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Board: NEWS BB Subject: USA & RACE RELATIONS Posted: May 25,1996 22:22:22 To: RICK GOMBAS (CHHL71A) From: BETTY COLEMAN (DFLJ12A)

It seems that I rarely agree with you but I think you have that class address down perfect. The elitists always know how to fool the great unwashed. They always say we do not really know what is good for us. I had an old time Republican tell me that the Republicans want people working and afraid to quit. Thats about par for the course. Bec.

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Board: NEWS BB Subject: USA & RACE RELATIONS Posted: May 20,1996 21:54:22 To: J KENNEDY (VOTE03D) From: RICK GOMBAS (CHHL71A)

In case you haven't noticed, corporations OWN network news shows. Like the publishers who own newspapers they have an editorial ax to grind; their purpose is to shape public opinion and they do so in the same way Madison Avenue shapes public perceptions about certain products. The American People end up buying an image that often has little to do with objective reality.

This TV show you speak of is part of a long running efgort by the Wall Street ruling class to create and maintain the image that the chief problem in America is race. It is of vital importance to the wealthy that we believe this because it points us in a direction AWAY from our real problem, class.

Class, and the mal-distribution of this Nation's financial resources, is what keeps THEM in power and the rest of US suffering from an ever declining quality of life. Things continually get better for the rich who keep us fighting like cats and dogs, blacks blaming whites and whites blaming blacks for socity's ills and the worse it gets the more intensely we blame each other.

The ruling class loves this cause no-one's blaming them, the true guilty party.

So we bemoan our fate at endless town meetings while the wealthy corporations sponsor this gibberish and give big bucks to the power mongering politicians of both parties, who we elect to office based mostly on what we are fed by the Madison Avenue techniques perfected by the monied special interests.

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