regulation
by the Federal Government. through laying down reasonable fees
and charges for every particle of the industry. Simultaneously
Medicare insurance premiums should be increased to \$25. per month
-- little enough against the enormous cost in the freeseable future
The Medicare and Medicaid Systems now set the fees and charges and
allowances haphazardly. Rather than go into time-consuming studies.
let's begin immediately through cutting 25% off the present allow-
ances. Salaries and wages of technicians and other professionals
in the health care industry must also be regulated. The A.M.A.
and the A.H.A. will howl that the quality of health care will
deteriorate. If anything health care will improve because the
patient will have one less worry, the money problem. The A.M.A.
and the A.H.A. will try to bring pressure to bear in many quarters
but we must resist firmly, come what may.

Yours truly,



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United States Senate

February 22, 1982

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Dear Mike:

Thank you for your kind note. I announced my withdrawal from the 1982 Senate race so that in this final year of my term I may achieve the legislative goals I have pursued with such determination. These past years as a United States Senator have been among the most fulfilling in my life. It has been a privilege and an honor to serve the people of California. I am grateful for the lessons and inspiration I have received from my colleagues and my friends.

Again, your thoughtfulness is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Sam

S. I. Hayakawa

Mr. Michael K. Deaver
Assistant to the President
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20500

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 22, 1982

Dear Ms. Lee:

Thank you for your recent letter. I appreciate the concern which prompted you to write.

The Reagan Administration is dedicated to eliminating waste and fraud within the Federal government. On March 26 President Reagan announced the creation of the Council on Integrity and Efficiency. This Presidential Council, composed of the inspectors general of major Federal agencies and other representatives, was charged to follow every lead, to root out every instance of incompetence and to prosecute every individual guilty of wrongdoing.

These steps represent only a beginning in one of the toughest and most important challenges facing this Administration. The elimination of government inefficiency and mismanagement is absolutely essential to restore the public's faith in the integrity of government and to assure that Federal programs provide the maximum in services to their beneficiaries.

I appreciate the time you have taken to bring materials concerning waste in government programs to my attention. You can be sure that they will be brought to the attention of the appropriate members of the Administration.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEAVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Ms. S. L. Lee
Box 1155
Bowie, TX 76230

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 22, 1982

Dear Mr. Sher:

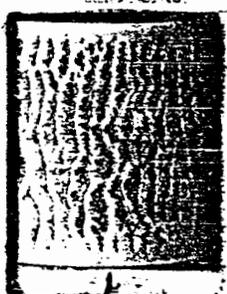
Thank you for your recent message. I appreciate your support for President Reagan and your concern for the continued success of his Administration. I have taken careful note of your comments and suggestions. You can be sure that they will be brought to the attention of the appropriate members of the Administration.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEAVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Merritt Sher
1632 Union Street
San Francisco, CA 94123



MERRITT SHER
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February 3, 1982

The Honorable Michael Deaver
THE WHITE HOUSE
1600 Pennsylvania Ave.
Washington D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Deaver:

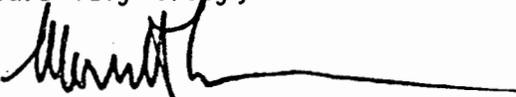
I am a supporter of President Reagan but I feel the Bob Jones case is a potentially very damaging oversight. I agree that the I.R.S. should ordinarily make law, but in this particular instance I would make an exception.

If a law were passed denying tax exempt status to any school or nonprofit institution which denies rights based on race, I would support it. I feel, however, in this case the only law likely to get through Congress would allow freedom of religion to take precedence over the equal protection clause.

This could be very damaging by allowing the government to implicitly sanction discrimination on religious grounds and the President would inevitably have to take the blame.

Mr. Reagan's strong stand on equal rights and opportunity is very important to his maintaining consensus and I would be very careful to keep him from getting backed into a corner on this one.

Yours very truly,



MERRITT SHER

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 22, 1982

Dear Mr. Stewart:

Thank you for your recent letter. I appreciate the concern voiced by you and the members of the Energy Consumers and Producers Association.

This Administration supports a combination of energy programs that are structured to be consistent with the need to control Federal spending, to establish the proper role of the Federal government in energy research and development, and to recognize the superiority of the free market in the efficient functions of resources.

That natural gas should be made available to the American consumer in the most efficient manner is a concern shared by all the members of the Administration. You can be sure that the views of the Energy Consumers and Producers Association will be brought to the attention of the appropriate members of the government.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEAVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. E. L. Bud Stewart, Jr.
President
Energy Consumers and Producers Association
Post Office Box 1726
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Honorable Michael Deaver
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20013

Dear Mr. Deaver:

Our Association of 1,250 small independent oil and gas producers and royalty owners residing in 35 states urges President Reagan to present the Administration's gas price decontrol measure as soon as possible. We regret no such proposal was mentioned in the President's State of the Union speech last week, but we have faith that correcting the gross inequities in the present law is still high on the agenda of items to correct.

As you know, the Natural Gas Policy Act allows prices of as much as \$10/MMBtu. and as little as \$.20/MMBtu. for the same product. Moreover, the economic waste of developing the expensive gas reserves deeper than 15,000 feet while discouraging cheaper shallow reserves makes no sense at all.

President Reagan has long been an advocate of gas decontrol. Irrespective of the political problems with moving for decontrol now, we believe the climate will never be better and we are prepared to take our chances this year. Also, while we will fight any tax on decontrolled gas, we will not request a veto if such a tax is imposed by Congress so long as it covers old gas and has a definite expiration date. This approach may even be helpful regarding the budget deficit.

Sincerely,

E. L. Bud Stewart, Jr.
President

ELSjr/vw

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 22, 1982

Dear Mr. Walker:

Thank you for your recent letter. I appreciate the time you have taken to write and have taken careful note of your comments. You can be sure that they will be brought to the attention of the appropriate members of the Administration.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. E. Perot Walker
3009 Park Avenue
Lafayette Hill, PA 19444

Sir,

3706.

Items such as the enclosed are to be found almost daily in a great many of the nation's newspapers. It certainly is not good public relations for Mr. Watt, but I know he could care less about what people think of him! However, I do think that he might be interested in what his actions and attitude are doing to the reputation of the President. There is certainly going to be a lack of Republican votes in Nov. & in 1984 unless Mr. Watt is done away with. I have yet to meet a single person who has anything nice to say about him & I shall find it impossible to vote for Mr. Reagan much as I like him.

Sincerely,

E. Perot Walker

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 22, 1982

Dear George:

Thanks so much for George F. Will: The Pursuit of Virtue & Other Tory Notions. I appreciate your thoughtfulness and am looking forward to the time when I can get into this book.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. George Will
G.F.W. Incorporated
4 West Melrose Street
Chevy Chase, MD 20813

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 22, 1982

Dear Miss Zott:

Thank you for your letter. I know that President Reagan will be as grateful as I am for your support of his policies.

The activities of people like you have been a great help to us in achieving the President's goals in Congress. As he has often remarked, "If they won't see the light, the people can make them feel the heat." Strong and active volunteer efforts like yours are essential to creating a stronger and prosperous America.

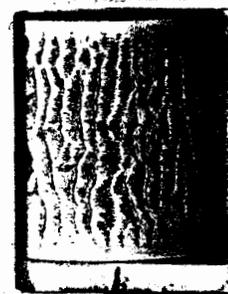
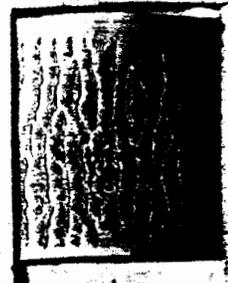
Again, thank you for your letter and your efforts on behalf of the Reagan Administration.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Miss Antoinette E. Zott
363 Brampton Lane
Lake Forest, IL 60045



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 22, 1982

Dear Miss Hoffman:

Thank you for your letter. I know that President Reagan will be as grateful as I am for your support of his policies.

The activities of people like you have been a great help to us in achieving the President's goals in Congress. As he has often remarked, "If they won't see the light, the people can make them feel the heat." Strong and active volunteer efforts like yours are essential to creating a stronger and prosperous America.

Again, thank you for your letter and your efforts on behalf of the Reagan Administration.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Miss Ruth K. Hoffman
1500 Hackberry Road
Deerfield, IL 60015

David Anderson

January 25, 1982

Mr. Michael K. Deaver
Asistant to the Chief of Staff
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Deaver:

At the suggestion of Mr. Bob Byrne we are forwarding a number of petitions in support of President Reagan's attempts to restore fiscal integrity to our government.

We conceived the idea for CURE, Citizens United for Reagan Economics, last Fall and at that time began circulating the petitions locally. Although we did circulate some of them, through friends, in and around Washington, D.C. and Alabama/Georgia, our attempts to garner national participation were stymied by lack of funds and lack of contacts.

We are ardent supporters of Mr. Reagan and of his policies. We hope he may be able to utilize this show of support in his forthcoming dealings with Congress. Based on our experience with these petitions, we believe there continues to be trust in the President and support for his programs in the grassroots of America.

Sincerely,

Ruth K. Hoffman
Ruth K. Hoffman
1500 Hackberry Road
Deerfield, Illinois 60015

Antoinette E. Zott
Antoinette E. Zott
363 Brampton Lane
Lake Forest, Illinois 60045

Encs.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1982

Dear Mr. MacMonagle:

Thank you for your recent message. I appreciate the time you have taken to inform me of your project. You may wish to contact officials at the Library of Congress concerning the codification system for Federal statutes. The proper address is:

Mr. Daniel J. Boorstin
Library of Congress
10 First Street, S.E.
Washington, D.C. 20540

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. William E. MacMonagle
3131 Smith Road
Akron, OH 44313

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1982

Dear Miss Leone:

Mr. Deaver has asked me to forward the address you requested for Mother Theresa to you. It is as follows:

Mother Theresa
c/o Mrs. Vi Collins
Director
The Co-Workers of Mother Theresa
5106 Battery Lane
Bethesda, Maryland 20014

Sincerely,

SHIRLEY MOORE
Staff Assistant to
Michael K. Deaver

Miss Lyn Leone
Post Office Box 735
Notre Dame, IN 46556

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1982

Dear Mr. and Mrs. McCoy:

Thank you for your recent letter. I appreciate the concern which prompted you to write.

In his State of the Union Address, President Reagan restated his commitment to eliminate the Department of Education as a Cabinet-level agency. As this goal can only be achieved through legislation, the Administration is currently developing a proposal to be submitted to the Congress.

I am grateful to have your comments and suggestions on this matter. You can be sure that they will be brought to the attention of the appropriate members of the Administration.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. and Mrs. Leon McCoy
Box 316
Keyes, OK 73947

Alta McCoy
Box 316
Keyes, Okla. 73947

Feb. 8, 1982

Staff

Michael H. Klearer, Deputy Chief of
White House Wash. D.C. 20500. Staff.

Dear Michael H. Klearer,

One of your Campaign Promises
was to abolish the Dept of Education.

I say No to making it a Foundation.
With no Federal Control, tax dollars
could be saved.

I favor local control of our
schools, when this is done.

I believe we will see better
quality of education in America.

Sincerely,

Mr & Mrs. Leon McCoy

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1982

Dear Mrs. McNeilly:

Thank you for your recent letter. I appreciate the concern which prompted you to write and want you to know that I will keep your comments in mind during discussions with my colleagues.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEAVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mrs. Helen McNeilly
13506 Trenton Road
Southgate, MI 48195

(MRS) HELEN McNEILLY
13506 TRENTON ROAD
SOUTHGATE, MICH. 48195

FEB. 2, 1982

MICHAEL K. DEEVER,
ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT.

Dear Mr. Deaver,

I am quite concerned about the proposed executive order regarding the Combined Federal Campaign. As a long-time supporter of Care, I am certain this would be detrimental for this very fine organization, perhaps eliminating them from the campaign totally. As written, the order may reduce Care's income from the CFC by half.

I know how concerned President Reagan is about the role of private voluntary organizations and urge him not to sign the order as presently written. Care has had substantial support from federal employees through the Combined Federal Campaign for 35 years.

Please don't hinder them from carrying on their fine work.
Thank you.

Helen McNeilly

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1982

Dear Mr. Patzer:

Thank you for your recent letter regarding continued funding for the Title V Senior Employment Program. I am grateful to have the benefit of your views on this matter and want you to know that I will keep your comments in mind during discussions with my colleagues.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Ralph Patzer
Director
Livingston County
Department of Social Services
210 South Highlander Way
Howell, MI 48843

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1982

Dear Mr. Rinker:

Thank you for your recent letter. I appreciate the interest which prompted you to write.

I was pleased to have the opportunity to review your comments concerning the Combined Federal Campaign. You can be sure that they will be brought to the attention of the appropriate members of the Administration.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEAVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. George Rinker, Jr.
Senior Vice President
Investment Division
BancOhio National Bank
155 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43265



BancOhio
National Bank

February 4, 1982

Michael K. Deaver
Assistant to the President
and Deputy Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, DC 20500

Dear Mr. Deaver:

As a long-time supporter of CARE I am deeply concerned about the proposed Executive Order regarding the Combined Federal Campaign. The Executive Order as written would reduce CARE's income from the CFC by half: the changes in the eligibility criteria as proposed could eliminate CARE from the campaign. I am certain that these results were not intended by those who drafted the Executive Order and ask that it not be signed by the President as presently written. The Order as written would not reflect well upon the President, whose philosophy so clearly supports the vital role of private voluntary agencies. For over thirty-five years CARE has had the confidence of the American people and has received substantial support from Federal employees through the Combined Federal Campaign. Its hard-nosed and businesslike yet compassionate approach to meeting human needs represents some of our country's finest effort in this direction. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

George Rinker, Jr.
Senior Vice President
Investment Division

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1982

Dear Miss Roper:

Thank you for taking the time to write. I have made careful note of your comments and opinions. You can be sure that they will be brought to the attention of the appropriate members of the Administration.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEAVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Miss Mary Roper
5318 Charter Oak
San Antonio, TX 78229

8318 Charlie Oak
San Antonio TX 78229
Feb 3, 1982

Dear Sir,

Our presidents' stand to give tax exemption
to the likes of Bob Jones so called "University"
is an outrage!

This is the same organization that gave
an honorary doctorate to Lon Paisley, the
hate monger of Northern Ireland. If
you don't know who he is, I refer you
to "Ireland - a terrible beauty" by Jill
& Leon Uris, Doubleday & Co.

What has happened to our
American ideals? I suspect
political expediency has
superseded them.

Sadly,
Mary Roper



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to be used as Enclosure

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1982

Dear Miss Seifert:

Mr. Deaver has asked me to thank you for the copy of Bound To Be Free. He appreciates your thoughtfulness and is looking forward to reading it.

Sincerely,

SHIRLEY MOORE
Staff Assistant to
Michael K. Deaver

Miss Charlene S. Seifert
Program Planning Officer
Hoover Institution on War,
Revolution and Peace
Stanford University
Stanford, CA 94305

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1982

Dear Mrs. Stafford:

Thank you for your recent letter. I appreciate the concern which prompted you to write.

In his State of the Union Address, President Reagan restated his commitment to eliminate the Department of Education as a Cabinet-level agency. As this goal can only be achieved through legislation, the Administration is currently developing a proposal to be submitted to the Congress.

I am grateful to have your comments and suggestions on this matter. You can be sure that they will be brought to the attention of the appropriate members of the Administration.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEAVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mrs. L. J. Stafford
Box 5
Keyes, OK 73947

1 Keyes, Okla
Feb 6, 1982

Michael K. Deaver,
Deputy Chief of Staff
White House,
Washington,
D. C. 20500

Dear Mr. Michael Deaver:

This is a copy of a letter I
sent to the President.

According to your campaign
promise, the Department of Education
was to be abolished.

~~The~~ The N. E. A. has too
much control in our nation.
We need more local control of
our schools and especially
the Text Books.

The N. E. A. is damaging
the morals of our nations children.

Yours Respectfully,
Mrs. L. J. Stafford

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1982

Dear Mr. Stern:

Mr. Deaver has asked me to thank you for the copy of The Executive Bio-Pictorial Directory: 1981-82. He appreciates your thoughtfulness and has found much use for it already.

Sincerely,

SHIRLEY MOORE
Staff Assistant to
Michael K. Deaver

Mr. Jason L. Stern
President
Braddock Publications, Inc.
Suite 210
1001 Connecticut Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20036

Braddock Publications, Inc.

February 12, 1982

The Honorable Michael K. Deaver
The White House
Washington, DC 20500

Dear Mike:

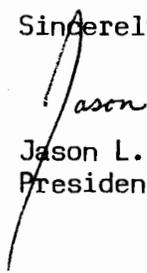
Many thanks for your kind assistance in obtaining material for the Executive Bio-Pictorial Directory 1981-1982.

The Executive Directory has been well-received by the business community and has had favorable mention in Business Week, the Kiplinger Letter, U.S. News and World Report Washington Newsletter, the Public Affairs Council and the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, Association Division as well as a number of other publications.

I am presently updating the first edition (1981-82) and will release the second edition shortly. I am enclosing a copy for your review.

I look forward to meeting you again and hope I may be of service to you now and in the future.

Sincerely,



Jason

Jason L. Stern
President

JLS/bac
Enclosures

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1982

Dear Mr. Stone:

Thank you for your letter of January 20, 1982 and the enclosed information. It was good hearing from you.

Your request for an exclusive interview with the President is now being considered. As you know, the President has focused his attention on the passage of his 1983 Budget and New Federalism Program. You can well appreciate how busy he will be over the next few months. I am, however, keeping your request under consideration and when the President's schedule permits, we will notify you of an appropriate time for this interview.

With best regards.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEAVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Chuck Stone
Senior Editor
Philadelphia Daily News
400 North Broad Street
Philadelphia, PA 19101

BCC: *Dave Lingen*
Mel Biddly

Draft for Approval

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

February 10, 1982

NOTE FOR MIKE DEEVER

FROM: MEL BRADLEY *MB*

Per your request, attached is a draft, suggested
reply for Chuck Stone, Philadelphia Daily News.

I THINK CHUCK IS FAIR !!

Stone

PHILADELPHIA DAILY
NEWS

THE PEOPLE PAPER

400 NORTH BROAD STREET, PHILADELPHIA, PA. 19101

January 20, 1982

Mr. Michael K. Deaver
Assistant and Deputy Chief
of Staff to the President
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, DC 20004

Dear Mr. Deaver:

Knowing your personal commitment to equality and your persistent efforts to communicate President Reagan's similar convictions, I thought it appropriate to submit my request to you for an exclusive interview with President Reagan.

I did one two years ago (see enclosed) and I think you will agree it went off quite well.

The current controversy over the tax exemption for private schools which practiced discrimination augurs for a new intensity of dialogue with black Americans. As you know, the latest Gallup poll show that only 12% of blacks vis-a-vis 55% of whites approve of the President's performance.

That is a tragic polarization that is unhealthy for America. And it seems to be worsening.

I would suspect that the administration could document its concern for racial equality through some of the specific measures that have been undertaken such as increased aid to black colleges, and etc.

Right now, the message is not being heard by black Americans. It needs to be.

I still hold a personal affection for the President. That position in my columns, despite my criticism of the President's economic program, usually provokes sharp dissent from my readers.

Neil Boardley
FYI +
suggested
reply

MM

If the interview is granted, I would think it could be a basis for the issuance of a policy statement on race relations by The White House, but only if you and the President deem it desirable. The Daily News, of course, would release the interview through the wire services and Knight-Ridder newspapers of which the Daily News is a member paper.

I look forward to hearing from you. Thank you very much for your consideration of my request. Happy New Year.

Cordially,

Chuck Stone
Senior Editor

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BCC: Mr. Dan J. Smith
Senior Policy Adviser

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1982

Dear Mr. Weinstein:

Thank you for your letter. I appreciate the concern which prompted you to write.

President Reagan is working to encourage increased domestic energy production, conservation, efficiency, and competition. Essential to the activities of his Administration is the development of policy initiatives which recognize the superiority of the free market in the production and efficient allocation of resources.

I was grateful to have the opportunity to review your comments and suggestions regarding the decontrol of natural gas. You can be sure that I will keep your comments in mind during discussions with my colleagues.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Michael J. Weinstein
Box 8191
Harpur College
State University of New York
Binghamton, NY 13901

Box 8191 Harpur College
State University of New York
Binghamton, New York 13901
February 8, 1982

Michael K. Deaver, Deputy Chief of Staff
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Deaver:

I am writing to you because I sincerely feel that your voice and thoughts directed to the President are of great importance and will certainly have a dramatic impact on the leadership and policies of the nation.

A question that has been on my mind has been President Reagan's deliberate failure to mention the issue of the decontrol of natural gas in his recent State of the Union Message. I truly believe that a clear, direct stand is needed at this particular time. As you already know, the Cabinet council on natural resources had recommended that President Reagan seek immediate decontrol on natural gas prices.

It is to my basic understanding of this administration that your philosophy is to encourage the free-market strategy of existing competition between various producers in our economy. Many individuals, including David Stockman, director of OMB, have argued that the decontrol of natural gas is necessary to ensure additional exploration in order to avoid shortages in the near future.

Mr. Deaver, it is to my belief that you should speak to President Reagan on this matter and ask him to openly speak out now to the Congress and in turn, pressure them to take the necessary legislative action to fully decontrol the price of natural gas. If this is accomplished within the next few months, tax revenues would rise by a substantial amount. In addition, by the summer of 1982, consumers would not feel the inevitable rise in the price level. The authorization of a clear direction by the President is necessary now in order to persuade the Congress to his side. Time is running out as members of Congress will soon be occupied with getting re-elected next November. As the Reagan campaign slogan asserted last year, "The Time is Now."

It might be prudent for President Reagan to reverse his decision to veto any "windfall profits" tax associated with natural gas decontrol.

As a truly concerned citizen, I am urging you to take this vital issue directly into the sphere of presidential debate.

I am very much looking forward to your personal reply.
Thank you.

Sincerely yours,
Michael J. Weinstein

Michael J. Weinstein

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1982

Dear Miss Woelfel:

Thank you for your letter. I appreciate the concern which prompted you to write and want you to know that I will be sure to keep your comments in mind during discussions with my colleagues.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Miss Florence C. Woelfel
3440 Olentangy River Road
Columbus, OH 43202

3440 Olentangy River Rd.
Columbus, Ohio 43202
February 1, 1982

Mr. Michael K. Deaver
Senate Office Building
Washington, D. C.

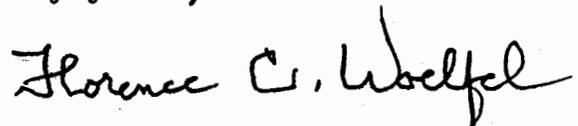
Dear Mr. Deaver:

As a long time supporter of CARE, I am concerned about the proposed Executive Order which, as written, would reduce CARE'S income from the CPC by half and could eliminate CARE from the campaign. For over thirty-five years CARE has had the confidence of the American people and received substantial support from Federal employees through the combined Federal campaign. CARE'S approach to meet human needs represents some of our contry's finest effort in this direction.

Please use the influence you have with the President to deter him from signing the Executive Order referred to above. This order would certainly not reflect well on the President.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely yours,



Florence C. Woelfel

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 23, 1982

Dear Mrs. Wuerflein:

Thank you for your recent letter. I appreciate the concern which prompted you to write.

In his State of the Union Address, President Reagan restated his commitment to eliminate the Department of Education as a Cabinet-level agency. As this goal can only be achieved through legislation, the Administration is currently developing a proposal to be submitted to the Congress.

I am grateful to have your comments and suggestions on this matter. You can be sure that they will be brought to the attention of the appropriate members of the Administration.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mrs. Dennis G. Wuerflein
6701 Fourth Avenue, South
Richfield, MN 55423

February 2, 1982

The Honorable
President Reagan of the United States
White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Sir:

One of your campaign promises was to abolish the Department of Education. Secretary Terrel H. Bell now proposes that the department be converted to a "Foundation." This is unacceptable and not in accord with the President's promise.

The Department should be abolished and its programs dispersed along the lines suggested in Senator Alan Quales bill, (S1821)

Thank You
Mrs. Dennis G. Whynfleur
6701 Founts Ave S
Richfield, MN 55423

Copies to:

James A. Baker, III Chief of Staff
Edwin Mase III Counsellor to the President
Michael K. DeLoe Deputy Chief of Staff
Martin Anderson, Assistant to the President
for Policy Development

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 22, 1982

Dear Professor Adamson:

Thank you for your recent letter. I appreciate having the opportunity to review the thoughts and opinions of your students. It was encouraging to hear from young people who take an active and serious interest in the workings of their government. I am confident that their current studies will result in a more sophisticated electorate, improving the level of political debate and discussion so essential to our democratic institutions.

Again, thank you for your thoughtfulness in sharing your students' comments with me. Because your students may wish to have their essays returned, I have taken the liberty of enclosing them.

With best wishes to you and your class,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Dr. Walter Adamson
Political Science Department
Bridgewater State College
Bridgewater, MA 02324



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Bridgewater State College

Bridgewater 02324

2 February 1982

Mr. Michael Deaver
Deputy Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, D.C.

Personal Attention

Dear Mr. Deaver:

Do you have an interest in additional "feedback" regarding the State of the Union address by the President? If so, I invite your attention to the enclosed set of brief essays.

Let me tell you how the idea of sending them to you evolved. Last Tuesday was our third day of class and I gave the students, mainly Freshmen in their first course in American Government, an assignment to see/listen to President Reagan's address. They were then to write a brief essay setting forth the purpose of the message; the central theme it contained; the effect of any proposals on them as individuals; and then make a concluding commentary. Every student did the task assigned as they were apparently deeply moved by the President's presentation. It was only as I read their input that the thought occurred to me that your office might welcome receiving such unsolicited and spontaneous "feedback" from a group of young college students in New England.

If your circumstances permit -- and I am fully aware you have other, more momentous items on your agenda for action today -- I know that the students would truly appreciate your taking a moment to let them know of your reaction.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Walter Adamson".

Walter Adamson
Professor
Political Science