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October 13, 1976

Dear Mrs. Walker,

What a great treat it was hearing from you. I will certainly be on the lookout for General Bill Moore, and I'm hoping that we can have some tennis. I share your high admiration for him and I will try to be helpful to him as he looks to the future.

Incidentally, I saw Admiral Gayler here the other day and your ears should have been burning. Both of us talked of you with great enthusiasm and happiness.

There is a chance I may come to Hawaii before too long and if so I will take you up on the offer of a tennis game.

Warmest personal regards,

Sincerely,

  
George Bush

Mrs. H. Alexander Walker  
2616 Pali Highway  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96817

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Olatun 2nd, 1976

Mrs. H. Alexander Walker  
2616 Salt Highway  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96817

Dick

Dear George:

You will remember the young Air Force General  
William G. Moore, Jr., who played tennis with you  
here at my home, after the coronation of the George Am-  
provement of my health here.

Bill is now leaving his post here, so Bill & Betty

to New York, as well as residing in command & all

to the U.S. Forces in the Pacific, for so long assigned to

the Pentagon as Vice Chief of Staff of the Air Force.

Newly underlined that the position of Commander

of the Military Air Command will be available

early next year when the present Commander's rotation

is scheduled to leave. Bill Moore is the best qualified

candidate for the position in the Air Force. He has a

proven record in that field.

For a detailed report, however, information

has been furnished to you in a separate release.

As it occurred in my that day, had played tennis

with him, you might be willing to pay a word

in his favor to the President, for it is an outstanding

and great gentleman, and his selection as Command

er of the Military Air Command is a great honor

to our country.

I think you will agree you will welcome again

to Honolulu and we can have more tennis

in the garden. - With warm regards to Mrs. Bush &

yourself, sincerely, The Walker

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May 4, 1976

Dear Ann,

Great hearing from you. One of the happy things about being back in Washington is that I run into our old gang from time to time. Don Rhodes lived in our house when we were in China, and I see him every Sunday for lunch - he is going great. Rose Zamaria's mother died, which broke her up, Mary Matthews is married, and life goes on and on and on.

I love my new job. I was in San Francisco the other day, indeed I was at One Bush Street. Had I only known that you were there, I would have stuck my head in. I was at White Weld.

Thanks for writing. I do look forward to meeting Jeffrey.

Sincerely,



George Bush

Mrs. Jeffrey R. Walsh  
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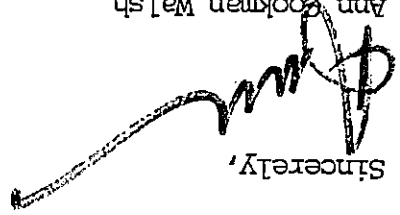
Hon. George Bush  
Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington, D.C. 20505

Dear George,

We --- your many west coast ~~admirals~~ and myself--- have had you in our thoughts so many times since your recent appointment but this morning's Wall Street Journal's cartoon prompted me to write and say we're most happy the agency is in such capable hands and wish you the best of luck. You have certainly had a wide range of experiences since those days in Longworth HOB and no doubt they have all served to prepare you for this task. Follow your utterings in the newspapers, most of which give you a pretty fair shake.

My husband and I bought our first home here in San Francisco so I guess I am becoming a real native after 7 years. I am still with Crowe---doing legislative research---and liking it very much. If you and Barbara are ever out this way, please give us a call. I have told Jeff so much about my hill days and he, too, is anxious to meet you.

Best of luck.

Sincerely,  
  
Ann Cookman Walsh

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Barbara Walters  
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New York, New York 10020

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THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE

Barbara -  
a souvenir  
from our Peking  
living room -  
Great seeing you  
the other night -  
Come for a CIA  
lunch - I want to

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show you off  
to all agents (1-)

Bert -

Ag B

3 December 1976  
2:55

Mr. Bush,

Sonya Adler called from the Washington Dossier. They are compiling a tribute to President Ford and she would like you to contribute in 100 words or so. They are in somewhat of a rush so it can be read to her over the phone.

RSVP: 362-5894

Karen

~~It would be~~ simply to highlight the President's Decency, Integrity and Honor. He accomplished a lot, but when all is said and done he will be remembered for his commitment to decency and honor. That is high tribute indeed. "

*read over phone  
6 December 1976*

Sent to: Lt. Gen. Vernon A. Walters

July 16, 1976

THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE

the citation was  
just right.

But, damn it all,  
we miss you here.

I will be grateful  
always for your support,  
for your advice - but,  
most, for the privilege  
of having seen, altho  
for too short a time, a  
real American in action

Sincerely,



Dear Dick -

Yesterday's White  
House ceremony was a  
fitting and well deserved  
tribute.

I loved the spirit  
there -

I loved the 'Walters  
touch' - that impromptu,  
just-right-speech that  
was generous and  
right to the point.

I liked the high  
level tribute to you -  
Pres. W.P. etc -

I thought

W. MARVIN WATSON

June 10, 1976

Dear George:

Knowing that June 11 is a very special day for you, Marion and I wanted you to have our very warmest good wishes.

May good health, much happiness and the love of family and friends make this a most memorable year for you.

Happy Birthday!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Marvin".

Honorable George Bush  
5161 Palisade Lane, N. W.  
Washington, D. C. 20016

13 September 1976

Dear Jerry,

It was good seeing you at Maine. I tried to get ahold of you again, but you must have taken off early. I did not get back for near as much time as I had hoped.

I checked with Henry Kissinger's office and told them of my interest in getting the pictures that you had requested for your parents. The office replied that he was "800 photos behind" but (now for the good news) he hopes to catch up. Why don't you send me what your requirements are and let's start all over. I think I can be helpful. It was great seeing you and Jane and the kids. All too brief. Thanks for the great dinner. Sorry we didn't get a boat ride together.

Warmest regards,

Sincerely,

George Bush

Mr. Jerry Weintraub  
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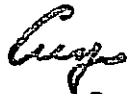
September 28, 1976

Dear Tom,

Thanks so much for your thoughtful letter of September 23rd. I'm glad you think the TOMORROW show went so well. Positive comments are few and far between and I thank you again for taking the time to pass them along.

Hope all is well with you,

Sincerely,



George Bush

Mr. Tom Weiser  
KPLC, TV 7  
P. O. Box 1488  
Lake Charles, Louisiana 70601



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1549 Foot TOWER

September 23, 1976

*K  
Thank you*

Mr. George Bush  
Director, Central Intelligence  
Washington, D.C. 20505

Dear George:

It was with great pleasure that I viewed the "Tomorrow" program on NBC the other night when you were on. Both Dorothy and I sincerely enjoyed seeing you again.

I hope you will take Tom Snyder up on his offer to appear more often. I'm prejudice in your behalf of course, but in all sincerity capable, dedicated individuals such as yourself who possess the additional talent of communication and articulation are not in abundance. But, then again, not everyone has had the advantage to grow up in Texas.

Take care.....and say hi to Pussy Galore for me.

Sincerely,

Tom Weiser

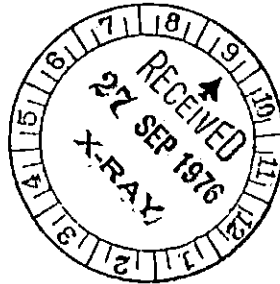
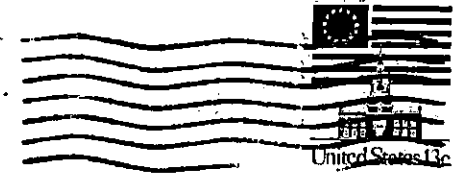
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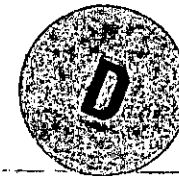


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Mr. George Bush  
Director, Central Intelligence  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington, D.C. 20505



*missed had  
time to call*

**The New York Times**

WASHINGTON BUREAU  
1920 L STREET, N.W.  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20036  
(202) 293-3100

December 15, 1976

*Auth*

Mr. George Bush  
The Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington, D. C. 20505

Dear George Bush:

When I introduced you to Cliff Robertson the other night at the Sulzberger party, it didn't seem the right time to ask you about favorite recipes. But maybe this is.

How about answering a question or two on the telephone, and then let me work out the details with Mrs. Bush?

Sincerely,

*Kathie Wellde*  
Kathie Wellde

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November 15, 1976

Honorable George Bush  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington, D. C. 20505

Dear Mr. Bush:

I am putting together, for Doubleday & Co., a cookbook of favorite recipes of prominent Washington men and would like to include several recipes that you enjoy.

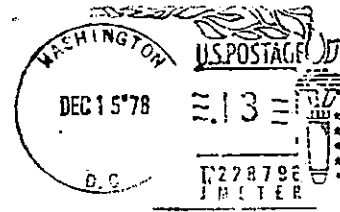
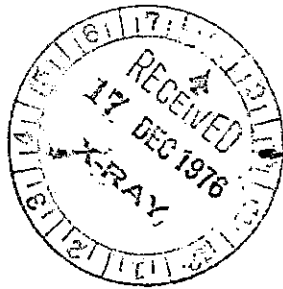
Ideally, the recipes should be ones you like to cook yourself. I would also need a comment from you about food, cooking or entertaining.

Among those who have already contributed recipes are Russell Baker, Senator Stevens, Bill Safire, etc.

Sincerely,

Kathie Wellde

P. S. When I am not doing this cookbook, I work for Bill Safire and you may remember me as your pen pal from your Peking days.

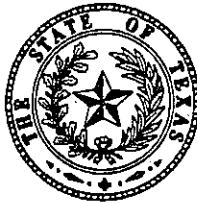


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*and by hand  
5 Jan. 1977*

Mr. George Bush, Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
5161 Palisade Lane, N. W.  
Washington, D. C. 20006

Dear Mr. Bush:

Mr. Cromwell had been asking me for six months to invite you as speaker for our conference. My letter to you was only a "cover letter" for his invitation.

As is natural for me, I couldn't help being a smart a\_\_ with it. Asking a personal favor of a friend or a loved one implies, "you owe me for my affection, now pay". My affection for you has never been spelled out. Perhaps now, during this Holiday Season, it is a good time to do so. It has nothing whatsoever to do with your status.

One day, several years ago when you were a Congressman, we (Sonny and me) came to you in Houston with our dream. At that time, we had almost given up. We had tried every way we knew how to establish a home for ex-offenders. You took the time to listen to us and you heard us. You helped us. YOU BELIEVED IN US.

Your letter to Mr. Fred Melchoir started New Directions Club, Inc. and your continued interest sustained us. The program is now the best in Texas. One you can be proud to have been a part of.

...continued...

During the last campaign for Congress, we met you and traveled with you in Dallas and had a chance to get to see what kind of man you were. Sonny, whose capacity for love was greater than mine, loved you above all others and kept his image of you always before him. An image of compassion, ethics, and fairness. In times of stress he'd say, "What would George Bush do?", and he would act accordingly.

I recall yelling many times - Bush ain't no gosh darn saint and he sure as hell ain't working with ex-offenders. But for Sonny, you worked. He died a happy and fulfilled man.

Had it not been for Sonny, you, New Directions, and many others like you, I would not be sitting here now in this big office with this very trying but meaningful job.

So you see George Bush, that thirty minutes in your office in Houston started a whole new life for me. A life that has opened doors unexpectedly in some very strange places that would have been forever closed.

Should you think me a sentimental old woman, I am. I personally owe you a debt that can never be paid, MY LIFE AS IT IS NOW. The only way I know to try to pay that debt is through loving you and sincerely caring about your welfare. I shall never impose on your friendship.

Should you return to Texas we may meet again. Till then, Go with God.

Respectfully,



SELMA L. WELLS

Member

SLW/mk

P.S. Yes, I understand your refusing the invitation. I expected you to. Paul was pleased with your response. He laughed and said, "that guy doesn't beat about the Bush, does he?".

*Enjoy a Happy New Year*

December 17, 1976

Dear Selma,

The attached letter speaks for itself. I am sure you engineered my being invited, but I just can't make a commitment this far ahead. I do hope you understand.

I hope you and yours have a marvelous Christmas and I look forward to seeing you when we get back to Texas.

Yours very truly,



George Bush

Ms. Selma Wells  
Member  
Board of Pardons and Paroles  
Room 711  
Stephen F. Austin Building  
Austin, Texas 78701

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December 13, 1976

Mr. George Bush, Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
5161 Palisade Lane, N. W.  
Washington, D. C. 20006

Dear Mr. Bush:

Mr. Paul Cromwell, a Member of this Board, spoke to me some time ago about asking you to be our keynote speaker at our next TCA Conference. At that time, I told him that because of your position, I doubted if you commit yourself to this type of involvement.

Due to your announcement that you were going to resign, (which by the way, startled the hell out of me) I feel the whole picture has changed.

IF you do leave your present employment ... and

IF you don't go running off to Tim-buk-tu for something or other ... and

IF you are still thinking politically or just want to keep your hand in ...

this would give you an opportunity to become acquainted with a whole new group of people, hitherto, unknown to you.

December 13, 1976

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Whatever you plan for the future is sure to be a success because you are one of the "good" men and our higher power is inclined to favor such men, not always in coin of the realm, but by blessing those with peace and serenity for a job well done.

I do hope you can join us.

Sincerely,



SELMA WELLS  
Member

SW  
mk

P. S. I'll bet the wife and family are relieved at your decision. To me you are in a scary place. The very fact that I write to you scares me sometime, cause I ain't too diplomatic in my letters.

September 28, 1976

Dear Selma,

I was delighted to get all of your news. I am surprised you caught me on the tube. I don't make many appearances, although the week of Issues and Answers seemed to be "media" week.

It sounds to me like you are doing a first-class job for the Board of Pardons and Paroles, but that doesn't surprise me in the least.

Warmest regards,

Sincerely,



George Bush

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September 22, 1976

Mr. George Bush, Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
5161 Palisade Lane, N. W.  
Washington, D. C. 20006

Dear Mr. Bush:

Caught the show Issues and Answers on September 19, 1976.

Many of my questions were answered.

Your fielding was perfect.

Still think of you as Mr. President. Can't assimilate  
that CIA bit.

The Texas Parole System is the best in the Country.  
(No foolin' -- I studied)

We bought the old Post Office Building in Huntsville for  
our staff. Recently, we renamed it the Senator William T.  
Moore Building. The Board Members' names are on the plaque.

Got my name on a public building, imagine that!

Hope you take a little time to be happy and enjoy...

Don't know how Texas will go, Democratic or Republican,  
and at the moment we all have the "crazies" politically.  
(Typical Texas)

Look to you to keep my Country in fair shape for a long time  
to come, cause I gotta live in it.

Liked your media visibility. That's tough duty.

*K*  
*Desk for*  
*Dictation*  
*she had cleaned*  
*up her act!*

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September 22, 1976

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Tell the wife Hello and that I'm trying to make a woman on this Board mean something special. I am surrounded by male chauvinist pigs, whom I love and they haven't a chance.

Bye,



SELMA WELLS

Member

SW  
mk

# New Parole Building Dedication Ceremonies September 16

Reagan Brown of the Governor's staff was the principal speaker at dedication ceremonies for the William T. Moore State Office Building September 16 in Huntsville.

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The structure is the first property owned by the Board in its 40 year history.

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State Senator William T. Moore, for whom the building is named, was also a featured speaker at the dedication. As a member of the legislature's Senate Finance Committee, Moore was instrumental in appropriating funds for purchase of the building.

Others participating in the dedication ceremonies included W.J. Estelle, Jr., TDC Director, Huntsville Mayor Morris Waller, and Board of Pardons and Parole members Clyde E. Whiteside, Paul Cromwell, and Selma Wells.



## FROM THE DIRECTOR

Two weeks ago, there were a number of Texans who attended the 106th American Correctional Association Congress in Denver. Besides employees of the Texas Department of Corrections, there were representatives from the Board of Pardons and Paroles, several Sheriffs' Offices, Probation Offices, and private, nonprofit community-based correctional groups. Many of these delegates played an active role in program participation. For many years, Texas has maintained approximately twenty per cent of the total membership of ACA but it was not until recent years that our membership enrollment gained much notice, and that happened when the mail ballot was initiated under the recent revision of ACA's Constitution.

This Year's Congress theme was "What Works in Corrections: A Search for Reality." The American Correctional Association, as an organization, had its own search for reality underway at the 106th Congress. It has become increasingly apparent the organization had to become more realistic about its financial condition. As every other organization, family, and corporation, it is facing the reality of rising costs. For several years, they have not had an increase in membership dues, which is the principal source of revenue. This year, the reality of their financial plight could be postponed no longer, and the dues increase was brought before the membership after having been recommended by the Board of Directors. Due to the large number of members supporting the organization in the past, the Texas delegation was looked to for some indication of their reaction to the proposed dues increase. It appears that Tony Travisono, Executive Director, and his staff, along with the Executive Committee of ACA, have taken some positive steps toward reducing those operational costs that can be reduced. With the feeling in mind that the American Correctional Association continues to represent the responsible voice of corrections in America today, the Texas delegation, along with the rest of the membership, voted unanimously to increase the dues.

The Texas Department of Corrections for many years, under the leadership of O.B. Ellis and George Beto, has maintained a high percentage of employees being enrolled members of ACA. Since the mail ballot has come about, we have more nearly approached the concept of "one man, one vote," within the organization plus the fact that the new dues rates will also include an accidental death and disability insurance policy of \$5,000 for each member; I hope that the Texas Department of Corrections employees will continue to remain active, with even increased membership, in ACA.

### NEWSLETTER

The Newsletter, a house organ for the Texas Department of Corrections, is published monthly in an effort to promote and convey interdepartmental communications among the employees.

Mr. Ronald D. Taylor  
PUBLIC AFFAIRS OFFICER

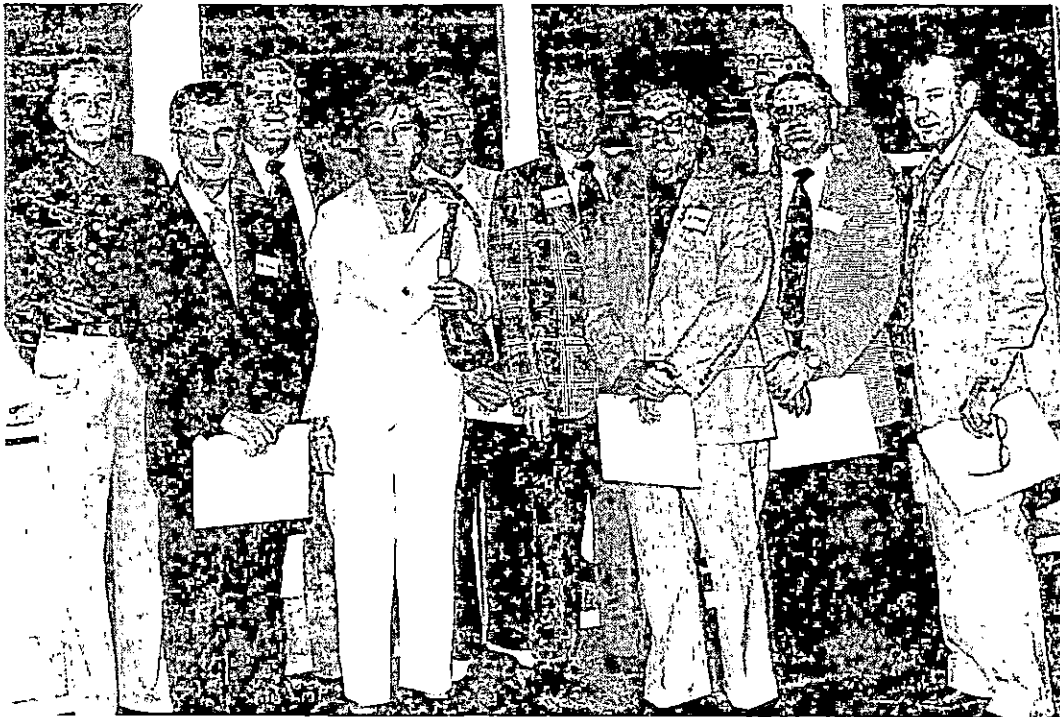
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Director

## TEA Members Tour Educational Programs On Units



Administrative personnel of the Texas Education Agency of Austin toured Windham School District programs on the Ferguson, Huntsville, Goree and Wynne Units on August 12; the group joined Windham and TDC staffers for a barbecue at the Goree Unit at noon. Visitors pictured above include (left to right) Robert McEachern, Windham instructor; Marlin Brockette, Texas Commissioner of Education; Raymond Bynum, Financial Allocations; Dr. Lane Murray, Windham Superintendent; Luther Thompson, Financial Allocations; Cadar Parr, Occupational Education and Technology; William McCullough, Special Schools Division; John Guemple, Assistant Deputy Commissioner for Administrative Services; Robert Patterson, Occupational Education and Technology; and Bob Allen, Adult Education.

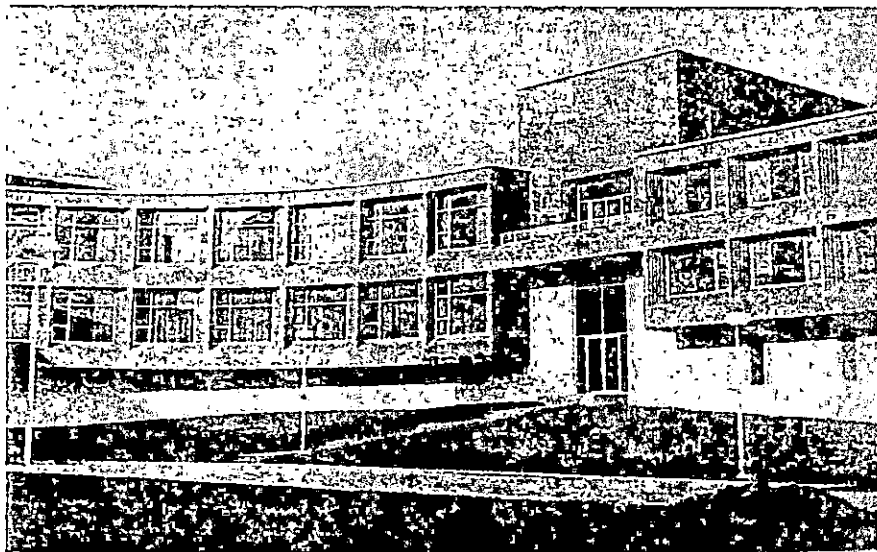
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## Criminal Justice Center Open To Public

Culminating some five years of planning and construction by TDC employees and inmates, the doors of the Criminal Justice Center at Sam Houston State University were opened to the public in mid-August.

Faculty who will be housed in the new facility moved in, and students got their first glimpse of the building

during registration in late August. While most departments are still working out of the moving boxes to some extent, the response of both students and instructors is one of excitement.

TDC Training Academy personnel made the move to the new correctional center in early September; Academy

Class 202 began on September 1 and will be the first class to complete training in the new headquarters. The TDC trainees will live in dormitory quarters included in the CJC, and take their meals at the Huntsville Unit during the training period.

The Center, occupying a complete city block and providing some 200,000 square feet of floor space, was begun in 1971; construction cost of the joint TDC-University facility totaled approximately \$6 million dollars.

Incorporating the most modern and up-to-date facilities for graduate and undergraduate students involved in the study of penology and law enforcement, the Center includes classrooms, seminar areas, a library, courtroom facilities and an auditorium to seat 500. Additionally, innumerable offices and specialized testing and research spaces to support a comprehensive educational program are a part of the structure.

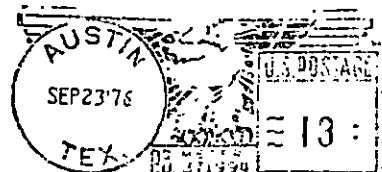
A 100 room hotel, connected to the center, provides living quarters for visitors who participate in study, lectures and seminars offered under the continuing education program.

(See Criminal Justice Center page 7)



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AUSTIN, TEXAS 78701

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Mr. George Bush, Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
5161 Palisade Lane, N. W.  
Washington, D.C. 20006

Executive Registry

76-8251

June 15, 1976

Dear Selma,

I'm OK! Things are going well here, but I haven't forgotten that Texas is the greatest. I like my new job - complicated though it is. Hope all is well with you.

Warmest regards,

Sincerely,



George Bush

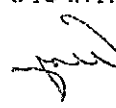
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Board of Pardons and Paroles  
Room 711 Stephen F. Austin Building  
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June 8, 1976

Mr. George Bush, Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
5161 Palisade Lane, N. W.  
Washington, D. C. 20006

Dear Mr. Bush:

Just wanted to share this with you.

Are you O.K.?

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Selma Wells".

SELMA WELLS  
Member

SW: mk

P.S. In case you've forgotten, Texas is the greatest  
still.

art buchwald

# Kissing, telling — tsk, tsk

WASHINGTON — I'm getting sick and tired of all these women revealing their affairs with the leading political figures of our time. It seems to me that



there was a period in this country when a woman was content to go to bed with a President of the United States, a congressman or a well-known Washington celebrity, and do it for the pleasure of his company.

But recently everyone is starting to blab, and I think I can speak for all future Presidents, congressmen and opinion makers when I say that if these women don't stop being indiscreet we're all going to have to say "No" when they proposition us.

I know this is a harsh measure, and many women reading this are going to say, "Why should we be punished because of a few women who want to brag about their affairs?"

**THE ANSWER IS THAT** those of us in power have our careers at stake, and if we can't have a lovely evening without fear of being exposed in print we're just not going to get involved in extramarital affairs no matter how intriguing they may seem at the time.

Formerly, the beauty of being President of the United States or a member of Congress, or even a member of the press corps in Washington, was that one was able to carry on an assignation with the full knowledge that it would be kept confidential. All of us are very busy men, and the only reason we had an affair was so that we could bring joy and happiness to some poor girl who dreamed of being so close to power.

We did it purely for altruistic reasons and we asked nothing in return for those arduous afternoons and evenings except a little respect and an assurance that our tete-a-tete would not be violated.

**BUT THIS VOW OF** silence is being broken every day. Every time you pick up the newspaper you read another story about somebody who claims to have had an affair with an important American personality.

These women have been egged on, I'm sorry to say, by scandal sheets and paperback publishers who are willing to pay vast sums of money to print the stories of what it was actually like to be the intimate friend of someone in high office.

Well, let me tell you, it's all come to an end. I have talked to presidential candidates, congressmen and senators and they have all told me the same thing: "E-nough is enough. If women are going to go bragging like men do about their affairs, they're going to have to find their fun somewhere else."

It's a pity it has come to this because Washington was one of the few cities in the United States where a woman could have an affair with the President of the United States or a ranking member of a House committee in privacy and away from the prying eyes of neighbors.

**BUT NOW, THANKS TO** a few money-hungry ladies, all of us, from the President on down to the lowliest freshman congressman, will have to take a firm stand.

The next time a secretary or a movie actress says to us, "*Voulez-vous coucher avec moi?*" we're going to have to firmly reply, "*Pas ce soir, cherie.*"

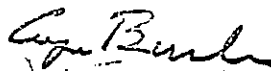
October 8, 1976

Dear Jann,

Thanks so much for your note and the limited edition copy of Rolling Stone. It was a pleasure having Mr. Avedon out here at CIA. I don't know if he was as scared to come out here as I was in posing for the great Avedon, but he sure has a neat way of putting his victims at ease and I enjoyed our short time together. I am really looking forward to having a signed copy of the portrait.

Thanks again for your thoughtfulness and please say hello to Joe Armstrong, whom I met in San Antonio recently, should you see him.

Sincerely,



George Bush

Mr. Jann Wenner  
Editor  
Rolling Stone  
78 East 56th Street  
New York, New York 10022

# ROLLING STONE

78 East 56th Street New York New York 10022 (212) 486-9560

September 20, 1976


Mr. George Bush  
Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Langley, Virginia 20505

Dear Mr. Bush:

Some weeks ago you generously gave your time to Richard Avedon and Rolling Stone for a portrait. I am enclosing a limited edition copy of that issue -- printed on book paper -- with your picture in it. We hope you'll enjoy the issue.

Again, thank you for your time and interest.

Sincerely,



Jann Wenner  
Editor

P.S. Mr. Avedon will be sending you a signed copy of your portrait.

JW/le

From the desk of

JENNIFER FITZGERALD

(W)

JRL says he thinks the full report is classified but will check and in any case will send the published data to you.

Says the report is quite old -- came out two months ago -- and data differs from a new report they have -- I don't know if last sentence is classified.

Ben Evans said ~~o.k. to send~~ -- <sup>CP</sup> did it.  
<sub>me</sub>

Put on wheel  
RICHARD J. WHALEN  
SUITE 820  
818 18<sup>th</sup> St.

Home -  
229-5021  
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November 2, 1976

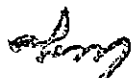
Dear Dave,

Thanks so much for your most thoughtful letter of October 26th. Receiving kind words really makes one's job seem worthwhile.

Best of luck with your new endeavor--I know you'll do well.

Warm regards,

Sincerely,



George Bush

Mr. I. David Wheat, Jr.  
Vice President  
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October 26, 1976

Honorable George Bush  
Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington, D. C.

Dear George:

Just a note to say how much I enjoyed your speech at the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Convention. Every time you give that CIA peptalk (I still recall the Texas State Society function and the Marine drum and bugle corps), I honestly want to run out and enlist! With morale such a critical factor these days, I sincerely believe the CIA could not be in better hands than yours. Keep up the good work.

You probably aren't aware of what I'm doing in Houston these days, so I've attached a set of brochures describing our firm, which is based in Washington. I opened the Houston Office nearly three months ago, and things are going real well. Some of your old friends are clients.

Anne Armstrong was in town last Thursday for a speech, by the way.

Take care, and give my regards to Mrs. Bush.

Sincerely,



I. David Wheat, Jr.  
Vice President

IDW:dej

Enclosures (*destroyed attachments*)

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AUGUST 9, 1976

Sent to: Mr. John White

5161 Palisade Lane, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20016  
August 4, 1976

Dear John,

If I get any leads, I will certainly be in touch. I am sorry that the deal with John Calhoun didn't work out. Have you tried Congressman Archer's or Senator Tower's office? Both have offices there in the Federal Building. If you do try, please be sure to use my name. I would suggest you go by to see them, tell them what you have been doing and what you would like to do. Sometimes they have vacancies right there in Houston.

Warmest regards,

Sincerely,



George Bush

Photocopy from George Bush Presidential Library

*Dear*

3451 Wichita  
Houston, Texas  
July 26, 1976

Dear George,

After our conversation on the telephone, I called John Calhoun and talked to him. He didn't have anything available at this time nor did he have anything definite coming up. If you can talk to anyone in Houston, Dallas or Washington, please do so.

Many thanks to you.

Your friend,

  
John White

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*NO  
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May 26, 1976

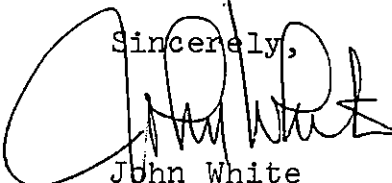
The Honorable George H. W. Bush  
Director of C. I. A.  
5161 Palesaes Des, N. W.  
Washington, D. C.

Dear George:

My letter is to make you aware of the fact that, John Calhoun was to inform me of any development concerning employment for myself in Washington. However, as of to date I have not conversated by telephone nor have I received any type of correspondence from him.

Although, I remain interested and still awaiting a reply. In the form of a request, I would appreciate whatever consideration you can give in this matter.

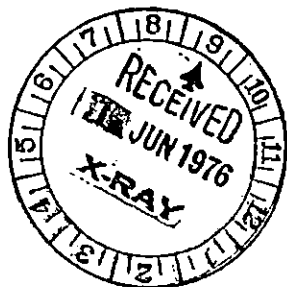
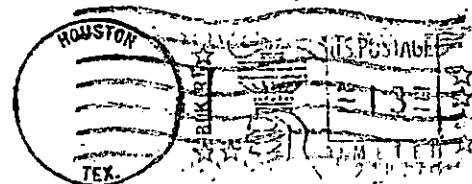
Thanking you in advance for your assistance with my acquiring employment.

Sincerely,  
  
John White

JW/bh

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J. L. White  
3451 Wichita  
Houston, Texas 77004



The Honorable George H. W. Bush  
Director of the Central Intelligence Agency  
5161 Palesaes Des, N. W.  
Washington, D. C.

Sent to John White - 31/3/76

3451 Wichita Street  
Houston, Texas 77004

March 31



CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

Dear John,

I got your  
new resume. I'm  
in touch with  
V. Calhoun on this

Hastily -

Sincerely,

Gay Bush

# PULL for YOUTH

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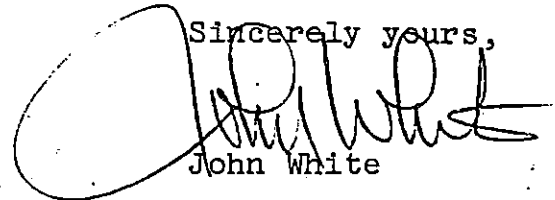
Dear Mr. Bush:

Please find enclosed a copy of my updated Federal form 171. Hope that all is going well in the new position.

Give all my regards.

Edgar Arnold  
Operations

Sincerely yours,



John White

3451 Wichita Street  
Houston, Texas 77004  
February 18, 1976

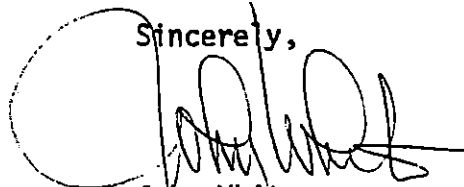
Dear George,

Congratulations on your conformation as Director  
of the Central Intelligence Agency.

I will be in Washington on March 2, 1976 to meet  
with Mr. Calhoun, hopefully the interview will be fruit-  
ful. While in the city, if time permits in your busy  
schedule, I would like to get in contact with you. If  
necessary, in the meantime, I can be contacted at the  
number (713) 529-8958.

Thanks for your interest and concern.

Sincerely,



John White

JW:lec

JF

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call him  
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very busy.

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did not  
call

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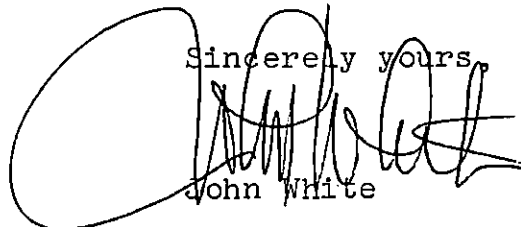
Dear Mr. Bush:

Please find attached a copy of my U. S. Civil  
Service Commission rating.

Again accept my sincere gratitude for the cour-  
tesy entended me in obtaining this rating.

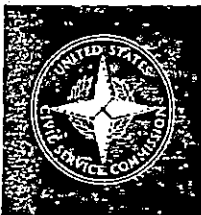
Edgar Arnold  
Operations

Sincerely yours,



John White

JW/bh



U. S. Civil Service Commission  
 Bureau of Recruiting and Examining  
 Washington, D. C. 20415

**SENIOR LEVEL  
 POSITIONS  
 Announcement 408**

Mr. John L. White  
 3451 Wichita Street  
 Houston, TX 77004

IN REPLY, REFER TO DESK 408	
Date	APR 23 1975
No.	333429
Eligibility	GS-13
Veteran Preference	

Dear Mr. White:

We have reviewed your application under Announcement 408, Senior Level Positions. Based on a preliminary review of your qualifications, you will receive consideration at the grade(s) shown above. This is not an offer of employment—it is a record that your name has been placed on our Senior Level referral list.

**Limited Job Opportunities** The Senior Level examining program is the source of recruitment from outside the Federal Government for administrative, management, and some service type occupations at grades GS-13, GS-14, and GS-15. Relatively few jobs are filled through this announcement since most vacancies at these levels are filled from within the Federal service by reassignment, transfer, or promotion. Therefore, job opportunities through Senior Level are very limited.

**How Jobs Are Filled** Applications are kept in a central resource file. When an agency requests names to be considered in filling a job, we screen the file for applications showing skills and backgrounds that match the requirements of the job. These applications are evaluated to identify the best qualified candidates. Then, the names of the top-ranking candidates are referred for consideration. For some positions, consideration may be limited to one or more states or a clearly defined administrative area of the agency. The applications of candidates not selected are put back into the system for consideration as other opportunities arise.

**Length of Consideration** You will receive consideration for a period of 12 months from the date of this letter. You may extend your period of consideration by submitting up-to-date information about your qualifications after 10 months. In any communication, please identify your application by furnishing the information which appears at the upper right corner of this letter.

Thank you for your interest in the Federal Career Service.

U. S. Civil Service Commission

**This Is NOT an Offer of Employment**

January 28, 1976

Dear John,

Pardon my delay in answering your letter of January 9th. Before I left the White House, I talked to John Calhoun about your interest. He told me they were going to get you up to Washington for an interview. Needless to say, I hope you put me down for a reference for anything you want to do.

Sincerely,



George Bush

Mr. John White  
3451 Wichita Street  
Houston, Texas 77004

GB:lm

January 9, 1976

The Honorable George Bush  
The State Department  
5161 Palisadia Des, N. W.  
Washington, D. C.

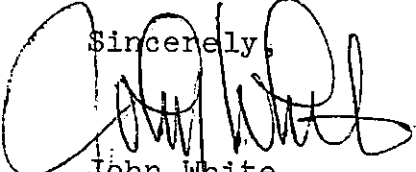
Dear Mr. Bush:

Please let me take this opportunity to extend my warm congratulations on behalf of your appointment as Chief of the Central Intelligence Agency. This high honor you have earned is a very fine tribute to your dedicated performance of service throughout the years. We are indeed happy for this outstanding accomplishment only one of your caliber would be more deserving.

Presently, Project PULL is doing fine. However, due to circumstances of many political problems in our City Government; I am in the process of seeking employment with the Federal Government, preferably in Washington. If you can be of assistance to me, it would certainly be appreciated. Enclosed is a copy of letters I have written to Pete and John.

With warmest regards,

Sincerely,



John White  
Project Director

JW:at

Enclosures

January 9, 1976

Pete Roussel  
1213 33RD Street, N. W.  
Washington, D. C.

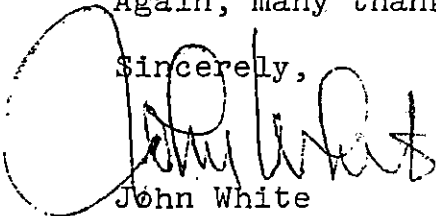
Dear Pete:

Thank you for being so kind in rendering whatever assistance you have been able to give toward our organization through the years. Our wish to you is the greatest success in your future endeavors.

Enclosed is a copy of my correspondence to John Calhoun. I have also been in contact with George Bush. If at any given time in the future I can ever be of assistance to you, feel free to call or write.

Again, many thanks to you.

Sincerely,



John White  
Project Director

JW:at

Enclosure

January 9, 1976

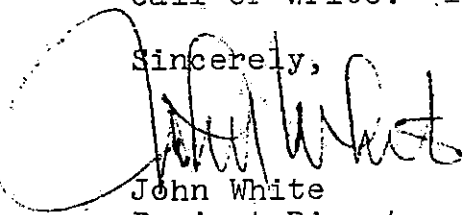
John Calhoun, Director of Media Relations  
The White House  
Washington, D. C.

Dear John:

My letter comes to you as a follow-up regarding our most recent telephone conversation about the possibility of my seeking employment with the Federal Government, preferably in Washington. Enclosed is a copy of my application on Form 170.

Any additional information you may need, don't hesitate to call or write. I look forward to hearing from you very soon.

Sincerely,



John White  
Project Director

JW:at

Enclosure

# Withdrawal/Redaction Sheet

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The Director  
Central Intelligence Agency



Washington, D.C. 20505

Dec. 10 '76

Dear Friends,

We Bushes  
are not sending out  
Christmas cards this  
year; so let me take  
this means of thanking  
all of you for your  
fantastic help to  
me and others here  
at CIA; AND MOST  
OF ALL - to wish  
each of you a  
very Merry Christmas  
and a great 1977.

I will be leaving  
in January. I will  
always be grateful

for the many countries  
you have extended to  
us.  
Good luck to  
all of you -  
Merry Christmas!  
Sincerely,  
Cuz Frank

Washington, D.C. 20505



The Director  
Central Intelligence Agency

December 6, 1976

NOTE TO: A&C Black Ltd.

My boss, Mr. George Bush, wanted me to drop you this note and let you know that unfortunately, Mr. Bush does not know what his address will be, or his next appointment. He won't know until after January 20th.

Sincerely,



Karen G. Tillotson  
Secretary to Mr. Bush

K  
write him a so sorry don't know letter.. won't know til  
after Jan.20th

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WHO'S WHO

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29th November 1976

Mr G H W Bush  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington  
DC 20505  
USA

Dear Sir

We have seen press reports that you are to resign your appointment as Director of the Central Intelligence Agency next January. The only address now shown in your entry in Who's Who is that of the CIA, and we should be grateful if you would let us know whether we may include in the supplementary pages of our 1977 edition a new address and, perhaps, appointment? These pages are open until the end of the year, although the main body of the book has already gone to press.

Your faithfully  
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Dear John,

Thanks for the picture and that great friendly letter. I miss politics a little at this particular time, but for the most part I don't think of it and I concentrate on this fascinating job at CIA.

Our Houston grandchild will be with us in Maine at the end of this month and we are looking forward to that. Jebby, our son, is working for Ben Love at the Texas Commerce Bank. He is Ben's Executive Assistant.

Bar and I miss Houston, and one of these days we'll be back.

Warmest personal regards,

Sincerely,

  
George Bush

Mr. John Whyman  
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August 10, 1976

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Mr. George Bush, Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington, D. C. 20505

Dear George:

When you were here on your visit and spoke to the YMCA dinner, I couldn't help but notice the way Barbara looked at you once during the evening. In cleaning out my desk the other day, I found this picture of you and Barbara. I took it in Lubbock, Texas in 1970 during your campaign. Its the same look George, so congratulations. Thought you might enjoy it.

We can tell that your working hard and doing a good job with the CIA by the lack of headlines in all of the papers. It has tobe a tough job George, but you can do it.

Its a shame that your hands are tied now in the national politics since many of us feel that you could do another great for the country this Fall. It looks like any one's ball game now, but the convention will give some answers soon. George, you would be surprised at how many GEORGE BUSH bumper stbkers and signs are still in the attics of many Texas voters.

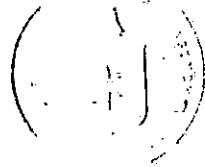
Betty Jo and I hope that you and Barbara are enjoying your grand children as much as we do.

Sincerely,

*John Whyman*

6-25-76

THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE



Dear Bill & Peggy,

Thanks for  
the Trilogy  
evening - great  
fun - Best  
was being with  
you two in  
such a relaxed

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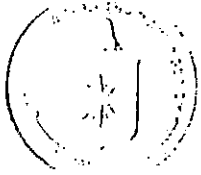
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Dec. 6, 1976

THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE

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Dear Bob,

The attached column  
shot across my desk  
last week.

I just want you  
to know <sup>first</sup> that we have  
cooperated fully with  
the Justice Department  
on this matter pursuant  
to our responsibilities under  
the Executive Order and  
under the law; and

seconded that I was  
pleased to see the  
view you expressed in  
print.

This is a personal  
letter - not for publication  
please - but know that  
the logic of your  
argument rang a bell  
with this former Congressman  
and this Director.

Sincerely,  
A. B. Bush

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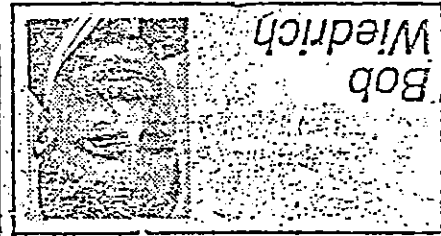
EVEN MORE interesting is the inner-ent suggestion that Congress needs somebody to lecture it on the right thing to do when confronted by greenbacks. If a man is old enough to run for Congress, he is old enough to know the difference between right and wrong. He is old enough to have learned not to take bribes. He is old enough to recognize that foreign governments don't dole out cash for nothing. He has also lived long enough to grasp that for every quid there is a quid pro. We can be far more charitable in judging former Democratic Representatives Wilbur Mills [Ark.] and Wayne Hays [Ohio] for falling prey to well-turned ankles than guys who take a bust-out duck.

AND ANYBODY who buys Louisiana Gov. Edwin Edwards' tale that he didn't know a South Korean businessman had given his wife \$10,000 in cash while he was in Congress until three years later also believes that the world is flat and that the looth fairly is Korean. The Great American political game. If you get caught dirty, blame somebody else. Incredibly, it seems to work.

HOW COULD THEY have been so teacherous as to have failed to inform Congress that those little fellows with envelopes stuffed with \$100 bills were greasing hot, sweaty palms for a congressman doesn't have time to pay attention to everything. He's got a lot on his mind besides money. So how could anyone be blamed for inadvertently grabbing a bundle of bucks from a stranger with an inscrutable Oriental smile on his face? That was the substance of the Nedzi subcommittee charges.

IF THE CIA—even to protect its sources and its relationship with a foreign agency—permits illegal activities in the United States, that's wrong," Nedzi declared. That's right, pal. But which comes first? The chicken or the egg? The CIA's moral obligation to tell Congress about alleged illicit activity or the moral obligation of a member of Congress to retain integrity?

In the last year, intelligence committees of the House and Senate have spent considerable time and energy taking the CIA over the coals for alleged domestic spying activities in violation of its charter. They have told the agency its concerns should stop short of American shores. Yet, here they are now, assailing the same agency for not having conducted a congressional seminar on the virtues of not taking a hot duck.



# Congressmen sin; CIA gets the heat

THOU SHALT not steal. The Bible says so. Presumably, your parents told you the same. Probably your teachers, too. Most certainly the first kid who cracked your chops for swiping his eraser at school. But somehow that most ancient of rules governing human conduct has escaped some of the folks representing us on Capitol Hill. They got caught taking bribes. Now they're crying.

THEY'RE LOOKING for another scapegoat on whom to heap blame for having failed to stave off the heat being generated by disclosures the South Korean Intelligence Agency for not having instructed the congressional corps that taking a hot buck is against the law. How incongruous. How transparent. Whom do they think they're kidding? Rep. Lucien Nedzi [D., Mich.] chairs a subcommittee on intelligence of the House Armed Services Committee.

ON NOV. 18, subcommittee investigators declared the CIA had been remiss by not warning Congress in the last six years that it was a target of illegal subversion attempts by the South Koreans. They said it appeared the CIA had winked at Korean bribe attempts to protect its relations with the Korean equivalent of the CIA.

At face value, that sounded righteous—by indignant—from a congressional point of view. There were those dirty American spies at it again, doing the thing that comes most naturally to them—something against the best interests of the United States; in this instance, congressional virtue.

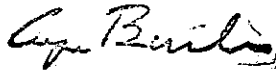
January 7, 1977

Dear Mrs. Wilkes,

Thanks so much for your kind remarks about my appearance on Face the Nation. That kind of questioning is never easy, but I'm glad you think it went well.

Thank you again for your letter of January 2nd.

Sincerely,



George Bush

Mrs. Anne Wilkes  
906 Johnston Avenue  
Trenton, New Jersey 08629

Dear Mr. Bush,  
 I appreciated your  
 suggestion and direct  
 to your question on  
 "The Katin" heart got  
 At did my heart got  
 when you responded in  
 the manner you did.  
 I thank you for  
 making me feel good.  
 I am not happy over  
 the new administration,  
 to say the least.  
 Sincerely yours  
 Anne Miller

January 2, 1977

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 Please  
 Thank you

Mrs. Anne Miller  
 906 Johnston Avenue  
 Trenton, New Jersey 08629

January 28, 1976

NO.

Dear Bud,

It was great seeing you. I talked to Rog Morton about your interest, and I know he would like to see you involved. My suggestion is that you call him when you see that you are coming to Washington next.

Stay in touch. Warmest regards,

Sincerely,



George Bush

Mr. Charles B. Wilkinson  
Planned Marketing Associates, Inc.  
Exchange Park  
Dallas, Texas 75235

January 22, 1976

The Honorable George Bush  
Room 179  
Executive Office Building  
Washington, D.C.

Dear George:

It was a pleasure having lunch with you last Friday, and seeing you at the Touchdown Club banquet which, unfortunately, was too long.

The President's State of the Union message was excellent and his delivery strong. I believe it will be a positive base for his campaign. I would like to do what I can to support his efforts. If those managing the campaign believe that I can be of service, I trust they will contact me.

The country and particularly the CIA will be most fortunate to have you directing the agency at this critical point in time. I am confident your confirmation proceedings will go smoothly and that you will do a magnificent job.

With kindest personal regards.

Sincerely,



Charles B. Wilkinson

CBW/ac

December 22, 1976

NO

Dear Mr. Williams,

Thanks for your letter of December 17th. I will look over the information you sent me with keen interest.

I did tell Jim Hewgley that I'm going to be in Hobe Sound over Christmas, and I look forward to seeing Charles at that time. We know each other.

I don't have any definitive plans, but I do know that we will be going back to Houston sometime around the middle of February. In fact, we just bought a house there. I will talk to Charles and then you and I can get together. I can't tell you how flattered and pleased I am at your possible interest in me. Let's chat and see if it makes sense.

Yours very truly,

/s/ George Bush

George Bush

Mr. Joseph H. Williams  
The Williams Companies  
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JOSEPH H. WILLIAMS  
PRESIDENT

December 17, 1976

Mr. George Bush  
5161 Palisade Lane, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20016

Dear Mr. Bush:

I was very pleased to learn from Jim Hewgley that he had discussed with you the possibility of joining our Board of Directors upon your retirement from your present responsibilities and that you expressed an interest in considering the matter.

I am certain that you will have lots of questions and I would be very pleased to visit with you at a time and place that is convenient so that we can discuss the matter in greater detail. Prior to doing this, I think it would be helpful for you to have the enclosed information to review; therefore, I am enclosing our 1975 Annual Report, this year's editions of "The Williams World," which includes our Quarterly Reports, and the latest issue of "people" which is an internal publication featuring our new headquarters building into which we are about to start moving.

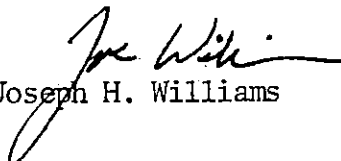
After a dozen years of earnings growth, 1976 results indicate a pause along with much of the rest of the economy, and we anticipate that our earnings will be off substantially this year. Having streamlined the company and focused primarily on the agri-chemicals and energy sectors, we believe that we are very well positioned for the future and we are confident that the present dip in earnings is only a temporary pause in a long-range trend of earnings growth.

Also, I understand from Jim Hewgley that you will be in Hobe Sound during the holidays. Charles Williams, our former chairman and present director and large shareholder, also has a home at Hobe Sound and would be delighted to visit with you and answer any questions you may have prior to our having the opportunity to get together. I have asked him to make himself available to you.

I look forward to hearing from you and will be glad to send you any additional information that may be of interest.

With very best regards for a Happy Holiday.

Sincerely,

  
Joseph H. Williams

JHW:raa  
Enclosures  
cc: Mr. John H. Williams  
Mr. Charles P. Williams

March 1, 1976

Dear Bob,

Frank Shakespeare sent me a copy of your editorial, "Effective Intelligence." I just want you to know that I'm deeply grateful for that. This Agency deserves the support of the American people. We will take those steps necessary to see that past abuses don't continue, but the thing that impressed me about your editorial is, it captured the basic need for a strong intelligence capability.

Thanks for the support.

Sincerely yours,

George Bush  
Director

Mr. Robert Williamson  
General Manager  
WOR-TV  
1440 Broadway  
New York, New York 10018

bc Mr. Frank Shakespeare

Frank,

Thanks for sending the Williamson editorial.

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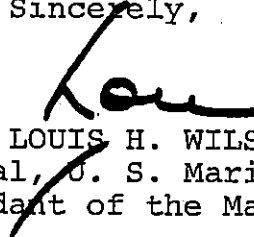
Dear George:

It was an honor to be included among your distinguished guests at the Saturday Alibi Club Luncheon, and I wish to express my appreciation for your gracious invitation.

I particularly enjoyed the slides of Peking. They reminded me of my visits to North China during the days just after WW-II.

With all good wishes for a rewarding new post in service to our Country.

Sincerely,

  
LOUIS H. WILSON

General, U. S. Marine Corps  
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The Honorable  
George Bush  
The White House  
Washington, D. C. 20500

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January 4, 1977

General Louis Wilson, USMC  
Commandant of the Marine Corps  
The Pentagon  
Washington, D. C. 20350

Dear Lou,

I received a letter from a former New York detective named James J. Graham. When I was Ambassador to the UN, he dismantled a bomb that was placed in the Soviet Trade Mission, and later on I awarded him a Certificate of Merit. He wrote me requesting an 8x10 autographed color picture of me and also requested the same thing of you.

He served 11 years in the U. S. Marine Corps and thinks that he served on recruiting duty with you in New York City in 1949. In any event, will you please send a signed picture to your sincere admirer, James J. Graham, Box 121 Star Route #1, Hawley, Pennsylvania 18428. This man helped us in a troubled time, and I'd like to try to help him with his modest request.

Best of luck to you and yours in 1977. It has been a great pleasure serving with you.

Sincerely yours,



George Bush

bcc: James J. Graham

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7 January 1977

Dear George,

I was pleased to send an autographed color picture to Mr. James J. Graham. We were together on recruiting duty in the New York area many years ago and I remember him very well.

Please be assured I am deeply appreciative of the support you have provided in the past and I look forward to a continuing close association.

If I can do anything to assist you, either personally or professionally, please let me know.

With every good wish.

Sincerely,

LOUIS H. WILSON  
General, U. S. Marine Corps  
Commandant of the Marine Corps

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George Bush  
Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
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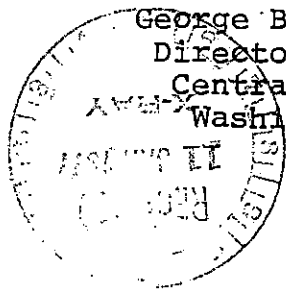
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The Honorable  
George Bush  
Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington, D. C. 20505



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June 24, 1976

Dear Bill,

Just a quick note to tell you how much Jim Lilley enjoyed his trip to Houston. He gave me your warm regards-- I miss seeing you, darn it. I hope all goes well with you and one of these days I will be back down in Houston and we can have a good visit.

Warm regards,

Sincerely,

  
George Bush

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December 9, 1976

Dear Kurt,

Just a quick note to congratulate you on your reelection by acclamation. It is not surprising, but it is well deserved.

Barbara and I will be going back to Texas in mid-February, leaving the government by January 20th. Perhaps we can catch a glimpse of you sometime early in February.

Love to Cissy, and again warmest congratulations in which Barbara joins me.

Most sincerely,



George Bush

Mr. Kurt Waldheim  
United Nations Secretary General  
United Nations Plaza  
New York, New York 10017

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THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

20 December 1976

Dear George,

I wish to thank you for the kind letter of congratulations which you sent me upon my appointment to another term of office as Secretary-General of the United Nations. Your thoughtfulness in conveying your good wishes was very deeply appreciated. It would certainly be nice to see you and Barbara in the near future and if you are in New York please do not hesitate to contact me.

Cissy joins me in sending you and Barbara our best wishes for the holiday season.

With warm personal regards,

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Kurt Waldheim'.

Kurt Waldheim

Mr. George Bush  
The Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington

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December 27, 1976

Mr. George Bush  
Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington, D. C. 20505

Dear Mr. Bush:

Thank you for your letter of December 17th. I was happy to hear of your interest in the possibility of doing some speaking after your CIA tenure is completed. I will contact you after January 20th to discuss this possibility with you. Is there a phone number where I can call you at that time?

I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Cordially,

Alan S. Walker  
President

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GEORGE H. WALKER III  
EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT

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I would be very pleased -

It would be great to

See you both -

Love

Bar