

October 23, 1984

Mr. Warren Rodgers
Assistant Director
Stuhr Museum of the
Prairie Pioneer
3133 W. Highway 34
Grand Island, NE 68801

Dear Mr. Rodgers:

You have a very attractive and thoughtful proposal but I am forced to return it because it is beyond the assignment of our organization to consider this kind of sponsorship. We represent essentially the manufacturers of cigarettes and our budget is pretty much limited to our administrative and direct communications expenses.

However, I do think you should make your proposal available, if you have not done so, to The Cigar Association of America, 1100 17th Street, N.W., Suite 504, Washington, D.C. 20036.

I am sorry I cannot be more encouraging.

Cordially,

William Kloefer, Jr.

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Enclosure

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