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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 31, 1983

MEETING WITH STANLEY ZWAIK

DATE June 1, 1983
LOCATION Oval Office
TIME 4:00 pm

FROM: Faith Ryan Whittlesey *FRW*

I. PURPOSE

Recognize the Jewish War Veterans by a photo session with their National Commander Stanley Zwiak.

II. BACKGROUND

The Jewish War Veterans have about 100,000 members and an auxiliary of 50,000. The group, founded in 1896, now conducts a wide variety of services for veterans and their dependents. They are very helpful at V.A. facilities in many ways. They visit hospital wards, stage shows and parties for patients, and raise funds for special projects such as ambulances and canteen funds for the indigent. One special service has been to volunteer to "take over" as many hospital staff positions as possible on Christmas to allow Christian workers to spend time with their families. The Jewish War Veterans has been politically supportive of most Reagan Administration policies.

III. PARTICIPANTS

Stanley N. Zwaik, National Commander
Harris B. Stone, National Executive Director

IV. PRESS PLAN

White House Photographer

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

4:00 pm President greets his guests
4:05 pm Guests leave

SUGGESTED TALKING POINTS FOR MEETING WITH
STANLEY ZWAIK

- I want to thank you very much for the support which the Jewish War Veterans have given my administration.
- Your organization performs many valuable services for veterans of all faiths.
- If I could ask for your additional help on another topic, Central America. I understand that the Anti-Defamation League and other Jewish sources have compiled quite a lot of information on P.L.O. and Libyan activity there. I would appreciate your helping get out the message that the Marxist aggressors in Central America by their words and their deeds threaten all political, economic and religious freedom in our hemisphere.

THE WHITE HOUSE

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MEETING WITH COLONEL FRANK E. MILLNER

Wednesday, June 1, 1983
The Oval Office
4:00 P.M.

FROM: EDWARD V. HICKEY, JR. *6/1/83*

I. PURPOSE.

Farewell photograph with Colonel Millner and his wife

II. BACKGROUND.

Colonel Millner has served as the Deputy Director of the White House Military Office since November 1979. He is leaving for a new assignment with the First Marine Aircraft Wing in Okinawa.

III. PARTICIPANTS.

Colonel Frank E. Millner
Mrs. Millner (Sonia)
Edward V. Hickey, Jr.

IV. PRESS PLAN.

White House Photographer only

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS.

- Mr. Hickey introduces Colonel and Mrs. Millner to the President
- Military Aide reads citation accompanying the Defense Superior Service Medal
- The President presents the Defense Superior Service Medal to Colonel Millner
- Photographs of the President with Colonel and Mrs. Millner

THE WHITE HOUSE

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May 27, 1983

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: WILLIAM P. CLARK *WPC*
SUBJECT: Photo Session with US Outgoing Ambassadors
Wednesday, June 1 -- 4:00 p.m.
Oval Office

Attached are 3x5 cards noting pertinent information for your photo session with the following Ambassadors and their respective families:

Ambassador Robert E. Keating	-	Madagascar
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Ambassador James D. Rosenthal	-	Guinea
Ambassador L. Paul Bremer, III	-	The Netherlands

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PHOTO OPPORTUNITY

AMB. JAMES D. ROSENTHAL (GUINEA)

PARTICIPANTS: FAMILY - WIFE, BRITTA; DAUGHTER,
SUZANNE (18)
WH - WILLIAM P. CLARK
CHARLES TYSON
NSC - FRED WETTERING

-- EX-MARINE; CAREER FSO SINCE 1956.
-- MOST RECENT ASSIGNMENT WAS AS DCM, MANILA.

Prepared by:
Charles P. Tyson

AMB. L. PAUL BREMER, III (THE NETHERLANDS)

PARTICIPANTS: FAMILY - FRANCES (WIFE)
 L. PAUL, IV (SON)
 LEILA AMES (DAUGHTER)
 WH - WILLIAM P. CLARK
 CHARLES TYSON
 NSC - DONALD FORTIER

- AGE 42; FSO SINCE 1966
- SERVICE IN NORWAY, MALAWI, AFGHANISTAN
- SPECIAL ASST. TO SEC/STATE SINCE 1981

PHOTO OPPORTUNITY

AMB. ROBERT B. KEATING (MADAGASCAR)

PARTICIPANTS: WH - WILLIAM P. CLARK
 CHARLES TYSON
 NSC - FRED WETTERING

- LONG-TIME MINERALS EXPERT WHO HAS SERVED ON MINERALS TASK FORCES, BOTH DURING THE TRANSITION AND CURRENTLY.
- WAS MEMBER OF LAW OF THE SEA DELEGATION IN NEW YORK AND GENEVA.
- ACTIVE IN 1980 CAMPAIGN WORKING UNDER BILL BROCK ON NATIONAL COMMITTEE AND ALSO AS FUND RAISER.

PHOTO OPPORTUNITY

AMB. ALVIN P. ADAMS ((DJIBOUTI))

PARTICIPANTS: FAMILY - WIFE, MAI-ANH; SONS
 TUNG (19), LEX (10)
 BROTHER, NATHAN ADAMS
 WH - WILLIAM P. CLARK
 CHARLES TYSON
 NSC - FRED WETTERING

- CAREER FSO SINCE 1967; EXTENSIVE VIETNAM EXPERIENCE.
- WON AID MERITORIOUS HONOR AWARD IN 1970, AND STATE MERITORIOUS HONOR AWARD IN 1971.
- STAFF MEMBER, NIXON NSC, 1972-74.

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(Parvin/AB)
May 31, 1983
3:00 p.m.

PRESIDENTIAL TAPING: JUSTIN DART TRIBUTE
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1, 1983

Good evening to all of you in Los Angeles. I wish I could join you, because I know the LA Area Council of the Boy Scouts is honoring my dear friend, Justin Dart. And I just want to say . . . congratulations, Justin, you've finally made Tenderfoot.

But the Boy Scouts could find no finer role model than our guest of honor. He is a champion of our free enterprise system. Many years ago he realized that free enterprise not only requires enterprise; it requires freedom. And he has been an advocate of both ever since. He is a success. Yet he has always recognized that success brings with it obligations -- to family, to employees, to community, and to country. If America gave merit badges for service to citizens, Justin would be the equivalent of an Eagle Scout. He has contributed time and money to charity, education and politics. And my personal debt to him is immeasurable. He has been central to my life in government and politics.

I've said this before, but Justin and I didn't exactly see eye to eye when we first met. Justin's gracious wife, Jane, was in a picture with me called "Brother Rat." After getting married, she invited me out for dinner to meet her new hubby.

Later Jane told me she had warned him not to bring up politics because I was a Roosevelt Democrat and he was . . . well, let's put it this way, he hasn't changed many of his basic opinions

(Maseng/AB)
May 31, 1983
3:30 p.m.

PRESIDENTIAL TAPING: GOP WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP FORUM
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1, 1983

It is a pleasure to take this opportunity to speak with you today. I want to thank you for all you have done for our causes and our party, and encourage you to do still more. I'm sorry I can't be with you in person, but Faith and Bay and my other representatives with you will bring me a full report.

When that great philosopher and commentator De Tocqueville came to America from France, he took a long look at our country and wrote: ". . . if anyone asks me what I think the chief cause of the extraordinary prosperity and growing power of this nation is due to, I should answer, it is due to the superiority of their women." His words are still true today, only I would add, especially our Republican women.

America needs your wisdom, your inner strength, and your compassion in every phase of our national life -- in our families, communities, businesses, politics, and government. We must work together to ensure women can participate in the manner they choose and that they are treated equally. We in this Administration are committed to eliminating, once and for all, all traces of unjust discrimination against women. At the same time are doing our best to restore respect for the family and the homemakers who hold our society together.

We are making progress, but there is so much to be done. Now, more than ever, we need women like yourselves -- Republican women -- who share a commitment to basic values and our system of

democratic capitalism, to become involved in politics, run for office or offer to serve in a local, State or Federal appointment. We need your leadership.

In the last 2½ years, with your help, we have made some important changes in America's economy, undoing the damage done by the proponents of Big Government. For example the prime rate, which had reached a crippling high of 21½ percent, is now as low as 10.5. Mortgage rates, which at 18 percent had once priced 90 percent of our families out of the home market, are now down as low as 11 percent and I think we can get them lower still. And, inflation, which was at 12.4 percent when we took office, has been only eight-tenths of one percent for the last 6 months.

Amazingly, many Americans are not yet aware of this progress, particularly against inflation. Perhaps that is because with inflation, we are measuring what hasn't happened. A loaf of bread, for example, costs 2 cents more now than it did in 1980. But if we'd continued with the old rate of inflation, it would have cost 12 cents more. A half gallon of milk is about 16 cents cheaper than it would have been, hamburger about 17 cents cheaper per pound, and the savings on a dozen eggs is as much as 49 cents. Those savings can really add up. We estimate that a family of four on a fixed income of \$20,000 has \$1,600 more in purchasing power this year than they would have had under the old inflation rate.

So you can see we have been bringing substantial relief to America's financially-strapped families. Our policies are

designed to combat the inflation that stole from family budgets, expand opportunity for all our people through a renewed economy, and hasten the return of values and principles that made America both great and good.

But our struggle is only beginning, and I need your continued help if we are to reach our goals. When you return to your neighborhoods and communities help us get our message out: tell people of the progress we have made, use what you have learned at this forum and act on your ideas. Let me hear how you are doing, what your neighbors are saying, and what kind of help you need. Remember, we have set out to renew America, and it will take every one of us working together to make things right.

Once again, thank you for what you have done in the past, and I hope I can continue to count on you. The Republican Party needs you and America needs you. Good luck and God bless you.

(Elliott edit)
May 31, 1983
3:30 p.m.

PRESIDENTIAL TAPING: MESSAGE FOR CORPORATIONS IN SUPPORT
OF PUBLIC BROADCASTING
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1, 1983

Hello. I'd like to speak to you for a moment about public television.

Public television is an important service because it tries to bring meaning and clarity to the world around us. It can satisfy us by engaging our minds and increasing our understanding.

So you could say public television is a kind of valuable investment. For those of us who watch -- and that's over half of all American families each week and 70 percent each month -- it's time well spent.

For corporations, support of public television is a different kind of investment -- one that can reap satisfaction and rewards in our communities.

For those of you watching who already support public television, thank you very much. And for the rest of you, may I urge you to consider supporting this important American institution.

And now, please join me on an adventure of discovery with the new season of public television.

Thank you.

(Parvin/AB)
May 31, 1983
3:00 p.m.

PRESIDENTIAL TAPING: TEACH THE CHILDREN PROGRAM
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1, 1983

Hello to all of you watching the Teach the Children Telethon in San Antonio.

You hear a lot today about basics in the schools. Usually we mean basic courses in math, science, English. But there is another kind of basics our children need in order to learn -- basics like pencils, note pads and other school supplies. Some children don't have these essentials; their families simply cannot afford them.

These kids deserve a community's help. They deserve your personal support. When you think about them, don't think in the abstract. Imagine some bright little fellow or girl from a family which is going through some hard times. Imagine how hurt and embarrassed they are knowing they must go to school without the supplies necessary for them to do their best work. I believe you'd agree that kind of situation is not acceptable to anyone who believes in equity and excellence in education.

The Teach the Children project gives you a chance to show you care about the needy young people in the San Antonio area. And the program's success over recent years proves you do care. This is a very worthwhile project and a fine example of the volunteer spirit. Won't you write out a check? I know that you will feel good about yourself and your community. And I can guarantee you will make some needy child feel better about starting school this fall. Thank you for inviting me to be part of this telethon and God bless you.

(Bakshian edit)
May 31, 1983
4:30 p.m.

PRESIDENTIAL TAPING: AMERICAN RED CROSS
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1, 1983

We Americans always look to the Red Cross in times of disaster. Today, the Red Cross is facing a crisis of its own. In the past year floods and tornadoes have struck the Midwest and South. Storms have battered the Pacific coastline and an earthquake and mudslides have added to the problems. Relief operations have wiped out Red Cross disaster funds. The Red Cross must be ready to meet the next disaster. So I urge all of you to contribute today to the organization's emergency disaster relief fund. You can contribute through your local Red Cross chapter.

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MEETING WITH
DAVID ROCKEFELLER AND THE COUNCIL OF THE AMERICAS

DATE: June 1, 1983

LOCATION: East Room

TIME: 5:00-5:20 P.M.

FROM: WILLIAM P. CLARK *WPC*

I. PURPOSE

You will be addressing David Rockefeller and the Council of the Americas. As you know, David Rockefeller, at your request, established the US Business Committee for Jamaica. The Council of the Americas has been very helpful to the Administration with the Caribbean Basin Initiative and with suggestions for dealing with a variety of situations and problems. The Council has an effective outreach program in the hemisphere that is useful in furthering your policy in the Americas. You are hosting the reception to open the current session of this annual conference. By undertaking this, you are recognizing the importance of the organization and private enterprise.

II. BACKGROUND

The Council of the Americas, the business arm of the Americas Society, is having its 14th Washington conference. This year the Society will focus on (1) the economic dimension of US-Latin American relations--trade, investment, monetary and fiscal policies, and lending; and (2) to gauge US progress in other key areas, particularly democratic institution-building and security arrangements.

III. PARTICIPANTS

5:00-5:20 P.M. -- Meeting in the East Room

The President
The Vice President
William P. Clark
David Rockefeller and invited guests

IV. PRESS PLAN

Open press.

cc Vice President
Ed Meese
Jim Baker
Mike Deaver

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

- At 4:55 P.M. you will be joined in the Oval Office by the Vice President, William P. Clark, and David Rockefeller and will proceed to the East Room.
- Following the entrance of the Vice President and David Rockefeller, you will be introduced and will enter and proceed to the platform.
- David Rockefeller will have brief opening remarks; you will follow with your remarks.
- You will mix and mingle for about 10-15 minutes following your presentation.

Attached at Tab A are your remarks.

(Rohrabacher/AB)
May 31, 1983
3:00 p.m.

PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: RECEPTION FOR COUNCIL OF THE AMERICAS
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1, 1983

Thank you very much. It's a pleasure to speak to a group that doesn't need to be convinced of Latin America's vital importance to the United States. I have long been persuaded that the future is here, in the Americas. And all of you are already involved in one way or another in giving life to that future.

The contributions you've made in the past and are making today are reason for optimism about the hemisphere's future. Over the years, you have contributed decisively to the export-led development that has brought about the greatest expansion of trade and well-being in the history of the world; you have developed new management techniques that have brought you into close association with citizens of the countries in which you do business. You've observed their laws and served their national goals, thereby proving the common interests of the countries of this hemisphere.

These accomplishments have demonstrated that private enterprise is the engine of development. You have created employment, expanded the tax base on which social services depend, and, above all, provided the dynamism to exploit both the potential of technology and the opportunities of improving political and commercial ties among nations.

These achievements are being challenged today by two crises: directly by the global recession and indirectly by the Communist threat to the freedom and independence of Central America.

I know you will be discussing these challenges at length in your meetings. But let me just say that the one essential to solving both is freedom -- freedom to garner the fruits of innovation, competition, and free trade; freedom to enlist the cooperation and creativity of the many people who value work as the fundamental ethic for bettering their lot; freedom to build and to solve problems without the suffocating weight of totalitarian tyranny.

The Communists and their Marxist apologists who claim that theirs is the key to a new utopia have been rejected again and again. A command economy leads to neither economic progress nor justice. But a democratic society with a free economy can achieve both.

More and more people are realizing that Marxist socialism can provide rhetoric, but it doesn't put food on the table.

I can think of nothing more important to the security of our country than building strong and healthy economies throughout the Western Hemisphere. One of the goals I've set is a new solidarity in the hemisphere. The people here have fundamental values that tie us together. Many of us are descended from pioneers who gave up everything to come to the New World in order to better themselves and their families.

Today, the efficiency, resources, and know-how of American business are as legendary as the spirit of those pioneers. Your role is no less historic. In Central America, in the Caribbean, and throughout Latin America, your enterprise will have tremendous impact on the political and economic future of the

hemisphere. So, we are grateful to you for your resourcefulness and want to encourage you to be bold and to spread American enterprise throughout the hemisphere. That is a job you can do better than anyone else.

I know that many of you have contributed to the Caribbean Basin Initiative. We are now close to making this program a reality. But I still need your active support. Keep up the good work, and thank you.

SEQUENCE OF EVENTS
Reception Honoring Council of
Americas Conferees
Wednesday, June 1, 1983

LOCATION: East Room, State Floor

FROM: Gahl Hodges *gh*

4:15 p.m. Guests begin to arrive the Southeast and Southwest Gates, Diplomatic Reception Room. Guests are led up the Grand Staircase to the State Dining Room and Grand Foyer where refreshments are served.

4:45 p.m. All guests are led into the East Room to await the arrival of THE PRESIDENT.

5:00 p.m. THE PRESIDENT arrives the State Floor via the elevator and proceeds to the East Room. THE PRESIDENT and the Vice President are announced into the East Room.

THE PRESIDENT and the Vice President enter the East Room with Mr. David Rockefeller and all take their places on the platform.

Brief remarks by David Rockefeller.

Brief remarks by THE PRESIDENT.

Following remarks, THE PRESIDENT will shake hands with the guests as he proceeds to the Cross Hall.

5:20 p.m. THE PRESIDENT departs the East Room via the Cross Hall and proceeds to the elevator.

5:30 p.m. Guests may begin to depart.