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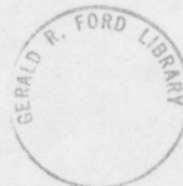
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By K. Kennelly Date 6/13/83

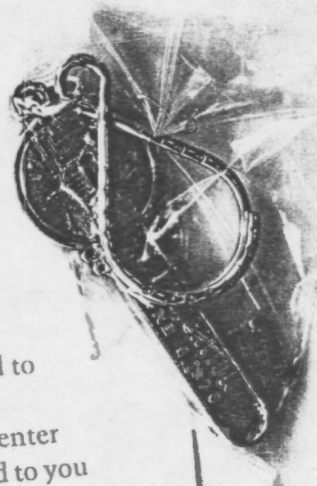
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This key chain was  
commemorated the formal dedication  
ceremonies at Cedars-Sinai Medical Center  
on Sunday, June 6, 1976. It is presented to you  
so that you may share with us, in some  
measure, our pride and joy on this  
memorable day.

*Cedars-Sinai Medical Center*



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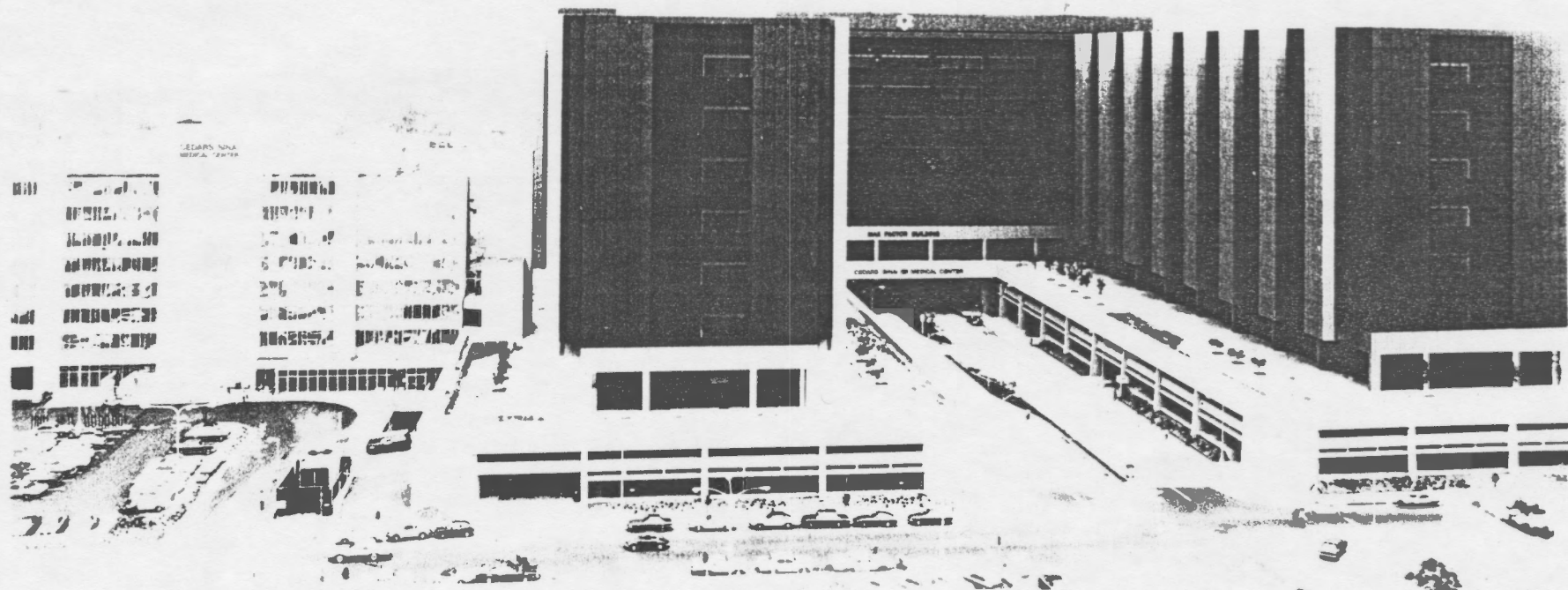
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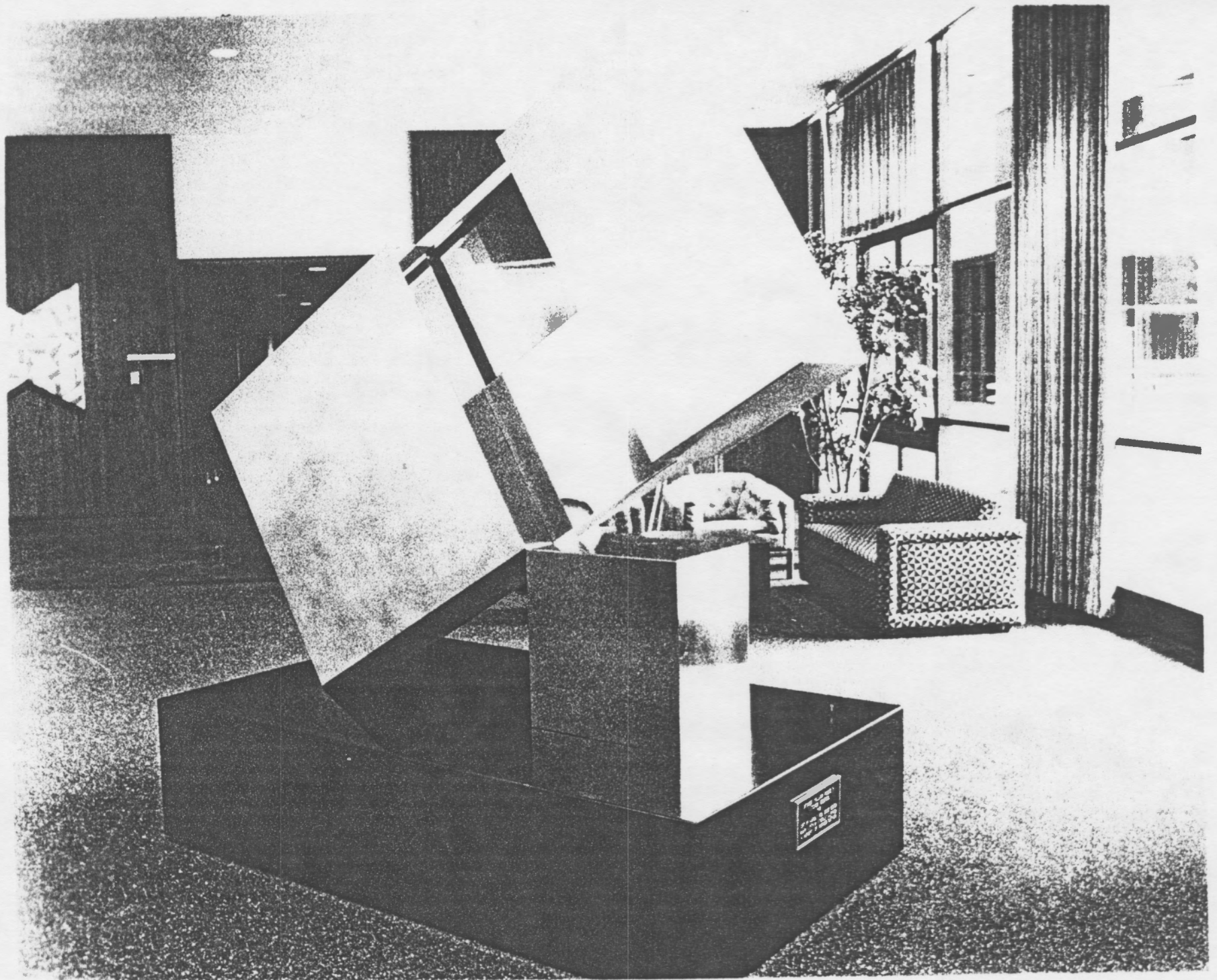
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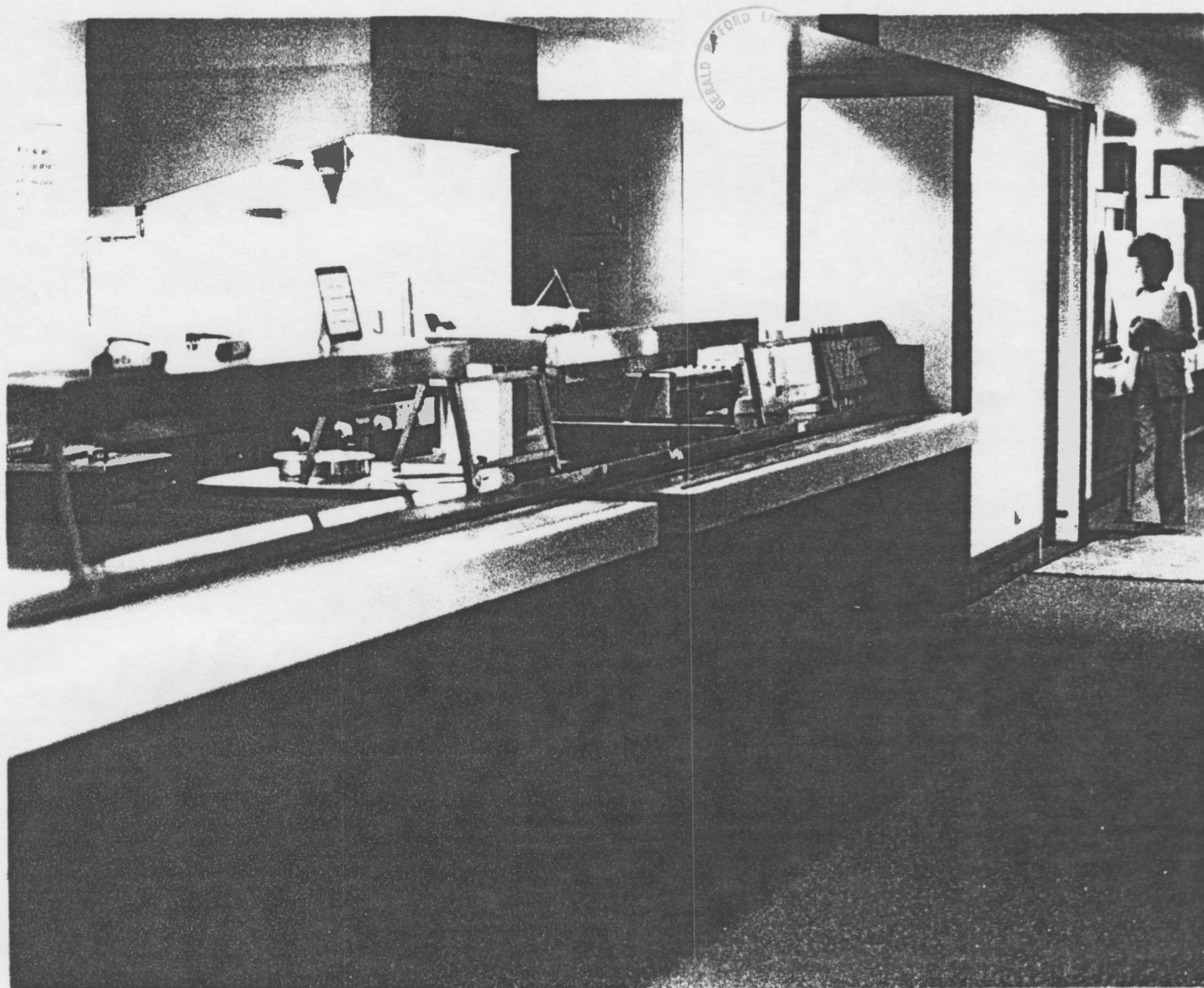


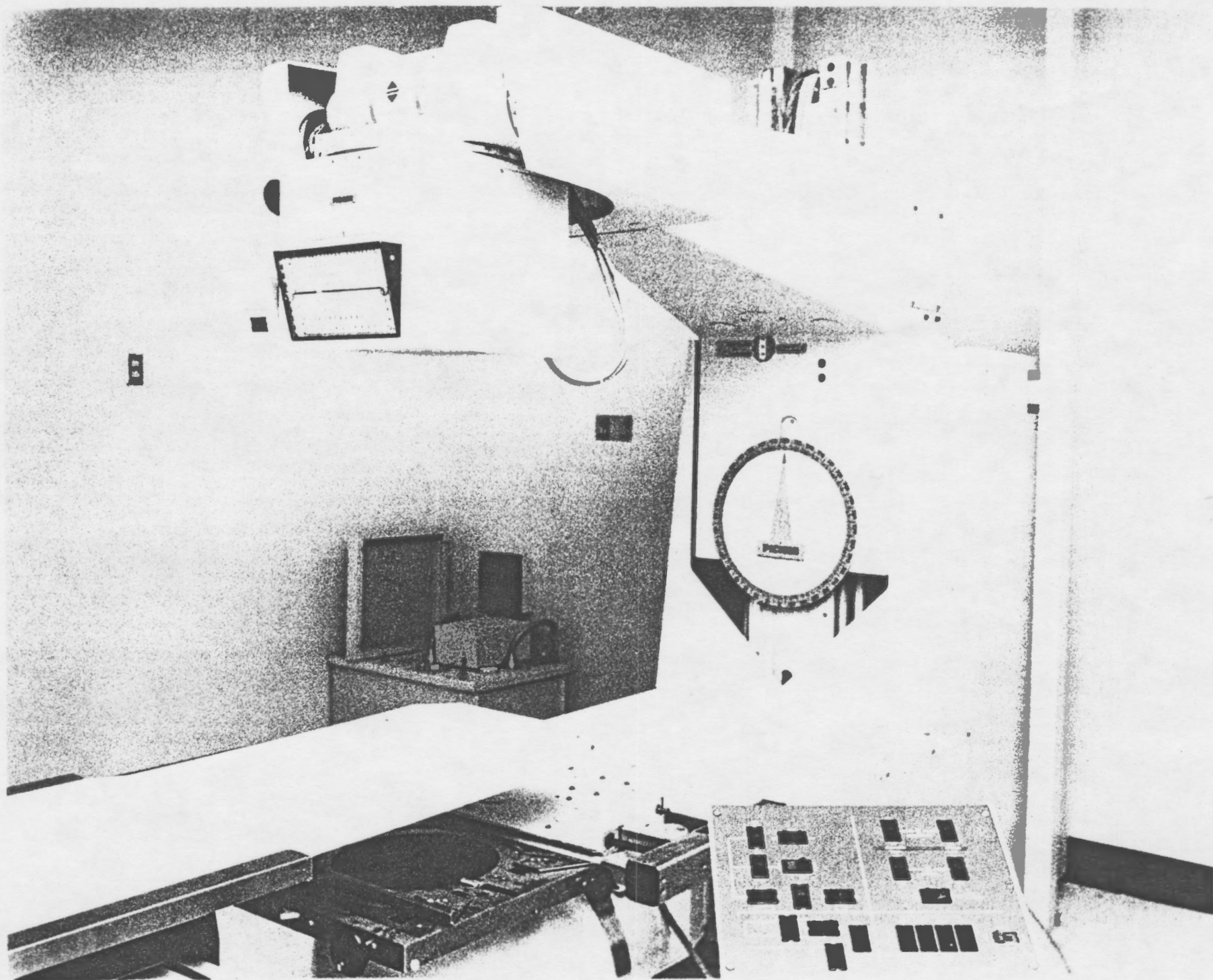






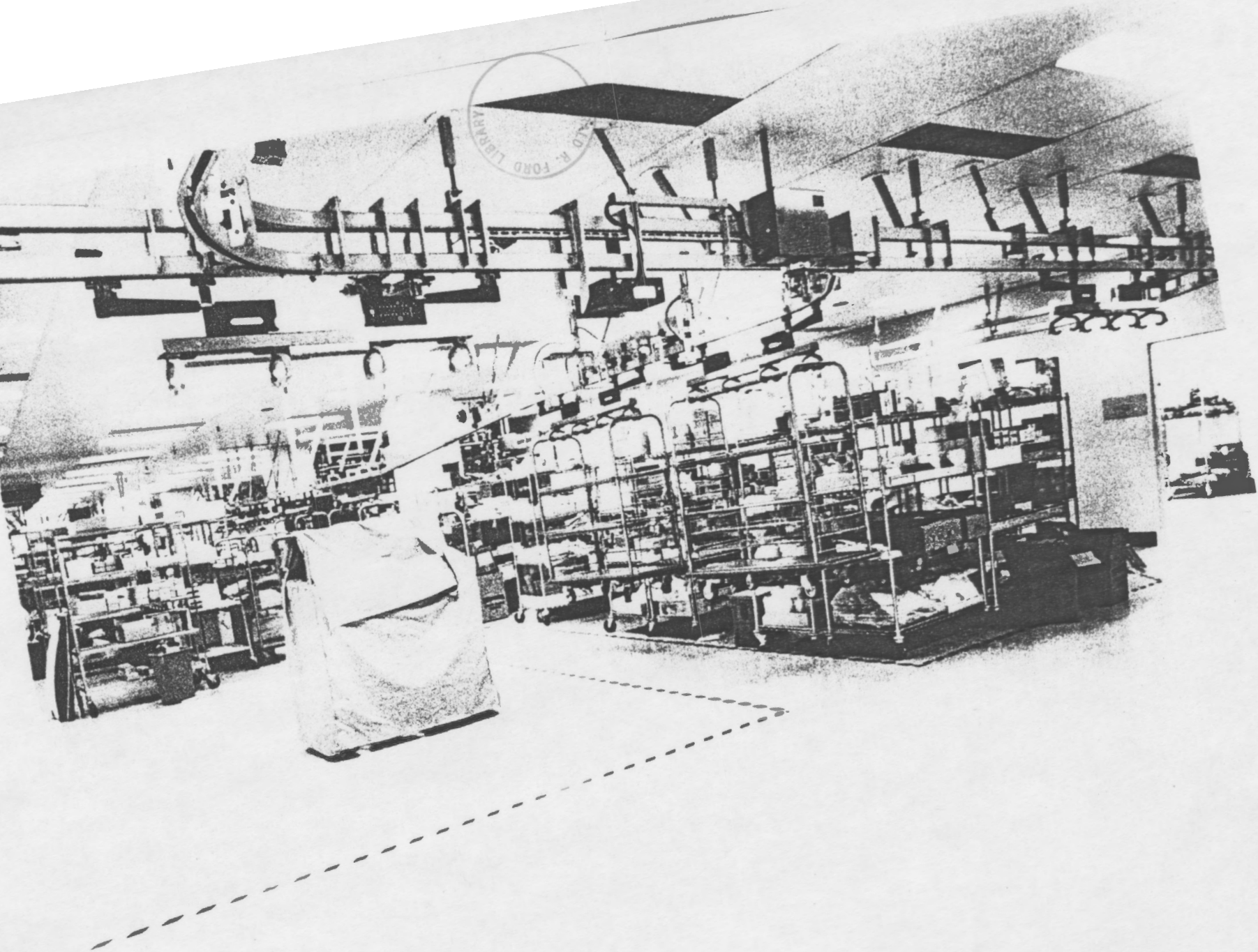


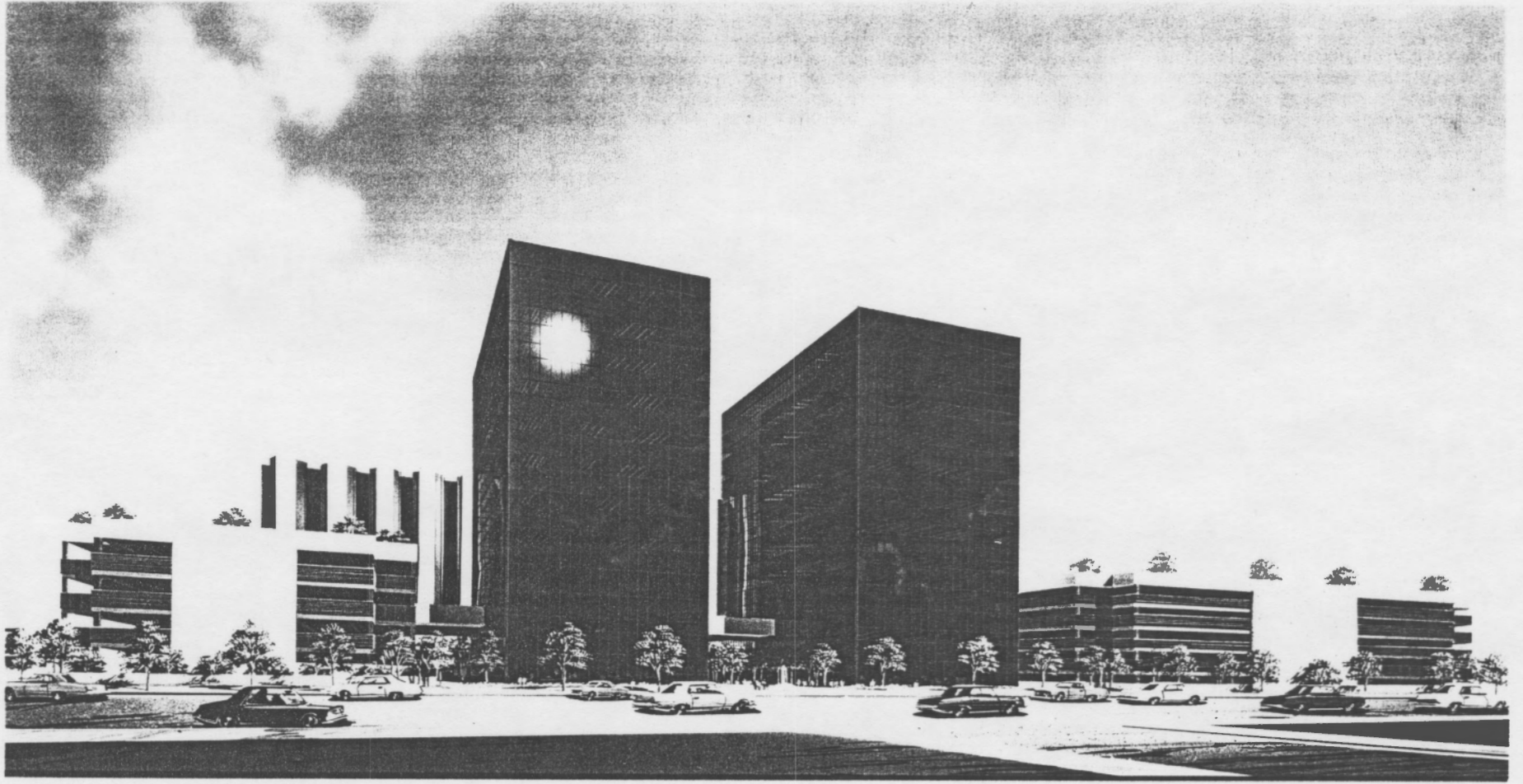
















*Memo*

from the desk of

JOHN T. BISSELL

Pattie Ranch  
June 5 '72

To Betty's husband;  
Carry on.  
Mrs JTB



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June 11, 1976

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6211 La Salle Avenue  
Oakland, California

## Southern California

### Chairman:

Mayor Pete Wilson

Mrs. Gerald Ford  
The White House  
Washington, D. C.



Dear Mrs. Ford:

On behalf of the Alameda County PFC, I want to thank you for coming to Oakland last Friday. You were so generous with your time and we are most grateful.

Our daughter Sarah (5), is still convinced you are the President. She was thrilled to greet you twice! Thank you so much.

I have taken the liberty of placing your name on the mailing list to receive further copies of the "ERA Monitor" so you will always have up-to-date information concerning the ERA. I made it very clear to them that this did not constitute any type of endorsement by you.

Thank you so very much for coming.

Sincerely yours,

*Connie Hosemann*

Connie Hosemann  
Alameda County Chair



## SOROPTIMIST INTERNATIONAL OF OAKLAND

June 9, 1976

Mrs. Gerald Ford  
The White House  
Washington, D.C. 20500



Dear Mrs. Ford:

One of the very special experiences in my life was that of meeting you personally at the reception at the Claremont Hotel in Berkeley last Friday, the 4th of June. I think Ken Thompson confused all of us momentarily when introducing Martha Baker and myself, but it took you no time at all to straighten that out - and with graciousness and good humor.

This was not only a very rewarding personal experience but it gave me great gratification to note the number of other Soroptimist women present though it was not as a Soroptimist that I had come but as an interested and supportive individual. The presence of a number of other Soroptimist women who also had come for personal reasons expressed so well the interest the Soroptimist International takes in community, national and international affairs. Did you know Soroptimism is the largest classified service organization for professional women in the world, with 11,000 clubs in 42 different countries, with a total of 60,000 members, and it was founded in Oakland, California?

You greeted us all with such warmth, friendliness and frankness; we could easily understand why the President feels relaxed about having you represent him whenever and wherever the occasion occurs. May you both know the tangible and intangible rewards of your dedication and tireless efforts for our country.

Sincerely,

Ortha Wulfinq, President  
Soroptimist International of Oakland  
P.O. Box 1741, Civic Center P.O.  
Oakland, Ca. 94604

June 8, 1976

Mrs. Gerald Ford  
The White House  
Washington, D.C.  
20000

Dear Mrs. Ford,

Your charming presence in Monterey not only radiated warmth and friendship for the "Merienda", but when you swept the little boy into your arms and kissed him on the cheek it was very endearing. He would not play his tambourine from then on because he kept his little hand on his cheek and said "I want to keep the kiss warm."

Mrs. Pattee was so thrilled to give a reception for you and do hope you had a chance to see the tables that I arranged.

Perhaps the next time you are in our part of the world I can inveigle the Westlands to bring you up to our house.

All good wishes,

*Virginia Stanton*  
Mrs. Robert Stanton

*Everyone here loved you!*  
*E*



MRS. ROBERT STANTON - CARMEL VALLEY - CALIFORNIA 93924





THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

Carolyn,

would you check  
this list to make  
certain every one is  
covered. I believe the  
only additions are the  
regrets to Costa Mesa  
which I would like  
to have sent if possible.

Thank!

Pet





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Mayor Pete Wilson

*Nancy,  
please  
check w/  
Pete's sum -  
he doesn't have  
this entire list  
Many thanks  
Herrie.*

7 June, 1976

## MRS. FORD'S VISIT - ORANGE COUNTY

RE: Thank you notes.

Motorcade Drivers.

Mr. Ronald Fox - Set Up Motorcade  
1677 Brea also did it for President's trip.  
Fullerton, Ca. 92635

Mr. Stephen C. Bailey  
1400 N. Harbor Boulevard  
Fullerton, Ca. 92635

Mr. James Beam  
*Comp*  
Anaheim, Ca.

Mr. Rand Christensen  
1840 Smokewood  
Fullerton, Ca. 92635

Mr. Kent Christensen  
1840 Smoke wood  
Fullerton, Ca. 92635

Miss Wendy Bents  
810 W. Bay Avenue  
Balboa, Ca. 92661

Mr. Jon Blatt *- not david*  
19760 Golden Bough Drive  
Covina, Ca. 91724

Miss Jacqui Egan  
1214 Starboard Way  
Corona Del Mar, Ca. 92625

Presented Mrs. Ford with flowers.



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## MRS. FORD'S VISIT - ORANGE COUNTY

RE: Thank you notes with regrets because of cancellation.

## Northern California

### Chairman:

Nita Ashcraft

The Honorable & Mrs. Dom Riciti (Mayor)

2709 Cardinal Drive

Costa Mesa, Ca. 92626

## Southern California

### Chairman:

Mayor Pete Wilson

Mr. & Mrs. Conrad Schafer

2131 Wallace

Costa Mesa, Ca. 92626

Mr. & Mrs. Robert Wilson

3023 Country Club Drive

Costa Mesa, Ca. 92626

Estancia High School Marching Band

Mr. Tournier - Director

Estancia High School

Costa Mesa, Ca. 92626

- were to play at Fish Fry  
for Mrs. Ford.



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## MRS. FORD'S VISIT - CONTINUED

Mr. & Mrs. Robert Beaver - held cocktail party,  
1235 Margarita St major contributors.  
Fullerton, Ca. 92635

Miss Vicki Beaver  
1235 Margarita St.  
Fullerton, Ca. 92635

Beaver's daughter,  
send autographed picture  
of Jack.

Mr. Tom Chandler  
Hughes Airwest  
Orange County Aripport  
Santa Ana, Ca. 92708

Arranged landing at  
airpott.

Mr. Joseph McPhearson  
Mac Howard Leasing  
124 N. Harbor Boulevard  
Santa Ana, Ca.

Reagan supporter -  
Let us borrow van for both  
the President's trip &  
Mrs. Ford.



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June 6, 1976

Carolyn Porembka  
The White House  
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Carolyn:

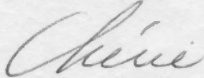
Enclosed is as complete a listing of persons taking some role of responsibility in the recent visit Mrs. Ford made to Oakland, California.

I am working under the assumption that since Mrs. Ford is consistently referred to as Betty Ford or Mrs. Betty Ford we may so address other women. If necessary there will be more time to go after husband's first names after Tuesday.

Although the phone centers are closing down on the 9th you can reach me anytime at home. If I am not there physically there is a voice actuated answering machine which will take as long a message as you care to leave.

Everyone at the PFC here is extremely appreciative of the time spent with us. We did not get the kind of news coverage we would have liked however we did get as much political mileage as could be expected. Mrs. Ford did an excellent job for us. I am sure those sentiments will be conveyed shortly by our county chairpeople to her directly.

Sincerely,



PFC Bay Area Field Representative

Cherie Swenson  
35282 Farnham Drive  
Newark, CA 94560  
415-792-7801



Betty Ford - Oakland, California June 4-5, 1976

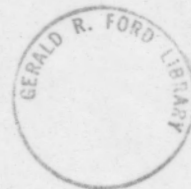
Frank Whitcomb, Manager  
Oakland International Airport  
Oakland, California 94614

*Comp*

Chief George Hart  
Chief of Police  
455 - 7th St.  
Oakland, CA 94607

*Comp*

Arrangements for landing, airport  
security and storage



Welcoming committee at airport

✓ Connie Hosemann (Mrs.)  
5241 Cochrane Ave.  
Oakland, CA 94618

*Sgt*

Mayor John H. Reading  
City Hall  
Oakland, CA 94612

*Sgt*

✓ Ray Moser  
913 Otis Drive  
Alameda, CA 94501

*Sgt*

Cyril Roche  
P.O. Box 4853  
Hayward, CA 94540

Pearl Roche (Mrs.)  
(same as above)

Alameda County PFC chairperson

Presented Mrs. Ford with Oakland's  
symbol in form of gold oak tree pin

Alameda County PFC co-chairman

PFC chairman, Southern Alameda  
County

Ford delegate, wife of South  
Sounty chairman

Betty Ford - Oakland, California

June 4-5, 1976 .

VIP Reception list

*Special*  
Connie Hosemann  
(Welcoming Committee list)

*Special*  
Evelle Younger and Mrs. Evelle Younger

*Special*  
Frank Ogawa  
(Reception list)

George Vukasin  
Mrs. Sonia Vukasin  
2631 Carisbrook Drive  
Oakland, CA 94611

*Special*  
Kenneth L. Thompson  
Mrs. Marian Thompson  
Kathleen Thompson  
2641 La Cuesta  
Oakland, CA 94611

*Camp*  
Warren Brown, Publisher  
Berkeley Daily Gazette  
Richmond Independent  
164 - 10th St. 94801  
Richmond, CA

Edgar Buttner  
Mrs. Edgar Buttner  
121 St. James Drive  
Piedmont, CA 94611

C. J. Patterson  
Professional Building  
Eastmont Mall  
73rd and Bancroft Avenue  
Oakland, CA 94621

Calvin Pond  
Mrs. Calvin Pond  
8073 HANSON DR.  
OAKLAND, CA 94605

*K*  
Philo Holland, Jr.  
Mrs. Philo Holland  
10 MEADOW AVE  
KENTFIELD, CA 94904

Edmund C. Sajor  
6536 Lucas Avenue  
Oakland, CA 94611

Jane McCaffery (Mrs.)  
3719 Brunnell Drive  
Oakland, CA 94619

California PFC chairman

Oakland City Councilman

Alameda County PFC co-chairman

Oakland business leader, former  
president, Oakland Chamber of  
Commerce

Oakland business leader

Vice-President, Public Affairs  
Safeway Stores, Inc.

Vice-President, Public Affairs  
Sear Roebuck, Western Division

Governmental & Public Affairs Dept.  
Pacific Gas & Electric Co.

Executive Director, Junior Center  
of Arts and Sciences, Oakland





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Doris Anderson  
1419 Broadway, Suite 717  
Oakland, CA 94612

Attorney, Women's Rights leader

Marion Stanley (Mrs.)  
5941 McAndrew Drive  
Oakland, CA 94611

Community leader

Sylvia McLaughlin (Mrs.)  
1450 Hawthorne Terrace  
Berkeley, CA 94709

Environmental leader

Florence Bostick (Mrs.)  
6067 Estates Drive  
Oakland, CA 94611

Community leader

Don Mulford  
Mrs. Virginia Mulford  
145 Hillside Avenue  
Piedmont, CA 94611

Protocol chief, City of Oakland  
& former State Assemblyman

Cyril and Pearl Roche  
(Welcoming Committee list)

*Special*





Betty Ford - Oakland, California June 4-5, 1976

Bay Area Republican Alliance Reception

James O Hartman  
806 The Alameda  
Berkeley, CA 94707

*comp*

Frank H. Ogawa  
11041 Ettrick St.  
Oakland, CA 94605

*comp*

President of the Alameda County  
Division of the Alliance  
Master of Ceremonies

Oakland City Councilman  
Introduced Mrs. Ford  
Ford Delegate

Mrs. Ford indicated an interest  
in Mr. Ogawa's business as a  
nurseryman - his business address is  
Frank H. Ogawa, Inc.  
123 Mayhew Road  
Fremont, CA 94536

Martin Webb  
1819 Solano Ave.  
Berkeley, CA 94707

*Comp 7.*

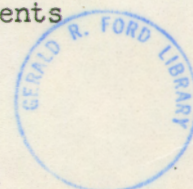
President of the Bay Area  
Republican Alliance  
Presented Mrs. Ford with red roses  
on behalf of the Alliance

Barbara Gamba, Executive Secretary (Miss)  
Bay Area Republican Alliance  
564 Market Street  
San Francisco, CA

*comp*

*94105*

Supervised arrangements



Elaine D. Oldham (Miss)  
567 Oakland Ave., Apt. 306  
Oakland, CA 94610

*comp*

Hostess Chairperson

June Casey (Mrs. John Desmond Casey)  
521 Westfield Way  
Oakland, CA 94619

*comp*

Decorations chairperson

Steve Porras  
Berkeley Florist  
1692 Shattuck Ave.  
Berkeley, CA 94709

*comp 7.*

Reception table arrangement  
(red/white/blue), red roses for  
Mrs. Ford, corsage for Mrs. Ford



Betty Ford - Oakland, California

June 4-5, 1976

*Completed*

Ticket sales and name tagging -

John Coleman  
3126 Sweetbriar Lane  
Lafayette, CA 94549

Additionally - John is Contra Costa PFC  
youth chairman and drove on 6/5

Connie Cooper (Miss)  
3216 Los Palos Circle  
Lafayette, CA 94549

Vanessa Kelling (Miss)  
1187 Scotts Lane  
Walnut Creek, CA 94596

Kristi Helm (Miss)  
50 Santa Rita Drive  
Walnut Creek, CA 94596

Debbie Purchase (Miss)  
5 Rydal Court  
Orinda, CA 94563

Brian Sandborn  
61 Cragmont Court  
Walnut Creek, CA 94596

Edward Weyand  
2315 Parker St. Apt. 6  
Berkeley, CA 94704

Nephew of General Weyand  
Intern from UC-Berkeley

Robyn Bebbington (Miss)  
1734 Spruce St.  
Berkeley, CA 94709

Intern from UC-Berkeley  
Helped with press credentialing for Mrs.  
Ford's lunch in San Francisco early May  
has received thank you letter for that work

Adrienne Scofield (Miss)  
2424 Warring St.  
Berkeley, CA 94704

Intern from UC-Berkeley  
Also helped with decorations

Susan Kaiser (Miss)  
2732 Durant Ave.  
Berkeley, CA 94704

Intern from UC-Berkeley  
Also helped with decorations

Josh Kelling  
1187 Scotts Lane  
Walnut Creek, CA 94596



Betty Ford - Oakland, California

June 4-5, 1976

*comp*

Hostesses for Reception

Esther Jacobs (Mrs.)  
758 Kingston Ave.  
Oakland, CA 94611

Has completed 609 calls in the  
Oakland phone center

Margaret Dzuber (Mrs.)  
5217 Harbord Drive  
Oakland, CA 94618

Has completed 499 calls in the  
Oakland phone center

Patricia Mann (Mrs.)  
301 Taurus Ave.  
Oakland, CA 94611

Charlotte Frazee (Mrs.)  
6181 Contra Costa Ave.  
Oakland, CA 94618

Mona Keilbar (Mrs.)  
629 Pond Isle  
Alameda, CA 94501

Barbara D'Anneo (Mrs.)  
6126 Ocean View Drive  
Oakland, CA 94618

Margaret Kennedy (Mrs.)  
491 Crescent Street  
Oakland, CA 94601

Marty Snoeberger (Mrs. David)  
6201 Rockwell  
Oakland, CA 94618

Betty Robinson (Mrs.)  
356 Wildwood Ave.  
Oakland, CA 94611





Drivers

✓ Leif Soderling

2732 Haste St., Apt. 6  
Berkeley, CA 94704

June 4 & 5

✓ Ann Stewart Brown (Mrs.)

456 Camino Sobrante  
Orinda, CA 94563

June 4 & 5

✓ Thomas Patrick Walsh

537 Midvale Way  
Mill Valley, CA 94941

June 4

✓ Barry Michael Grenier

7 Salix  
Woodacre, CA 94973

June 4

✓ Jean Nelson (Mrs.)

316 Scenic Ave.  
Piedmont, CA 94611

June 4 & 5 (Luggage)

✓ Marilyn Thureau (Mrs.)

7225 Snake Road  
Oakland, CA 94611

June 4

*Special*  
✓ Kenneth L. Thompson

(listed in VIP reception list)

*Comp*  
June 5

*Special*  
✓ John Coleman

(listed in ticket sales list)

*Comp*  
June 5

✓ RICHARD SHAW

1110 WARFIELD AVE  
PIEDMONT, CA. 94610

JUNE 5 (luggage)

✓ ROBERT MAYEE

320 CALIFORNIA ST.  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA.

*Comp Special*  
Helped get cars & drivers.





Betty Ford - Oakland, California

June 4-5, 1976

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2732 Haste St., Apt. 6  
Berkeley, CA 94704

June 4 & 5

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456 Camino Sobrante  
Orinda, CA 94563

June 4 & 5

Thomas Patrick Walsh  
537 Midvale Way  
Mill Valley, CA 94941

June 4

Barry Michael Grenier  
7 Salix  
Woodacre, CA 94973

June 4

Jean Nelson (Mrs.)  
316 Scenic Ave.  
Piedmont, CA 94611

June 4 & 5 (Luggage)

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7225 Snake Road  
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June 4



Kenneth L. Thompson  
(listed in VIP reception list)

June 5

John Coleman  
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June 5

*RICHARD SHAW  
1110 WARFIELD AVE  
PIEDMONT, CA. 94610*

*JUNE 5 (luggage)*

*ROBERT MAYER  
320 CALIFORNIA ST.  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA.*

*Helped get cars &  
drivers.*

Betty Ford - Oakland, California

June 4-5, 1976

Hotel staff who took primary responsibility for arrangements

Charles J. Karl, Vice-President  
Claremont Hotel Corporation

*flowers Comp*

Albert E. Britten  
General Manager

*Comp lovely plant mt - June 4*

James Meharg  
Assistant General Manager

*Comp*

Joann Hansen (Mrs.)  
Executive Secretary to Mr. Karl

*Comp*

Robert Lee Strain  
Manager, Sales and Catering

*Comp*

Jan Rippe (Miss)  
Assistant Manager, Sales and Catering

*Comp You are ok*

Supervised all reception details

Robyn Hilts (Miss)  
Sales and Catering

*Comp Comp*

*2. 6. 6. up 20*

Becky Johnson

Front desk switchboard

All may be addressed -

Claremont Resort Hotel  
Ashby and Domingo Avenues  
Berkeley, CA 94705



The hotel flowers were arranged for through -

Andy Hammond  
Rick's Florist  
2548 Bancroft Way  
Berkeley, CA 94705

*Comp*

Also sent red/white/blue corsage

*?*



8/6/76

Marge:

Carolyn -  
yes

I sent over the attached page for addresses when thanking Connie Hosemann & Ray Moser for a gift on this trip. Was Mayor John H. REading ever thanked for the pin he gave Mrs. Ford. Could you please send a thank you if this was not sent. Do you have the pin? If not I will check upstairs.

Carolyn Porembka



No - pin was  
not received in  
Gift Unit. Card  
bears notation that  
Mrs. Ford has the  
pin -- per Pete Forum.

Marge W.  
8/6

Betty Ford - Oakland, California

June 4-5, 1976

Frank Whitcomb, Manager  
Oakland International Airport  
Oakland, California 94614

Arrangements for landing, airport  
security and storage

Chief George Hart  
Chief of Police  
455 - 7th St.  
Oakland, CA 94607



Welcoming committee at airport

✓ Connie Hosemann (Mrs.)  
5241 Cochrane Ave.  
Oakland, CA 94618

Alameda County PFC chairperson

✓ Mayor John H. Reading  
City Hall  
Oakland, CA 94612

Presented Mrs. Ford with Oakland  
symbol in form of gold oak tree

✓ Ray Moser  
913 Otis Drive  
Alameda, CA 94501

Alameda County PFC co-chairman

Cyril Roche  
P.O. Box 4853  
Hayward, CA 94540

PFC chairman, Southern Alameda  
County

Pearl Roche (Mrs.)  
(same as above)

Ford delegate, wife of South  
Sounty chairman



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5 June 1976

1501 Westcliff Drive  
Newport Beach, Ca. 92660

TO: PETE SORUM

FROM: MERRIE LYNCH

RE: THANK YOU NOTES

JACQUIE EGAN  
1214 STARBOARD LANE  
CORONA DEL MAR, CA. 92625  
PRESENTED MRS. FORD WITH FLOWERS.

JOSEPH MCPHEARSON, PRESIDENT  
MAC HOWARD LEASING  
124 NORTH HARBOR BOULEVARD  
SANTA ANA, CA. 92703  
LENT US VAN FOR BOTH MRS. FORD AND THE PRESIDENT'S VISIT.  
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801 BALBOA AVENUE  
BALBOA ISLAND, CA. 92662

MR. & MRS. ROBERT BEAVER  
1235 MARGARITA STREET  
FULLERTON, CA. 92633  
MAJOR CONTRIBUTOR; HELD RECEPTION  
FOR MRS. FORD.

PLEASE HAVE MRS. FORD SEND  
AUTOGRAPH PICTURE TO:  
JUDIE YOUNG - LEASING  
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SANTA ANA, CA. 92703  
THANK YOU FOR PROVIDING VAN FREE  
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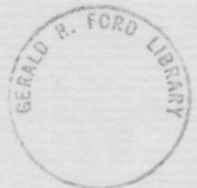
Sorry this took so long.

These are people who were involved  
with Mrs. Ford's Visit to Monterey  
on Saturday, June 5<sup>th</sup>.

I am still trying to find out  
names of some others who were involved.

If any questions, please call  
(408) 757-2974

Marcia Pmolens





Mrs Betty Ford THANK YOU'S

helped  
people  
made calls for  
Pattie

MRS. ROBERT (VIRGINIA) STANTON Comp  
CARMEL VALLEY RD  
CARMEL VALLEY 93924

presented  
w/ traditional  
salad bowl +  
1974 centen-  
nial year  
silver medallion

MAYOR HENRY HIBINI  
974 SIERRA MADRE DR  
SALINAS 93901

marge w

MRS. LEONARDO (CARMEN) CANCIO  
3037 KENNEDY COURT  
MARINA 93933

filipino  
handbag

marge w

intro Mrs.  
Ford around  
at Meritnda

RAYMOND (RAY) SMITH  
PO BOX 5367  
CARMEL 93921

Comp

(PRES. of HISTORICAL  
ASSOC.)

organizer  
of Meritnda

JAMES (JIM) HENDERSON  
BOX 300  
TRUST DEPT.  
CARMEL 93921

Comp



Monterey  
Ford  
chairperson

JUNE DURAN  
BOX 23  
PEBBLE BEACH 93953

Comp



# hostesses at Pattee Reception

Completed

MRS. OLGA TITUS  
14850 MULETA DRIVE  
SALINAS 93901

MRS PHILLIPS (JOYCE) WYMAN  
81 PINE CANYON  
SALINAS 93901

MRS VIRGINIA FROHMAN  
22605 OAK CANYON RD.  
SA

MRS. SAMUEL KOBRINSKY (DENNY)  
22328 DAVENRICH  
SALINAS

MRS. HARRY (REI) WOLFF  
22323 DAVENRICH  
SALINAS



MRS. BRYAN BRADFORD (NATALIE)  
86 PASEO HERMOSO  
SALINAS

MRS. WM. (NORMA) BARKER  
200 CALERA CYN  
SALINAS

MRS. WM. (RITA) TEMPLE  
~~123 SAN BENITO RD~~  
SA 81 PASEO HERMOSO



MRS. CHRIS LOOKADOO  
72 PASEO HERMOSO  
SALINAS

Completed

MRS. TREVA SWARTZ  
CORRAL de TIERRA VILLAS  
SALINAS

MRS. BETTY PAULSON  
73 PASEO HERMOSO  
SALINAS

484-9424 MRS. JANE BARNES  
22324 DAVENRICH  
SA





SA = Salinas

① Inga Pattee  
155 Corral de Tierra  
SA 93901

Comp

her mother: Gertrude Huber  
same address

Comp

Hosted the party at her ranch at her  
expense.

② Gloria Palmieri  
555 Madison Street #8  
Monterey 93940



Comp

drove a press car supplied by  
How Fenton

③ Pat Cook + Ken Cook  
426 Palma Drive  
SA 93901

Comp

-drove press in her van

- Ken & Pat gave photograph to Mrs Ford



④ Automobile Attendants at Pattee Ranch

John Skelton  
153 Corral de Tierra Rd  
SA 93901

conf

Gene Rowland  
do Pattee  
155 Corral de Tierra Rd.  
SA 93901

conf

head honcho — Bill Barker  
200 Calera Cyn Road  
SA 93901



plus Tom, Susan, Carol + Bill, Jr.  
all Barkers

conf

Keith Husted  
do Pattee  
155 Corral de Tierra Rd  
SA 93901

⑤ MRS LODEMA FISHER  
Box 1282  
CARMEL, CA. 93921

merged w

presented strawberries to Mrs. F



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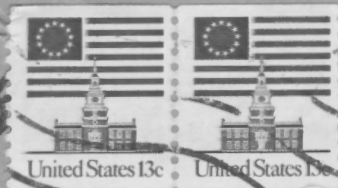
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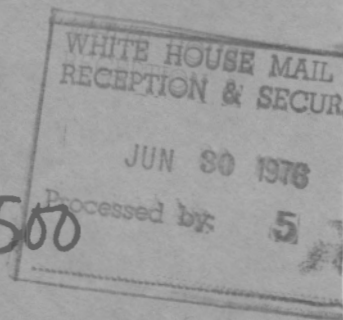
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Carolyn,

Enclosed are a few more  
to thank who assisted on  
the Monterey Peninsula trip,  
June 6<sup>th</sup>.

Marcia Imolon

Many thanks for seeing I was  
thanked!





JAN O'CONNELL  
1022 HALSEY DRIVE  
MONTEREY 93940

comp

set up  
press table  
at airport  
&  
handed out  
badges, etc.

RON SMITH  
PO BOX 1913  
SALINAS 93901

comp

worked  
w/ Jan  
on press



PETER + PAT CONIGLIO  
750 VIA MIRADA  
MONTEREY 93940

Sent to  
Marge

Mayor of  
Monterey  
presented  
Mrs Ford w/  
rose bouquet  
&  
gift pack



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FIRST LADY  
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July 6, 1976

Dear Connie:

My trip to California was most beautiful and enjoyable. I am so pleased that I had the opportunity to visit your lovely city, and your warm welcome at the airport made me feel right at home. The corsage from you, Ray <sup>X</sup>Moser and Ken <sup>X</sup>Thompson was truly beautiful -- and the book and bracelet which you presented will be valued mementos of the occasion.

With best wishes always.

Sincerely,

Betty Ford

<sup>X</sup>  
Mrs. Connie Hosemann  
5241 Cochrane Avenue  
Oakland, California 94618



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*To Angie Dickinson  
With my warm best wishes,*

*Betty Ford*





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*To Joanna and Johnny Carson  
With my warm best wishes,*

*Betty Ford*







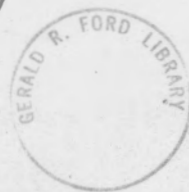




To Liza Minelli

With warm best wishes,

*It was a fun evening!*  
Denny Ford





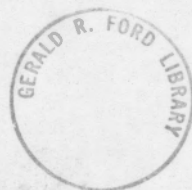
# CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL

431 Fountain Street, N. E.  
Grand Rapids, Michigan

Wesley R. Perrin, Principal

May 7, 1976

Ms. Kaye Pullen, Assistant to Mrs. Ford  
The White House  
Washington, D. C.



Dear Ms. Pullen:

On Monday, April 26, we received a telephone call from Ms. Susan Porter indicating that Mrs. Ford had accepted the invitation of Central High's senior class to attend its commencement exercises on June 7.

Ms. Porter requested that we send you some background information about Central High that Mrs. Ford might use in terms of preparing for her visit. In compliance with this request we are sending to you the following materials:

1. A list of Grand Rapids school officials, Board of Education members, Central High administrators, and senior class officers.
2. A resume of pertinent current information as it relates to Central High.
3. A page from the 1936 Helios with Mrs. Ford's graduation picture and a listing of the activities she participated in as a student.
4. Two pages from the 1935 Helios providing pictures and information on two organizations that Mrs. Ford was a member of.
5. Two articles from the 1962 Helios:
  - A. "Central in Review" - This article was written at the time Central celebrated its centennial and takes note of the long, rich history of Central High School.
  - B. "The New Buildings" - This article mentions some of the distinguished alumni of Central High.
6. A copy of the 1975 Helios.

In terms of our preparing for Mrs. Ford's visit, many questions have come to mind. We would appreciate your responding in writing to the following questions as soon as possible.

1. Our seniors are anticipating Mrs. Ford's visit with considerable enthusiasm. The final segment of the commencement exercises is the presentation of diplomas to the seniors. The seniors (about 400 will graduate) would be most grateful to Mrs. Ford if she would be able to greet each one personally as they receive their diplomas. Therefore, we would appreciate knowing the extent to which Mrs. Ford wishes to be involved in our program.

2. We are planning on having the following people on stage with Mrs. Ford:

- the superintendent of schools
- the president of the board of education
- the principal and the three assistant principals
- the president of the senior class
- the senior class advisor
- the student council sponsor
- two ministers who are fathers of our graduating seniors to deliver the invocation and benediction



We do not wish to distract from the real purpose of this occasion, the graduation of our seniors, by having too many people on stage. Ms. Porter also suggested that we conduct our ceremonies as we normally do. However, we do not wish to offend Mrs. Ford by overlooking someone who she might wish to occupy the stage with her. We would appreciate your reaction to this plan.

3. Is there any official music that is used when the First Lady makes an appearance? If so, where could copies of it be obtained?
4. What are Mrs. Ford's favorite flowers?
5. Is there any particular protocol that should be followed in terms of dress for individuals who will occupy the stage with Mrs. Ford?
6. When will Mrs. Ford be arriving in Grand Rapids?
7. If there is a reception for Mrs. Ford when she arrives, may we include our staff and senior class officers who issued the invitation?
8. How long will Mrs. Ford remain in Grand Rapids and what additional plans might she have while here?
9. Would Mrs. Ford wish to make any remarks other than the ones she will deliver at the time the presentations of the school and the senior class are made to her?
10. Will Mrs. Ford appear on stage at the beginning (processional of graduates) of the ceremonies or wait until she is officially introduced?
11. Who is the advance person being sent out by the White House and when will he be in contact with us?
12. How does Mrs. Ford wish to have her name appear on the program that will be printed?
13. Is there a special charity to which Mrs. Ford wishes the honorarium to be sent in her name?
14. Would Mrs. Ford like to greet members of the Class of 1936 at a reception following the ceremonies?
15. Would it be possible for us to have some photographers back stage to take some candid shots of Mrs. Ford with those individuals who will appear on stage with her?

We are certain that there are other concerns that you have and details we should attend to. Any suggestions you could give us in addition to the information we are requesting would be deeply appreciated.

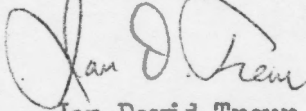
Mr. John Kirchgessner, assistant principal of Central High, is handling many of the details for us and is also serving as liaison to the school district's central administration. He may be reached by calling the



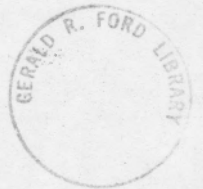
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school at 459-0205 or his home at 452-4718. I also can be reached at the school number or at my home at 454-5647.

Preparations for Mrs. Ford's visit are going very well at this time. We are eagerly anticipating her visit and are working very hard to make this occasion one that she will thoroughly enjoy and long remember.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Jan David Treur".

Jan David Treur  
Senior Class Advisor



# CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL

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Grand Rapids, Michigan

Wesley R. Perrin, Principal

May 6, 1976

Below is a list of the following:

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Mrs. Vernis L. Schad - President

## Superintendent's Office

Mr. Phillip E. Runkel - Superintendent  
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## School Administration

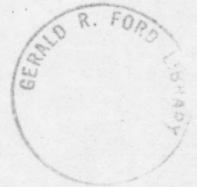
Mr. Wesley Perrin - Principal  
Mr. John Kirchgessner - Assistant Principal  
Mr. Earl Mandeville - Assistant Principal  
Mr. James Edwards - Assistant Principal

## Class of 1976 Officers

Mr. Paul Kelly - President  
Miss Lisa Wood - Vice President  
Miss Barbara Ward - Recording Secretary  
Miss Carol Faasse - Corresponding Secretary  
Miss Noreen Palumbo - Treasurer  
Miss Debra Smith - Girl Advisor  
Mr. Jerry Bostelaar - Boy Advisor

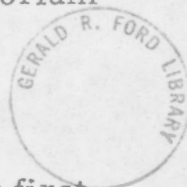
## Faculty Class Advisors

Mr. Jan Treur  
Mr. Edward Merizon





The 472 members of the 114th graduating class of Central High School will receive diplomas in Commencement Exercises at the George Welsh Civic Auditorium on Monday, June 7, 1976.



The Class of 1976 is considerably larger than the 13 member class that first received Central High School diplomas back in 1862. Central High School has changed dramatically through the years as it grew to meet the educational needs of a growing and changing community. However, Central's reputation as a center for academic excellence has not changed through the years.

In addition to the First Lady, Central High School has a long list of illustrious alumni including the late Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg. Other distinguished alumni include Constance Rourke, American biographer; Houston McBain, president of Marshall Field Co.; John B. Martin, Rhodes scholar, former Republican National Committeeman and former head of the President's Council on Aging.

Arnold Gingrich, founder and editor of Esquire Magazine; Willoughby Bouton, concert pianist; Seymour Beach Conger, foreign correspondent; Paul Goebel, former mayor of Grand Rapids and former member of the University of Michigan Board of Regents, and Roger B. Chaffee, astronaut, who was killed January 27, 1968 in a fire that swept through the capsule of Apollo I in a flight drill.

2,003 students were enrolled at Central High School during the 1975-76 school year. In addition to a comprehensive curriculum that is designed to meet the individualized needs of students the school offers a wide variety of extra curricular programs and services that assist in preparing students for becoming successful

productive citizens. During the 1975-76 school year Central opened a center for the education of bilingual students including Vietnamese students who reside in the Kent County area.

The history of Central High School is vividly described in the attached article which is a reproduction of an article from the 1962 Centennial edition of Helios, the Central High School Yearbook.





Commencement Remarks  
Mrs. Gerald R. Ford  
June 7, 1976

It is truly an honor for me to return to my own high school after 40 years. That seems a very long time ago. Although you and I studied in the same classrooms, many things have changed at Central High School. The class of 1936 and the class of 1976 are more than years apart, because of many events and changes



It is truly an honor for me  
to return to my own high school  
after 40 years.

That seems a very long time ago.

Although you and I studied  
in the same ~~classrooms~~ *classrooms*.

many things have changed  
at Central High School.

The class of 1936 and the class of 1976  
are more than years apart,  
because of many events and changes  
in the world.

The subjects you studied,  
the clothes you wear  
and the jobs you will have  
are different from those of my generation.

But I believe each class  
of graduates and parents  
have similar emotions and expectations  
on graduation day.



I've shared this day  
with my four children,  
and I know what a combination sad-happy day  
this is for all of you. /

For graduates, / this marks an end /  
to a very special time / in your lives. /

You will always remember  
the friends and the fun,  
but you are looking today / to new adventures. /

Today you begin to take  
more control of your own lives  
and to pursue your own special dreams.

Whether you continue your education  
or start a job,  
you will make your own decisions.

That's both exciting / and a little scary. /

Your life will never be  
as structured and predictable  
as it has been in the past.

~~At~~ To use a phrase / you're all familiar with, /  
there will be fewer "required courses"  
and more "electives."



As your parents and friends  
launch you on this adventure,  
I know they share your excitement.  
As all parents do,  
they want good things for you.

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I'm sure every mother / in this audience /  
remembers the first day  
you went off to school.  
The same mixture of high hopes  
and just a little pain  
are somewhat the same today.

We really can do little more  
than encourage you / to follow your own dreams /  
and to let you know / we all back you up. /  
We all hope you will continue  
to grow as individuals  
and to keep educating yourselves  
about the world around you.

“To trust and believe in yourself <sup>is</sup>  
really ~~the~~ the best advice we can give.”

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You are unique --/each with some talent and energy /  
only you can give to your community  
and to your country.

What makes America special  
is that each individual  
makes his own dreams  
and lives in an environment  
where they can come true.

When we talk about the American dream,  
we really are talking about  
the collection of all our dreams.  
You graduate with many expectations,  
and no doubt will encounter  
disappointments and surprises.  
But what makes America exciting  
is that all of us  
can expect the unexpected.



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You begin with your own hopes and talents  
and what happens  
is not always what you plan.  
But if you follow your heart  
and discipline yourself  
to be the best you can be,  
I believe you will find many rewards.

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I think of the parable  
of the talents in the Bible  
and of the man who used  
his one talent well.  
What is important in our lives  
is not so much what we have  
in the way of intelligence and talent,  
but what we do with these gifts.





As I watched each of my children graduate,  
I wanted each of them  
to have the strength/to accept the challenges  
and the courage to overcome the disappointments.

My hopes for them  
are the same for you today  
and <sup>for</sup> all young people --  
may you have laughter, friends and hope --  
and may you live up to the best in yourselves.

I don't believe <sup>the</sup> ~~those~~ cynics  
who think this is a bad time for America.  
We <sup>have</sup> ~~we got~~ our problems,  
but we've also <sup>have</sup> ~~got~~ the courage  
to find solutions.

We're preserving individual liberty and opportunity.  
In this year of our Bicentennial,  
may you use that liberty and opportunity  
America gives us  
to make our world a better place.

