

# Campaign director says Reagan to run

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WASHINGTON — President Reagan will announce for reelection following his State of the Union address in January and is already playing a leading role in planning his campaign, according to the director of his campaign.

Ed Rollins, campaign director of Reagan-Bush '84, said in an interview that Reagan will most likely make his plans known in "a televised address, probably from the Oval Office, but I have not worked out the

details."  
"Do you see any possible way that he is not running?" Rollins was asked.  
"No, I don't see any possible way that he is not running," Rollins said. "Senator Laxalt talked to the president regarding this question, and the president told the senator that he intended on announcing his decision after the State of the Union, or by the end of the next month, January."

Sen. Paul Laxalt of Nevada is general chairman of the Republican Party, Reagan's closest friend in the Senate and was chairman of his 1976 and 1980 campaigns.

Rollins said that in conversations he has had with Reagan "for months now" there "has never been any indication he is not going to run."

"I think in the president's mind he wants to reserve the time when he begins to formally be a candidate," Rollins said.

"I think his reluctance to get out front clearly has been based on two factors: one, he doesn't have any primary opposition and he can pick his team; secondly, there are some very hard decisions that he has to make with the budget and the State of the Union, that he needs to make prior to when he formally becomes a candidate."

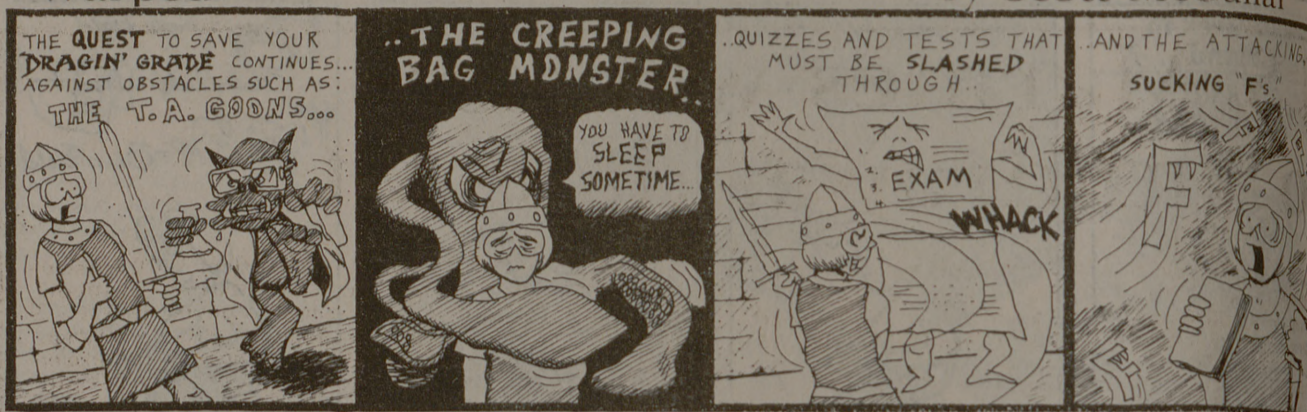
Reagan will campaign during the primary season as if he had opposition, Rollins said.

"There is no question we intend on running a full campaign in the primaries," he said. "I think there are eight Democratic candidates who are out there, all spending substantial sums of money, running against Ronald Reagan in addition to running against themselves."

Reagan himself will not campaign as extensively as he has in the past and will rely on Vice President George Bush and other surrogates, Rollins said.

"I don't think you ever use, or you should never use, a president to be out campaigning five spots on a particular day," he said.

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# Nepal's king visits Dallas

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DALLAS — Officials rolled out the red carpet Sunday for the King and Queen of Nepal, honoring them at a City Hall ceremony and whisking them off to Texas Stadium to watch "America's team" play the Washington Redskins.

The royal couple, visiting Texas as part of their eight-city U.S. tour, were welcomed with a red carpet ceremony and luncheon at City Hall, at which King Birendra Bir Bikram Shah Dev and his wife Queen Aishwarya were given a key to the city and were made honorary citizens.

The king was dressed in a brown tunic and beige slacks, and the queen wore a multicolored sari.

Following a luncheon, the

King and Queen rode by limousine to Texas Stadium in Irving to watch the Dallas Cowboys host the Washington Redskins.

Although the 37-year-old king was educated at Harvard University in Boston, this visit marks his first official U.S. tour since he assumed the throne in 1972.

Since his coronation in 1975, King Birendra has traveled extensively to win support for his "zone of peace" proposal.

The plan is considered the cornerstone of foreign policy in Nepal, a country located in the tension-filled area between India and China.

The plan calls for Nepal to remain nonaligned and to maintain peaceful relationships with

all nations as a foundation for increasing commerce in the impoverished nation, where the annual per capita income is \$140.

The proposal has gained the official support of 35 nations — including France, Spain, Chile, China and Yugoslavia. However, it has not received the endorsement of the United States.

King Birendra described the goal of the proposal in a release from the Dallas protocol office.

"We adhere to the policy of nonalignment because we believe that it brightens the prospects of peace," he said.

He stressed that peace is essential to improving the standard of living in his country.

"We need peace for security. We need peace for our inde-

pendence, and we need peace for development," he said.

The royal couple began their tour Wednesday in Washington where King Birendra met with President Reagan in a ceremony which a Reagan Administration official described as "very, very cordial and quite meaningful."

In a ceremony on the White House lawn Wednesday, Birendra said Nepal is committed to the "inspiring ideals" of the United States, which he described as "a bulwark of peace and stability."

Currently, there are more than 100 Peace Corps volunteers working in Nepal, and the United States aid to Nepal is \$13.5 million annually.

# Rebels accuse guerrilla leader

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El Salvador's largest rebel group, in a further sign of an apparent split within the leftist ranks, accused a top-ranking guerrilla leader Sunday of ordering the murder of his chief lieutenant earlier this year.

Vice President George Bush arrived in El Salvador Sunday where he stressed the importance of confronting Marxist aggression in the region, saying "communist enslavement only

brings more poverty."

Bush, leading the highest-level U.S. delegation ever to visit war-torn El Salvador, said "both our societies are determined to resist communist aggression. This is not an easy task."

"I think that the lesson of history is clear. The communists promise to trade material well-being for freedom; but we have seen time and time again that communist enslavement only

president said.

Bush, however, did not mention a recent campaign by U.S. officials to persuade El Salvador to crack down on rightist death squads.

The death squads, which are reportedly controlled by active and retired army officers, have been responsible for more than half of 45,000 political killings in four years of guerrilla warfare, human rights and embassy officials have said.

The Popular Liberation Forces, or FPL, in an unusually frank accusation broadcast over Radio Farabundo Marti, lashed out against the late Salvador Cayetano Carpio, founder of FPL.

Carpio, a radical Marxist who was called the "Ho Chi Minh of El Salvador," committed suicide last April in Managua, Nicaragua, following the brutal stabbing murder of his chief aide, Melida Anaya Montes in a Managua safehouse.

"Enraptured by his political positions and fanatic exaltation," Carpio had ordered the assassination of Anaya Montes, the FPL charged.

"Motivated by his cowardice, and trying to avoid his responsibility, Carpio committed political suicide," the communiqué read. Farabundo Marti, adding Carpio lost "his quality of revolutionary."

The rebels and Nicaraguan leftist government both blamed her death on the guerrillas while the insurgents said Carpio killed himself in grief.

The broadcast came just days after the announcement of the formation of a splinter group from the FPL, called Revolutionary Labor Movement, dedicated to the assassination of Carpio. The FPL is the largest of five rebel groups in El Salvador.

Salvadoran guerrillas, while, claimed they built government soldiers wounded 75 others in a heavy combat in a rich, growing area of eastern El Salvador province.

San Salvador's Archbishop Arturo Rivera y Damas Sunday only nine killing rightist "death squads" been recorded in the past a noticeable drop from the cent upward trend.

The Salvadoran government has been under pressure from the U.S. embassy to curb the army-linked death squads and Defense Minister Eugenio Vides Casanova pledged a crackdown.

In Nicaragua, Interior Minister Tomas Borge, reported leftist Sandinista government refusal to hold talks with supported guerrillas government.

"There will be a reconciliation with the counter-revolution when the children of America turn to their mothers," he said.

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