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Mr. Ferdie Deering C/o The Daily Oklahoman Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Dear Ferdie:

That article you had in the Oklahoman this morning was a wonder, but as an Arkansas farm boy and a friend of the hen I feel the urge to compliment you on the one hand and to take you to task on the other.

Have you ever stopped at one of those cages where a solitary hen was imprisoned? Have you ever seen a more desolate or frustrated creature? Do you believe a hen was created only to produce eggs for people she cares little about? Is solitary confinement any way to treat even a slave? And she is a slave for sure, not to mention her comparable situation with that of our most incorrigible criminals. Yep, she is on Alcatraz all right, even though no one has even brought charges, let alone obtained a guilty verdict. The S.P.C.A. has gone into a tailspin over much lesser acts of cruelty. Pinch a kitten and they swarm all over you. Imprison a hen and they look the other way.

Poor hen! She has unwittingly traded off her birthright for a mess of Vitamins and a Scientific Diet. Why do you suppose the Almighty gave her claws if he didn't expect her to scratch? A hen with chickens is one of the most touching parables in the Bible, yet you guys who can see no further than a plate of scrambled eggs not only deny her motherhood but condemn her to spinsterhood as well. Yes sir, you even boast that she has never even seen a rooster, thus adding insult to injury. Besides, how do you suppose the rooster feels? It's enough to give him an inferiority complex.

One of the most pastoral scenes yet discovered is an old hen with a brood of chickens. Maybe you never did see her in action when a sudden rain came up: frantic calling until all are accounted for, then hovering over them with half-spread wings and assuring them with a soft-throaty nursery tune.

Her jaunty cackle when she has just laid an egg -- her cocking an eye at every passing shadow, and quick detection of a blue darter -- her wallowing in the sandy area under the lilac bushes where she is want to take a dust bath, and, half reclining in the sun, stretch out one leg and one wing and do not a thing but enjoy life! Her coy behavior when her boy friend makes advances.

Oh, shucks, I am getting nowhere. Science has long passed sentiment in many other areas also. Wouldn't do no good to pass a law. Maybe we could collect a little royalty on that increased egg production to apply on biddie's old age pension or social security.

Nostalgically yours,

Alfred R. Sugg, M. D.

ARS: MBC

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Albert, New Mexico November 19, 1964

Mr. F. J. Deering The Farmer-Stockman P. O. Box 1619 Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73101

Dear Ferdie:

Thanks to you and the other business leaders of Oklahoma City, the completion of our building there early next year seems assured.

Realizing the need for a strong local committee to work closely with our Oklahoma City Trustees and our new Director, Dean Krakel, and to assure a successful operation, our Executive Committee has authorized me to appoint a Local Operations Committee with authority to act on all matters consistent with policies set up by the national Board of Trustees. The Board, as you know, consists of the Governors and several other representatives of the seventeen sponsoring states. As to what these policies are, Glenn Faris, our executive vice president, is our best authority and if there is ever any doubt in his mind he will be able to consult with other members of the executive committee without delay.

Our principal interest is in maintaining the Westwide aspects of the institution. Although they have not overwhelmed us with financial support, many people in these other states have a keen interest in the project because they feel they have a part in it. This is what sets the institution apart from the many other Western museums of the country and gives it its potential of becoming outstanding in the field.

Mr. C. R. Anthony will be chairman of this Local Operations Committee and we are asking you to serve as one of its members. We sincerely hope you will be willing to do so. A list of those being asked to serve is enclosed.

Sincerely yours,

Albert K. Mitchell

President



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January 17, 1975

Mr. Ferdie J. Deering The Daily Oklahoman-Oklahoma City Times OKC, OK 73125

Dear Mr. Deering:

In behalf of the Board of Directors of Sooner Alcohol-Narcotics Education, may I express their deep appreciation for your stimulating and thought provoking address at the quarterly meeting of the Board.

There was a unanimous request that your address be reproduced and sent to all SANE Board Members. Would it be possible for you to furnish this office a copy of your speech? If so, I would like your permission to reproduce it for distribution.

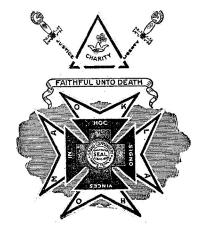
It was personally a great privilege to have you with us and may I also thank you again for your contribution to the work of SANE.

Yours sincerely,

Ross McLennan

Executive Secretary

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16 September 1975

Mr Ferdie Deering 3232 Whipporwill Oklahoma City, Okla. 73120

Dear Ferdie,

So many people like me do not take time to tell other people their thoughts and pass along a deserved rose or pat on the back, but I just wanted you to know that I, along with a good many other people, think that your editorials are striking a key note and hitting the nail on the head as far as the preservation of our Republic is concerned.

Our country is going to the dogs in a Cadillac as far as the morals, and economics are concerned, and your life and words of wisdom not only point this out but offer solutions to the problems. Now, if only more people would do something about it.

So keep up the good work - The world needs more people like you.

Your friend,



860 Van Vleet Oval, Room 101 Norman, Oklahoma 73069

H. H. Herbert School of Journalism

January 7, 1976

Mr. Ferdie J. Deering Editorial Department The Daily Oklahoman Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Dear Ferdie:-

I note in the current issue of Editor and Publisher that you are retiring. Congratulations! You have worked long and faithfully and deserve to slow down some.

I was happy to read that you will continue writing some for the Oklahoman. I read all your articles. You are having a great influence on Oklahomans-- all for the good.

With best wishes for your continued success and happiness in retirement, I am

Sincerely,

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Robert V. Peterson Professor Emeritus of Journalism

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February 3, 1976

Mr. Ferdie J. Deering 3232 Whippoorwill Road Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73120

Dear Ferdie:

May I take this opportunity to tell you how very much we appreciate your participation in the meeting of the Texas Plant Food Institute in Fort Worth, Texas on January 21, 1976. I have heard many comments about your talk, and everyone was complimentary about the content of your talk and the way in which the information was delivered to the audience.

Attached is the Texas Plant Food Institute check in the amount of \$50.00 to cover the bare expenses involved in your trip to Fort Worth. We certainly feel that we got much more than our money's worth, and I look forward to working with you again in the future.

Please pass along my regards to Alex McComus and tell him we have missed him at Texas City, and it is about time he should pay us a visit. The welcome mat is out anytime you are in the Gulf Coast area of Texas.

Very truly yours,

R. J. Fosdick, Manager

RJF/eh Attmt.

cc: Mr. Harold J. Trammell Mr. Winston L. Depew

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February 18, 1976

Mr. Ferdie J. Deering 3232 Whippoorwill Road Oklahoma City, OK 73120

Dear Ferdie,

I wanted to thank you again for taking time out of your busy "retirement" to speak to my Rotary Club last month.

You brought a very appropriate message and the men enjoyed and profited from the timeliness of your words.

If I can ever be of service to you please feel free to call upon me.

Very truly yours,

Paul R. Fowler

PF/sr

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Mr. Ferdie J. Deering 3232 Whippoorwill Rd. Oklahoma City, Ok. 73120

Dear Ferdie:

I wanted you to know how much we appreciated your appropriate remarks at our men's luncheon during our recent convention in Ada. I hope your words can reach enough of the right ears to do something constructive about water policies in Oklahoma. I know our members were interested.

I also wish to thank you again, both for myself and for the Oklahoma Flying Farmer Chapter, for the historical documents you presented us. We have very little to record the happenings of the early years of this, the first, Flying Farmer chapter and we welcome these items very much.

Sincerely.

President,



### Sander Allen Advertising, Inc.

November 3, 1977

Mr. Ferdie Deering Editorial Director THE FARMER-STOCKMAN Magazine 500 North Broadway P.O. Box 25125 Oklahoma City, OK 73125

#### Dear Ferdie:

I have just listened to a tape of an air check for an Angus commercial by Russell Pierson of WKY -- which was aired about 7:15 A.M., Monday, October 31.

After the commercial, Russell went on with news and comments, and suddenly your name hit my ear. So I perked up, ran the reel back and picked up the comment again ...

"For the substance of this thought, you can credit Ferdie Deering, who many of you know as vice president and editorial director of The Farmer-Stockman magazine, and who also incidentally teaches my Sunday School class, and you can blame me for the way the thought is set to rhyme:

"Let not the things material, dictate all we may do, Instead be master of such things, not servants thereunto."

It was a pleasant surprise to hear from you again, even though in a round-about electronic fashion.

Hope everything is going well with you.

Cecil E. Barger

Executive Vice President

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cc: A. McCommas



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November 17, 1977

Mr. Ferdie J. Deering Editorial Columnist THE DAILY OKLAHOMAN Oklahoma City, OK 73100

Dear Ferdie:

The Governor's Industrial Team wishes to thank you and the rest of the Agricultural Symposium for your excellent presentation to our Team at Lake Texoma Lodge, Tues., Nov. 15th. In addition to being a very enjoyable presentation, all of the Team members are now aware of some of the potential for increasing some of the State's Agri-Business. Hopefully, your presentation will help create a long-range program in this direction.

Again, we thank you for your time and efforts.

Sincerely,

GOVERNOR'S INDUSTRIAL TEAM

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November 25, 1977

Mr. Ferdie Deering 3232 Whipporwill Road Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73120

Dear Ferdie:

I wanted to express our thanks for your taking the time out to speak to our enumerators who will be conducting the fall surveys. We had many complimentary comments from the enumerators after you left. They really appreciated the chance to get to meet you and hear your comments.

The Farm Line Survey information was interesting. I have a personal interest in the energy problem and I am glad to see that many farmers are attempting to do something about it.

Sincerely,

John É. Cochrane, State Statistician



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5 January 1979

Mr. Ferdie J. Deering 3232 Whippoorwill Road Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73120

#### Dear Ferdie:

Thank you for agreeing to serve as Chairman of the Agri-Business Council for 1979. I personally look forward to working with you.

It means a great deal to me to be able to draw upon your talents, leadership and knowledge in promoting our activities.

I know you're busier than a one legged man in a fanny kicking contest, but you may rest assured you have our full support.

Thank you again and please don't hesitate to call us if we may be of service. We'll keep you advised of our activities.

Sincerely,

Larry Watkins, / Director Agricultural Development

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EAST CENTRAL UNIVERSITY

Alex Whir

ADA, OKLAHOMA 74820

September 19, 1979

Alumni Association

Mr. Ferdie Deering 3232 Whippoorwill Rd. Okla. City, Okla.

Dear Mr. Deering:

Congratulations! You have been elected by the members of the East Central Alumni Association to serve on the Executive Board for the next three years. We feel that this is a very distinct honor, and I shall look forward to working with you during your term of office.

On October 19 at 7:00 p.m. an Executive Board reception and meeting will be held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steiner, 901 Scenic Dr., Ada. You and a guest are invited to attend this important event. Please fill out the enclosed card and return it to us by October 5 to let us know whether you will attend.

We shall look forward to seeing you on Homecoming week-end.

Sincerely,

Glenda Rooney

Alumni Director

GR/1s Enclosure

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JOE L. INGRAM EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR-TREASURER

September 27, 1979

Mr. Ferdie J. Deering 3232 Whippoorwill Road Oklahoma City, OK 73120

My dear friend,

Thank you for sending the article for the Baptist Messenger. It will be coming out this week on the editorial page. It had to be cut slightly in order to fit the space. I hope you will continue to send articles as they come to you. They are always good and to the point.

I am so grateful for all the contributions you make to Oklahoma Baptist life, and also for your personal friendship.

Sincerely,

JOE L. INGRAM

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January 3, 1980

Mr. Ferdie Deering 3232 Whippoorwill Road Oklahoma City, OK 73120

Dear Ferdie:

Let me again express my appreciation to you for the unusually fine manner in which you assisted us as a member of the Board of Directors of The Baptist Foundation of Oklahoma for the past four years.

Your friendship is treasured by me and I am grateful for the privilege of being associated with you in this regard during these years.

Hope you have a happy 1980.

Sincerely yours,

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Mr. Ferdie J. Deering 3232 Whippoorwill Rd. Oklahoma City, OK 73120

Dear Mr. Deering:

I want to express my appreciation for your attending at least a portion of the 65th Annual Meeting of the National Association of County Agricultural Agents in Oklahoma City. It was my pleasure to have the opportunity of meeting you. Also, I want to express appreciation for the very fine story that you prepared and I enjoyed reading. You did an excellent job of covering the role of the County Extension Agent. I know that the agents in Oklahoma find a great deal of pleasure in working with a reporter of your caliber.

With best wishes,

Yours very truly,

James A. Smith Immediate Past President

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MICHAEL L. KASTL Assistant Director

#### OKLAHOMA CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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September 25, 1980

Mr. Ferdie Deering 3232 Whippoorwill Road Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73120

Dear Ferdie:

Sometimes I think that you are the only media man in the world who understands and speaks out for agriculture. Your stand against dissolving the Chamber of Commerce Agriculture Committee is just and right.

May you live forever,

LEONARD A. SOLOMON

Executive Director

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## Oklahoma State University

DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE College of Agriculture Agricultural Experiment Station Cooperative Extension Service STILLWATER, OKLAHOMA 74078 AGRICULTURAL HALL (405) 624-5398

April 6, 1981

Mr. Ferdie Deering 3232 Whippoorwill Road Oklahoma City, OK 73120

Dear Mr. Deering:

I am sorry I missed your presentation at the recent prayer breakfast held during Ag Week. Earl VanEaton was very complimentary of your presentation and shared with me a copy of your remarks.

We do appreciate your taking time to be with us and to share your thoughts with our students and staff.

Best personal regards,

Sincerely yours,

C. B. Browning Dean and Director

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April 6, 1981

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Mr. Ferdie Deering 3232 Whippoorwill Road Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73120

#### Dear Ferdie:

I saw that you purchased the reserve grand steer at the junior livestock show on behalf of OPUBCO. I really appreciate your efforts in this area of the 4-H program. It means a great deal to many young people.

I look forward to seeing you April 16 at the Foundation Board Meeting.

Sincerely,

Retta Miller

Program Specialist 4-H Foundation, Inc.

RM:cs

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Jan 6-82

terdie, Dapologize for my foor permanship, being without a secretary has unveiled another of my many weaknesses. In happy to provide you the enclosed listing of 1982 Sivision Officers for our Chambers Agriculture Secklopment Division. Thanks so much for your continued committeent to our effort; I can't begin to express how much your leadership and support has meant to me personally. Our chambers Gouls "publication lists our busins Councile and their 1982 objectives on pages 53-55 If you need additional information that I might be athe to provide - please give me a call. Thank Again, Store



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March 15, 1982

Mr. Ferdie Deering 11608 Susan Lane Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73120

Dear Ferdie:

Thanks for your comments concerning my editorial on the way we Christians use the "language of Zion." Maybe between the two of us we can eventually get our folks started taking the audience into consideration when they begin to communicate.

I appreciate the columns you write for the editorial page from time to time. It probably is obvious to you that you occasionally trigger a thought which eventually finds its way to our editorial page.

Keep up the good work.

Sincerely,

Richard T. McCartney Editor

RTM: bm

Mr. Ferdie J. Deering 11608 Susan Lane Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

December 14, 1983

#### Dear Ferdie:

I want toutbank you for the recognition you have given me on behalf of conservation.

I think back over the many ears that you have strived to have the public get the proper information on all these things that are so near and dear to us.

Your membership on the Oklahoma Water Study Committee helped create one of the best water policies in this country.

I have many reasons to be grateful for your assistance to all of us.

Sincerely,

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### **Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Wichita**

500 Farm Credit Banks Building 151 North Main Wichita, Kansas 67202 Telephone (316) 264-5371



May 31, 1984

Mr. Ferdie J. Deering 11608 Susan Lane Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73120

Dear Ferdie:

Thanks so much for your compliments and passing along the copies of the "Future of Farming" series that you've done over the years in the Oklahoma Farmer-Stockman. I found them quite interesting. Of course, I compliment you on the long-range perspectives that you have had over the years in the magazine. I was especially intrigued by the series that you ran in 1953. Not only were many of your thoughts on target, they were no doubt quite "Buck Rogers" at the time of publication. It's not often that you have a chance to review thirty-year-old predictions and compare them to reality.

Thanks again for passing them along. I have shared them with some of my colleagues and we all compliment you. Please let me know when we can be of help.

Sincerely,

Donald P. Edson Vice President

DPE/kb





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### DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE • OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY

4-H and Youth Development Programs • 103 Animal Husbandry • (405) 624-5394 Stillwater, Oklahoma 74078-0330

June 2, 1986

Ferdie J. Deering The Daily Oklahoman P.O. Box 25125 Oklahoma City, OK 73125

Dear Ferdie:

On behalf of the Oklahoma 4-H Program and the Oklahoma 4-H Foundation, we would like to express our appreciation for the generous support you have shown to the 4-H and F.F.A. youth of our state by placing a premium on their animals at the Oklahoma City Jr. Livestock Show.

Youth participating in livestock projects are not only learning more about Oklahoma agriculture, our most important industry, but also learning those life skills that they must possess as they mature into productive and contributing members of our society. Your support not only serves as an incentive for youth to participate in such an important project, but provides the seed money for increasing the size and scope of their projects or providing the funds to assist the exhibitors with their college educations.

We thank you again for your interest in and support of the agricultural youth of our state.

Sincerely.

Leon Moon

Executive Director

4-H Foundation

Sincerely,

Wallace Smith

Assistant Director

CES, 4-H Programs

WS/mh

# AG COMMUNICATORS OF TOMORROW Oklahoma State University Ag Information Department Stillwater, OK 74075

February 16, 1988

Ferdie Deering 11608 Susan Lane Oklahoma City, OK 73120

Dear Mr. Deering:

THANK YOU! The Ag Communicators of Tomorrow thanks you for speaking at our meeting.

Your views, opinions and tips on preparing for the future are appreciated. You made me realize how important my writing skills are to my future.

Your work-filled career gave many members the incentive to do as much as possible. It helped us to see someone who has been in our career and lived past 50 years old.

If you hear of any job possibilities, please pass them our way. Our members always are job searching. Also, if our club can be of any assistance to you, please contact us.

Once again, thank you for speaking to our club. It was a pleasure meeting you.

Sincerely,

Kelly R. Brockus

Helly R. Frakus

#### United States Senate

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

January 8, 1976

Mr. Ferdie Derring 3232 Whippoorwill Rd. Okla. City, Ok 73120

Dear Ferdie:

Thank you for agreeing to serve on my proposed task force. I appreciate very much your willingness to be of assistance in this matter.

I look forward to seeing you in the near future, and I hope to initiate these efforts in early 1976.

Yours very truly,

Dewey F. Bartlett United States Senate O K L A H O M A

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