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Dear Ms. Brod,

I was advised to write to your attention following my phone call to C-Span with some questions regarding two recent programs.

Yesterday, your radio covered two issues which definitely need to be exposed to the public; one a discussion on local Washington lobbyists, the other a discussion on the Federal Reserve system.

In both instances, the presentations and commentary by the "visitors" or the so called "experts" were slanted to give the clear and biased impression that these were necessary and justifiable functions - needed to keep this wonderful country running and balanced.

This impression leaves an audience feeling deprived of the truth, and treated as if we were children needing to be spoon-fed the biased un-truths as was delivered by these proponents and defenders of lobbying and the Federal Reserve system.

Mr. Wright Andrews of the American League of Lobbyists defended the attitudes of lobbyists toward to influence our Congressmen, in any way possible, as long as the amounts of money involved was not too conspicuous or telling, and that these "bandits" do a justifiable job in "educating" these congressmen.

He even commented that "When I give my money to a Congressman on one side or the other" clearly indicates that the use of money is planned so as to influence the recipient. This appears to be an out and out a case of Bribery and nothing else - a pro-quid-pro, or Cui Bono, or Who Benefits.

What is clear from his smooth presentation was a determination to influence the audience, to gain an impression that the work of these lobbyists is warranted, justifiable and necessary..

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This is pure out and out blather and self-serving - and damaging to some of our naive listeners..There needs to be an clear and positive re-buttal to these lobbyist's so-called justifications for what I consider to be illegal!

The issue of the Federal Reserve was covered well, but the two members doing the "responding" were clearly biased and almost afraid to offer any derogatory comment regarding the Federal Reserve system - probably recalling that both Presidents Lincoln and Kennedy bypassed the N.Y./Philadelphia "Banksters" and the subsequent Federal Reserve system by printing government bills, to the chagrin of these "financiers" - both were conviently done-away with after comments regarding the need to change the monetary system.

One caller laid out some specifics regarding the Federal Reserve System, its creation, use and mis-use, and its impact on this country's financial status since 1913.

Both Mr. McTeague of Barrons and Mr. Ullman of Business Week listened to this caller and when asked to comment on these quite factual and important comments, refused to be drawn in and offer any rebuttal, other than saying some odd statement as to the caller being "off-the-wall" -(St.John 9:22 & 20:19 are operative here)

Obviously, these two men represent the status-quo, the system that has corrupted and distorted the finances of this country since its surreptitious creation in 1913 by European bankers, self-serving Senators and disloyal members of the Treasury.

So, it is imperative that C-Span offer the public a conter-vailing viewpoint on the Federal Reserve System, offering proof of its origin, by whom and for whom.. The secrecy behind this system needs to be brought into the open, exposed for what it is, what it really does, and, who owns it!

When biased presentations such as were offered yesterday are exposed to the public, you need to caveat these, need to offer a dis-claimer at least, to indicate that this has been a one-sided presentation.

Sincerely,

