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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

August 12, 1982

Dear Dick:

I was pleased to learn that we now have Mark Houston on the job as a deputy for legislation at the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation. He is a wonderful young man and I know he'll be a real credit to the Administration.

I was glad to hear that you're feeling better and will be returning to work next week. Don't take on too much too fast.

Sincerely,

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

Mr. Richard Lyng
4058 41st Street, North
N. Arlington, VA 22207

RICHARD LYNG
4058 41ST STREET, NORTH
N. ARLINGTON, VA. 22207

August 5, 1982

Thank

Mike

Mark Houston is now on the job as a deputy for legislation at the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, an agency of ours. I hope he finds it interesting.

I'm going back to work in splendid health on August 15. I had a quadruple by-pass, so everything's working ok now. It just takes a few weeks to get the strength back. I'm almost there.

Dick



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August 4, 1982

Honorable Michael K. Deaver
Special Assistant to the President
and Deputy Chief of Staff
White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Deaver:

Thank you very much for supporting my candidacy for the position of Country Director in the Peace Corps. As I believe you are aware, I have been selected to become the Country Director in Swaziland Africa. If your travels should bring you to Southern Africa, I invite you to visit us in Mbabane. Upon my return, I look forward to continuing to support this Administration.

Sincerely,

Sarah E. Moten

SEM:dg

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 4, 1982

Dear Hugh:

Thanks so much for taking the time to write regarding your willingness to help with the new Mexican government. I appreciate knowing of these abilities and will certainly keep your letter on file for the time when we can use your services.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,

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

Mr. Hugh W. Foster
3700 Thirty-Third Place, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20008

HUGH W. FOSTER
3700 THIRTY-THIRD PLACE, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20008

August 2, 1982

The Honorable
Michael K. Deaver
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

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Dear Mike:

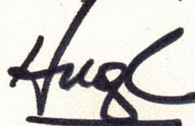
If I can ever be of any assistance in terms of a dialogue (informal or formal) with the new Mexican government, I hope you will let me know.

As a result of my days in Mexico City, I know two of the key players very well: Miguel Mancera (the new head of the Mexican Central Bank) and Jesús Silva Herzog, the new Finance Minister. Ceseli and I also have more than a passing acquaintance with the President-elect, Miguel de la Madrid; we dined in his home one evening on the occasion of a visit to Mexico by Dick Cooley, Chairman and C.E.O. of Wells Fargo Bank.

My friendship with the first two men might be of some value in case there are plans to do something with the Canada/Mexico/United States concept that President Reagan mentioned in the speech announcing his candidacy.

A copy of this letter has been forwarded to Judge Clark for his interest and/or files.

Warm regards,



Hugh W. Foster

cc: The Honorable
William P. Clark

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

August 4, 1982

Dear President Nixon:

I appreciate your thoughtfulness in sending along the name of Marina Whitman as a possible chairman of C.E.A.

Her name has already been suggested and is under serious consideration.

Many thanks.

Sincerely,

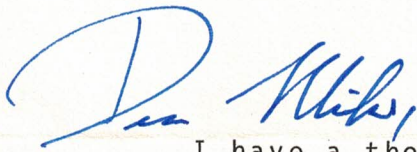
MICHAEL K. DEAVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

The Honorable Richard Nixon
26 Federal Plaza
New York City, N.Y. 10278

RICHARD NIXON
July 28, 1982

26 FEDERAL PLAZA
NEW YORK CITY

PERSONAL



I have a thought re the new chairman of the C.E.A. which you might want to pass on.

I have not seen Marina Whitman since leaving Washington in 1974 but based on her brilliant record in positions to which I appointed her, I observe the following:

She is highly intelligent.

She is a loyal team player.

She is an economic conservative.

She has poise and guts.

Others under consideration probably have similar qualities but she is the only woman. To have a woman in a key policy making position in the White House could be a major plus with women voters - particularly since the C.E.A. advises on issues affecting every woman in America - the family budget.

Good luck!

Sincerely,



Richard Nixon

The Honorable
Michael K. Deaver

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 4, 1982

Dear Jack:

Thanks for sending along a copy of a letter you wrote to Walter Stoessel, Jr. regarding your long time friend, Michael P. W. Stone, becoming Chief of Mission for A.I.D. in Egypt.

I was delighted to have the opportunity to chat at the Grove this weekend. It was great to get away and relax.

Many thanks.

Sincerely,

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

Mr. Jack L. Davies
Schramsberg
Calistoga, CA 94515

JACK L. DAVIES
SCHRAMSBERG
CALISTOGA, CALIFORNIA 94515

June 24, 1982

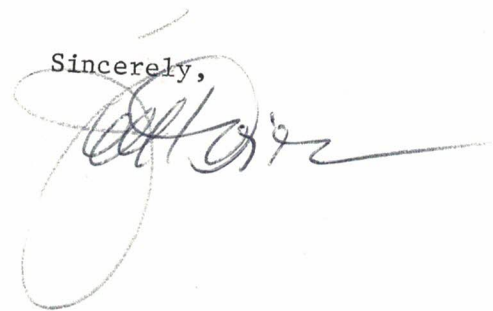
*Thank
you
and*

Dear Mr. Deaver,

If you hadn't observed, we're sending one of
our best winemen to the government.

You'll enjoy knowing him.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be "J. Davies", written over a large, faint circular scribble.



Mr. Walter J. Stoessel, Jr.
Under Secretary of State
Department of State
Washington, D.C. 20520

June 24, 1982

Dear Walter:

A close and long time friend, Michael P. W. Stone, is leaving our wine industry to become Chief of Mission for A.I.D. in Egypt.

Knowing that his new activities will bring him in close co-operation with the Department of State, I wanted to take this means of personal introduction and to tell you how highly I regard Mike and what a fine choice I feel him to be for this post. He has, for some years, been on the Board of the American University in Cairo.

I have urged him to say hello on his way through Washington. Over the years I know you will find him a fine associate. We regret losing him.

Sincerely,

Jack L. Davies

JLD/b

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 3, 1982

Dear Ernie:

In response to your request to be considered for Federal Election Commissioner, there is no opening at the FEC until 1983. We have flagged the file to remind us that you are interested.

We'll keep you posted.

Cheers!

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

Ernie Minor
CEQ
722 Jackson Place, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20006

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

TO:

MD

FROM:

Helene von Damm

There is no opening
at the FEC until
1983. However, we
have noted his
interest.

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EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
COUNCIL ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
722 JACKSON PLACE, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20006

February 24, 1982

W. ERNST MINOR
MEMBER

MEMORANDUM

TO: MICHAEL DEAVER
Deputy Chief of Staff

FROM: ERNIE MINOR

I would appreciate your consideration of me for the following PAS positions:

Merit Systems Protection Board

Experience: Governmental employee as both career, schedule C and PAS

Federal Election Commissioner

Experience: Political campaigns on both national and local levels

Federal Communications Commissioner

Experience: Chief Executive Officer of radio stations in California and Ohio. Board of Director, educational TV station, Cincinnati.

Some of these openings may have candidates under consideration. They are all Level IV.

1. Helene
Can we do this for
Ernie - next?
na canay?
Let me know
pls.
Mike

(202) 395-1506

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JUL 29 1982

Honorable James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff and Assistant
to the President
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Baker:

Just a brief note to inform you that I have recently selected Heriberto Herrera to be the Deputy Administrator of the Small Business Administration. Mr. Herrera comes to this position with an engineering degree from Texas A & M and a Masters in Business Administration from Harvard. He should be of great help to me in the daily operation of the Agency and should be an outstanding spokesman (particularly in the Hispanic community) for this Administration.

I appreciate your interest in the Small Business Administration and hope that we will have the opportunity to meet in the near future and discuss my plans for the Agency.

Sincerely,

/S/ James C. Sanders

James C. Sanders
Administrator

cc: Mr. Deaver ✓
Mr. Fuller
Mr. Kease
Mr. Rollins
Mrs. von Dann

MRS. LEROY G. DENMAN, JR.

July 27, 1982

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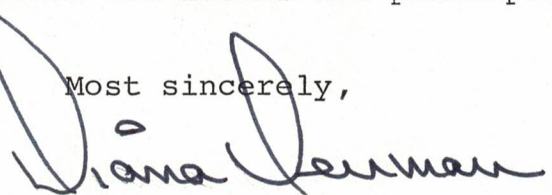
Ms. Shirley Moore
Executive Secretary to
Mr. Michael K. Deaver
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Shirley:

At the suggestion of Don DeFore I am enclosing a resume of Richard Abell, now Director of Program Development at the Peace Corps. He is applying for the position of Deputy Director.

Rick is a former Peace Corps volunteer, highly decorated Vietnam veteran and alternate delegate for President Reagan in 1976 and, as the former chairman of YAF, he led the organization solidly behind the President in 1980. Rick Abell is a courageous American who has worked well with Loret Ruppe and the Peace Corps staff, understands the workings of Peace Corps and has long supported the ideals and principles of President Ronald Reagan.

Most sincerely,



Diana S. Denman

DSD:cs
Encl.

February 1982

RESUME

Richard Bender Abell
8209 Chancery Court
Alexandria, Virginia 22308

Birthdate: 2 December 1943
Philadelphia, Penna.

Home phone: 703 780-4934
Business phone: 202 254-8890

Social Security Number: _____

Married: Lucia del Carmen Lombana-Cadavid
Children: David, Christian, Rachel

Education:

The George Washington University, Washington, D.C.
B.A., International Affairs, 1966

The George Washington University, Washington, D.C.
J.D., 1974

Foreign Language:
Spanish - Fluent

Employment:

Current Position: Director, Office of Program Development, Peace
Corps, 1982-- 806 Connecticut Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20525

Director, Office of Programming and Training
Coordination, Peace Corps, 1981-82

Field Representative for Central Pennsylvania
for U.S. Senator Richard Schweiker, 1979-80

Adjunct faculty, West Chester State College,
West Chester, Penna. Center for Criminal
Justice, 1975

Adjunct Faculty, Delaware Law School,
Wilmington, Delaware, 1975-1977

Assistant District Attorney, Chester County,
Penna. 1974-79

Associate, Law Offices of Reilly & Fogwell,
West Chester, Pennsylvania, 1974-80.

Military:

United States Army Infantry, 1969-71.
Service in the Republic of South Viet-Nam, First Air
Cavalry Division (Airmobile), 2nd Bn, 7th Cav., "C"
Company. Retired for wounds received in action.
Rank: SP/4

Awarded: Air Medal
Army Commendation Medal for Heroism
Purple Heart
Combat Infantryman's Badge
Good Conduct Medal

Volunteer:

Peace Corps Volunteer, Colombia, South America,
1967-69. Rural Community Development

Academic Honors and Awards:

Order of Scarlet, 1966, The George Washington
University

Delta Phi Epsilon, 1966, The George Washington
University

Outstanding Young Men of America, 1975, Jaycees

Who's Who In American Politics, 1977 to Present

Community Leaders of America, 1976

Community Activities:

President, Great Valley Jaycees, Malvern, Pa.
1975-76

Chairman, Chester County Salvation Army Advisory
Board, 1977

Board of Directors, Paoli Monument Association,
Paoli, Pa., 1978-80

Delegate, United States Youth Council, to Spain and
Portugal, 1978

Vestryman, St. Peter's Church in the Great Valley,
Paoli, Pa. 1975-77

Professional Organizations:

Pennsylvania Bar Association
Chester County Bar Association
National District Attorney's Association

Political Activities:

Chairman, Young Republicans of Pennsylvania, 1976-78

Chairman, Young Republican National Federation, 1979-81

Member, Executive Committee, Republican National
Committee, 1979-81

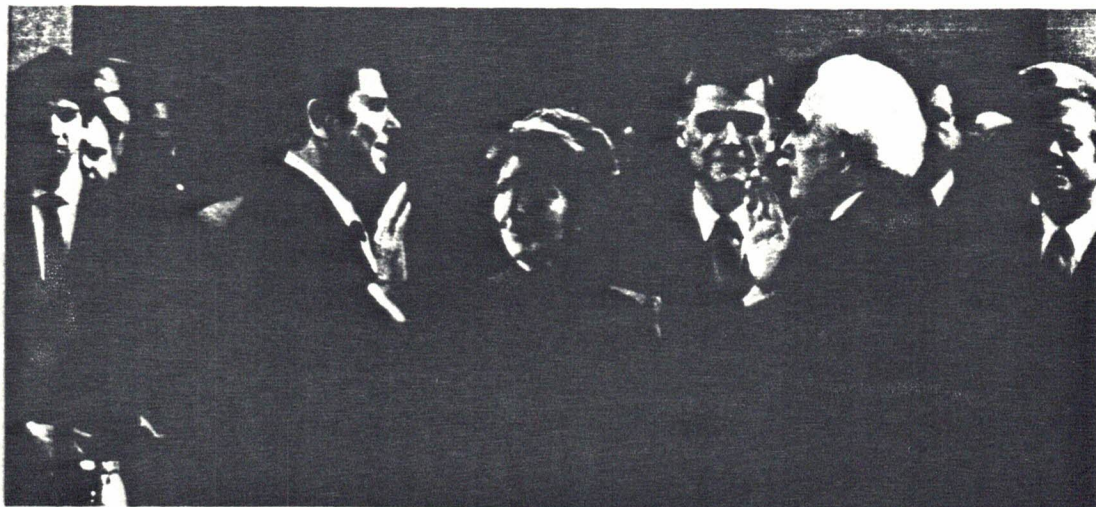
Alternate Delegate Republican National Convention,
Kansas City, Missouri, 1976, Committed to Gov. Ronald
Reagan

Honorary Guest and Speaker, Republican National
Convention, Detroit, Michigan, 1980

Of Counsel, United States Justice Foundation, 1979-81

WHY REAGAN WON

The Conservative Movement 1964-1981



F. Clifton White and William J. Gill

Foreword by William F. Buckley, Jr.

Introduction by Senator Paul Laxalt

New York in 1977, and Rick Abel of Pennsylvania in 1979. Abel, who was also on the national board of YAF, threw the YR effort solidly behind Reagan's candidacy in 1980.

Republican politics were not YAF's exclusive concern in the 1960s and 1970s by any means. In fact, in the mid-1960s YAF was primarily focused on providing a non-violent answer to the increasingly violent anti-war protests. YAF set up a program to fund Vietnam veterans to speak on campuses and to send other young people to Vietnam so they could see for themselves what was going on in that country and report back to their peers in America.

What many of these veterans and other young people saw in Vietnam was that there were actually *two* wars being fought there. The first, the one most Americans were familiar with, was the media war, or at least the version of the Vietnam War brought into our homes every night courtesy of the television networks. The other was the real war, the one which our armed forces actually won more than once, only to be deprived of their victory by the no-win policies followed by the administrations in Washington.

Indeed, the Tet Offensive of 1968, which was presented by the media as a disastrous defeat for the American and South Vietnamese forces, was in reality a major victory for them. Whole divisions of the North Vietnamese Army were routed and fled back across the DMZ in disarray. If President Johnson had not declared a halt to the bombing of North Vietnam just before the 1968 presidential election there is a good chance South Vietnam and Cambodia might not be living through the terroristic nightmare those countries have suffered through for the past half-dozen years.

Young Americans for Freedom did their best to support our troops in Vietnam and they also mounted boycotts of the growing transfer of American technology to the Soviet Union. It is one of the supreme ironies of our age that America began to significantly increase its shipments of technology and engineering know-how

to the USSR while we were dealing with the Soviet's surrogates in Vietnam.

YAF effectively challenged the USSR and it did so by organizing the National Business Machines Company, and others engaged in selling equipment to Russia and its satellites.

Working closely with YAF came the American Conservative Union. Immediately after the 1964 election by which it had initiated YAF: Bill Buckley, Meyer, and Marvin Liebman. The first meeting in Washington by Congressmen Donald Bruce, James Buckley, and others.

Bill Rusher had sounded me out about becoming the first chairman of the YAF but I felt I could be more effective in the Republican Party. Don Bruce, a Congressman from Indiana, was named chairman in 1967 when my old friend John F. Kennedy died.

Although the ACU had some success in its early years, it became an effective force for conservative membership was about 300,000, and the Republican National Committee water campaign.

Moreover, ACU has spun off several other organizations including the Conservative Voice, a conservative political action committee, the Exchange Council, run by Katharine S. Whitehorn, a conservative state legislator and the Educational Research Institute, and the National Journalism Center. Bill Evans.

The Washington Post

AN INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Shadows of Vietnam: The Trip to Hanoi . . .

As a Vietnam veteran, a Purple Heart recipient, an enlisted infantryman and a volunteer for the Army, after having served as a volunteer in the Peace Corps, I am appalled at the cowardly conduct of a small cell of self-appointed arbiters of America's mission in Vietnam. The four individuals who took it upon themselves to journey to Hanoi to establish American policy on MIAs are dutifully serving the interests of the international collectivists. They manifest a stark dishonor to those who died to defend a small nation struggling to survive—South Vietnam.

At the historical moment when there is communist genocide in Southeast Asia, Soviet aggression in Afghanistan and the march of boots in Poland, we have the cruel paradox of four Americans heartily embracing those same North Vietnamese who pursue imperialist aggression in Cambodia. The way in which we fought the war in Vietnam was stupid, but, as President Reagan has stated, it was a noble cause.

Let us honor those who served with dignity—not with the harlequin theatrics of four misguided fellow citizens.

RICHARD B. ABELL

Alexandria



Richard B. Abell
Director, OPD

By Rick Abell

The Office of Program Development (OPD) is the successor to the three-year-old Office of Programming and Training Coordination (OPTC).

This is the office that fulfills the functional and technical training, programmatic and back-up needs of the PCV in the field. OPD also provides the experts that go to the field to explain, implement and—where appropriate—assess for the purpose of improving programs.

Manuals PC produces for the field come from OPD; the *ICE Almanac*, part of *The Peace Corps Times*, comes out of OPD. The United Nations volunteers, the initiatives with private voluntary organizations and disaster relief conference planning are products of OPD's operations, also.

In short, OPD is the functional-technical backstop of Peace Corps.

As a field-based office, the 28 OPD personnel are most effective if they are in the field a third to a half of the time.

They work primarily in the six OPD sectors that have been targeted for special emphasis as part of the Peace Corps mission and the overall US "aid" mission generally in recent years.

The six sectors are energy, agriculture, forestry, fisheries, health and water/sanitation.

While energy has been an important consideration in years past, it is most certainly a high priority today. This includes harnessing power that comes from such things as wind mills, bio-gas digesters and solar panels.

- The agriculture sector includes small animals, vegetable gardens and grain storage facilities and their role in developing countries.
- The forestry area is certainly high priority today from a standpoint of conservation, watershed management and fuel wood.
- Fisheries programming is one of Peace Corps' biggest success stories. It has had a big impact on people's health as well as income generation and protein development.
- Health sector activities deal with nutrition as well as nursing and a whole panorama of associated factors.
- Our water/sanitation involvement includes everything from irrigation to well construction to sanitary conditions for the water.

These are the principle thrusts of OPD.

Two of these programs are currently funded under what is called a PASA (Participating Agency Service Agreement) with the Agency for International Development (AID).

OPD, Si; OPTC No Longer Director of Program Development Shares Directional Thoughts

Rick Abell, a Returned Volunteer who served in Colombia (1967-69), is director of the Peace Corps' (newly named) Office of Program Development, formerly Office of Programming and Training Coordination, in Washington.

He oversees development of Peace Corps programs abroad as well as pre-service training for Volunteers as he has been doing since March of last year.

Before returning to the Peace Corps, Abell was in the Army in Vietnam, studied and taught law, and held several jobs in local and national government.

As a Volunteer in the Andes Mountains of Colombia, Abell performed a variety of duties, including forming township level governments; constructing schools, roads and bridges; teaching nutrition and English; and managing demonstration projects such as pig inoculation and seed distribution.

While there, he met and married Lucia del Carmen Lombana-Cadauid, a Colombian who later served as a Peace Corps staff member.

He served in the Army from 1969-71 and was wounded in action. He was awarded the Air Medal, the Army Commendation Medal for Heroism and the Purple Heart.

Abell, a 1974 graduate of George Washington University Law School, was a member of the adjunct faculties of Delaware Law School and West Chester State College. He earned a B.A. degree in international affairs from GWU in 1966.

He served as assistant district attorney and police legal coordinator of Chester, PA, from 1974-79.

He, his wife and three children reside in Alexandria, VA.

These sectors, energy and forestry, rely on mutual agreement on objectives along with support funds from AID. This includes collaboration in the areas of study, training and consulting inputs as well as the development of new training modules and manuals for Volunteer support.

Another valuable area of OPD is the Information Collection Exchange (ICE). This is the source of specific, technical manuals and the *ICE Almanac*.

The office which the Volunteer in the field is most likely to interact with is, of course, the country PC staff office. (There may be administrative relationships with his or her country's regional officials but generally the Volunteer is not involved in this area.) If there is direct contact with PC/Washington, the most likely office the PCV would be in touch with is OPD.

This would occur if a Volunteer had a technical question that nobody on the in-country staff could answer. ICE would then look up, track down, or sub-contract the question to a knowledgeable individual or group to determine the answer. Either the answer or an explanation of when the answer is coming is then passed on to the PCV.

(It should be noted, from an organizational standpoint, that OPD no longer handles the staff training function but is, now, in charge of PC's association with the United Nations Volunteers, private voluntary organizations and such ad hoc programs as disaster relief.)

Ideally, and in practice, OPD also works with the PC leadership to im-

plement programming and Administration goals in a "think tank" capacity. We develop programmatic modules which are implemented by the Regions.

A practical—and current—example of this is the anti-communism training module which is being developed in accordance with Section 8-C of the Peace Corps Act for use at overseas stagings.

The speech by President Ronald Reagan to the World Affairs Council last fall was unique and important in that this was the first time in

"One thing that should be noted is the outstanding job Agriculture Sector Specialist Franklin Moore is doing. His grasp of knowledge and his ability to transmit this to the Volunteers through our training programs are superb," said Abell.

some 20 years that a U.S. president has given a major policy address concerned with developmental philosophy as the major theme rather than foreign policy, foreign aid or national security being emphasized.

Any PCV interested in receiving a copy should write OPD and we will send one out.

The main focus of the Administration in terms of developmental philosophy is on agriculture, energy and competitive enterprise development. (PC is already well-positioned in agriculture and energy related projects and is looking for appropriate areas of free enterprise that promise the most potential for income generation and success on the part of the people of countries where we are involved.)

These are the areas of emphasis in many ways traditional and ongoing, which OPD and its various components will address in the years ahead while trying to assist Volunteers as best we can.



Richard B. Abell, Director of the Office of Program Development, swings a pick-axe working with a Junta de Accion Comunal during a ground-breaking ceremony for a school in Valdivia, Antioquia, Colombia as a PCV there in 1968.

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matics, medical, business, children's stories and National Geographic.

When requesting books, please state subject area, school grade and any pertinent information that would be helpful, (i.e. level of proficiency in English).

(Note that you are a Peace Corps Volunteer. You will be notified when the books are shipped, but Book Aid cannot follow-up a shipment.) Volunteers ending service before books arrive should inform

someone that books are in transit so they will be accepted and opened upon arrival rather than returned.

Books are packed in 10-pound mailing envelopes, sent to the Volunteer's address via surface mail and may take three to six months to arrive.

Please print name and return address and send request letters to DARIEN BOOK AID PLAN, INC., 1926 Post Road, Darien, Conn., 06820.

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

July 27, 1982

TO: LYNN ROSS WOOD

FROM: MICHAEL K. DEAVER *M*

SUBJECT: LLOYD M. "TAG" TAGGART
CANDIDATE FOR NATIONAL
ENDOWMENT FOR THE ARTS

Lynn, would you please see what you can do to get Tag
Taggart placed in one of the remaining two slots for
National Endowment For the Arts?

July 23, 1982

MEMORANDUM TO:

ROSALIE VASILIOU

FROM:

LYNN ROSS WOOD

SUBJECT:

LLOYD M. "TAG" TAGGART
CANDIDATE FOR NATIONAL
ENDOWMENT FOR THE ARTS

Regarding the eight vacancies coming up this fall, I advised Tag that six candidates have been selected, and that the remaining two slots must be filled with nationally known names in the fields of TV and Architecture/Fashion.

Tag indicated that he may ask Mike Deaver for his support. I suggested to Tag that he give us some alternative board/ commission in which he may have an interest, but he expressed none.

*Shirley
pls note*

cc: Michael K. Deaver ✓

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

July 26, 1982

Dear Dr. Davis:

In reference to your letter of July 14, 1982, I have been in touch with our Personnel Department regarding the permanent placement of Randy Dentel at the Department of Defense.

I have been assured that Mr. Dentel will be given a permanent schedule C position at the Department of Defense. If Mr. Dentel has any questions about the position he should call Marybel Batjer at 697-7968.

Sincerely,

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

Richard A. Davis, M.D.
Professional Corporation
3400 Spruce Street
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19104

RICHARD A. DAVIS, M. D.
PROFESSIONAL CORPORATION
3400 SPRUCE STREET
PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA 19104

DEPARTMENT OF NEUROSURGERY
EVERGREEN 2-7969

14 July 1982

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

In re: Mr. Randy Dentel

Dear Mr. Deaver:

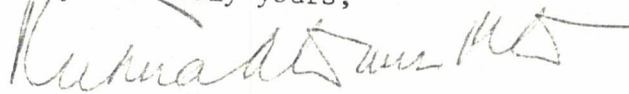
I would appreciate your personal assistance on behalf of a close friend. **Randy Dentel**, who is now a temporary political appointee, is seeking permanent placement in his current position at the Defense Department.

His present appointment will expire next month. From all reports, Randy has been performing exceptionally well and I understand White House personnel and others in the Defense Department have made efforts on his behalf.

I am concerned, however, that because of bureaucratic delays, Randy's August 10th termination date will come up before he secures a permanent slot.

I believe a call from you to Noel Koch (Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense/ISA/Africa Region-- telephone 697-7728) **expressing your support, would clinch for Randy the permanent Schedule C position (GS-14) in International Security Affairs (ISA) Africa Region.** Thank you so much for your consideration.

Very sincerely yours,



Richard A. Davis, M.D.

RAD/dmw

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

July 23, 1982

Dear Dick:

Pursuant to our discussion at the Capitol July 21st, I'm writing you with regard to Eric Rosenberger. The position we are interested in placing him in is that of Deputy Assistant Secretary for International Finance and Development (EB/IFD).

It is my understanding that this position will become available in early fall. Any assistance that can be given to Eric in obtaining this position will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

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

The Honorable Richard Kennedy
Under Secretary for Management
Department of State
Room 7207
New State Building
2201 C Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20520

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

July 8, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR: Michael K. Deaver

FROM: Eric Rosenberger *ER*

SUBJECT: Position at the Department of State

To follow up on our discussion this afternoon, the position we discussed is the Deputy Assistant Secretary for International Finance and Development in the Bureau of Economic and Business Affairs at State. This position is currently held by Elinor G. Constable, and I have been told that her rotation in this position is about to end. She is married to Peter Constable who is in the Near East and Asia Bureau of State. Dick McCormick is scheduled to become the Assistant Secretary of the Bureau of Economic and Business Affairs, replacing Bob Hormats.

I will be away next week and am scheduled to begin work in the Bureau for Private Enterprise at AID on July 19. It would be helpful if you could notify AID that my responsibilities at the White House will extend past July 19th. I am now on AID's payroll and I would like to make sure that I continue on their rolls until an appropriate transfer can be made.

I will schedule an appointment to see you when I return on July 19th.

Thank you.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

July 12, 1982

Dear Bruce:

Thank you for your letter regarding a White House internship for Susan Hickey.

While there is no official White House internship program, certain Departments in the Executive Branch do accept volunteers under certain guidelines. This work is without compensation and each volunteer intern must work at least 30 hours per week. I suggest you contact Lynn Ross Wood in Presidential Personnel (456-7110) to discuss further particulars. I have brought your letter of recommendation to her attention.

I am grateful for your good recommendation and hope Miss Hickey joins us.

Sincerely,

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

Mr. Bruce Nestande
Chairman of the Board of Supervisors
Orange County Hall of Administration
10 Civic Center Plaza
Santa Ana, CA 92701-4061

cc: Lynn Wood



SUPERVISOR, THIRD DISTRICT
BRUCE NESTANDE
CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
ORANGE COUNTY HALL OF ADMINISTRATION
10 CIVIC CENTER PLAZA, SANTA ANA, CALIFORNIA 92701-4061
PHONE: 834-3330 (AREA CODE 714)

June 30, 1982

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

Dear Mike:

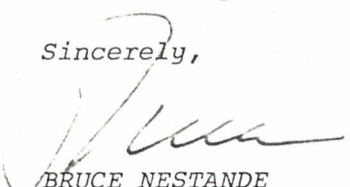
Enclosed is a resume for Susan A. Hickey, a student at UCLA.

Susan is most interested in being selected for an internship position in Washington, D.C. during the winter quarter in 1983. She has indicated a particular desire to be considered for such a position in the Executive Branch.

Susan was picked as one of 15 students from UCLA to participate in the school's Washington Internship Program. She has an outstanding academic record, maintaining a 3.6 grade point average while still participating in numerous community activities. In addition, Susan is presently working in the field of public relations, enabling her to use the knowledge she has acquired during her studies at UCLA.

Susan has proven herself to be a most diligent and capable individual. I am certain that she would be an excellent addition to the internship program, and I seek your consideration and assistance in Susan's selection as a Washington, D.C. intern.

Sincerely,


BRUCE NESTANDE
Chairman of the Board

BN:kck

Enclosure

RESUME

Susan A. Hickey

Campus Address:

UCLA Hedrick Hall
250 DeNeve Drive, #229
Los Angeles, CA 90024

Permanent Address:

25712 Morales Street
Mission Viejo, CA 92691

Date of Birth: November 26, 1962
Place of Birth: Long Beach, California

University Work:

Major: Economics
Minor: Political Science

GPA: 3.6

Class Standing during Internship: Junior at University of California at Los Angeles
Attended University of Southern California during Freshman Year with Scholarship.

Honors, College - Community Activities:

U.S.C. - Alumni Scholarship recipient, Helenes (campus hostesses), Joint Education project in the U.S.C. Community, Helpline Crisis line - Board of Directors. U.C.L.A. - Alpha Lambda Delta Honor Society, Bruin Belles, Delta Gamma Sorority - Assistant pledge trainer, California Scholarship Federal Seal Bearer

Special Academic or Professional Skills:

Advanced Lifesaving, Water Safety Instructor, C.P.R., Crisis Line Listening Skills.

Interests and Hobbies:

Water Ski Racing, Snow Skiing, Sailing, Traveling, Meeting New People, Dancing, Poetry, Music (Guitar).

Travel Experience (U.S. or International):

I have traveled extensively throughout the U.S., Canada and Mexico with my family. I spent the summer of 1976 in Europe with a group of fellow students.

Employment Record:

<u>Employer</u>	<u>Job Description</u>	<u>Dates</u>	<u>Salary</u>
Los Angeles Country Club	Public Relations	4/82 to Present	
Lake Arrowhead Country Club	Public Relations	6/81 to 9/81	\$4.20/hr.
Saddleback Valley School District	Lifeguard/ Swim Instructor	6/80 to 9/80	\$3.65/hr.
Lake Forest Sun & Sail Club	Lifeguard	5/79 to 6/80	\$3.40/hr.

Career Objective:

I plan on using my knowledge of economics, and my broad background in politics by becoming involved in a job that is closely related to the two fields.

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 30, 1982

TO: MICHAEL DEEVER
FROM: LYNN ROSS WOOD
SUBJECT: CAROL PARR

LRW

Unfortunately, we have not been able to locate the resume of Carol, the wife of Jerry Parr. I have learned they are vacationing at present, but due back next week at which time I will contact her.

As per your request, we shall attempt to place Mrs. Parr on a part-time board/commission in the area of her expertise - taxes.

Will keep you posted.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

6-21-82

Mike:

Here is a copy of Merrie Spaeth's
resume for you to look at before
we schedule an interview with
her.

SM

SHIRLEY MOORE

MERRIE SPAETH

Home: 640 Burnham Road
Philadelphia, PA 19119
(215) 438-4308

Office: Federal Trade Commission
Washington, DC 20580
(202) 523-3023/3423

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Phone
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EDUCATION

Smith College B.A. cum laude 1970 - American Studies
Dean's List 4 years
Poetry Prize 1970

Columbia University Graduate School of Business 1980
Concentration: New Venture
Achievement Award 1980

Tom
DeCasse
Justice Dept

EMPLOYMENT

1981 - Present Federal Trade Commission - Consultant to the Chairman.
Work on speeches for senior staff; advise the Chairman
on use of the media; particularly local electronic
media; create and implement procedures, systems and ideas
to educate the public about consumer protection and
antitrust issues.

Family Weekly Magazine - Regular columnist on personal
finance and economics.

Sept. 1980-
Nov. 1981

White House Fellow - Special Assistant to William Webster,
Director F.B.I. Responsible for liaison with two operat-
ing departments of the Bureau. Worked on Director's
speeches and schedule; accompanied Director at briefings;
worked on a variety of issues involving press and public
education. As a White House Fellow, met regularly with
various individuals, attended White House functions
(including cabinet meetings) as an observer and travelled
domestically and in South America.

(Broadcasting Employment)

Jan. 1980-
Sept. 1980

A.B.C. Television, New York City - Produced segments
for "20/20," weekly magazine show.

Jan. 1979-
Sept. 1979

Warner Amex Cable, Columbus, Ohio and New York City -
Host and producer of "Columbus Alive," nightly
hour-long variety/talk show. Public affairs inter-
views as assigned.

Sept. 1979-
June 1980

Warner Amex Cable, New York City headquarters -
Consultant on wine tasting series. Interviewed
Presidential candidates for series "Race to the
White House."

Summer 1977-
Fall 1978

W.O.R. Television, New York City - Weekly report of
events of interest over the weekend; freelance on
general assignment; documentary on gifted children.

Dec. 1976-
Spring 1978

W.N.Y.C. Television, New York City - Substitute
anchor on nightly news; weekly report of weekend
events.

July 1976-
Dec. 1977

Manhattan Cable, New York City - Formed a production
company which produced and distributed a weekly
magazine show, "Manhattan Weekend," about weekend
events of interest. "Manhattan Weekend" lasted a year
and a half and was the first general cable show to
garner institutional advertising support (from the
Bankers Trust Company). Approximately 20 people
worked with or for "Manhattan Weekend."

Fall 1974-
Dec. 1975

W.M.C.A. Radio, New York City - Host and producer
of the Saturday morning talk/news show.

(Print Journalism)

1978 - Present Family Weekly - Freelance.

1974 - 1977 New York Daily News - Feature pieces on freelance
basis. Topics ranged from medical research to
implications of various pieces of legislation.
(One series on gifted children brought 2,500
letters to the NEWS.)

Summer 1969-
1970

The Philadelphia Inquirer - General assignment
reporter.

(Political/Campaign Work)

- 1972 Republican Candidate for State Representative,
Philadelphia, Pa.
- 1965 - 1972 Volunteer for Republican candidates for District
Attorney, Mayor, and Governor of Pennsylvania, and
again for the Republican candidate for the U.S.
Senate, 1976.

(Miscellaneous)

- 1963 - 1967 Television entertainment in New York City and
Hollywood, appearing in a film, "The World of
Henry Orient," numerous television shows, and
a stage play.
- Occasional writing for a variety of other publications.
Young Poet of New York Award 1971.

PUBLIC SERVICE

- Current Columbia University Graduate School of Business-
Board member
- 1976-78 Abused Women's Aid in Crisis-Board member
- Winter 1977 Smithsonian Institute, Woodrow Wilson seminars
on Government Reorganization-participant
- Winter 1974 Commission on Critical Choices-member, panel of
young political leaders

REFERENCES

- Mr. Lewis Lehrman, Chairman, Rite Aid Drug Company, New York City
Mr. Justin Dart, Chairman, Executive Committee, Dart/Kraft, Los Angeles
Mr. Arthur Laffer, Economist and Consultant, Los Angeles
Dr. James C. Miller III, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission, Washington

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F.B.I. Shares Its Turf With White House Fellow

By JANE PERLEZ

With the kind of aplomb that reflected familiarity with the top-secret territory, Merrile Spach walked through the empty conference room of the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and strode into the Director's office.

William H. Webster happened to be out of town for the day and Miss Spach, a White House fellow at the F.B.I. who has been a special assistant to Mr. Webster for the past year, wanted to show a visitor her farewell gift to her boss.

"Judge Webster's Bear," Miss Spach announced, grabbing a stuffed animal from one of the easy chairs around Mr. Webster's desk.

The light-hearted excursion into the inner sanctum of the F.B.I. was an illustration of the unusual and free-wheeling access that Miss Spach was accorded in her year at the bureau.

Background in Television

Until last year, Miss Spach, 33 years old, was an independent television producer and interviewer from New York who knew more about asking the questions about government than answering them. Then she became one of 17 White House Fellows, selected from 2,000 applicants, who trained out through the Federal Gov-

ernment in the last half year of President Carter's Administration.

The 17 selected included eight women, but none ended up in quite as much of a male reserve as Miss Spach, who was the first woman, aside from secretaries, to work along the seventh-floor corridor at the bureau's building on Pennsylvania Avenue. Miss Spach, who completed her fellowship this month, said that at first, with few exceptions, "there was a tremendous amount of reservation" among the top officials.

"The first problem was one of

style," said Miss Spach, in an interview in her office, off the Director's visitor's reception room. "This is a group of middle-aged men who all their lives have associated with men. They were unused to working with young women. The second problem was an organizational one. This is a career-oriented place and hierarchical. I had to be extremely careful with the executives, to appear that I did not challenge them."

Her entrance at the bureau was not made any easier by the fact that she is, by her own admission, "a fairly flashy type." An extrovert, with boundless confidence, she was a child actress and three weeks after she arrived, "The World of Henry Orient," a film she had starred in when she was 14, appeared on television. "I had a problem being taken seriously for a while after that," she said ruefully.

The White House fellowship program was started by President Johnson in 1965 as a way to provide "gifted and highly motivated young Americans" with first-hand knowledge of the Federal Government. Ideally, a fellowship combines a learning experience for the participant and productive work for the Cabinet officer, White House official or agency head to whom the fellow is assigned.

Miss Spach did not participate in F.B.I. investigations. Rather, she op-

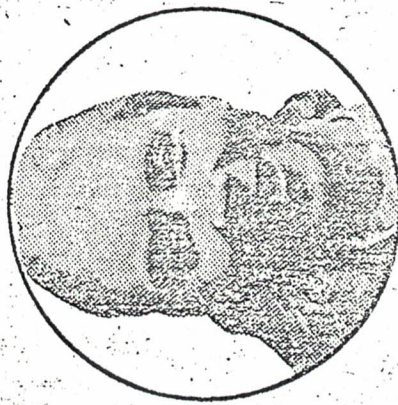
erated as a right-hand aide to Mr. Webster.

One of her proudest accomplishments, she said, was opening the bureau to those who would usually find it off-bounds. For example, she introduced Mr. Webster to Victor Navasky, the editor of *The Nation*, a magazine that often takes an adversarial position to the bureau. She also established an exhibit about women who are special agents as part of the popular tour of the bureau.

Roger S. Young, the department's spokesman, asked her to work on its writing the bureau's guidelines on its relations with the press. She accompanied the Director to hearings on the Hill, helped prepare his testimony, and advised him on how to make the television show "Today's F.B.I." work to the bureau's advantage.

"We capitalized on her experience with the media," Mr. Young said. "She gave freely of her counsel. In some cases, I accepted it. I always listened. She was very helpful in emphasizing and defining the role of women."

James C. Roberts, director of the President's Commission on White House Fellowships, said Miss Spach's year with the F.B.I. worked out so well that the bureau was willing to accept another fellow this year.



The New York Times/Teresa Zabala

Merrile Spach

The men at the FBI: A woman's view

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"But, that was difficult. There is a tremendous amount of reservation" from the career FBI types, just about a woman, second about a white House Fellow, and third about a person with a journalism background, she said.

"It was not a place to give off arm signals, to make waves. I had to prove myself. I had to learn how to function as a bureaucrat."

That is one of the goals of the white House Fellows program, started in 1965, to give talented young people firsthand knowledge of how the government works at its highest levels.

Her 15-month tour at the FBI adds to the "eclectic resume" Ms. Spaeth has compiled since graduating from Germantown Friends School and Bryn Mawr College.

Although she was a teen-age actress in the movie "The World of Henry Orient" and on several television shows, she now refers to herself as an "ex-actress."

"I'm a young executive who wants to get on with my life," she said. Ms.

Spaeth is interested in a future in the television business, maybe in Philadelphia, where her large family lives, including an uncle, Pennsylvania Superior Court Judge Edmund B. Spaeth Jr.

"I have 10 cousins, all about my age, and all of them are working in Philadelphia," she said. "It's a great city."

In her past 12 years, she has written for The Philadelphia Inquirer, done public relations for Provident National Bank, campaigned for Thatcher Longstrech in his losing mayoral campaign in 1971, and made an unsuccessful attempt in 1972 to win a seat in the Pennsylvania General Assembly as a Republican.

can in a heavily Democratic district.

She paused for a breath and moved to New York, where she hosted a radio interview show, did freelance writing, formed her own television production company, produced segments of the ABC network news show "20/20," and worked in cable television in Columbus, Ohio. She graduated from Columbia University's graduate business school in 1980.

"I've got a lot of energy," Ms. Spaeth noted during a brisk walk outside the J. Edgar Hoover FBI building on Pennsylvania ave., halfway between the White House and the Capitol.

Although now no longer at the bureau — she turned down an invita-

tion to remain as a Webster aide after her fellowship expired — she keeps the place close to her heart.

On a chain around her neck is a gold medal, carrying the FBI insignia, and inscribed, "Merrie Spaeth, August 1980 to November 1981." It is signed by Webster and was a gift from the director when she left.

In return, she gave Webster a stuffed cub bear wearing an FBI T-shirt, gray striped pants and a judicial robe. The bear, named Judge William Websbear, also wears horn-rimmed glasses like Webster's, and little running shoes.

"Underneath, the T-shirt is a Superman shirt," Ms. Spaeth said. "For that's what I think he is."

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FOCUS

The Bureau and Ms. Spaeth

One woman's view of the men who run the FBI

By DAVID RUNKEL
Bulletin Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON — Merrie M. Spaeth is one former Philadelphia politician who is not suspicious of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and vice versa.

Many of Philadelphia's erstwhile politicians have had dealings with the FBI, but none has had a closer relationship than this 33-year-old woman, who grew up in Chestnut Hill.

Until recently, Miss Spaeth was a White House Fellow serving as a top assistant to FBI Director William Webster.

She was the first Fellow at the FBI and the first woman to sit in on meetings of the bureau's executive council," Ms. Spaeth said in a recent interview. "This is a group of middle-aged men who all their lives have associated with men. They were unused to working with young women. The highest-ranking career woman at the FBI is at the fifth level from the top.

"At first they were all excessively polite. They would stand up when I entered the room and when they would swear, they would say, 'Excuse me.'"

"Of course, being a journalist, I had never heard anyone swear," she said with a smile.

But the FBI is trying to change its character and its

image. When Ms. Spaeth was selected from the 2,000 applicants in the summer of 1980 to be one of 17 White House Fellows, she was recruited by Webster to come spend a year as one of his four executive assistants.

Although it was not her first choice, she accepted.

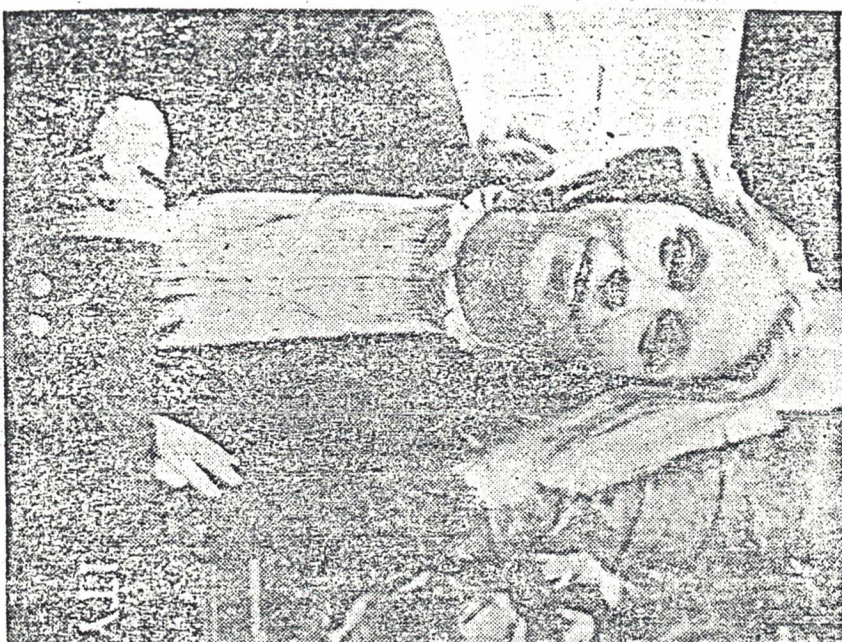
The year stretched into 15 months as Ms. Spaeth became involved in the management and public-relations problems of the bureau.

"I did not do any investigating, although I did sit in on some briefings," she recalled. She wrote speeches, prepared testimony for Webster's appearances before congressional committees, arranged meetings for Webster with businessmen, set up an exhibit about women special agents for all to see on the popular tour of the FBI building, and helped work out plans for the television show, "Today's FBI."

It was a real education for Ms. Spaeth, who, after all, "went to college in the '60s and didn't think very highly" of the FBI.

She found that the bureau, although a "secret society," is "a professional organization of dedicated people. Americans can be proud of the FBI."

"I was there, right at the top," she recalled. "Judge Webster (the director was a federal district judge) told me to go in and stir things up."



Please see THE MEN Page C17

Former Philadelphian Merrie Spaeth poses in the court where she worked as a top assistant to FBI Director Webster.

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 21, 1982

TO: Michael Farrell
Deputy Director - Presidential Personnel

FROM: Michael K. Deaver
Assistant to the President *Mike*
Deputy Chief of Staff

SUBJECT: Lanny Wiles

I respectfully request that Lanny Wiles be considered for a place on the A.I.D. Board for Small Business to Third World Nations. Lanny has a great deal of knowledge about poultry and would be a useful member.

Thank you.

Draft

MIKE FARRELL

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a place ^{on} ~~as a member of~~ the A.I.D. Board for Small Business
to Third World Nations. Lanny has a great deal of knowledge
about poultry and would be a useful member.

Deputy Director Phil Personnel

Requested
6-21-82 by
Lanny W.
Mike Farrell
said he
needed
this.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

MIKE:

I checked on this. Kellogg is
under consideration for an
ambassadorship - not necessarily
to Austria.

Any action?

file

Pat

HENRY A. KISSINGER

June 11, 1982

Dear Mike:

Francis L. Kellogg has written me describing his interest in becoming Ambassador to Austria. I understand he is under consideration. He worked for me for a while when I was Secretary of State and I believe he is well qualified for the post.

I hope this is helpful.

Warm regards,



Henry A. Kissinger

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

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 11, 1982

Dick
Dear Mr. Planteen:

Thank you for your letter and personal recommendation of Superior Court Judge James L. Long.

I have taken the liberty of forwarding your comments and material to Mr. Fred Fielding, Counsel to the President, who handles all matters pertaining to federal judges.

Sincerely,

Mike

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

Mr. Dick Planteen
2115 J Street
Sacramento, CA 95816

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

MAY 28 1982

ACTION:

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Executive Offices 2115 J Street • Sacramento, Ca. 95816

P.O. Box 161179

Phone (916) 446-0195

May 21, 1982

Mr. Mike Deaver
The White House
Washington DC 20500

Dear Mike:

I am enclosing a packet of materials extolling the virtues of Superior Court Judge James L. Long.

Jimmy Long worked for me many years ago, and I can only echo the sentiments expressed in these letters.

I am very much gratified that you in far-away Washington DC, and with a mind almost overoccupied, should take the time to read this material.

Kisses and a hug to Carolyn.

Sincerely,


Dick Planteen

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 15, 1982

Dear Dick:

I would appreciate anything you can do to place Mark Houston at Agriculture, preferably in Congressional Affairs. He is a bright young man and is highly qualified for the position he is seeking.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Mike", written over the printed name.

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

Mr. Richard Lyng
Deputy Secretary of Agriculture
US Department of Agriculture
Washington, D.C. 20250

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

June 8, 1982

*Shut
lets do a
note to
Dick Lyons.*

TO: JOHN SCHROTE
FROM: LYNN ROSS WOOD
SUBJECT: MARK HOUSTON

LWR

A reminder that you are going to do everything you can to place Mark at Agriculture, preferably in Congressional Affairs.

cc: Michael K. Deaver ✓

RICHARD LYNG

*Dep. Sec. of Ag.
U.S. Dept of Ag.
Washington 20250*

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 11, 1982

Dear Mr. Ballal:

Thank you very much for your recent letter indicating your interest in the position of Secretary of Education. However, I am afraid that somehow you have been given incorrect information. Secretary Bell has the full support of the White House and has not indicated that he desires to leave his position.

Your support of this Administration is sincerely appreciated and I hope you will feel free to advise us of any other positions which may interest you.

Again, thank you for your letter and for your interest in serving the Administration.

Sincerely,



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

Dr. S. K. Ballal
President
Tennessee Academy of Science
460 E. 15th Street
Cookeville, Tennessee 38501

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Sincerely,



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

Dr. S.K. Ballal
President
Tennessee Academy of Science
460 E. 15th Street
Cookeville, Tennessee 38501



*Helene
what can I
say?*

May 25, 1982

Hon'ble Mike Deaver
The Executive Office of the President
The White House
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Deaver:

After my return from Washington, D.C. last week, I communicated with Senator Howard Baker regarding my availability as a candidate for the position being vacated by Mr. Terrell Bell, the Secretary of Education. After discussing the subject informally with the attendees at the National Academy of Sciences Convocation on Math and Science education, I got the impression that N.E.A. may want a nationally well-known figure to fill this position to draw national attention to the Department of Education.

Over the years this nation spent billions of dollars on education of our children without being able to show any increment in test scores on crucial subjects such as math and sciences. Many functions of education of our youngsters should be handled at the local level, and let the parents and the school boards show some interest, backed by their tax dollars, in improving the educational status of their children. As a President of the Tennessee Academy of Science, I can bring some expertise on education to manage the Education Secretariat. I am looking forward to hearing from you.

With kind regards,

Sincerely,



Dr. S. K. Ballal, President
Tennessee Academy of Science

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 2, 1982

Dear Mike:

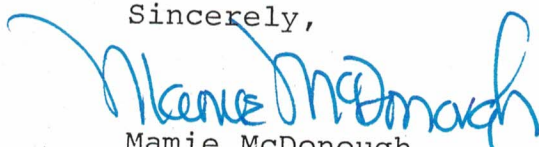
As you know, I have decided to return to private industry; and therefore, I hope this brief note to you will serve as my letter of resignation, effective June 11, 1982.

I have enjoyed my service to President and Mrs. Reagan and the Administration. My year at the White House will be one I shall remember as a great learning experience as well as a wonderful opportunity to work with you and the other members of the President's staff.

It goes without saying, that as a volunteer from the private sector, I will always be available to serve the President and you.

With best wishes and thanks,

Sincerely,


Mamie McDonough

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

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 19, 1982

MEMORANDUM TO: Michael K. Deaver

FROM: Helene von Damm

SUBJECT: Executive Director,
U.S. Holocaust Memorial Council
PA, POP

The Executive Director of the Council is appointed by the President after receiving recommendations from the Council. Our office has checked with the Counsel's Office and OLC at Justice and they have confirmed that the President is not required to follow the recommendations of the Council.

The previous Executive Director was Monroe Freedman who resigned. Thereafter a consultant to the Council Robert E. Agus appears to have declared himself "acting director". Such a person is unacceptable to Elizabeth Dole and our office. Red Caveney and Mike Farrell are working to get an acceptable person forwarded by the Council so as not to cause a controversy. As of today no recommendations have been forwarded by the Council.

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April 21, 1982

Ms. Helene VonDamm
Deputy Assisnat to the President
and Director of Presidential
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The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Helene:

I am bringing to your attention a very serious matter which can become explosive once it becomes official, and it has the potential of being very embarrassing to the President.

The forthcoming appointment of Mr. Robert E. Agus to become the Executive Director of the Holocaust Council (if true) is a grave error which may have repercussions in the Jewish Community and specifically, among the Republican sector. Let me give you reasons which I believe will make Agus not qualified for the above mentioned position:

1. He made his own announcement, preempting the President and putting the President in an embarrassing situation. (See enclosure.)
2. Agus is totally unknown in the Jewish Community and has no backing whatsoever.
3. Agus' political views are totally alien and opposite to the President's and are to the left of former Senator McGovern.
4. Agus has been involved in some Jewish organizations which are not part of the Jewish mainstream and are against the Jewish establishment.
5. The Holocaust Council created by President Carter has a 95% membership of Democrats. Its new Director will face over a period of time six million Jews. The Director will have to explain President Reagan's views on every aspect of his policies and philosophies. Agus cannot in good conscience represent the President, he opposes them.
6. Agus has absolutely no qualifications for his present job. His resume (which is enclosed) very cleverly omits or conceals his political activities.
7. Agus was recommended for the position of Executive Director by the outgoing Acting Director, Monroe Freedman, as a part of a package. Once Agus is in that job he will appoint Freedman as a legal counsel and advisor to the Holocaust Commission. Freedman, incidentally, is also an ardent radical who is not supporting the President.

8. Agus advocated resistance to the draft and himself did not serve in the Armed Services.

9. Agus has so-called expertise in real estate and all his career was devoted to organizing communities for grants and dissent.

Perhaps you did not hear many opposing Agus' appointment. It is simply that so few know him and it is customary among Jews not to criticize an appointment of a Jew, but once it becomes final, the press will have a heyday.

Mr. Wiesel, who is the Chairman of the Council, will see the President to discuss the appointment since he (Wiesel) feels that the President should honor his recommendation. This simply should not be so.

There are many highly visible and qualified individuals who are supporters of the President, and to choose a non-entity (Agus) will certainly not bring credit to President Reagan since Agus is totally not qualified from every point of view to hold any appointment in this Administration.

I share my views with you since I do want the President to succeed and yet, such a minor appointment may be very damaging to him.

With best regards,



David Korn

Enclosures:

1. Agus' announcement in Jewish Week
2. Resume - Agus

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 25, 1982

Dear Bill:

Thanks for your Mailgram regarding Jim Stearns to replace Jim Edwards upon his departure. I appreciate your input - and Jim's name is already in the hopper.

Hope things are going well for you.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEAVER
Assistant to the President
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DEAR MIKE

AS YOU KNOW I AM MOST INTERESTED IN REDUCING AMERICAS DEPENDENCE ON
FOSSIL FUELS AND ON OPEC. OUR GROUP HAS BEEN WORKING TO THAT END FOR
SEVERAL YEARS. IT IS MY FEELING THAT JIM STEARNS SHOULD BE ASKED TO
TAKE JIM EDWARDS JOB UPON EDWARDS DEPARTURE. STEARNS IS SMART AND
DEDICATED AND HE WOULD DEFINITELY IMPROVE THE PRESIDENTS IMAGE IN
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