

Dear George, via Dave,

2/21/78

Thanks for the tape of your conversation with Dick Gregory.

He sure mixes it all up, building around the "we got" under FOIA what ~~we got~~ "we got" by stealing.

The receipt "we got" under FOIA has nothing to do with any Dallas stretcher but it does sound better that way.

You are right. He reacted like an alley fighter when you asked about Byron Watson: "Where'd you read that?" Then he ran off at the mouth. Save that Watson is in jail on drug charges none of it is true.

Thanks to the Freedom of Information Act, he said, "we" know about the Invaders. Oh, well. He did say thanks.

And about what they allegedly did.

I guess he and Lane genuinely believe in Freedom of Information: their freedom to make lots of money with other people's information.

I don't know if he crossed the legal line in the claim about the missile receipt in the Freep. Of course he crossed the decency line.

I'll give Jim the tape and let him decide if with other things it is enough.

Many thanks to you for doing this.

I hope it was not too disillusioning.

Best wishes,

Dave says taping of the speech was prohibited by Gregory. George Leopold and others had a private meeting with him. George taped some of it.

If by "we" he includes all of mankind then "we" used the FOIA to get what he pretends he and Lane did.

I suspect all he knows is what Lane told him - and he believes.

Under

Lane - ~~at Ham Zoo~~

Freep - Flynt