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Political Update

Primaries held this week in Rhode Island, South Dakota and Montana reflected a net gain in committed delegates for the President; i.e., Rhode Island - 19 out of 19 and South Dakota - 9 out of 20. In Montana the popular vote was Reagan-63% and Ford-35%; the vote is not binding on the delegates to the June 26th convention. At present, the PFC Montana Chairman predicts a proportional delegate allotment at the state convention which would give Ford 7 out of 20 delegates. Reagan is scheduled to be at the state convention.

At the state conventions in Louisiana, Maryland, Virginia and Tennessee, no significant surprises occurred. The PFC delegate and legal staffs were in attendance to insure adequate Ford representation and no legal charges. With the exception of Maryland electing all Ford at-large delegates, Reagan's conservative strength dominated.

Upcoming primaries in New Jersey, Ohio and California are being closely watched by the media. Reagan's statements on Rhodesia may influence some voters and the California PFC capitalized on this statement with TV, radio and print ads. The President's trip to New Jersey and Ohio over Sunday and Monday are being organized. California was inundated with advocates, hoping to offset no Presidential visit (see attached advocate calendar). Phone bank results are encouraging with a light movement to Ford in the last week.

Ground work is being finalized for upcoming conventions with their obvious importance due to a probable standoff after next Tuesday's primaries. It is hoped that the President will make a brief visit to the Missouri convention on June 12.

All other PFC state operations have either been disbanded or are in the process of doing so. Obviously, regular contact is being made.

Finance

As of May 31, seventeen states had surpassed their established fund-raising goals. 89.0% of the national goal has been attained.

Special Voter Groups - National Advisory Board

During this week, mailings were completed to California, Ohio and New Jersey Mayors. Ohio businessmen were called and requested to urge their friends and associates to vote for the President in the primary. New strategy was formulated and NAB materials for future Advisory Board initiatives was revised. Contact with business and professional leaders inviting them to support the President and join the National Advisory Board.

Treasurer's Report

A total of \$272,012.08 was received in contributions this past week, bringing to \$11,800,351.38 the amount of money received to date. There is currently a balance of \$352,805.84 on hand. A full Treasurer's Report is attached at TAB B.

Volunteers

The Volunteer Department has recently found it unnecessary to recruit actively for volunteers for several reasons. We continue to have increasing numbers of new volunteers. The two departments that have many volunteers now working (the Treasurer's Office and Finance) will be closing in the near future. We do not know now which departments will have expanding activities or how many volunteers each of these departments will need.

The Interns who will be joining us for the summer will arrive over a two-week period from the beginning of June until mid-June. Each comes from a different state, and I think they will make a valuable contribution.

Since the Volunteer Department has assumed responsibility for paid personnel matters, we have had nine interviews with paid staff whose positions have been terminated. Six employers are hiring staff primarily in the secretarial-clerical category, and we have made nine referrals to these employers. In several instances job offers have been made, but those referred did not want secretarial-clerical positions, and have therefore not accepted the offers. They are for the most part seeking temporary employment because they wish to return to the President Ford Committee. One has decided to remain here as a volunteer. The dedication of these staffers is commendable.

Press

70 radio actualities were prepared and fed to stations in Rhode Island, South Dakota, Montana, Ohio, New Jersey, and California. Individuals fed through the system included: The President, Mrs. Ford, Jack Ford, Vice-President Rockefeller, Rogers Morton, Senators Robert Griffin and Howard Baker, Michigan Governor William Milliken, Congressman William Stanton of Ohio, former Ohio Governor Frank Lausche, Secretaries Richardson and Butz, California State Senators Tom Bahr, Dennis Carpenter and Howard Way, California State Assemblymen Dixon Arnett, Jerry Lewis and Bill Thomas, and California State Steering Committee members Younger, Haerle and Carpenter. A total of 1004 actual feeds were made.

PFC Schedule

- June 8 - California Primary Date
- June 8 - Montana County Conventions
- June 8 - New Jersey Primary Date
- June 8 - Ohio Primary Date
- June 9 - Massachusetts State Committee Meetings (through June 15)
- June 10 - Illinois State Convention
- June 11 - Michigan State and Congressional District Conventions
(through June 12)
- June 12 - Missouri State Convention (Springfield)

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		Seidman, Ca.-----1	Mathews, Ohio Richardson, Ca., Morton, Ohio Coleman, Ca.,-----2	Lynch, Ohio J. Ford, Ca.,-----3	Pettis, Ca.-----4 Coleman, Ohio Butz, Ca.----- Baker, Ca.----- Mrs. Ford, Ca.----- Griffin, Ca.-----	President, Ohio -----5
6 Seidman, Ca.----- Mrs. Ford, Ca. Pres, Ohio	7 J. Ford, Ca.	8 V.P., D.C.	9	10	11 Sen. Baker, Mo. Sen. Tower, Mo.	12 President, Mo.
13	14	15 Seidman, Md.	16	17 Mrs. Ford. N.Y.	18	19 Butz, Wash.
20	21	22	23	24	25 Miller, Minnesota	26
27	28	29	30			

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OFFICE OF THE FINANCE CHAIRMAN

RECEIPTS OF MAY 31, 1976

Private and Confidential

RANK	STATE	CHAIRMEN	% of QUOTA	National Quota
* 1.	ALABAMA	*Bill Acker & * Hall Thompson	175.9	
* 2.	LOUISIANA	* Ken McWilliams	173.2	
* 3.	ARKANSAS	* Chesley Pruet	167.8	
* 4.	TEXAS	* Trammel Crow	158.9	
* 5.	NEW HAMPSHIRE	* Kim Zachos	155.2	
* 6.	FLORIDA	*Bill Staten & * Tom Welstead	152.1	
* 7.	NEVADA	* Charlie Glover	150.5	
* 8.	OREGON	*Ira Keller & * Alan Green	147.6	
* 9.	NORTH CAROLINA	* Hugh McColl	144.5	
* 10.	ALASKA	* Ed Rasmuson	138.8	
* 11.	KANSAS	* Howard Wilkins	130.9	
* 12.	GEORGIA	* Julian LeCraw	126.4	
* 13.	OKLAHOMA	* Jack Black	124.8	
* 14.	RHODE ISLAND	* Elwood Leonard	113.9	
* 15.	MICHIGAN	* Harold McClure	112.6	
* 16.	COLORADO	* Bill Blackburn	110.7	
* 17.	PUERTO RICO	* Jaime Pieras	105.6	
18.	Wyoming	John Wold & Stanley Hathaway	97.7	
19.	Wisconsin	Bill Messinger	96.9	
20.	Nebraska	David Tews	96.4	
21.	Virginia	FitzGerald Bemiss	93.9	
22.	Kentucky	-	93.5	
23.	New Jersey	Dick Sellars	92.3	
24.	Illinois	Gaylord Freeman	87.9	
24.	California	Ed Carter & David James	87.9	
24.	Maryland	Lyn Meyerhoff	87.9	
27.	Connecticut	Archie McCardell	86.5	
28.	Massachusetts	Ted Beal & Anne Witherby	83.7	
28.	New Mexico	Tom Bolack	83.7	
30.	Idaho	Robert Hansberger	82.3	
31.	Tennessee	Guilford Dudley	78.0	
32.	North Dakota	Marilyn Westlie	77.2	
33.	Arizona	Wayne Legg	76.9	
34.	Missouri	Don Wolfsberger	73.1	
35.	Vermont	-	72.6	
36.	Ohio	Bill Keating	69.7	
37.	Hawaii	Hung Wai Ching	67.6	
38.	District of Columbia	Bill FitzGerald	66.7	
39.	Minnesota	Don Dayton	66.0	
40.	Washington	H. Halvorson & H. Bacon	61.9	
41.	Pennsylvania	H. Haskell, E. Hillman & J. Ware	60.4	
42.	West Virginia	Walt Deerfield & John Wells	60.3	
43.	South Carolina	-	58.7	
44.	Indiana	J. Fisher & L. Weil	57.4	
45.	Iowa	Crawford Hubbell	56.7	
46.	Utah	-	55.9	
47.	New York	-	51.8	
48.	Mississippi	Charles Sewell	49.7	
49.	Maine	Charles Cragin	46.2	
50.	Montana	-	43.3	
51.	Delaware	-	40.3	
52.	South Dakota	Vi Stoia	39.1	

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WEEKLY TREASURER'S REPORT
 WEEK ENDING: June 3, 1976

	Beginning Totals	This Week	Totals to Date
CONTRIBUTIONS:			
Individual			
Identified	\$ 7,838,018.53	\$ 272,012.08	\$ 8,110,030.61
Suspense	173,430.00		173,430.00
Total	8,011,448.53	\$ 272,012.08	\$8,283,460.61
Committees, Reg. -			
Identified	14,350.00		14,350.00
Suspense	2,000.00		2,000.00
Total	16,350.00		16,350.00
Pledges	500.00		500.00
Sale of Items	18.00		18.00
Total Contributions	8,028,316.53	272,012.08	8,300,328.61
Matching Funds	3,283,402.05	212,517.84	3,495,919.89
Interest Income	4,067.14	35.74	4,102.88
Total Receipts	11,315,785.72	484,565.66	11,800,351.38
MATCHING FUNDS (MEMO ACCOUNT)			
Qualifiable -			
States Qualifiable			
Funds Qualifiable			
DISBURSEMENTS:			
Fund Raising	1,961,129.78	82,454.94	2,043,584.72
Non-Fund Raising	6,251,224.37	227,549.95	6,478,774.32
Refundable Deposits	21,660.98	(1,175.00)	20,485.98
Contribution Returns	52,489.75		52,489.75
Undistributed dis- ments	2,801,425.88	49,730.89	2,851,156.77
Accounts Receivable	1,054.00		1,054.00
Total Disbursements	11,088,984.76	358,560.68	11,447,545.54
FUNDS BALANCE:			
Cash in Bank			194,859.09
Petty Cash			7,446.75
Certificate of Deposit			150,000.00
Securities in Process of Sale			
Pledges Receivable			500.00
Total Funds Balance			352,805.84
STATISTICS:			
Total Number of Contributors as of 6/3/76			107,487
Average Amount of Contribution to date			\$ 77.22
Cost of Fund Raising to date - percent of contribution			17.3

SUMMARY THROUGH

CONTRIBUTIONS AND FEDERAL ALLOCATIONS

STATE	MATCHING FUNDS ALLOCATION	MATCHING FUNDS TOTAL ALLOCATIONS THRU <u>5/31/76</u>	CONTRIBUTIONS WEEK ENDING <u>5/31/76</u>	CUM CONTRIBUTIONS THRU <u>5/31/76</u>	GRAND TOTAL THRU <u>5/31/76</u>	% OF QUOTA
ALABAMA		<u>39,743.37</u>	<u>1589.25</u>	<u>90,268.32</u>	<u>130,011.69</u>	<u>173.3</u>
Quota						
\$75,000						
ALASKA		<u>8,084.15</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>19,376.25</u>	<u>27,460.40</u>	<u>137.3</u>
Quota						
\$20,000						
ARIZONA		<u>33,656.73</u>	<u>884</u>	<u>72,150.</u>	<u>105,806.73</u>	<u>75.6</u>
Quota						
\$140,000						
ARKANSAS		<u>26,370.33</u>	<u>1790</u>	<u>56,511.50</u>	<u>82,881.83</u>	<u>165.3</u>
QUOTA						
\$50,000						

STATE	MATCHING FUNDS ALLOCATION	MATCHING FUNDS TOTAL ALLOCATIONS THRU _____	CONTRIBUTIONS WEEK ENDING	CUM CONTRIBUTIONS THRU _____	GRAND TOTAL THRU _____	% OF QUOTA
CALIFORNIA		<u>523,905.36</u>	<u>43,830.50</u>	<u>1,042,882.60</u>	<u>1,566,787.96</u>	<u>87.3</u>
Quota						
1,795,000						
COLORADO		<u>49,602.21</u>	<u>1363</u>	<u>113,393.20</u>	<u>162,995.41</u>	<u>108.6</u>
Quota						
150,000						
CONNECTICUT		<u>72,151.93</u>	<u>4730</u>	<u>185,076.43</u>	<u>257,228.36</u>	<u>85.7</u>
Quota						
300,000						
DELAWARE		<u>12,476.89</u>	<u>346</u>	<u>27,464.96</u>	<u>39,941.85</u>	<u>39.9</u>
Quota						
100,000						
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA		<u>45,058.92</u>	<u>8342</u>	<u>149,265.25</u>	<u>194,324.17</u>	<u>64.8</u>
Quota						
300,000						
FLORIDA		<u>208,113.99</u>	<u>11,289.01</u>	<u>464,247.22</u>	<u>672,361.21</u>	<u>149.4</u>
Quota						
450,000						

STATE	MATCHING FUNDS ALLOCATION	MATCHING FUNDS TOTAL ALLOCATIONS THRU _____	CONTRIBUTIONS WEEK ENDING	CUM CONTRIBUTIONS THRU _____	GRAND TOTAL THRU _____	% OF QUOTA
GEORGIA		<u>59,174.79</u>	<u>1584</u>	<u>128,480.13</u>	<u>187,654.92</u>	<u>125.1</u>
Quota						
150,000						
HAWAII		<u>9,574.02</u>	<u>125</u>	<u>20,701.-</u>	<u>30,275.02</u>	<u>67.3</u>
Quota						
15,000						
IDAHO		<u>9,129.60</u>	<u>270</u>	<u>19,591.-</u>	<u>28,723.60</u>	<u>82.1</u>
Quota						
15,000						
ILLINOIS		<u>265,193.35</u>	<u>8777.35</u>	<u>561,519.31</u>	<u>826,712.66</u>	<u>87.0</u>
Quota						
950,000						
INDIANA		<u>42,815.25</u>	<u>2916</u>	<u>110,122.08</u>	<u>152,937.33</u>	<u>55.6</u>
Quota						
275,000						
IOWA		<u>26,819.12</u>	<u>1170</u>	<u>56,715.-</u>	<u>83,534.12</u>	<u>55.7</u>
Quota						
150,000						

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KANSAS		<u>49,112.89</u>	<u>2065.25</u>	<u>122,779.20</u>	<u>171,892.09</u>	<u>127.3</u>
Quota						
135,000						
KENTUCKY		<u>16,884.91</u>	<u>1059</u>	<u>65,481.50</u>	<u>82,366.41</u>	<u>82.4</u>
Quota						
100,000						
LOUISIANA		<u>41,325.72</u>	<u>1015</u>	<u>86,936.90</u>	<u>128,262.62</u>	<u>171.0</u>
Quota						
75,000						
MAINE		<u>6,893.85</u>	<u>381</u>	<u>13,692</u>	<u>20,585.85</u>	<u>45.7</u>
Quota						
45,000						
MARYLAND		<u>53,160.14</u>	<u>1890</u>	<u>137,015.85</u>	<u>190,175.99</u>	<u>84.5</u>
Quota						
225,000						
MASSACHUSETTS		<u>82,642.94</u>	<u>2742</u>	<u>184,866.47</u>	<u>267,509.41</u>	<u>82.3</u>
Quota						
325,000						

STATE	MATCHING FUNDS ALLOCATION	MATCHING FUNDS TOTAL ALLOCATIONS THRU _____	CONTRIBUTIONS WEEK ENDING	CUM CONTRIBUTIONS THRU _____	GRAND TOTAL THRU _____	% OF QUOTA
MICHIGAN		<u>181,662.44</u>	<u>16,985</u>	<u>428,426.49</u>	<u>610,088.93</u>	<u>110.9</u>
Quota						
\$550,000						
MINNESOTA		<u>52,122.66</u>	<u>2063.63</u>	<u>127,025.13</u>	<u>179,147.79</u>	<u>65.1</u>
Quota						
\$275,000						
MISSISSIPPI		<u>5,905.66</u>	<u>615</u>	<u>13,768</u>	<u>19,673.66</u>	<u>49.2</u>
Quota						
\$40,000						
MISSOURI		<u>52,959.97</u>	<u>4438</u>	<u>127,945</u>	<u>180,904.97</u>	<u>72.4</u>
Quota						
\$250,000						
MONTANA		<u>5,085.05</u>	<u>467</u>	<u>11,641.15</u>	<u>16,249.20</u>	<u>40.6</u>
Quota						
\$40,000						
NEBRASKA		<u>17,636.81</u>	<u>3280</u>	<u>64,103.08</u>	<u>81,739.89</u>	<u>96.2</u>
Quota						
\$85,000						

STATE	MATCHING FUNDS ALLOCATION	MATCHING FUNDS TOTAL ALLOCATIONS THRU _____	CONTRIBUTIONS WEEK ENDING	CUM CONTRIBUTIONS THRU _____	GRAND TOTAL THRU _____	% OF QUOTA
NEVADA		<u>10,987.69</u>	<u>175</u>	<u>25.110</u>	<u>36,097.69</u>	<u>144.4</u>
Quota						
\$25,000						
NEW HAMPSHIRE		<u>19,680.91</u>	<u>438</u>	<u>41,501.55</u>	<u>61,182.46</u>	<u>153.0</u>
Quota						
\$40,000						
NEW JERSEY		<u>96,395.63</u>	<u>5191.21</u>	<u>219,330.52</u>	<u>315,736.15</u>	<u>90.2</u>
Quota						
\$350,000						
NEW MEXICO		<u>13,354.08</u>	<u>1117.92</u>	<u>28,171.22</u>	<u>41,525.30</u>	<u>83.1</u>
Quota						
\$50,000						
NEW YORK		<u>260,357.45</u>	<u>18,987</u>	<u>583,318.71</u>	<u>843,676.16</u>	<u>51.1</u>
Quota						
\$1,650,000						
NORTH CAROLINA		<u>53,680.12</u>	<u>1,624.33</u>	<u>125,463.37</u>	<u>179,143.49</u>	<u>143.3</u>
Quota						
\$125,000						

STATE	MATCHING FUNDS ALLOCATION	MATCHING FUNDS TOTAL ALLOCATIONS THRU _____	CONTRIBUTIONS WEEK ENDING	CUM CONTRIBUTIONS THRU _____	GRAND TOTAL THRU _____	% OF QUOTA
NORTH DAKOTA		<u>6,923.25</u>	<u>529</u>	<u>15,934.99</u>	<u>22,558.24</u>	<u>76.2</u>
Quota						
\$30,000						
OHIO		<u>112,520.63</u>	<u>24,403</u>	<u>335,742.30</u>	<u>448,262.93</u>	<u>69.0</u>
Quota						
\$650,000						
OKLAHOMA		<u>33,905.48</u>	<u>3,275.25</u>	<u>108,898.06</u>	<u>142,803.54</u>	<u>119.0</u>
Quota						
\$120,000						
OREGON		<u>39,674.79</u>	<u>2,346</u>	<u>91,347.68</u>	<u>131,022.47</u>	<u>145.6</u>
Quota						
\$90,000						
PENNSYLVANIA		<u>132,245.29</u>	<u>8,133</u>	<u>280,016.44</u>	<u>412,261.73</u>	<u>58.9</u>
Quota						
\$700,000						
PUERTO RICO		<u>6,961.07</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>19,382</u>	<u>26,343.07</u>	<u>105.4</u>
Quota						
\$25,000						

STATE	MATCHING FUNDS ALLOCATION	MATCHING FUNDS TOTAL ALLOCATIONS THRU _____	CONTRIBUTIONS WEEK ENDING	CUM CONTRIBUTIONS THRU _____	GRAND TOTAL THRU _____	% OF QUOTA
RHODE ISLAND		<u>17,541.62</u>	<u>1401</u>	<u>39,204.50</u>	<u>56,146.12</u>	<u>113.5</u>
Quota						
\$50,000						
SOUTH CAROLINA		<u>12,517.04</u>	<u>910</u>	<u>30,145.25</u>	<u>42,662.29</u>	<u>56.9</u>
Quota						
\$75,000						
SOUTH DAKOTA		<u>4,100.22</u>	<u>300</u>	<u>7,554.75</u>	<u>11,654.97</u>	<u>38.8</u>
Quota						
\$30,000						
TENNESSEE		<u>40,609.06</u>	<u>1080</u>	<u>92,478.75</u>	<u>133,087.81</u>	<u>76.1</u>
Quota						
\$175,000						
TEXAS		<u>235,225.37</u>	<u>9776</u>	<u>753,015.98</u>	<u>988,241.35</u>	<u>152.0</u>
QUOTA						
\$650,000						
UTAH		<u>4,911.50</u>	<u>288</u>	<u>13,658</u>	<u>18,569.50</u>	<u>53.1</u>
Quota						
\$35,000						

STATE	MATCHING FUNDS ALLOCATION	MATCHING FUNDS TOTAL ALLOCATIONS THRU _____	CONTRIBUTIONS WEEK ENDING	CUM CONTRIBUTIONS THRU _____	GRAND TOTAL THRU _____	% OF QUOTA
VERMONT		<u>5,766.21</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>12,058.92</u>	<u>17,825.13</u>	<u>71.3</u>
Quota						
\$25,000						
VIRGINIA		<u>64,259.83</u>	<u>7502</u>	<u>166,731.53</u>	<u>230,991.36</u>	<u>92.4</u>
Quota						
\$250,000						
VIRGIN ISLANDS		<u>-</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>575</u>	<u>515</u>	<u>-</u>
WASHINGTON		<u>33,835.63</u>	<u>1541</u>	<u>72,099.55</u>	<u>105,935.18</u>	<u>60.5</u>
Quota						
\$175,000						
WEST VIRGINIA		<u>6,981.12</u>	<u>1046</u>	<u>16,814.50</u>	<u>23,795.62</u>	<u>59.5</u>
Quota						
\$40,000						
WISCONSIN		<u>64,709.25</u>	<u>5498.50</u>	<u>147,127.12</u>	<u>211,836.37</u>	<u>94.1</u>
Quota						
\$225,000						

STATE	MATCHING FUNDS ALLOCATION	MATCHING FUNDS TOTAL ALLOCATIONS THRU	CONTRIBUTIONS WEEK ENDING	CUM CONTRIBUTIONS THRU	GRAND TOTAL THRU	% OF QUOTA
WYOMING		<u>8,889.95</u>	<u>387</u>	<u>20,316</u>	<u>29,205.95</u>	<u>97.4</u>
Quota						
\$30,000						
Unidentified			<u>124.32</u>	<u>59,925.45</u>	<u>59,925.45</u>	
Other				<u>2.507</u>	<u>2501.-</u>	
TOTAL		<u>3,283,401.54</u>	<u>222,220.52</u>	<u>7,808,845.15</u>	<u>11,092,246.69</u>	<u>87.3</u>
Quota						
\$12,700,000						
Total Allocation #						