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Dear Mr. Lamb:

One of the most important issues, if not the most important issue before the American people today is the settlement of the Israeli/Palestinian conflict. No matter how hard the President sought to deny linkage, it is solidly linked to the Persian Gulf War, and in order to prevent a recurrence of another dreadful slaughter in that part of the world we must deal with the issue. Future relations between the Arabs and Israel depend first of all on Israeli withdrawal from the Occupied Territories.

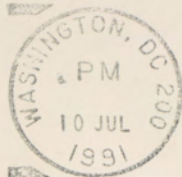
Two extremely knowledgeable men on this subject are former Ambassador Andrew I. Killgore and Richard H. Curtiss who publish "the Washington Report on Middle East Affairs," a monthly magazine of critically important information about that area. So far as I know they have not been interviewed on your programs, either your Question and Answer sessions or "Book Notes," and given the urgency of this subject during the last several months I think this is an egregious oversight.

Furthermore, inasmuch as current matters in Congress have dealt with campaign reform, and inasmuch as Israel is extremely uncooperative in forwarding the peace process by reason of her frenzied establishment of settlements in the occupied territories, and inasmuch as Israel's request for \$10 billion MORE American taxpayers' dollars will be coming before Congress in the fall, now therefore I suggest that you interview Mr. Curtiss on his recent book "STEALTH PACs: How Israel's American Lobby Took Control of U.S. Middle East Policy."

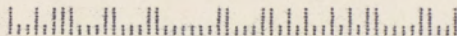
It seems to me it is of much more significance to the American people to be informed about these pressing matters that are of immediate concern to them - and their pocketbooks - today, than to learn what an historian has dug up about news gathering and reporters in the 19th Century, which you recently featured. So I have taken the liberty of requesting the publisher to send you a copy of Mr. Curtiss's book. If you wish to interview the author I am told that Mr. Gregg Noakes is the person to contact at (202) 939-6050, at American Educational Trust.

I am a frequent listener to your program and in spite of the somewhat acerbic tone of this letter I enjoy them very much.

Sincerely,



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