

## 'Tip' From Nixon

# She Wants That House Tax Deal

**Spokane**

Mrs. Winston P. Evans says she's tired of government tax incursions on her pocketbook and even more weary of tax law manipulation by top officials.

So she says she wants to take a tip provided by President Nixon and donate her \$12,000 home to the government as a tax writeoff.

"We feel this man the President has gone as far as he can go with this San Clemente business" Mrs. Evans said yesterday.

"Nixon doesn't feel that my husband and myself should have more money than himself. It's ridiculous that with his salary he paid what he did in taxes."

The President and his wife have said they will donate to the government following their deaths the \$1.5 million San Clemente estate. Under tax law that entitles Mr. Nixon to deductions for charitable contributions.

Mrs. Evans said she will give her mortgaged two-story frame home to the government too.

"I want to hear what the Internal Revenue Service has to say about this" said Mrs. Evans a carpenter's wife.

"We're just one of many middle income people caught in a costs spiral and wage status quo. There's got to be a point where this stops.

"When he decides he should give us his property so we can pay for it he's had enough exemptions."

Daniel T. Maggs IRS district director said if accepted by the government Mrs. Evans' home would qualify for a charitable contribution tax deduction.

But he said "it would present some sort of a problem — it's not an unusual thing but it's complicated to compute the deduction."

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