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By the time you read this the whole thing will probably be academic, but below are my thoughts on why Erlichman should be selected. Does Mae O'Leary have the corporate director's job? I went through a list of both men's positives and negatives and basically they came out fairly even. The key factor to focus on in this situation is time. There are only 132 days until the election. Because of this limitation and the following factor the debate to it - Erlichman should get the nod.

- Erlichman: known the situation. Action is needed now. With John, start up time would be minimal. Also John knows the players at 1701 and equally important they know him. The opposing would be minimal because John knows them all too well. Mae O'Leary would take much longer to get acclimated.

- Moving Erlichman doesn't leave a whole here. His job on the D.C. is done. In some cases, he's actually an obstructionist. We can handle what is left on a day-to-day basis. Mae O'Leary on the other hand has several Adams' before her term and will for the next few months - I'm SALT etc. Also Congress would view Mae O'Leary's removal as demoralizing.
- Enlichman is acquainted with a large section of National leaders including Hoover,
  Reagan, etc. Clark is entirely Congregational.

- Enlichman's prominence is well known. The move would demonstrate new priority have been placed
  on the campaign by the White House. It would
  shake up the campaign.

- Enlichman is a better spokesman than MacGregor.

Finally, the argument that John must travel in the
campaign is not valid. While it is undoubtedly
advisable other arrangements can be made.