

Agnew Stand Backed

To the Editor:

I applaud the courage of Vice President Spiro Agnew in his recent remarks concerning television's biased and slanted reporting. Many of us have become so tired of the interpreta-

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tions placed on vital news by the so-called authoritative acting newscasters. Legitimate and important news items and speeches are digested by these intellectuals (often before the speech is ended) and spewed out on the airways in an effort to control our own analysis and understanding.

Unafraid of what reactions might come, and willing to face whatever criticism would be thrown at him, the Vice President went ahead as he thought best.

May his exemplary stand serve as a warning to those who control the distribution of news media, that the mind of America will insist on its own sovereignty. May the warning be heeded by those in charge.

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Southold, L. I., Nov. 20, 1969

Restrained Speech

To the Editor:

I think your Nov. 15 editorial on Vice President Agnew is outrageous. Mr. Agnew has had the courage to say what should have been said long ago. In fact, he was most restrained in confining his remarks to the television networks when they really should apply to most of the public media.

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Newtown, Conn., Nov. 18, 1969