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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

July 14, 1975

Dear Dr. Hall:

The beautiful White House swimming pool is open and is a wonderful addition to 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue.

Betty and I thank you and 460 others who were so generous and thoughtful. You and the others have made it all possible.

The pool is fully operational and the dressing room is under construction and will be completed within the next several weeks. All of the construction and the landscaping is being done with the full cooperation of the White House Preservation Commission. Later this year a cover may be added to make possible full use on a 12 month a year basis. I am certain that all citizens are grateful for your contribution to a finer White House.

Swimming is a superior exercise for good health and a swimming pool is a fine facility for family fun and friends. You can rest assured our family, the White House staff and I are most grateful. Obviously, it will be well used, enjoyed and appreciated by many others in the years ahead.

Again, thank you.

Sincerely,

Jerry Ford

Charles Baynes Hall, D.D.S.
1835 Eye Street, NW.
Washington, D.C. 20006

P.S. How about another golf game? J.



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

July 14, 1975

Dear Clem:

The beautiful White House swimming pool is open and is a wonderful addition to 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue.

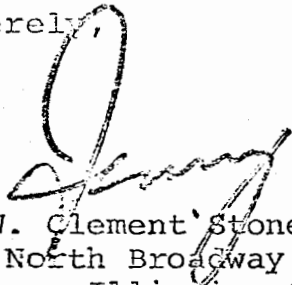
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Again, thank you.

Sincerely,


Mr. W. Clement Stone
5050 North Broadway
Chicago, Illinois 60640

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*P.S. Introduction was
great. J.*

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

July 14, 1975

Dear Happy:

This is to express both Betty's and my grateful appreciation of your kind contribution to the new White House Swimming Pool.

We appreciate the generous spirit in which it was offered. However, for purely practical and truly discretionary reasons the committee thought it best to return your check with thanks.

The pool, as you know, has been completed and the funds received from many sources are more than adequate to meet the expenses.

Thank you again for your thoughtfulness.

Warmest personal regards,

Jerry Ford

Mrs. Nelson A. Rockefeller
30 Rockefeller Plaza
New York, New York 10020

*P.S. Thanks so
much for you and
Nelson who have done
so much for all of us.
J.*