

11/15/72 I'll be getting you today's Post because of the long Bagleton interview in it, on the chance you may want to read it. It appears to be an exclusive, although this may be due to this new Post self-concept and may not be the fact. What is particularly interesting is that the Post seems not to have carried the AP story saying that Fair-Haired Frank Mankiewicz and others knew the essence of the Bagleton medical history prior even to McG's nomination. How the Post could avoid that I leave to you, but the favoritism toward Frank is an obvious consideration. AP evaluated the news value much higher, put a long story on the B wire. It got heavy and repeated TV news use, including net. The Post's editorial judgement, if that is what this is, is its alone. HW