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Dear Cal:

I'm writing to let you know where things stand on the CBS Network News story related to the liberation of Dachau that I've been working on. Since I talked to you at the end of last month, I thought you might be wondering what has transpired.

With the current TWA hostage situation, everything has been put on hold insofar as special segments on the news are concerned. Apart from this, CBS has a number of angles on stories related to Japan and they're evaluating what stories they want to pursue as their priority interests.

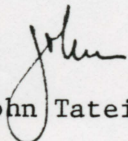
The reporter for CBS news with whom I've been working is still very interested in doing the Dachau segment and had originally planned to be out here this month to do the shooting on it. But because the editors for the news want to examine various possibilities, everything is on hold for the time being. Added to this, of course, is the hostage crisis.

I'm in touch with CBS on a regular basis and am pushing for them to do the Dachau/Japanese American internment stories. My judgment at this point in time is that there's still a good possibility that they'll run it but I can't tell you when this might be. I'll continue to work on it with CBS.

As things settle down a bit more and I get a better sense of what CBS might do, I'll get back in touch with you to let you know one way or another. In the meantime, thanks for agreeing to go on the air if the network chooses to handle the story from the Dachau perspective.

With kindest regards and appreciation,

Sincerely,

  
John Tateishi