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April 18, 1984

Dear Mr. MacNelly:

Thank you very much for your gift of an original cartoon. Believe me, I shall treasure it always. You'd have no way of knowing this but I am a cartoon aficionado up to and including reading the complete comics every morning. Along with that comes the editorial page for the cartoons -- not the editorials.

Again, my heartfelt thanks.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM L. BRYAN

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Mr. Jeff MacNelly
Editorial Board Political Cartoonist
The Chicago Tribune
435 North Michigan Avenue
Chicago, Illinois 60611

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[Apr. 18, 84]

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 RONALD REAGAN
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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 18, 1984

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Dear Mr. O'Brien,

Enclosed are the photos you requested (4 signed and 4 unsigned from the DMZ, and 1 signed by the President wearing his favorite denim jacket), the message from the President and a belt buckle.

*for the fifteenth
Anniversary
of the
Bretton Woods*

We hope you have a very enjoyable celebration.

Sincerely,

Kathy Osborne

Kathy Osborne
Personal Secretary
to the President

Mr. Thomas M. O'Brien
Southwest Investment and Trust
Building J Suite 202
6560 North Scottsdale Road
Scottsdale, Arizona 85253

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 16, 1984

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Ron

Rancheros Visitadores

Santa Barbara, California 93102

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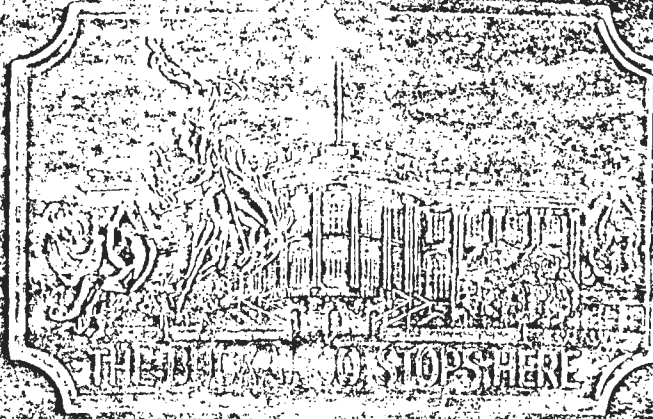
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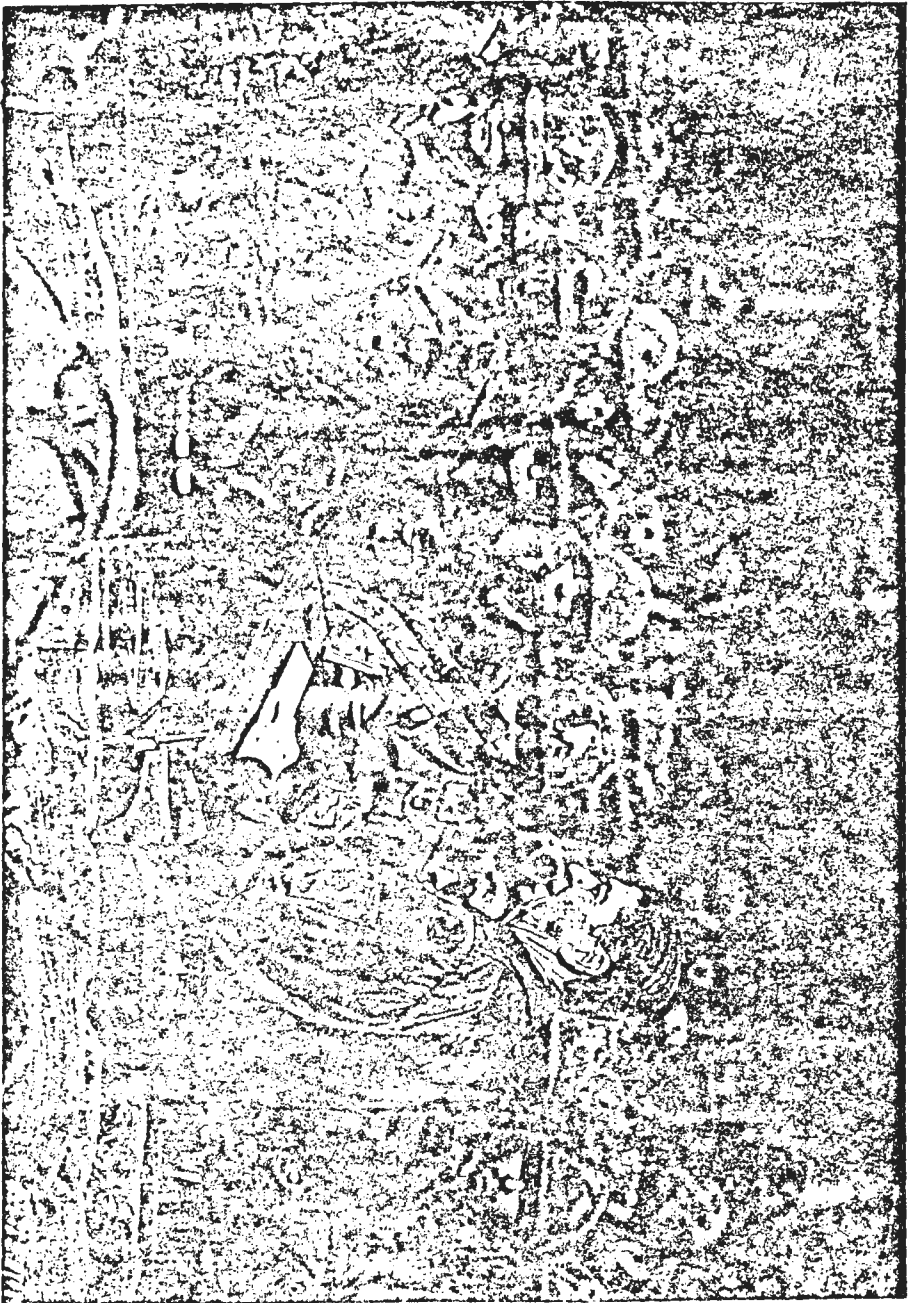


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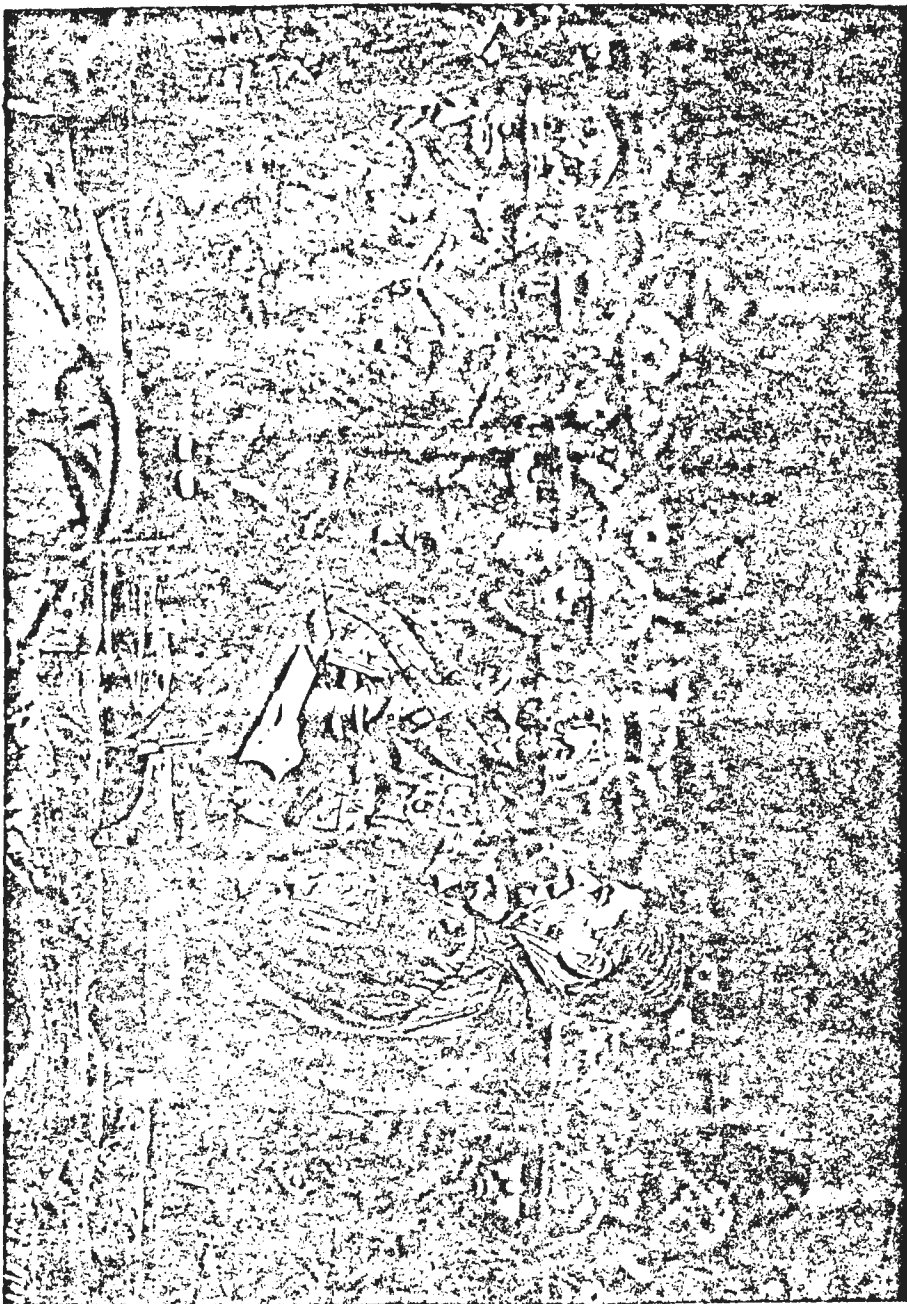
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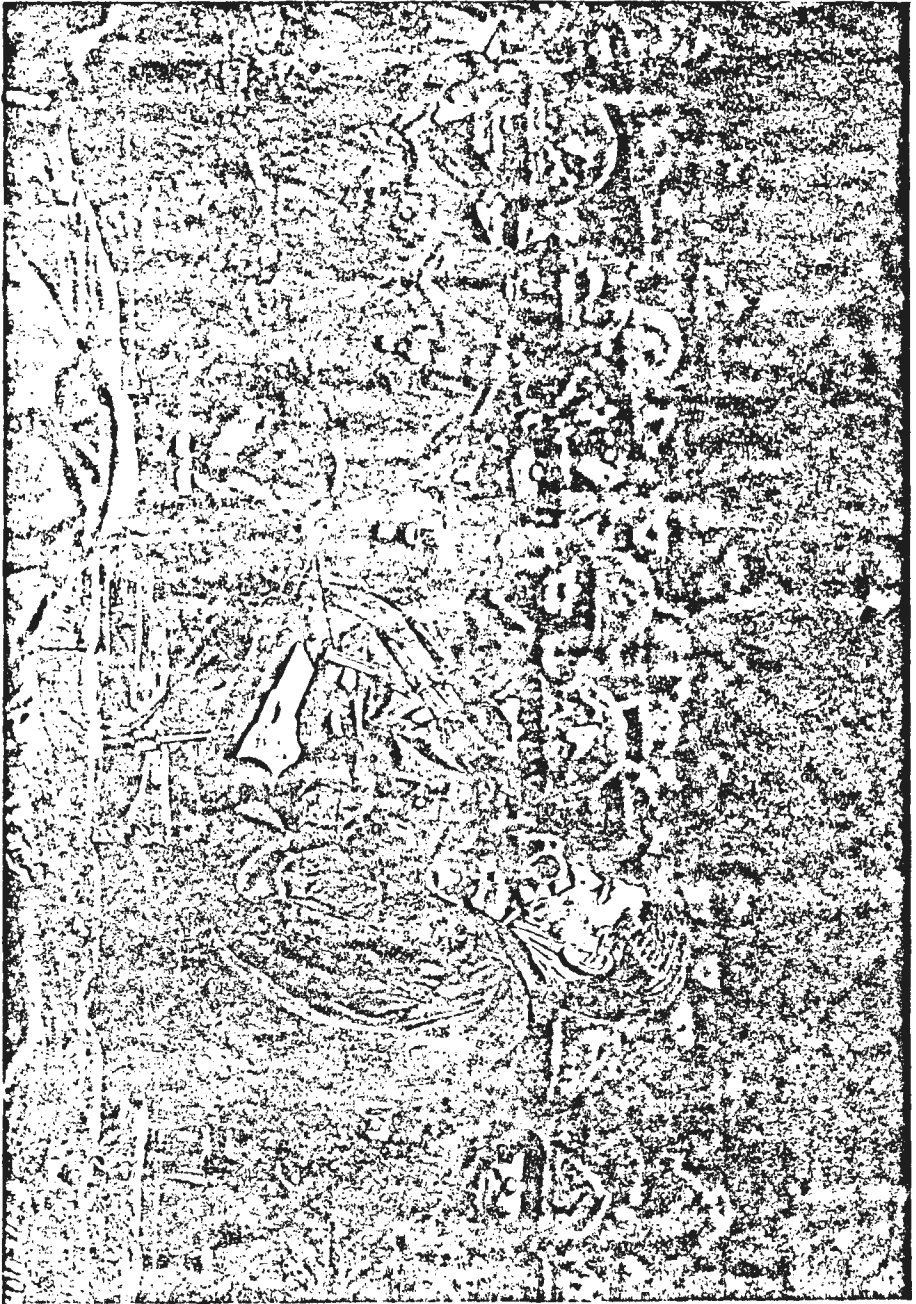




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Ronald Reagan



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Happy "Bird"-Birthday Benardas
I wish I was there.

Ronald Reagan

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

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X Special Handling (Presidential)

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X Insure for \$ 100⁰⁰.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

4-18-84

NOTE:

4 DMZ photos signed

Best Regards Roncler
RR

1 Dennis jacket photo
signed Happy "Bud" Buttky
Buttky - I wish I
was there.
Roncler Reagan

DODIE:

The attached came from Kathy Osborne and I note the writer is in FNF.

The Ranchero Vistadores Group are asking for "Happy Birthday" message to the Bustardos - May, 9 1984.

Previous message was video tape for the Ranchero's 50th birthday.

Since the writer is in FNF and President must be member of group, I would think we would send message "signed "Ron".

VIOLET
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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

TO: Dodie Livingston

FROM: KATHY OSBORNE
Personal Secretary
to the President

DATE: 4-10-84

Are you familiar with the
Rancheros group? Do you think
this message is too corny? Do
you want me to run it by RR?
I'm sure he will want to do
some kind of a message.

Thanks.



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March 28, 1984

Mrs. Kathy Osborne
Attention: 16991
The White House
Washington, D.C.

Dear Kathy:

As per one of our numerous telephone calls to one another regarding everything from Walter Annenberg to Antonio Aguilar, to pins, pictures, travel and elections....here we go again. This is for the President's Ranchero Vistadores Group. The ride will begin the first week in May, but with Ron going to China and his meeting with the Pope in Alaska, both in April, he'll be more than a little occupied. So here is what Rancheros need:

Bustardos is having their 50th Birthday. Walt Disney designed our Bustardo Bird fifty years ago, along with Wiley Post and Will Rogers, who founded the Bustardo Camp. The Camp Captain will have the whole camp wearing gold cowboy hats honoring its birthday, along with a major party. At the party many gifts will be given to Rancheros, as per last year. If you will please get me from four to six pictures of Ron on the front in Korea I'll get them framed and wrapped as gifts. If he can sign one or two, "Happy Birthday Bustardos, Ron 5/84."

DENIM
INSTEAD?

I was also requested to get a letter to Rancheros regarding the Bustardo 50th Birthday. They want it to be the year of the bird, the month of the bird, the minute of Bustardos, etc. Perhaps something in this vein:

Dear Rancheros:

I have been requested to make something out of the Bustardo's 50th Birthday. The Governor of California may proclaim it the Year of the Bird, and Rancheros may make it the Day of the Bird, but I know most of the Bustardos and for the life of me I don't know how this group got into Rancheros. Individually, they are not so bad, but collectively they are incorrigible. They should not be requesting I proclaim it the Month of the Bird, but trying to protect their jobs at the carwash in Phoenix where most of them work.

However, being in a benevolent mood, I will proclaim May 9th, 1984 the 50th Birthday of the Bustardos' Bird to be a Special Day.

In closing, to all my Ranchero pals, I miss you and wish I was once again in the cool canyons, on the trail, around campfires, under the buttermilk skies in Santa Yenez with you.

DODIE
TO PREPARE
ALSO-SEND
ONE BELT
BUCKLE.

...cont'd.

Mrs. Kathy Osborne
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March 28, 1984

Don't forget me in November. I'll be calling on you. Happy trails to all of you.

As always,

Ron

P.S. Now I remember how those guys in Bustardos got on the Ride. Wasn't it something to do with -- "We could pay 'em for currying the horses or give them their own camp?"

Kathy, of course, anything else you can think of for the ride I know they would appreciate.

I will be leaving for California on Tuesday, May 1st, so perhaps this can be expedited prior to the China departure.

I'll be hitting the trail for the President for my five month tour of the U.S. shortly, and won't you just miss my missals of information?

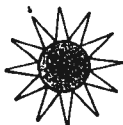
Please call me if you have trouble getting any of this out. I can improvise but I'll need some guidance regarding Rancheros.

As always,



Thomas M. O'Brien

TMO'B/jj



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April 3, 1984

President Ronald Reagan
Attention: 16991
The White House
Washington, D.C.

Dear Ron:

Poor Ed! The liberals don't recognize prayer either, just good old Jane Fonda and her recent exercise book and a new clothes line. Poor Mrs. Meese, she sure didn't ask for this. The liberals spent very little time on the killing of a U.S. Congressman by the Russians. The poor Meese children. The liberal papers and T.V. spend little time on the why and who regarding your shooting, the Pope's near demise, and the ending of the fruitful life of Mr. Brady. Poor Ron, no matter who you come up with, the liberals will tear them apart. If one believes in the Easter Bunny, he will believe this is the loyal opposition.

Well, thank God for you. My wife has always said, "Tom, you are the most naive man in the world." Now I know there are two of us. Perhaps we just want to believe the best of everyone. You believe in old straight arrow, Baker, Volcker, and the big guy in N.Y.C. I believe in you, Meese, Deaver, the Judge, Billy Wilson, Ranchero's, Bill Casey, Kelly, my Mom and Dad, and Nancy. That's all! I at one time believed that no man could outlaw God, newspapers or no. I still believe in Him too, for the same reason. Senate or no Senate. How do you feel about St. Patrick? Santa Claus? The Tooth Fairy?

The ride is about to start. National Geographics had some great shots of you and Rancheros. Hope someone got a copy to you. If not, I'll send you mine. I'll need a few things from you too for the ride. Sent the R.V. shopping list to Kathy O. Hope you will delegate this to her. The guys go crazy over anything you've touched or signed, however small it is. I'll spruce the items up, just be sure and sign a couple of the photos. I'll do the rest. I know you are very, very taxed, tired and troubled. But after it's all over, this group will still be on your side. Win, lose or draw, that's more than I can say for those fairweather people in D.C.

Just watch what my Hispanics do for you this go around. The computers will tell the new story. Remember the Jackson story I gave you? Now only an idiot or one who votes against God can't see how it's unfolding. So keep that one in your hopper too. I'll still go with the August 1983 scenario I got from R.S. at Del Mar; your opponents will be Mondale and J.J.

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President Ronald Reagan

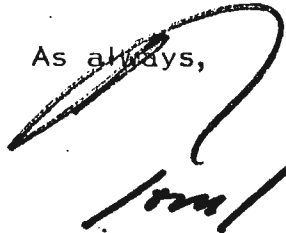
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April 3, 1984

Couldn't you ask the public that, if they see fit, to send you back, to fix our leaky boat? To also give you some conservative minded people to help you? Those who won't desert an Iran, Nicaragua, Angola, Ethiopia, San Salvador, or other friends in time of need. These items just give the next guy, problems and heartburn. Guys like you.

Love ya, Amigo, and so does everyone I meet. As you know, I see the big and the small. There's no change in administration for you. Tell Ed they are with him too.

As always,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Tom' with a stylized flourish above it.

Thomas M. O'Brien

TMO'B/jj

P.S. Oh yes, Kathy Osborne...I believe in her too! Especially if she gets the Ranchero's stuff done, and to me before the Ride starts. You are on the trail shortly, and the Ride begins in May, as always. I depart for California on May 2, 1984.

Tom.

Dear Tom . the new photo is super

Both paintings will proceed
and I will change "Bustardos" to a
profile. It will be much better.

We will send photos as soon as
they are completed .

The enclosed material for
unwiling and to compile press
releases in June - and also
for Antonio. Best wishes for
success on project. Good Luck

Wena

Mr. Garza never showed up
in NY. What happened?

More info
on the man who
did the paintings
For me -

Following the discovery and implementation of his painting medium, he received four of his earliest mural commissions. Among these early commissions were Grant's Tomb in New York City and Treasury Department commissions for Post Offices in Augusta, Georgia, West New York, New Jersey and Rosenberg, Texas. These early mural paintings prepare him for the murals for the "West Point of the Air" at Randolph Field, Texas.

ITEMS OF INTEREST AND EVENTS
WHICH DEAN FAUSETT IS MOST PROUD

1. DISCOVERY AND DEVELOPMENT OF SPECIAL PAINTING (EMULSION) MEDIUM.

This medium has been responsible for most of Dean Fausett's accomplishments in the field of classic traditional painting. Through the encouragement of his older brother, Lynn Fausett, a painter, muralist and President of the Art Students League of New York as well as other painters and instructors such as: Reginald Marsh, Edwar Laning, Isobel Bishop, Kenneth Hayes Miller, Kimon Nicolaides, Boardman Robinson, the great German authority, Dr. Max Doerner and the French authority, Jacques Maroger he found his way to the techniques of the old masters on which he based his direction in painting resolve. *

2. CARNEGIE PRIZE.

Was awarded the Carnegie Prize in 1940 and 1946 in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

3. JOHN SIMON GUGGENHEIM FOUNDATION FELLOWSHIP. Received the fellowship in 1940 and a renewal in 1942. It was during these fellowships that he painted three thousand square feet of murals at Randolph Field, Texas from 1941 thru 1943 from a direct assignment from General "Hap" Arnold, Chief of Staff.

4. NATIONAL SOCIETY OF MURAL PAINTERS AWARD FOR "BEST WAR MURAL" IN 1944. This award was presented at the Architectural League of New York and carried honorary membership in the Society of which he has been the President for the last five years.

5. SELECTED AS ONE OF THE NATION'S "TEN BEST". This was awarded by the Art Magazine editors in an exhibition held at the famed Durand-Rhuell Galleries and arranged by "ART NEWS" in 1944.

6. CO-INITIATED AND FOUNDED THE SOUTHERN VERMONT ART CENTER.

In 1950 Dean Fausett with Richard M. Ketchum and the then Board of Directors of the Southern Vermont Artists, Inc. founded the Southern Vermont Art Center in Manchester, Vermont. He served as President of the Art Center from 1959 to 1961.

7. PRESIDENT DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER APPOINTMENT. Appointed as Artist Consultant to the Chief of Staff of the newly organized United States Air Force. During this time he painted the Air Force Signet painting "GLOBAL POWER" for the U. S. Capitol and "FLIGHT THROUGH THE AURORA BOREALIS" for the Pentagon. Both paintings helped to establish the United States Air Force Historical Foundation, a collection of Air Force history. During this period he painted portraits of many Washington notables including studies for his portrait of President Eisenhower which was later completed in California.

8. MAJOR MURAL COMMISSIONS IN THE LATE 1950'S.

"BROTHERHOOD OF MAN" (1956), Entrance Foyer, Building for Brotherhood, National Conference of Christians and Jews, New York City.

"THE FOUR CHAPLAINS", Rogal Room, YMHA, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania (1957)

"EDUCATION IN A FREE SOCIETY: (1959) Entrance Foyer, New Jersey Department of Public Education, Trenton, New Jersey.

9. PORTRAIT OF SIR ALEXANDER FLEMING. Painted a heroic-scale portrait of the great Scottish scientist, Sir Alexander Fleming, the discoverer of penicillin in his laboratory. The portrait was unveiled for the dedication of the new Headquarters of the AMERICAN Academy of General Practice, Kansas City, Missouri.

10. IMPORTANT COMMISSIONS DURING THE 1960'S AND 1970'S.

"IMPORTANT EVENTS IN THE LIFE OF GENERAL ARTHUR ST. CLAIRE" (1965) Mural on the Revolutionary War General for the St. Clair Wing of Fort Ligonier Museum, Ligonier, Pennsylvania.

Dean Fausett's paintings to celebrate Major John Wesley Powell's exploration of the Green River and Colorado River canyons of 1869-1873 were featured in the Centennial Celebrations held throughout the West and Southwest. During three painting trips to Lake Powell, several large muralesque panels were painted for the Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior. These paintings are shown at the Visitor's Center of Glen Canyon Dam in Page, Arizona.

Two large muralesque paintings "LASOOING THE IRON HORSE" and "PURSUIT AT SUNSET" depicting the Plains Indians and the early railroad were commissioned by the Union Pacific Railroad Foundation and unveiled in 1972 in the Buffalo Bill Historic Center as part of the Whitney Gallery of Western Art in Cody, Wyoming.

11. During the late '60s and early 70s a grand tour of forty seven exhibitions were held throughout the West and New England which were initiated by a retrospective exhibition at Dean Fausett's home University, Brigham Young University in Provo, Utah. This exhibition included over five hundred works borrowed from major museums and collections, many portraits and preliminaries for murals as well as oils and watercolors of landscapes and still lifes from many parts of the world.

12. BICENTENNIAL YEARS. Dean Fausett as Vice President and President of the National Society of Mural Painters was responsible for the tour of the Society's "CARAVAN OF FREEDOM", murals designed on "AMERICAN FREEDOMS" and the portfolio of mural designs "MOMENTOUS EVENTS IN AMERICAN HISTORY". Fifty one American muralists are included in the latter which will circulate the United States as a benefit for the United States Capitol Endowment Fund. The tour has reached some forty three institutions to date.

August 1976, Dean Fausett was honored at St. Andrews University in Scotland when the Honorable Ann Armstrong, United States Ambassador to the United Kingdom presented to the Scottish people a heroic-scaled portrait of President Dwight D. Eisenhower. The muralesque painting had been purchased by a group of Scottish American Societies to present to the people of Scotland as a Bicentennial gift for having made a home and headquarters for General Eisenhower during his leadership as Chief of Staff during World War II in the European Theatre of War. This honor was deeply appreciated by the artist, as his "Green Mountain Boys" ancestors were of Scottish origin in 1648.

"DEAD - HEART - HANDS - HEALTH", a commemorative mural for the J.C. Penney Hall (1977), National 4-H Center, Washington, D.C. The mural honoring Mr. J.C. Penney was attended by over three thousand people and marked Dean Fausett's love of painting children for which he had gained fame not only in his murals, but as subjects throughout his career.

13. ADDRESS TO JOINT HOUSES IN SEPTEMBER 1982. Dean Fausett was invited the Senate and House of Representatives to deliver an address representing the artistic community of the United States in September 1982. The address was to pay tribute to Dr. Allyn Cox, a fellow muralist who had completed murals in the Capitol Rotunda and the corridor ceilings in the House of Representatives. The address was delivered as part of a beautiful ceremony in Statuary Hall, the old Senate chamber. Following this address he flew to Eastern Illinois University to install an exhibition of his paintings for the dedication ceremonies of the beautiful Tarble Arts Center.

Dean Fausett's current labors in New York are to further the Grand Opera productions given free to the public in New York's Central Park Mall and developing a permanent headquarters and galleries for the National Society of Mural Painters.



EASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY
Charleston, Illinois

news

February 23, 1984

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HARRY READ, Director of Information and Publications (217) 581-2820

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

CHICAGO--Dr. John Willingham, a native of Charleston, and Dean Fausett, a nationally-recognized artist, will receive honorary degrees from Eastern Illinois University at spring commencement ceremonies on May 12.

Authorization was given today by the Board of Governors of State Colleges and Universities at the request of President Stanley Rives. Willingham will receive an honorary Doctor of Law degree and the honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degree will go to Fausett.

Willingham, son of Mrs. Russell Willingham and the late Mr. Willingham, is a partner in Peat, Marwick, Mitchell and Company, one of the nation's largest public accounting firms. He is responsible for research activities in the company's main offices in New York.

A 1957 graduate of Eastern, Willingham holds the Ph.D. from Ohio State and the M.S. from Pennsylvania State University. He is a certified public accountant in Illinois, Ohio, New York, North Carolina and Louisiana.

Before joining his present firm, Willingham was a professor of accounting at the University of Houston. He began his professional career in 1958 as a staff accountant with Dill and Rowland, an accounting firm in State College, Pa.

Willingham is co-author of five books and many magazine articles. In 1978 he was named a Distinguished Alumni by Eastern's School of Business.

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Honorary Degrees

Dean Fausett, American artist of national and international recognition, son of George Adelbert Fausett and Helen Josephine Bryner Fausett, was born July 4th 1913 in Price, Utah.

He received his early college art training at the Brigham Young University in Provo, Utah. Following these studies in painting and sculpture, he joined his older brother, Lynn Fausett, a prominent American muralist and President of the famed Art Students League of New York where he studied under many prominent painters and sculptors of the '30s and '40s.

Fausett was awarded a Tiffany Fellowship under which he painted for three seasons in the studios of Mr. Louis Comfort Tiffany in his Laurelton home on Logⁿ Island, New York.

As an assistant, he worked with his brother and Hildreth Meire on murals for the Union Station, Kansas City, Missouri, Nebraska State Capitol in Lincoln, Nebraska, Washington D.C. Cathedral, Saint Michaels Monastery Church in Union City, New Jersey. He also assisted his brother on murals for the Chicago Tribune Tower.

Fausett's artistic strengths are also in the fields of portraiture and landscapes. Among his portrait subjects have been Dwight D. Eisenhower, Eugene Ormandy, Sir Alexander Fleming, Grandma Moses the Duke and Duchess of Windsor, Lord Methuen of Corsham Court in England and currently President Ronald Reagan. He is well known for his portraits at home and abroad.

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Honorary Degrees

Dean Fausett is represented by his figure paintings and landscapes in major museum collections across the United States which includes the Metropolitan Museum of Art, The Whitney Museum of American Art and the Museum of Modern Art in New York. Other collections which include his work are the Art Institute of Chicago, San Diego Museum, Harris Fine Arts Center at the Brigham Young University, Witte Museum in San Antonio, Texas and the Whitney Gallery of Western Art in Cody, Wyoming. He has won prizes at the International Exhibition of the Carnegie Institute in Pittsburg, The Chicago Institute of Art and the Salamagundi Club in New York.

Fausett's early mural commissions began at age twenty four and include murals in Grants Tomb, government buildings in Augusta, Georgia, Rosenberg, Texas and West New York in New Jersey. In 1941 he was commissioned to paint three thousand feet of mural under two Guggenheim Fellowships by special assignment from General "Hap" Arnold for the "West Point of the Air" at Randolph Field, Texas. Fausett served under an Eisenhower appointment as Consultant to the U.S. Chief of Staff in the Pentagon where he painted "Flight Through the Aurora Borealis" and "Global Power" for the Capitol. His World War II murals earned him a gold medal at the Architectural League of New York and an honorary membership in the National Society of Mural Painters of which he is now its President.

Other murals which gained Fausett national recognition include "The Brotherhood of Man" in the Building for Brotherhood in New York, "The Heroism of the Four Chaplains", Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, "Education in a Free Society", New Jersey Department of Education in Trenton and "Head, Heart, Hands and Health" for the 4-H National Headquarters in Washington, D.C. Two large murals, "Lassoing the Iron

Honorary Degrees

Horse" and Pursuit at Sunset" were commissioned by the Union Pacific Railroad for the Whitney Gallery of Western Art, Buffalo Bill Historic Center, Cody, Wyoming.

As one of the nation's leading muralists, Fausett was a guest of honor at the formal opening of the Tarble Arts Center, Eastern Illinois University. An exhibition of his work was shown at that time. He will open an exhibition this Spring at the Tarble Arts Center which will include works by fifty one American muralists of "Momentous Events In American History".

Before coming to Eastern Illinois University for the inaugural showing of his work for the dedication of the Tarble Arts Center in September 1982, he addressed a joint celebration of the Senate and House of Representative in Statu^ary Hall of the Capitol in Washington, D.C. Fausett was chosen to represent the artistic community of America in an address as a national tribute to Dr. Allyn Cox who had completed his historic murals in the Capitol.

Fausett divides his time between his New York studio in the "des Artistes" and Dorset, Vermont where he lives in a pre-Revolutionary house in which the Green Mountain Boys founded the independent State of Vermont and where Ethan Allen and Seth Warner planned Revolutionary military strategy.

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**WHITE HOUSE
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Yours in the Bond,

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Mr. Charles R. Freburg
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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20515

VIRGINIA SMITH
3RD DISTRICT, NEBRASKA

April 19, 1984

President Ronald Reagan
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The White House
Washington, DC 20500

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If you could have your staff call Jim of my office, we will arrange a messenger to pick up the note, as we would like to have it framed for Charlie and present it to him at the luncheon.

With best wish I am

Most sincerely,



VIRGINIA SMITH
Member of Congress

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 23, 1984

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Sincerely,

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Because Charlie works here in my office at 2202 Rayburn House Office Building, 225-6435, on Mondays and Wednesdays at this time, he could be surprised easiest on Monday, January 23; Wednesday, January 25; or Monday, January 30, which is his last day of work.

If you cannot squeeze some personal contact into this month's activities, I would be so very grateful if at least you could write Charlie a personal note congratulating him upon his thirty years of service on Capitol Hill, upon his loyalty to the Republican Party, and to his unswerving enthusiasm and devotion to the Washington Redskins.

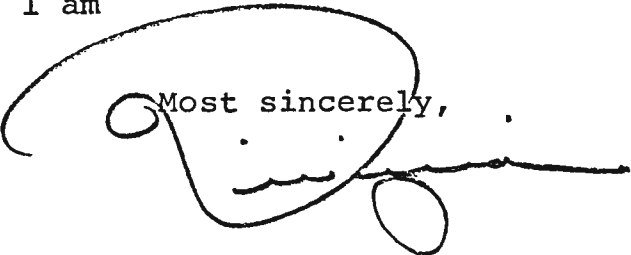
President Ronald Reagan
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VIRGINIA SMITH
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THE WHITE HOUSE
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TO: *Scheduling*
FROM: MELANIE BLESSE
Office of Legislative Affairs

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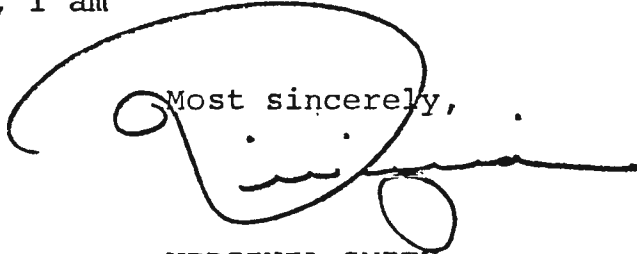
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April 27, 1984

President Ronald Reagan
Attention: 16991
The White House
Washington, D.C.

Dear Ron:

By the time you read this missal I will be on the ride accompanied by all those super items you were so kind to send on to the Rancheros. Boy will your gang go crazy! Thank you on their behalf for taking the time to do so before departing for China. I know the time was short and it is appreciated...never doubt that for a moment.

Now for the real news from the street:

1. The man in the street feels Meese got a bum rap. That what happened in the 7th grade and prior to his being in Washington was just that! That the press has lost so much credibility that if they came out with the fact water is wet, people would begin to believe it was dry. Things for them are that bad.
2. Nicaragua is a threat.
3. San Salvador has to be helped. They would, however, like a fuller explanation of this domino theory.
4. He also feels that the major oil companies will stick it to him once Iran and Iraq fall to the Soviets.
5. That the liberals have one set of rules for themselves and another for the conservatives.
6. He could care less about Communist China, unless once again the U.S. rewards its enemies and strikes down a friend - Taiwan.
7. You are for God, country, family and against Communists, cowards, dope, pornography, child abuse. The man in the street loves it. He does not trust Volker, Bush or Baker. Sorry, but I know you need the truth, not as you'd like it to be, but the way it truly is.

As I see it, you are just playing the "China Card." One Communist country against another. When China lost Mongolia they just went out and got Tibet. They got used in North Korea and North Vietnam. They fought and Russia got their spoils. Boy! I'll bet that smarts! Lots of lost face here for sure.

President Reagan
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Regarding the Pope. When do you think he'll come out and publicly declare that one is either with Christ or against him. You can't be a Communist and a Catholic. A Communist says emphatically there is no God. So why not, after his near assassination by the Communists, his wonderful treatment in Nicaragua, and the latest take down of the crosses in Poland, get him to excommunicate all Communists. It's logical, Christian and God would approve. Bill Wilson can sure help here!

Regarding Casey, Meese, Clark, etc., etc., everyone, including myself, appreciates the way you stick by your friends. You can only control what you do, you cannot control what others do. We need more loyal people around you, not less. Too bad they don't have the best interests of this nation at heart! (The Liberals)

Since the liberals won't let us fight Communism, have you ever thought about hiring the Israelis? We'd pay them to fight and no liberal would dare criticize this move. Perhaps in Central America?

Lastly, the best defense is a strong offense. So if Cuba wants to meddle in Africa and Central and South America for their Russian handout, why not give them something to keep them busy at home? The Pope, keep money tight on the Russians, more help to Afghanistan and help the malcontents in Eastern Europe. Keep them busy in their own backyards and out of ours.

Thanks again, Amigo, I'll write you after the ride and give you all the news. I'll be meeting with the Judge on Friday the 4th.

As always,


Thomas M. O'Brien

TMO'B/jj

P.S. Note all the unregistered that Jackson is bringing in. Just as I reported to you. Now how will Mondale keep him off the ticket? He can't. So my Hispanic idea will pay off. We'll offset him. We can't let up but I predict Reagan in a run away. Look back on any, I mean any letter I've written you. Not bragging (because I listen well) but not once have I been wrong.

Tom

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