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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

September 13, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR:

THE PRESIDENT

HARRY S. DENT WBH for

SUBJECT:

FROM:

State Primaries Held Sept. 12

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Arizona

<u>Governor</u>: No race. <u>Senate</u>: No race. <u>House</u>: Ist District. Rep. John Rhodes (R) won handily. 2nd District. Rep. Morris K. Udall (D) was unopposed; will face Dr. Eugene Savoie (R) in Nov. 3rd District. Rep. Sam Steiger (D) was unopposed; will face Dr. Ted Wyckoff (R) in November. 4th District (new). As of 6 a.m. computer in the district was broken, count not ready.

Colorado

Governor: No race. Senate: Senator Gordon Allott was unopposed. Floyd Haskell, who left GOP over Cambodian incursion, won Democrat nomination. House: 1st District. Rep. James D. McKevitt (R) will face Democrat Patricia Shroeder. 2nd District. Rep. Donald Brotzman (R) will take on Francis W. Brush (D). Rep. Frank Evans (D) will be challenged 3rd District. by Chuck Brady (R). Rep. Wayne Aspinall (D) was upset by 4th District. Professor Alan Merson (D), who will face James P. Johnson (R). 5th District (new). State Senator William L. Armstrong (R) will face Byron L. Johnson (D).

<u>Florida</u>

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Governor: No race.
Senate: No race.
House:
lst District. Rep. Robert L. F. Sikes (D) won renom-
ination. Unopposed in November.
2nd District. Rep. Don Fuqua (D) was renominated, also
unopposed in November.
3rd District. Rep. Charles Bennett (D) will be
challenged by John S. Bowen (R).
4th District. Rep. William V. Chappell (D) will face
P. T. Fleuchaus (R).
5th District (new). Count not completed as of 7 a.m.
6th District. C. W. Young (R), incumbent in the old 8th,
will face Michael O. Plunkett (D).
7th District. Old 6th incumbent Sam Gibbons (D) will be
challenged by Robert'A. Carter (R).
8th District. Rep. James A. Haley (D), of the old 7th,
will take on Roy Thompson Jr. (R).
9th District. Rep. Louis Frey (R) was unopposed and
will be in November.
lOth District (new) L. A. Bafalis (R), and a run-off
seems certain between the four Democrats.
llth District. It will be old 9th incumbent Paul G. Rogers
(D) against Joel Gustafson (R).
12th District. Rep. J. Herbert Burke (R), of the old 10th,
will be faced by James Stephanis (D).
13th District (new). Count not completed as of 7 a.m.
l4th District. Rep. Claude Pepper (D) will meet E_V elio S.
Estrella (R).
15th District. Rep. Dante Fascell will apparently face
Ellis Rubin (R).

<u>Minnesota</u>

<u>Governor</u>: No race <u>Senate</u>: Senator Walter Mondale (D) had no problem being renominated, and will face Rev. Philip Hansen (R), a Lutheran minister.

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House:	
lst District.	Rep. Al Quie (R) will face Charles Thompson (DFL).
2nd District.	Rep. Archer Nelsen (R) will face Charlie Turnbull (DFL).
3rd District.	Rep. William Frenzel (R) will be challenged by Jim Bell (DFL).
4th District.	Rep. Joseph Karth (DFL) will face Steve Thompson (R).
5th District.	Rep. Donald Fraser (DFL) will face Al Davisson (R).
6th District.	Rep. John Zwach will be up against Richard Nolan (DFL).
7th District.	Rep. Bob Bergland (DFL) will take on Jon Haaven (R).
8th District.	Rep. John Blatnik (DFL) held off three challengers and will face Edward Johnson (R).

New Hampshire

<u>Governor</u>: Meldrin Thomson has grabbed the GOP nomination from Gov. Walter Peterson. It appears Roger J. Crowley will win the Democrat nod. <u>Senate</u>: Former Governor Wesley Powell will run for the GOP

against Sen. Thomas McIntyre.

<u>House</u>:

lst District. Rep. Louis Wyman (R) will face former GOP Congressman Chester E. Merrow, who swept the Democrat field.

Vermont

<u>Governor</u>: Luther Hackett (R) will face Thomas Salmon for the office of retiring Governor Deane Davis (D).

South Carolina

A special run-off election was held in the 6th District

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between incumbent John McMillan (D) and John Jenrette (D). Jenrette is the apparent winner, by about 900 votes. A recount is likely. There is a ghost GOP candidate.

Wisconsin

Governor: No rad	ce.
Senate: No race.	
House:	
lst District.	Rep. Les Aspin (D) will be faced by Merril E. Stalbaum (R).
2nd District.	Rep. Robert W. Kastenmeier (D) will run against J. Michael Kelly (R).
3rd District.	
4th District.	Rep. Clement Zablocki (D) will take on Phillip D. Mrozinski (R).
5th District.	Rep. Henry Reuss (D) will face Frederick Van Hecke (R).
6th District.	Rep. William Steiger (R) will be opposed by James A. Adams (D).
7th District.	
8th District.	Harold Froelich (R) will oppose Rev. Robert J. Cornell (D).
9th District.	• •

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SUBJECT:

Evaluation of Yesterday's Primaries

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Tuesday's primaries across the country produced three significant upsets, all of which may prove to be in our favor.

Governor Peterson was defeated by Meldrin Thomson. Our people knew Peterson's position had weakened for the general election because of the tax backlash but they didn't realize it was enough for him to be defeated in our own primary. Thomson is a conservative and ran against Peterson last time on the AIP ticket. It is expected that with the good Presidential pull at the top and no tax backlash we stand a better chance of holding the seat. Wesley Powell won the Senate nomination. Locally they believe he has a better chance to upset McIntyre because of his pull with conservative Democrats and the strong Presidential race.

Congressman Wayne Aspinall proved to be weaker than expected, so now our campaign people believe we have a better shot at this seat with a good candidate in James Johnson. Thus the race has been upgraded.

In South Carolina we hope to have Ed Young, a first-rate candidate and South Carolina Farmer of the Year, to replace a ghost candidate for the McMillan congressional seat. This would give us an excellent chance for a pickup in view of McMillan's unexpected defeat. McMillan made a deal which backfired, and finally all of the blacks ganged up on him after supporting him previously.

In Utah two moderate-type Republicans beat back challenges from two Birchers for the two congressional nominations. Congressman Lloyd had been very worried.

In Wisconsin, the victory of State Senator Myron Lotto should enable us to hold onto Johnny Byrnes' seat.

With Governor Davis' friend Luther Hackett as the nominee, we believe we should hold the Vermont governorship.

Our Nevada people are encouraged that we may pick up the one Nevada congressional seat since a very liberal Democrat upset Baring last week.

Lowenstein has won a ruling for a re-run against Rooney in New York. He might be able to worm his way back into the House.

Overall, incumbents continue to have more difficulties than expected.

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Update on September 12 Primaries

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Arizona

4th District: State Senator John Conlan (R) will be facing Democrat Jack Brown.

Florida

5th District (New): Democrat Bill Gunter will face the winner of the runoff between Charles Rainey and Jack Insco for the Republican nomination.

10th District (New): Representative L. A. Bafalis will challenge the winner of the Democrat runoff between Bruce Scott and John Darlson.

13th District (New): Both the Republicans and Democrats have runoff here. The Republican one is between Paul Bethel and Ralph Malone and the Democrat between Lee Weissenborn and William Leham.

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NEW MEXICO

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DEMOCRAT PRIMARY (With 88% of the vote in)

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THE WHITE HOUSE

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

W. RICHARD HOWARD

Per your question to Chuck Colson this morning, Pete Domenici was the clear winner of the Republican nomination for Senate in New Mexico. Domenici is our strongest candidate.

In South Dakota, the Republican nominee for Senate will be decided on June 26 at the South Dakota Convention. The run off will be between Robert Hirsch (who is our strongest candidate) and either Gordon Mydland or Charles Lien, depending on the final vote count.

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New Mexico has now given McGovern 10 delegates to Wallace's 8 (previously reported as a 9-9 split).

However, the percentage remains the same with 97% of the precincts reporting:

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WASHINGTON

June 7, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR:

FROM:

SUBJECT:

H. R. HALDEMAN

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Campaign Survey - Wave II

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John Mitchell decided to meet with Bob Teeter privately at 10 a.m. today instead of at 3 p.m. with his political group as scheduled. The questionnaire will not be discussed at 3 p.m.

Mitchell directed Tector to make the following changes in the Wave II Survey:

3) Develop and add two follow-up questions on national defense. The first question would cover whether those who believe the government should spend less on national defense believe that because the U.S. does not need such arms or because there is too much waste;

2) Develop and add a welfare question which asks whether those with over 12,000 income should be taxed to assist those with less than 12,000 income. Then a series of welfare proposal questions including the President's and McGovern's would be tested;

3) Develop and add a question on "change" - whether people believe the country needs a radical reorganization;

4) Develop and add a question on the nature of campaigning. The question would be something to the effect that "in light of the Wallace shooting, should the President not campaign in public";

5) Drop the Humphrey's handling of the issues sections;

6) Drop the Richard Nixon-Edward Kennedy trial heats.

The reason the Humphrey section is dropped is because Mitchell wants a Richard Nixon-McGovern poll. The Edward Kennedy trial heats are dropped because Mitchell and Teeter believe people are taking Kennedy at his word that he will not be a candidate and so their answer to trial heat questions are inaccurate. Also, Mitchell believes both Harris and Gallup will supply adequate trial heat results on Kennedy.

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THE PRESIDENT

FROM : ·

SUBJECT:

HARRY S. DENT

Primaries: California New Jersey New Mexico South Dakota

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George McGovern won all four primaries Tuesday to give him over 900 delegates and clearly establish him as the biggest vote getter, delegate winner, and primary victor on the Democrat side. He appeared to be winning by 9% in California with 5% of the vote counted. Wallace, getting a 5% write-in vote there, pulled a surprise in New Mexico, finishing second with 29% and half the delegate votes -- all without any campaigning.

The President held Ashbrook to 10% in California, while McCloskey got 6% in New Mexico and one delegate vote.

Senators Eastland, Case, and Metcalf won their primaries. In South Dakota, Rep. Abourezk will be pitted against either ex-State Senator Robert Hirsch or Attorney General Gordon Mydland. (Convention to decide because Hirsch didn't get 35%).

James Meredith was defeated in the Mississippi GOP Senate primary by VW dealer Gil Carmichael 80% to 20%.

McGovern won all 271 delegates in California, 9 (half) in New Mexico, all 17 from South Dakota (no competition), and at least 59 of New Jersey's 109. McGovern expects 80 votes from New Jersey.

There was no direct head-to-head vote count in New Jersey. McGovern's slate leader got 30,000 more votes than HHH's leader with 80% of the vote counted. It was a defeat for the old Demo machine.

CBS projected only a five point victory margin for McGovern in California. He won big with youth and split the black vote in California and New Jersey. Los Angeles and Orange County almost pulled the Hump through.

HHH says he will keep on, but told his supporters he will see that the Demos are united to beat RN.

CBS also projects 1266 delegate votes for McGovern at convention time to 540 for HHH.

McCloskey beat his two primary opponents 24,000 to 17,000 each.

The President's delegate count now stands at 818, with 674 needed for nomination.

In New Mexico, the Demos nominated ex-State Rep. Jack Daniels to contest with 1970 GOP gubernatorial candidate Pete Domenici who easily knocked off Dave Cargo -- in the U.S. Senate race.

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(N.J.) TRENTON--GEORGE MCGOVERN TUESDAY WON THE MAJORITY OF NEW JERSEY'S 109 Delegates to the democratic national convention from sen. Hubert Humphrey, who was backed by scandal-rocked party regulars. 2

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INCOMPLETE RETURNS GAVE MCGOVERN 61 DELEGATES, AND ALL BUT ASSURED HIM AN ADDITIONAL 7 STATEWIDE AT-LARGE DELEGATES. HUMPHREY WON 11 DELEGATES, WITH ANOTHER 17 UNCOMMITTED BUT LEANING TOWARD HIM.

DANIEL HORGAN, DIRECTOR OF THE MCGOVERN FORCES IN THE STATE, PREDICTED THAT MCGOVERN WILL HAVE ABOUT 80 DELEGATES FROM THE EIGHTH LARGEST BLOCK AT THE CONVENTION.

REP. CORNELIUS GALLAGHER, INDICTED ON TAX EVASION AND PERJURY CHARGES, WAS BEATEN BY A 4-1 MARGIN BY REP. DOMINICK DANIELS IN THEIR DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY. THEIR DISTRICTS WERE MERGED INTO ONE BY REDISTRICTING.

IN THE SENATORIAL RACE, FORMER REP. PAUL KREBS EASILY DEFEATED THREE OTHERS FOR THE DEMOCRATIC RACE. HE WILL RUN AGAINST SEN. "CLIFFORD CASE, WHO HANDILY BEAT A VIETNAM WAR HERO OPPOSING CASE'S ANTIWAR STANCE.

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(N.M.) ALBUQUERQUE--GEORGE MCGOVERN LED THE POPULAR VOTE IN NEW MEXICO'S FIRST PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY TUESDAY, BUT 'A SURPRISING TURNOUT FOR GEORGE WALLACE GOT HIM UNEXPECTED DELEGATE STRENGTH.

MCGOVERN GOT 10 DELEGATES AND WALLACE 8. HUBERT HUMPHREY CAME IN THIRD IN THE SIX-MAN FIELD AND GOT NO DELEGATES. PRESIDENT NIXON EASILY WON 13 REPUBLICAN DELEGATES WITH 89 PER

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(S.D.) PIERRE--GEORGE MCGOVERN POCKETED 17 UNCONTESTED DELEGATES TUESDAY IN HIS OME STATE'S PRIMARY ELECTION, LEAVING THE INTRA-PARTY SQUABBLING TO THE REPUBLICANS.

PRESIDENT NIXON ALSO RAN ALONE ON THE REPUBLICAN PRIMARY BALLOT AND GATHERED 14 DELEGATES.

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ROBERT HIRSCH, A YANKTON ATTORNEY AND FORMER STATE SENATOR, OUTPOLLED THE FOUR OTHER CANDIDATES IN THE GOP SENATORIAL RACE, BUT MANAGED ONLY 28 PER CENT OF THE TOTAL VOTE.

REP. JAMES ABOUREZK OVERWHELMED GEORGE BLUE TO WIN THE DEMOCRATIC SENATORIAL NOMINATION. CARVENTH THOMPSON WON EASILY OVER SIMON CHANCEN EARNING THE OPPORTUNITY TO OPPOSE DEMOCRATIC GOV. RICHARD KNEIP IN NOVEMBER.

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CAUGHT UP IN THE SOUNDS OF HIGH-DECIBEL BANDS AND THE ENCOURAGING WORDS OF MOVIE STARS, THE MOSTLY YOUTHFUL GROUP PATIENTLY WAITED FOR THEIR MAN TO TURN UP AT THE HOLLYWOOD PALLADIUM.

THE LAST VICTORY PARTY TO OCCUR THERE WAS 10 YEARS AGO, WHEN EDMUND G. BROWN SR. WAS ELECTED GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA.

MCGOVERN FINALLY WALKED ONTO THE RAISE STAGE SHORTLY BEFORE MIDNIGHT, SOME FOUR HOURS AFTER MOST OF THE GUESTS HAD ARRIVED. THEY GREETED HIM WITH A ROAR AND A CHANT OF "WE WANT GEORGE," AND AN OVATION THAT LASTED SOME FOUR MINUTES. HE SAID HOW GRATEFUL HE WAS TO HAVE WON FOUR PRIMARY ELECTIONS

HE SAID HOW GRATEFUL HE WAS TO HAVE WON FOUR PRIMARY ELECTIONS TUESDAY: CALIFORNIA, NEW JERSEY, NEW MEXICO AND SOUTH DAKOTA. "I CAN'T BELIEVE WE'VE WON THE WHOLE THING," HE SAID. THE CROWD WENT WILD.

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LOS ANGELES (AP)-HUBERT H. HUMPHREY THREW A SHOCK INTO HIS SUPPORTERS BUT PRODUCED LAUGHTER WITH THE VOCAL TOUCH OF A MASTER POLITICIAN DESPITE DISCOURAGING RETURNS FROM CALIFORNIA'S WINNER-TAKE-ALL PRIMARY.

"I WANT TO EXTENT TO GEORGE AND ELEANOR MCGOVERN MY HEARTIEST CONGRATULATIONS," SAID HUMPHREY, PAUSING, EARLY TUESDAY EVENING. HIS SUPPORTERS, GATHERED IN THE GRAND BALLROOM OF THE BEVERLY HILTON HOTEL, SCREAMED, "NO, NO . . ." THINKING THEIR MAN WAS CONCEDING DEFEAT. BUT HUMPHREY CONTINUED HIS SENTENCE WITH . . .

". . . ON THE BIRTH OF THEIR GRANDSON. LAUGHTER AND APPLAUSE FILLED THE ROOM AND THE SURPRISINGLY CHEEFUL MOOD RETURNED.

HUMPHREY, LOOKING WORN AFTER A LENGTHY CAMPAIGN IN THE STATE, APPEARED NEARLY OVERWHELMED BY THE WARMTH OF THE CROWD, WHICH

CHANTED "WE WANT HUMPHREY," LOUDLY. "MARVELOUS, MARVELOUS . . ." SAID HUMPHREY SOFTLY, THEN RAISING HIS RIGHT HAND IN A "V" FOR VICTORY SIGN. THE CHEERS CHANGED TO "WE'RE NO. 1, WE'RE NO. 1" AND HUMPHREY

OPENED HIS REMARKS WITH:

"LET ME JUST SAY THAT YOU'RE NO. 1."

THE DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE SPENT NEARLY 15 MINUTES THANKING CAMPAIGN WORKERS AND THEN TOLD THE THRONG THAT HE WAS "ENCOURAGED, HEARTENED. I'M NOT DISCOURAGED. WE'LL STAY WITH IT. WE'LL GO TO MIAMI AND GET THIS NOMINATION.

"REMEMBER THIS--HE SAID WHATEVER HAPPENED IN CALIFORNIA, WE'VE WON SOME PRIMARIES AND WE'VE DONE VERY WELL IN SOME OTHERS . . NOT AS WELL AS WE'D HAVE LIKED, BUT WE'RE IN THIS BALL GAME, IN THIS BALL PARK AND WE'LL CARRY THROUGH."

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WASHINGTON

June 7, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR:

FROM:

SUBJECT:

H. R. HALDEMAN

GORDON STRACHAN

Campaign Survey - Wave II

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John Mitchell decided to meet with Bob Teeter privately at 10 a.m. today instead of at 3 p.m. with his political group as scheduled. The questionnaire will not be discussed at 3 p.m.

Mitchell directed Tecter to make the following changes in the Wave II Survey:

J) Develop and add two follow-up questions on national defense. The first question would cover whether those who believe the government should spend less on national defense believe that because the U.S. does not need such arms or because there is too much waste;

2) Develop and add a welfare question which asks whether those with over 12,000 income should be taxed to assist those with less than 12,000 income. Then a series of welfare proposal questions including the President's and McGovern's would be tested;

 Develop and add a question on "change" - whether people believe the country needs a radical reorganization;

4) Develop and add a question on the nature of campaigning. The question would be something to the effect that "in light of the Wallace shooting, should the President not campaign in public";

5) Drop the Humphrey's handling of the issues sections;

6) Drop the Richard Nixon-Edward Kennedy trial heats.

The reason the Humphrey section is dropped is because Mitchell wants a Richard Nixon-McGovern poll. The Edward Kennedy trial heats are dropped because Mitchell and Teeter believe people are taking Kennedy at his word that he will not be a candidate and so their answer to trial heat questions are inaccurate. Also, Mitchell believes both Harris and Gallup will supply adequate trial heat results on Kennedy.