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PRACTICE LIMITED TO OVERWEIGHT PROSLEMS

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Dear Fellow Physician:

You have heard the story about the dog chasing the hare and the hare making his escape. The other dogs ridiculed the dog in the chase because he didn't catch the hare. He replied, "you don't understand the conditions of the chase. I was running for my dinner; the hare was running for his life." We are facing this same picture today, as well as YOU, Medicine and our country. We know we must unite and move forward together in removing this cancerous growth of Federal tyranny from our country. Upon this battle could depend our very survival. FDA knows that he must break us or lose his cause completely.

In our field, we know we are truly rendering a tremendous service to humanity. The vicious publicity against us is unwarranted, unfounded and untrue. Our great compensation in our work is the genuine happiness we give to our patients. Money cannot buy the teenagers complete personality change, the increased pride of our patients, the marriages saved, the longer life spans, better health, less morbidity and our patients feeling better than they have felt in years without any danger of injuring their health.

Not only have we seen how the Federal Government has initiated this campaign to control completely or exterminate our field of Medicine, but we also have not been given answers to many questions that have arisen. Why has the Supreme Court banned prayer in our schools and yet allows Communists to teach our children as well as work in our defense plants? Why increase trade with Russia whose planes are killing our service men? Why are our tax dollars subsidizing the agitators and extremists who participate in riots? Is this really America when an enemy seizes our ship and we become apologetic? Why condemn our police for protecting us and the guilty parties are excused because of a Federal Judge's leftwing ideas? Is it right for people to refuse an opportunity to work when we beg them, because they are afraid they might lose an unemployment check? Why can't I sell my home to whomever I want? Why is the FDA tough on food supplements and soft on marijuana?

The above questions prove we need a spokesman, a leader for those of us who love our Constitution and free-enterprise system. Governor George Wallace and General Curtis LeMay are such persons. I know Governor Wallace personally. I would stake our very lives on the knowledge that Governor Wallace is a man of his word, capable, and a man of genuine character. He is informed of the injustices being directed against us. George Wallace will fight any injustice whether it be inside our ranks or against our accusers, and all I desire is for the facts to be examined honestly. He will not break any promise and he will lend a sympathetic ear to anyone who is right and his most sincere desire is to help the oppressed.

He can help us and will help us, but it's going to take National television to make his election a certainty. Your financial contribution is an investment in YOU. We must not only open our purses but also our hearts—so the hearts of others will not remain closed. We must give our time, care, prayers, love and ourselves.

Enclosed is an official enrollment blank for THE PATRIOTS CLUB which is self-explanatory. Please meditate on these thoughts and remember we can vote ourselves into slavery, but we cannot vote ourselves out of it.

In our very hands could easily be the destiny of our nation. Let us express our clear intentions to protect our heritage and STAND UP FOR AMERICA. Through our reasoning ability, a gift of God, we have the power of choice---the power to choose failure or success, mediocrity or superior statesmanship.

As medical men, let us prove with action that we want opportunity, not security. We want the "calculated risk", the dream, the vision to have ideas and to build. We are willing to fight for the right to fail or succeed based on our own ingenuity, perseverance and a self-reliance. We will not trade our dignity for a handout, cower before any threat, bend to any tyrant. Let's seize the challenge of life---not the "guaranteed existence". Let's stand proud, erect and unafraid as we demand the privilege to think, act for ourselves and take whatever consequences that each may bring. Then we can enjoy the benefits of our creation, face life head-on, and say "thanks" to those who have lived and died before us and made everything we have possible. May we count on you?

Very sincerely yours,

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