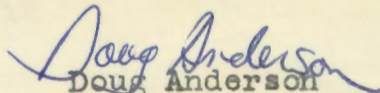
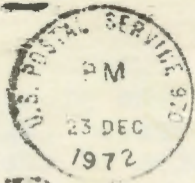


Dear Les:

In re your plea for the picture of Nixon holding Boxer: a copy appears on page 11 of the notorious 1969 edition of the HEART OF OAK. As you will notice, however, the proof has been shorn of its background. The uncut negative should still exist in the HEART OF OAK files in the publications room if you can find a diligent person to search it out.


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Dear Les:

Per your note in recent Pacific Newsletter, enclosed is my only copy of picture you requested. Because this is my only copy, I ask that after you have had negatives made, it be returned to me.

For your further information, I took the picture not on campus, but at the Ramada Inn (now Sweetbriar Inn), in 1968 when candidate Richard Nixon was appearing to make a speech to a farm committee meeting. The same day, Boxer was also introduced to Oregon Governor Tom McCall.

As I remember the meeting of Boxer and Nixon, Prof. Eldon Hout introduced the Boxer and added some history that the last Presidential candidate to meet the Pacific prize had been William Jennings Bryan, then he added quickly, "this is not to influence your political future, I'm sure."


~~D.W. Bentley~~

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will return pic*