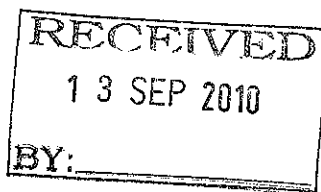


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Dear Rob,

I have sent you a couple of emails, I hope one day you will have time to read.

I am writing to cheer you up in case any criticism gets you down. The three of you, in my view, have and are contributing extraordinarily to our democracy.

We should be all very grateful to your wife and children for the obvious sacrifice they have been making in the past few months and what appears to be coming in the future.

At times when I cannot sleep, I watch the Rt Hon Lockwood Smith, speaker in the New Zealand Parliament. I find him admirable. He displays the same personality and character that you have.

I suppose I will not be able to look forward to your next visit for a cup of coffee for some time now. In any event should you need a break from '*East Wauchope*' .

You look very tired which is understandable. Be strong, but be careful not to wear yourself out.

Kind Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Claude Cassegrain", with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

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