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Barry Goldwater

P. O. BOX 1601
SCOTTSDALE, ARIZONA 85252

January 1, 1987

Mr. Reagan

President Ronald Reagan
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

Today, doing nothing but watching television and waiting for the millions of bowl games that come on, I was suddenly presented with a telegram from you two wonderful people. There is no way in the world I can say thank you, so I am not even going to try.

As I look back on the seventy-eight years of my life, that has now passed, I can put down on just a few fingers the things that have really mattered to me during that time. One has been your friendship and your great leadership of our country. There aren't really many more, when you stop to think about it. When you have a free country, with free leadership, and the necessary things to back it up, we have all that America stands for, freedom. I thank you, thank you both, for what you've done for all of that.

With affection and respect,

Barry

Barry Goldwater

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January 2, 1967

Dear Mrs. Klinghoffer:

Thank you very much for the beautiful gift that awaited us in Palm Springs. Both Nancy and I are more grateful than we can say. It is a magnificent piece of workmanship which we shall treasure always.

You were more than kind to do this. Again, our thanks, and very best wishes for the coming year.

Sincerely,

RONALD REAGAN

Mrs. H. Klinghoffer
Apartment 24P
Plaza South Apartments
4280 Galt Ocean Drive
Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33308

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12/30/86

President Ronald Reagan:

Dear Mr. President:

This Afghan is a
token for a wonderful
person and a great President.
For the service you have
given to our country against
all odds. My husband and
I are great admirers of you.
Wishing you good health for
the coming year.

Mrs. H. Klinghoffer
Please do. apt. #24 P.
4280 GALT OCEAN DR.
FT. LAUDERDALE FL,

33308

Sincerely

H. Klinghoffer

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TJR

January 2, 1987

Dear Mr. Oliver:

I delivered your greetings to Ambassador Annenberg, and he was very pleased to hear from you. I, too, was happy to have your good wishes, and thank you.

We had a wonderful holiday with the Annenbergs, even though he was troubled by a bit of a cold.

Thank you for the photo of your trophies, and congratulations. I don't know that I've ever seen such a collection. It represents a lot of hedges, stone walls and fences.

Best Regards,

RONALD REAGAN

Mr. Vincent T. Oliver
Full Cry Farm
Callicoon Center, New York 12724

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CHAIRMAN, C.E.O.

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CALICOON CENTER, N.Y. 12724

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January 2, 1987

Dear Mother Barbara:

Thank you very much for your letter and for your prayers. Please also give our thanks and best wishes to the Sisters. Nancy and I are truly grateful to you all and are strengthened by your prayers in our behalf. We'll try to be deserving of them. I could not meet the tasks that go with the office I hold unless I believed I could call on God for help, and I know he hears the prayers of others in my behalf.

Again, our heartfelt thanks.

Sincerely,

RONALD REAGAN

Mother Barbara
Carmelite Monastery
66th Avenue and Old York Road
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19126

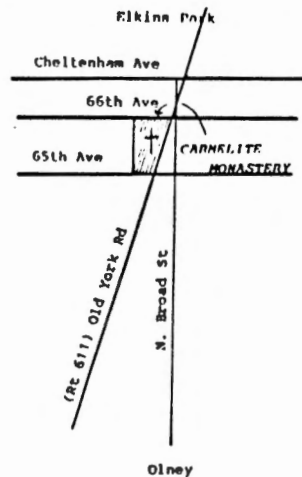
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66th Ave. & Old York Road
Philadelphia, PA 19126

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Dec. 1986

Dear President Reagan and Nancy,

Come and see us
sometime when you are in
Philadelphia - you have other
friends and family not too
far from us!

Mother Barbara and Community

"This house is another Heaven, if it is possible to have Heaven on earth." St. Teresa of Jesus

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18 December 1986

Dear President and Mrs. Reagan,

We all send you our warmest greetings for the Christmas season and we assure you of our sincere respect and promise of prayers for yourselves and all your concerns. With God's help all things work together unto good and He never fails those who trust in Him.

Our prayers follow you closely. May He who holds the entire universe in the palm of his hand sustain and strengthen you for the years ahead. We depend on your leadership. You have no idea how many times your names are uttered in our prayers from within our beautiful cloister.

Each sister sends you a big "GOD BLESS YOU!"

Your devoted sisters in Philadelphia,

The Carmelite Nuns

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Fla. 33308

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Callicoon Center N.Y. 12724

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To Mother Barbara - Carmelite Monastery
66th Ave. & Old York Rd. Phil. Pa.

Dear Mother Barbara

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Again our heartfelt thanks.

Sincerely RR

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Bethesda

January 5, 1987

Dear Randy Whiting and Staff:

Thank you very much for your delicious New Year's gift. Believe me, you brightened and sweetened our holiday and we are most grateful. You have added, I might say though, to our homesickness for California. As you can see, we are back in Washington where we suffer a touch of homesickness on a permanent basis. Now your gift has given us another reason for wishing we were in California.

Again, our heartfelt thanks.

Sincerely,



Mr. Randy Whiting
John - Scott's
Number E
4741 East Palm Canyon Drive
Palm Springs, California 92264

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John - Scott's
4741 E. Palm Canyon Dr. #E.
Palm Springs, CA. 92264

The President and Mrs. Reagan:

All of us at John Scott's wish both of
you a Smooth and Productive New Year.

This is one of the best Crops in years for our
midnight dates - we hope you enjoy them. For
those late evenings this year I have put in
a few Chocolate dipped ones.

Our faith and prayers are with you
for good health and the wisdom to carry out
the duties this Country has entrusted you.

All the best
Randy Whiting
and Staff.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Bethesda

January 5, 1987

Dear Earl and Lesly:

I'm sorry to be so late in answering your letter but we're just back from a New Year's holiday in California. Thank you for your generous words of support and your good wishes.

Nancy and I hope your holidays were all you wanted them to be and we wish you all the very best in the coming year.

Sincerely,

Ron

The Honorable and Mrs. Earl E. T. Smith
1021 North Ocean Boulevard
Palm Beach, Florida 33480

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1021 NORTH OCEAN BOULEVARD
PALM BEACH, FLORIDA 33480



December 23, 1986

The President - 16690
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

All good Americans are proud of you
and realize how fortunate we are to have you
as our leader.

With affectionate best wishes to
Nancy and yourself for Christmas and the
New Year from Lesly and


 Earl E. T. Smith

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Bethesda

January 5, 1987

Dear Mr. Fraser:

Thank you very much for your letter and for your handsome gifts. You were very kind to send us those handsome sweaters and we are most grateful. Thank you, also, for taking care of our Air Force One crew. I can assure you they are happy to make the trip.

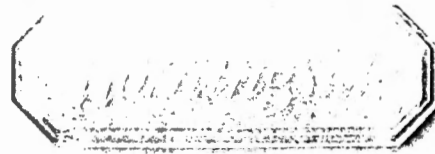
Again, thanks and very best regards.

Sincerely,

Ronald Reagan

Mr. Vern Fraser
Morningside Club
Morningside Drive
Rancho Mirage, California 92270

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The Club at Morningside

January 1, 1987

Dear Mr. President:

Today, as we start a new year, I would like to wish you and yours a very healthy and happy 1987.

Hopefully, some year your schedule will permit a visit to Morningside. I enjoy hosting Colonel Ruddick and the Air Force One crew. This annual visit is one we at Morningside look forward to, and hope to continue for many years.

My best regards,

Vern Fraser
Director of Golf

VCF:jr

To ~~Randy~~ Randy Whiting - John - Scott
4741 E. Palm Canyon Dr. # 5
Palm Springs

Dear Randy Whiting & Staff

I thank you very much for your delicious New Years gift. Believe me you brightened & sweetened our holiday and we are most grateful. You have added, I might say though, to our homesickness for Calif. As you can see we are back in Wash. where we suffer a touch of homesickness on a permanent basis. Now your gift has given us another reason for wishing we were in Calif.

Again our heartfelt thanks.

Sincerely RR

To ^{MR3,} Amos, Earl E. Smith 1021 No. Ocean Blvd.,
Palm Beach Fla. 33480

Dear Earl & Leely

I'm sorry to be so late in answering your letter but we're just back from a New Years ~~party~~ holiday in Calif. Thank you for your generous words of support & your good wishes.

Mary & I hope your holidays were all you wanted them to be and we wish you all the very best in the coming year.

Sincerely Ron

To Mr. Varn Fraser Morningside Club - Morningside Dr.
Rancho Mirage Calif. 92270

Dear Varn Fraser

I thank you very much for your letter & for your handsome gifts. You were very kind to send us these handsome sweaters and we

are most grateful. Thank you also for ~~the~~
taking care of our A.F.I. crew, I can assure you
they are happy to make the trip.

Again Thanks + Very Best Regards.
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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Bethesda

January 7, 1987

Dear Marie:

Well, even though I'm late in answering, I'm most grateful for your kind letter of December 24. Actually, I just received it -- that happens a lot in Washington. You are correct, as always, on the purpose behind the lynch mob on this Iran matter. I'm sure this will pass but in the meantime I'm not going to let it keep me from doing what has to be done in the business of running the government.

Nancy sends her love and please give our regards to your fella.

All the best,

Ron

Mrs. Marie Windsor Hupp
9501 Cherokee Lane
Beverly Hills, California

MARIE WINDSOR HUPP

December 24th, 1986

Dear Mr. President:

It is obvious the liberals and the press are out with blood in their eyes and I am so sorry you are being put through all this. So very many of us have complete confidence in your wisdom and your actions. When the air clears there is no doubt in my mind everybody but the communists are going to mark you as a hero for your courage and farsightedness. Hang in there friend. I continue to believe you will be our greatest president in history.

Many thanks to you and Nancy for your thoughtful birthday wishes and your lovely xmas card. May the two of you have a beautiful and calm xmas. May your new year bring all good things to you. We also wish you the greatest of good fortune with your pending operation.

Warmly,

Marie

To Mrs. Marie Windsor Hupp 9501 Cherokee Lane
Beverly Hills Calif.

Dear Marie

Well even though I'm late in answering
I'm most grateful for your kind letter of Dec. 29.
Actually I just received it - that happens a lot
in Wash. You are correct as always on the
purpose behind the lynch mob on this Iran matter. I'm
sure this will pass but in the meantime I'm not going
to let it keep me from doing what has to be done in the
business of running govt.

Henry sends his love & please give our regards
to your father.

all the best,

Sincerely Ron

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January 7, 1987

Dear Roy:

Many thanks for your letter and, as always, for your candid assessments. Nancy and I had a wonderful Christmas and, with my successful surgery and clean bill of health, we have had a terrific start to the New Year. Your friendship and support are among the many blessings we have counted. With life's most important assets on our side -- good friends and good health -- how can we be anything but optimistic!

With appreciation and warmest regards,

Sincerely,

RON

Mr. Roy M. Brewer
4230 Jubilo Drive
Tarzana, California 91356

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For POTUS to see & sign.

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Biff -

This letter is ready to be sent out, w/o going to anyone to see. Please note that the attached clipping should be ~~a~~ returned to Brewer, : a copy kept with the file. Thks.

Katherine

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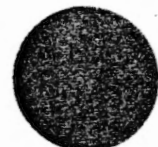
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SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:

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Other:



FOR THE PRESIDENT TO SIGN

SEND TO KATHERINE LADD WHEN READY FOR SIGNATURE

Dear Roy:

January 7, 1987

CHUCK DONOVAN:

Attached is a letter that Anne had drafted to Roy Brewer. We would like to go ahead and have this put into final form, but since the President is now recovering from his surgery, some mention of that should be included in the letter. When the final is ready, just return to our office to go to the President. Thanks.


Katherine Ladd

Dear Roy:

Many thanks for your letter and, as always, ^{for} your candid assessments. For the next few days at least I'm going to concentrate on Christmas and for Nancy and me that has always been thinking of and being grateful for friends like you. I'm proud ~~and a little grateful~~ to have you on my side. Your friendship and support make it all worthwhile.

God bless you and keep you during this holy season.

S/

David Chew:

I don't want RR to have to
read and respond to this.
Can you work up a reply?

Thanks.

Kathy O.

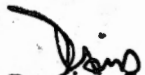
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

January 8, 1987

The President has seen 1/8

MR. PRESIDENT:

Attached is a letter from Roy Brewer, which was received just before you left for California. A proposed response has been prepared for your signature. Because the attached "Closeup" article is an original, we will return it to Roy if you like. He has asked you to hold onto it.


David L. Chew

*Can we zerox this (clipping)
and return the original to him?
RR*

From the Desk of...

ROY M. BREWER

Please see that I
do not have any more
extra copies

Roy M. Brewer
4230 Jubilo Drive
Tarzana, California 91356



Dec 12, 1986-5. A. M.

Dear Ron:

I have refrained from trying to communicate with you, except through Kathy, because of the tremendous pressures that I know have been upon you these past few weeks. I know that you have been getting more advice than you can use so about all I could offer you was sympathy which I knew would not be of any real help to you at this point. However, I want you to know that we have been agonizing with you almost 24 hours a day. We now have the C-Span station on Cable and it puts every American home that has it, right at the Washington scene, probably more effectively than those who are there. My wife Alyce, who has never liked politics and who does not really have a nervous structure that will let her deal with it effectively, has never followed anything so closely.

I now firmly believe that you are winning the battle and if you stay right on line as you have been and let the people know and feel what the Presidency has become, with Sam Donelson and his vultures trying to tear you to pieces for any reason or on any issue regardless of its consequences, you will be able to send them running for cover. The people trust you and have a basic understanding of what you have achieved and as the true facts come through I am sure they will support you. But as I have always said, you must, to the fullest extent possible, take the initiative and come out swinging.

What has happened has proven the point beyond question, that this Nation and the Presidency cannot survive unless we can find a way to contain and counteract the world wide propaganda structure that the communists control and which reaches deep into the opinion making structure of our society.

I was wondering if you had a chance to look at the material on Mexico that I gave you the last time we met. I thought you might like to know that Marcelo Garza, the man who prepared the material I gave you, has ordered 1000 (Spanish version) copies of Fred Schwartz's book, "You Can Trust the Communists - To be Communists". We have also arranged, through Reed Irvine, to have him meet with Elliot Abrams as soon as mutual schedules can be arranged. He is a man who heads an important Company in Monterey. He is aware of what is facing us and can be an important ally. He is going to be in Washington soon - the exact date has not been determined. If you should want to meet him just let us know.

By the time you receive this I will be in Washington. I hope to see Don Reagan for a few minutes about a matter that I do not want to bother you with now. If he feels it desirable, he will probably mention it to you. I sincerely hope you will not yield to the pressures being brought to bear on you to remove him. I think he has done a good job for you regardless of what they say and I believe that you need him now more than ever. There are so many things that a new man would have to learn that I think you would have confusion at a time when that could spell disaster. I know that you know him much better than I do but I have not been impressed by Laxalt. I seriously doubt that he could do the job as well as Don Regan has done it. Of course, you know that I have never tried to impose my views on you, but if my observations have any value, I give them for what they may be worth.

I received the picture of our last visit for which I sincerely thank you. I will cherish these pictures taken in the Oval Office.

Just another thought on the current situation. I think the most important issue before the nation under the current situation is whether or not the President can function in the present area of hostility in the nation today. The combination of a hostile press and a blindly partisan congress, both of which seem to respond at all times to the propaganda of our enemy has all but made our government unworkable. You may remember I mentioned that too you at the Eleanor Street studio in Hollywood when we were visiting between takes as you were shooting some commercials for your campaign. After all they have destroyed the three previous Presidents by the same method that they are trying to use to destroy you. I believe that if you could take that issue to the people in a setting of the great danger the nation faces on the world scene, that you could get the issue back on the sins of Congress and what their interference, usually on the side of the enemy, you could prevent them from further working up the sentiment of the people about the efforts that were made which under the circumstances, had to be made without consulting Congress because matters submitted to Congress ALWAYS wind up in the New York Times or the Washington Post. I am sure you have probably been through this but I feel sure that if you could get that issue back in the news it would tend to put them on the defensive and divert the attention from all of the relatively minor issue which they are trying to blow up into a major issue. After all we are facing a serious security crisis with the Soviet presence in Central and South America and undoubtedly in Mexico to a greater degree than anyone is really aware of.

For your information and hopefully for a little diversion I am enclosing a copy of one of the papers I got out during the strike which demonstrates the power of attack on our red enemies. You will, I am sure remember Robert W. Kenny who was part and parcel of the communist apparatus during the strike. He was Attorney General and about to launch gigantic front called the Mobilization for Democracy. Also he was the Democratic candidate for Governor, having been nominated by the Convention and as a result was the only candidate on the Democratic ticket. When this paper came out it was distributed at the Calif legislature and a committee was appointed to investigate the Attorney General's office. The result was to completely destroy the political career of of Kenny. That is the good news. The bad news is that, as a result of Kenny's dilemma, Warren won both primaries and became one of the few Governors to be elected in the primary. This gave him unwarranted status in the State and Nation, which status he parlayed into a favorite son candidate at the Chicago Convention of the GOP, which he then traded to Eisenhower for a commitment to receive the first appointment to the Supreme Court. It all started with this paper, which turned out to be a Phyrhic victory.

Our prayers and efforts are for you. If there is anyway I can help please call upon me. God Bless you and Nancy.

Sincerely,


Roy

From the Desk of...

ROY M. BREWER

H. Kathy:

Here is a letter for
the President and some
material that I think
would interest him if he
can find the time to read
it.

Merry Christmas Kathy
and thanks for everything

Sincerely
RMB

Red Youth Work Linked To Political, Labor, Film Men

Communist activity to influence students at UCLA and Los Angeles City College—which flared into headlines in connection with the Hollywood picket line violence—is not new.

There is a long record of Communist activity directed at youth in the schools and in the neighborhoods. Most of it operates

through the American Youth For Democracy, a Communist controlled organization, formerly the Young Communists League.

Red Youth Group
The name was changed from Young Communist League to American Youth for Democracy at the Young Communist League annual convention in New York on October 17, 1943.

The first anniversary of American Youth for Democracy was

celebrated here on December 1, 1944, at the Roosevelt Hotel in Hollywood.

The "People's World," West Coast Communist daily newspaper, gave wide publicity to the sponsors of this 1944 Communist meeting.

Here are some of the people who sponsored the meeting, according to "People's World" news statements. Independent investigation has determined that many

of them actually attended the Roosevelt meeting:

Legislators and AYD
Congressman Ellis E. Patterson, 16th California District; Congressman Ned R. Healy, 13th California District; and Assemblymen Albert Dekker and Augustus C. Hawkins of Los Angeles County. Dekker is Assemblyman from the 57th District in Hollywood.
Dekker was master-of-cere-

monies and Patterson and Healy were honored guests at the Communist celebration.

(Patterson, Healy, Dekker and Hawkins, along with other leftist legislators, injected themselves into the Hollywood jurisdictional strike in a manner antagonistic to the IATSE.)

Professors Involved
Dr. Franklin Fearing of UCLA also was a sponsor of the AYD
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THE HOLLYWOOD



Closeup

An IATSE Information Bulletin in the Public Interest



Hollywood, California, November 28, 1945

SORRELL TIED IN WITH RED GROUPS

WHY AFL DAIKLES RED INFILTRATION

The vital reasons why so many leaders of the AFL have joined in demands for a thorough house-cleaning of Communist activity in AFL trade union, political and civic activities are two-fold:

1) To eliminate continual disruption and confusion injected by the Communist minority into meetings and activities.

2) To remove from AFL labor the handicap of any alliance with Communists and the Communist program.

The first reason is plain and simple common sense and is a blow-off of accumulating indignation over disruptive tactics that have prevented transaction of routine AFL business. It is more or less an internal matter.

The second reason is one that vitally touches AFL dealings with the public, legislators, the press and other groups.

AFL leaders are citing numerous instances where the Communists have attacked

themselves to a program to the destruction of that program.

A typical instance is the proposed ordinance in the Los Angeles City Council for the setting

(Continued on Page 2)

CLC RED PROBE ★ Council Votes Cleanup ★

A complete, open and sweeping investigation of Communistic and Fascistic activities in the Los Angeles labor movement has been ordered by the Los Angeles Central Labor Council.

The action came at the regular meeting of the Council, on Mon-

day, November 5, through virtually unanimous approval of the
(Continued on Page 2)

IATSE EXPOSE AND TESTIMONY Before Assembly Committee Gives Communist Tie Record

Herbert K. Sorrell's seven-year record of Communist Party line activity was made public to trade union, civic, political, church, veteran and business leaders last week, shortly after testimony before an Assembly Committee, currently investigating the breakdown of law-and-order in the recent strike, exposed Sorrell's Communistic associations.

Sorrell's record was presented by the IATSE in an informational bulletin in carefully documented form. The record cited names, organizations, dates, quotations and sources and linked prominent radicals, leftists and known Communists with Sorrell—one conspicuous highlight being vicious attacks on the late President Roosevelt.

The IATSE analysis of Sorrell's record also traced the longstanding connection between Sorrell and a number of

individuals and organizations who injected themselves into the Hollywood jurisdictional dispute on the side of Sorrell and his anonymous Strike Strategy Committee.

HOW TO GET COPIES

Most of these individuals and organizations were shown to have lengthy records of Communist activities and associations. Some of the organizations now are defunct and have been succeeded by other Communist groups.

Los Angeles citizens who have not received a copy of the IATSE expose of Sorrell's record may obtain one by addressing the IATSE on their letterhead with a request to 6636 Hollywood Blvd., Room 218.

Following are excerpts from the Los Angeles Examiner of Thursday, Nov. 8, 1945, reporting verbatim testimony before the Assembly Investigating Committee:

The story appeared under the
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Peoples' Educ. Center Is Top L. A. Red School

The Communists have a keen interest in education, which—like avenues of propaganda—they try to use to accomplish their purpose, which is the overthrow of our present form of government in order to substitute the Communist "dictatorship of the proletariat."

In addition to Communist activities in schools and colleges, typified by recent exposes that Communists promoted the studio picketing by students from UCLA and Los Angeles City College, the Reds also have their own educational projects.

Outstanding Communist-dominated educational project in Southern California is the People's Educational Center.

FBI Chief's Warning
The Communist educational

program was described by J. Edgar Hoover, Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, in an address at the commencement exercises of Holy Cross College, at Worcester, Mass., on June 23, 1944, as follows:

"Over the years, the American Communists have developed a propaganda machine and a nefarious and elaborate school system of their own. Their officials in secret and public meetings urge that the propaganda phase of their work must be accelerated.

Brasently, they have urged the development of courses, lectures, and assemblies as media to expose the ideologies of Marxism, and to establish Marxism as a school of thought in the United States."

The People's Educational Center meets this prescription by the chief of the FBI, and it is in addition, probably the top public Communist-dominated school in the United States today.

Started In 1943

The People's Educational Center was launched in Los Angeles in the latter part of 1943 with a propaganda drive through-out unions of an unprecedented

nature. The Communist promoters of the PEC tried to bring into the setup many prominent non-Communist labor people, educators and civic leaders to serve as "window dressing" for the project.

This program was carried on during the period when the Communist Party line was in one of its "sharp twists" where the Party was urging all out unity in support of President Roosevelt and the war effort.

It soon became apparent, however, that PEC definitely was Communist inspired and
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FORMULA. for public officials worth voting for!

★ An Editorial Challenge to AFL Leadership ★

In our last (No. 3) issue we promised to suggest an AFL and American concept of the type of candidates that should win AFL support in the 1946 elections. Here are our suggestions with some thoughts on what can be done to stimulate such candidacies:

Let's get a responsible and representative group of AFL leaders busy RIGHT NOW through the United AFL procedure to study the candidate situation in the coming 1946 election!"

Every informed person in Los Angeles politics knows that the Communist "coalition" has a political machine at work right now, operating out of offices in Hollywood, that is picking a candidate for every office, from Governor to dog-catcher, in the coming elections; and the Communists and their CIO collaborators are already starting the buildup for these candidates.

We don't want any part of such candidacies!

Likewise, every informed person in Los Angeles politics knows that the Paul Shoup dominated faction of Los Angeles business and the Republican Party are picking candidates, whom they hope to slip in because of the disgust of the honest majority of organized labor over the antics of the Communists and their political pets in public office.

We don't want any part of such candidacies!

Then there is the Gerald L. K. Smith and "Ham and Eggs" crowd with obvious political ambitions, and with a program of confusion over their "\$30 Every Thursday for old people and "\$5 every Friday for students."

We don't want any part of their candidacies!

If we don't want either the Communist Reds or the Black Republicans or the Crackpot Confusionists, what do we want?

That is the political \$64 question that confronts Los Angeles!

The obvious answer is that we want and WE MUST FIND honest, responsible, capable and sincere public servants—good American men and women, who will place service to the entire community above partisan or factional considerations; and who will give labor, business, veterans and plain John Q. Taxpayer a fair break.

We want people in public office who sincerely believe that Labor and Management CAN and MUST work together for the public interest—and who will work for that end!

We want people in public office who believe sincerely in racial, religious and class tolerance and understanding—and who will work for that end instead of using racial, religious and class issues to promote strife!

We want people in public office who are modern enough to realize that we must meet the problems of an industrial civilization with a recognition of the need for social security, health protection, collective bargaining, control of monopolistic and dishonest practice in high places, fair employment practices, improved education, civic benefits for all citizens and a chance for everyone to have a decent home, a decent education, and a real chance at "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness."

BUT—

We also want people in public office who are old-fashioned enough to believe

that we can accomplish these benefits for ALL the people and control the dishonest and selfish element WITHOUT resorting to totalitarian and collectivist methods and to political systems ALIEN to the American way of life.

We want hard-working, sincere, fact-minded and responsible public servants—not demagogues and slogan salesmen. We want the best possible person to fill every public office and we need an aroused and informed electorate constantly on watch to support honest public servants and to condemn dishonest public servants.

WE WILL NOT GET THAT KIND OF PUBLIC SERVANT BY STANDING AROUND AND HOPING FOR IT TO HAPPEN!

We have got to DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT. And the United AFL seems to us to be the most potent and effective medium for DOING SOMETHING ABOUT IT.

THERE IS NO TIME LIKE THE PRESENT!

It is up to the United AFL to display real civic and political leadership—NOW!

If the AFL doesn't take a positive position of constructive leadership we are CERTAINLY going to wind up once again with the same old mixture of enough Communists, crackpots and reactionaries to confuse and muddle the work of honest legislators and public servants.

In 1946 we DON'T WANT to have to choose between a rabid Red or a Black reactionary for every office.

We want a third choice—a chance to vote for an honest, sincere American for every office on the ballot!

POLITICAL, LABOR, & YOUTH WORK Tied to Red AYD Youth Work

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celebration and he also was active in the smear campaign of Communist-promoted citizens committees in the recent strike. Another professor prominent in sponsoring AYD was Dr. Frank Davis.

Other prominent Hollywood figures who sponsored the AYD rally were Dalton Trumbo, Edward Dymtryk, Mrs. John Garfield, Earl Robinson, Frank Reilly, Samuel Ornitz, John Howard Lawson and Albert Maltz.

From labor, Philip M. Connelly, secretary of the CIO Council in Los Angeles, who follows the Communist party line scrupulously; Herbert K. Sorrell, who led the picket line violence; George Bradley, of the AFL Building Service union; Willis J. Hill, Carpenters Local 634; and Albee Slade of the CIO-PAC, were AYD sponsors.

Connelly, Bradley and Hill have been prominently associated with the anonymous Strike Strategy Committee, headed by Sorrell.

Albee Slade, then with CIO-PAC, now is associated with Attorney General Robert W. Kenny, and has been active in the "Mobilization for Democracy," of which Kenny is chairman.

Link With '44 Campaign

Connelly and Slade in the CIO-PAC were the conspicuous agitators for labor endorsement of Patterson, Healy, Dekker and Hawkins in the 1944 elections; and Bradley, Sorrell and Hill were leaders in the AFL ranks in a fight to try and secure AFL endorsement for Patterson, Healy, Dekker and Hawkins in the 1944 elections.

Prominent in the Hollywood AYD celebration also was Reuben Borough, long active in leftist political activity in Los Angeles. Borough now is associated with the Hollywood Independent Citizens Committee of the Arts, Sciences and Professions, where he is reportedly working on plans to select candidates to be backed in the 1946 elections.

Borough welcomed guests at

the AYD celebration at the Roosevelt Hotel and was quoted in the "People's Daily World" as speaking on "the pride of the Sponsoring Committee in the growth of the AYD in its first year."

Minister Listed

Dr. Ernest Caldecott of the 1st Unitarian Church, and Dr. Clayton Russell, both prominent on many leftist committees in recent years, also were officially listed as sponsors of the Communist AYD celebration.

John Howard Lawson, Samuel Ornitz and Dalton Trumbo all have long records of leftist activity in Hollywood screen writer circles and have been prominent in many committees and meetings of Communist inspiration. Lawson was photographed on the picket lines in the studio strike and has been linked directly in testimony with the promotion of picketing activity by UCLA and City College students.

Lawson and Dr. Franklin Fearing also are associates as editors of the new Hollywood Quarterly, published jointly by UCLA and the Hollywood Writers Mobilization. This publication is being watched closely by all AFL leaders and public officials for any Communist leanings.

Leftist Alliances

Another connection of sponsors of the Communist-AYD organization is the alliance of Connelly, Sorrell, Hill, Bradley, Trumbo, Lawson, Slade and Dr. Frank Davis, with people like Charlotta Bass, William Pomerance, Norval Crutcher, Russell McKnight, and Carey McWilliams and Fay E. Allen in the Communist-dominated People's Educational Center, a Communist Party propaganda school, launched in 1943.

Fay E. Allen is a member of the AFL Musicians union. Charges were filed against her at the last meeting of the Los Angeles Central Labor Council, charging that she engaged in activities disloyal to the AFL in

promoting jurisdictional raiding of public employes unions by the CIO and speaking at CIO meetings.

More Facts Coming

"The Hollywood Closeup" will present further information about the activities of these sponsors of Communist youth and education organizations in coming issues.

Factual information is necessary for the benefit of citizens of Hollywood and Los Angeles in judging the sincerity and purpose of individuals and groups that conduct propaganda activities in this area and set themselves up as civic and political affairs experts.

"The Hollywood Closeup" promises to present the FACTS. Response to the first issues of "Closeup" indicates that the people want to learn the TRUTH. We intend to present the TRUTH and plenty of it!

CLC RED PROBE

★ Council Votes Cleanup ★

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recommendations of the council's Executive Board.

The sweeping investigation resulted from a formal demand by the IATSE that illegal and unauthorized activity in connection with the Hollywood studio strike was inspired and dominated by Communists.

In support of its request for an investigation the IATSE presented a statement citing numerous instances of CIO raiding tactics and smear campaigns directed against the AFL, which in each instance had a pronounced Communist flavor.

Executive board members commented after the meeting that they tabled the IATSE request and voted a new and comprehensive investigation to remove com-

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up of a City Commission on Racial and Religious Tolerance. This is generally a good idea but the way in which it has been presented and the Communist tub-thumping have antagonized legislators and civic leaders, in addition to providing a springboard for local hate groups to denounce the whole plan as Communist inspired.

The fact is that leaders of the AFL, CIO, church, civic, business and veteran groups, including the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, all are in favor of the idea in principle, but they don't like the idea of being tied up with the Communists or allowing the Communists to infiltrate in to the program.

The Communists and their fellow travellers never enter any reform movement of any kind to solve the problems the reform movement is directed

pletely the conflicts of the Hollywood jurisdictional dispute from the much-needed probe of A.L. Communist activity in the AFL in Los Angeles.

The Council, under the recommendations of the Executive Board will invite all affiliated unions to present information and cooperate in every way possible in removing Communist influence and disruptive tactics from the affairs of the AFL labor movement.

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The INSIDE
STORY of the
1946 Political
Putsch, Planned
by The Commu-
nist Party in
Los Angeles.

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against—but only to use the issue involved as a peg for their agitation and conspiracies to achieve the "dictatorship of the proletariat."

On the national level such vit issues as Full Employment Legislation, the preservation of U. Employment office operation during reconversion, the Wagner Murray-Dingell Bill and the Fair Employment Practice legislation are typical of important and vital legislation that is suffering from Communist support.

Active, typically Communist whirling dervish propaganda is becoming so annoying to many legislators and civic leaders that it definitely is harming many constructive and progressive programs in the union legislative and civic field.

In many instances Communist activity in support of a program or project is a virtual "kiss death." This is the principle reason—besides preventing distraction in central bodies and councils—that the overwhelming majority of AFL leadership in Los Angeles wants to isolate the Communists and have nothing to do with them or their Communist front organizations.

The AFL—for its own protection—is committed to a policy of absolute NON-COLLABORATION with any coalition inspired by Communists or in which Communists are dominant. This is NOT an isolationist stand in labor, political or civic affairs, because the AFL has proved repeatedly that it can and will work cooperatively in the public interest with bona fide church, civic, veteran and similar groups.

An Open Letter to Robert W. Kenny

Attorney General, State of California

I am sending to you a complete file of the first three issues of "The Hollywood Closeup." You will note that news and editorial comment in this informational bulletin is sharply critical of the "Mobilization for Democracy," of which you are the Chairman.

Although you have not publicly commented upon the issues of the Hollywood jurisdictional strike, you have continually and publicly associated your name with most of the individuals and organizations, sympathetic to the Communist program, who have publicly joined in a smear campaign against me and the organization I represent—the IATSE.

You are the highest law enforcement authority in the State of California:—

And yet—you have taken no public official notice of widespread public protest against Communist incitement to a breakdown of law and order in connection with the Hollywood strike!

Furthermore—your name has been signed to telegrams and other communications by the "Mobilization for Democracy" inciting the same type of lawlessness and mob activity in the field of racial, religious and class strife!

You are the publicly recognized ranking head of the "Mobilization for Democracy."

The "Mobilization for Democracy" has been publicly condemned by the Los Angeles Central Labor Council as inspired and controlled by the Communist Party, the CIO, the NCPAC and similar organizations sympathetic to the Communist program.

Consequently—we of the IATSE think that it is about time that YOU answered some questions publicly.

SOME MORE POINTED QUESTIONS

What is YOUR stand on Fascism and Communism as threats to the American way of life?

Are YOU equally opposed to both Fascism and Communism?

Do you agree with the tactics employed by the Communist Party, the "People's Daily World," Philip M. Connelly, Morgan Hull, Katz, Gallagher & Margolis, Herbert K. Sorrell, the anonymous Strike Strategy Committee, Carey McWilliams, Herbert Biberman, Samuel Ornitz, John Howard Lawson, Paul Cline, and similar propagandists of smearing anyone who opposes Communism as a Fascist—whether or not the person smeared is as strongly against Fascism as he is against Communism?

Do you support the tactics of Connelly, Biberman, "followers of

by the "Mobilization for Democracy"?

When were you elected Chairman of the "Mobilization for Democracy" and by whom?

Who appointed or elected George Stiller as "acting secretary" of the "Mobilization for Democracy" and how much of the funds collected have been paid to Stiller?

Is it true that the telephone of Stiller's office was also the downtown telephone number of the Communist-inspired Citizens Committee for the Hollywood Strikers?

Is there any connection between the leadership of the "Mobilization for Democracy" and the leadership of the Communist-inspired so-called citizens' groups that injected themselves into the Hollywood jurisdictional dispute?

Do you support the editorial written by Mrs. Charlotta Bass, editor of "The California Eagle," demanding the resignation of the executive officer of the Council for Civic Unity because of his refusal to "go along" with the program of Philip M. Connelly and the "Mobilization for Democracy"?

Do you believe that the proper way to combat racial, religious and class tensions is by the tactics employed by the "Mobilization for Democracy" of inciting mass picketing and public demonstrations?

Are you opposed to the program advocated by the AFL, and by responsible church, civic, business, veteran and racial leaders for a constructive program through central coordination by the Council for Civic Unity of education and public information to promote intelligent understanding and tolerance in the American way?

Do you deny the fact that the AFL, Catholic groups, many prominent Jewish groups, many prominent Protestant groups, all veterans and business groups, and many other civic organizations have refused to recognize or affiliate with the "Mobilization for Democracy"?

Do you deny that most of the organizations publicly allied with "Mobilization for Democracy" are Communist inspired or Communist influenced?

By what right or authority did the "Mobilization for Democracy," of which you are the Chairman, take control of the more than \$10,000 donated by those in attendance at the Olympic mass meeting on July 17, which was sponsored by the Council for Civic Unity, which rented the auditorium in its name?

What disposition has been made of the funds donated at the Olympic mass meeting and taken over

Who hired Slade and what are his duties?

Do YOU accept any responsibility for political discussions or commitments now being made by Slade around Los Angeles?

Did YOU ever authorize Slade to represent YOU at any meetings concerned with the activities of "Mobilization for Democracy"?

Is there any Communist influence or control of the National Lawyers' Guild, of which you are a prominent official?

Were YOU associated with Philip M. Connelly, Clore Warne, Mrs. Larue McCormick, Communist candidate for State Senator, Leo Gallagher and Carey McWilliams in a committee in 1942 to inject charges of Fascist activity among youth into the Mexican situation in Los Angeles?

Do YOU support the action of the Los Angeles County Democratic Central Committee in injecting itself into the Hollywood jurisdictional strike in support of the now discredited position of the anonymous Strike Strategy Committee?

Do you deny the existence of Communistic activity in Los Angeles unions, in Los Angeles politics, and in Los Angeles racial, religious and class strife?

Do you deny that there is any Communist activity directed at the Hollywood motion picture industry in the interest of the foreign policy of the Communist Party on an international scale?

When do you plan to publicly answer the questions already asked of YOU by W. J. Bassett, Secretary-Treasurer of the Los Angeles Central Labor Council and by the Southern California Teamsters in an editorial, under the heading: "Coalitions and the AFL," in its issue of August 22, 1945.

These and many other questions are in the minds of American citizens in Los Angeles (who pay YOUR salary) about the the activities of the "Mobilization for Democracy."

We would like to hear some honest, public answers to these questions. We are getting just a little bit tired of double-talk and evasion in answer to open questions about the origination, control, policies, political implications and objectives of the "Mobilization for Democracy."

As the Chairman of "Mobilization for Democracy" what do YOU have to say to the citizens of Hollywood and Los Angeles in answer to these pointed and disquieting questions?

Roy M. Brewer, International Representative

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