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White House Special Files Collection
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6	10	12/16/1968	Letter	File copy of letter from Rose Mary Woods to Wilbur A. Yorkilous RE: Declining invitation to Yorkilous' Christmas party. 1 pg.
6	10	12/20/1968	Other Document	Invitation to a Christmas party hosted by Helen and Wilbur. 1 pg.
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6	10	12/01/1968	Other Document	Handwritten note from Rose Mary Woods to Bob Haldeman RE: Who handles some type of information. Handwritten reply of Law & Order Task Force, RN, and comments in shorthand. 1 pg.
6	10	11/26/1968	Letter	Letter from Louis J. Lefkowitz, Attorney General, State of New York, to RN RE: Consumer protection and offer of assistance. 1 pg.
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6	10	12/19/1968	Memo	Memo from Bryce Harlow to Rose Mary Woods RE: Earl Eisenhower's funeral. Handwritten comments by unknown author. 1 pg.
6	10	12/17/1968	Letter	File copy of letter from Rose Mary Woods to John T. Sherwood (Jack) RE: Receipt of November 15 letter. 1 pg.
6	10	N.D.	Other Document	Handwritten note from Rose Mary Woods to Bob Haldeman RE: Question concerning someone looking into some films. Handwritten reply specifying Len. 1 pg.
6	10	11/15/1968	Letter	Letter from Jack Sherwood to RN RE: Attached schedule of movie film Sherwood shot during his trips with RN while Sherwood was assigned to protect RN. 1 pg. Duplicate not scanned.
6	10	11/15/1968	Other Document	List of film Jack Sherwood shot during his time protecting RN. 1 pg. Duplicate not scanned.
6	10	12/23/1968	Letter	File copy of letter from RR to Daniel P. Bryant of Bekins Van and Storage Company RE: Authorizing the transfer of articles in Room 817 to Washington, D. C. 1 pg.

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6	10	11/29/1968	Newsletter	The Herald of Freedom article on the Honorable W. Averell Harriman. Typed comment by Norb Kearns. 2 pgs.
6	10	11/20/1968	Letter	Letter from Clinton O. Harris of Harris Oldsmobile to Rose Mary Woods RE: Enclosed letter for RN regarding Chief Newman. 1 pg.
6	10	11/20/1968	Letter	Letter from Clinton O. Harris of Harris Oldsmobile to RN RE: Endorsement of Chief Newman for appointment as Commissioner of Indian Affairs. 1 pg.
6	10	11/14/1968	Other Document	Resume of Wallace J. Newman. 3 pgs.
6	10	12/06/1968	Letter	File copy of letter from Rose Mary Woods to John T. Sherwood (Jack) RE: Receipt of November 12 letter. 1 pg.

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6	10	12/07/1968	Letter	File copy of letter from Rose Mary Woods to Mrs. Louise Bushnell RE: Receipt of November 13 letter. 1 pg.
6	10	11/13/1968	Letter	Letter from Mrs. Louise Bushnell to Rose Mary Woods RE: Recommendation of Mrs. Walter V. Magee for any commission or committee on morality or youth problems and mentions of other members of the General Federation of Women's Clubs. 3 pgs.
6	10	N.D.	Other Document	Nixon Sourcebook Sheet Number 352 entitled Key Issues Committee, which lists the committee members. 2 pgs.
6	10	N.D.	Other Document	Nixon Sourcebook Sheet Number 451-3 entitled Commission on Government Re-Organization. 2 pgs.
6	10	N.D.	Other Document	Nixon Sourcebook Sheet Number 353 entitled VIP Speakers, which lists Republicans of national prominence who will speak on behalf of the Nixon-Agnew ticket. 2 pgs.

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6	10	11/18/1968	Memo	Memo from Rose Mary Woods to Bryce Harlow RE: Peter K. Evans calling about a report he is working on. 1 pg.
6	10	N.D.	Other Document	Handwritten note from PN RE: Giving a file to Rose Mary Woods for possible use at the White House. 1 pg.
6	10	12/16/1968	Letter	Letter from unknown author to Mrs. Lura de Gez RE: Mrs. Gez's previous letter. 1 pg.
6	10	11/08/1968	Letter	Handwritten letter from Lura de Gez to PN RE: Offer of cosmetology services. 2 pgs.

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6	10	11/08/1968	Other Document	Postmarked envelope from Lura de Gez to PN. 2 pgs.
6	10	11/29/1968	Other Document	Handwritten note from Pete F. to Rose Mary Woods RE: Don Kendall informing Pete F. that Pepsi's moving subsidiary would like to move RN to Washington, D. C. 1 pg.
6	10	11/19/1968	Letter	Letter from Daniel P. Bryant of Bekins Van & Storage Co. to Rose Mary Woods RE: Offer of moving services. 2 pgs.
6	10	11/19/1968	Other Document	Postmarked envelope from Bekins Van & Storage Co. to Rose Mary Woods. 2 pgs.

December 16, 1968

S - x
Birthday Message
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Dear Herb:

Pat and I are pleased to know you will be celebrating your birthday this week. She joins me in sending our very best wishes for a happy day.

I was glad to hear you are feeling better and expect you back on the "firing line" before long.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Mr. Herbert Sturdy
875 Stone Canyon Road
Los Angeles, California 90024

x -
Birthday
or
get well
→

Herbert Sturdy -

Old friend of Dick.

Nixon Opinion.

Fighting a bout w/ Cancer.

Birthday / Thur. 19th.

Hello thinking about you.

Wouldn't it be here except for you.

Thurs. 19.68
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875 Stone Canyon Rd.
LA 90029

So I can see
you by a bit.
I'll be in - I'll be

→

3rd of Canyon
and I want to be
myself here.
I'll be in.

December 16, 1968

Y - x
Invitation - TD
ma

Dear Mr. Yorkilous:

You were very thoughtful to invite me to your Christmas party, and I regret that my schedule here in New York is such that it will not be possible for me to accept your invitation.

I would like to extend to you and Mrs. Yorkilous my very best wishes for Christmas and the New Year.

Sincerely,

Rose Mary Woods
Personal Secretary
to the President-Elect

Mr. Wilbur A. Yorkilous
Wayburns Cleaning Service
10607 Montrose Avenue
Bethesda, Maryland 20014

P.S. The President-Elect's schedule for the 20th is completely committed, but I know he would want me to extend his best wishes to you.

Merry Christmas

W. A. Y.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

10520 Montrose Ave.
Bethesda, Maryland
South Clubhouse

December 20, 1968

Helen & Wilbur

8 - 12

R.S.V.P.

DAY PHONE: 762-6432

Invitation

NIGHT PHONE: 946-1895

Wayburns
CLEANING SERVICE
10607 Montrose Avenue
Bethesda, Maryland 20014

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Bethesda, Maryland

Rosemary Woods;

Congratulations on your appointment.

I am having a group of 50 Republicans to a Christmas Party on December 20, and would like to invite the Honorable Mr. Nixon and yourself.

You will probably be too busy with the wedding at that time, however let me know. Will you give me Mr. Nixon's slipper size as we are planning a little present.

Again, Best wishes

Wilbur A. Yorkilous

Wilbur A. Yorkilous

His staunch Montgomery County

Republican supporter

Wayburns
CLEANING SERVICE
10607 Montrose Avenue
Bethesda, Maryland 20014

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Bethesda, Maryland

Personal Secretary

To The President Elect

My wife is knitting something for the President as a Christmas gift and I am to get his slipper size - confidentially - of course. Return note postpaid enclosed,

Many thanks,

Wilbur A. Yorkilous
Wilbur A. Yorkilous

December 16, 1968

H - x

Task Forces

bcc: Henry Loomis
ma

Dear Pat:

As I am sure you will readily understand, the delay in responding to your letter of November 25 has been caused by the tremendous amount of mail this office has received since the election.

I am dropping you this note to assure you that your letter has been brought to the attention of the President-Elect and forwarded to Henry Loomis who is working with the Task Forces.

The President-Elect, I know, would want me to extend his very best wishes to you.

Sincerely,

Rose Mary Woods
Personal Secretary
to the President-Elect

Mrs. Laddie F. Hutar
511 Brompton Place
Chicago, Illinois 60657

Bob H Henry Loomis

Has anyone been
assigned to handle
this type of information?

Bob

MRS. LADDIE F. HUTAR
511 BROMPTON PLACE, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60657

November 25, 1968

The Honorable Richard M. Nixon
President-elect of the United States
Pierre Hotel
5th Avenue and 61st Street
New York, New York

Dear Mr. President:

Congratulations on your election as President of the United States. How wonderful it is to know that our nation will have a strong and creative President to give us the leadership so desperately needed.

It was a privilege as well as an exciting experience to serve as a regional director and on the National Advisory Committee of the Women for Nixon-Agnew and to help carry your message to the voters.

I believe so completely in the ideas and programs that you outlined during the course of the campaign. You have a deep understanding of the problems confronting us, and you have developed imaginative, yet practical programs to solve these problems.

Your firm belief that the private sector must be utilized in the solutions of urban problems is one I share. I thought you might be interested in the enclosed materials describing a few of the exciting programs developed by business and industry to meet urban needs.

My best wishes and prayers for success as you lead our nation and unify her people.

Respectfully,



Mrs. Laddie F. Hutar

LFH:ml

December 16, 1968

L - x
Task Forces
bcc: Henry Loomis
ma

Dear Mr. Lefkowitz:

As I am sure you will readily understand, the delay in responding to your letter of November 26 has been caused by the tremendous amount of mail this office has received since the election.

I am dropping you this note to assure you that your letter;has been brought to the attention of the President-Elect and forwarded to Henry Loomis who is working with the Task Forces.

The President-Elect, I know, would want me to extend his very best wishes to you.

Sincerely,

Rose Mary Woods
Personal Secretary
to the President-Elect

The Honorable Louis J. Lefkowitz
Attorney General
State of New York
80 Centre Street
New York, New York 10013

Bob Alderman

10/1/68

who handles this
type?

Ross
Law & Order Desk. Fore
RN + 92111
✓ ✓ ✓



LOUIS J. LEFKOWITZ
ATTORNEY GENERAL
STATE OF NEW YORK

80 CENTRE STREET
NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10013

November 26, 1968

Dear President Elect Nixon:

I write concerning the article in the New York Times of November 25, 1968, regarding the matter of consumer protection.

As you may recall, during the campaign, I submitted through John Mitchell a proposed white paper on consumer protection with some proposals which I felt could be effective in advancing the cause of consumer protection and education in the United States.

My office was the first state Attorney General's Office in the United States to establish a Bureau of Consumer Fraud and Protection. Since that time, many municipalities, other states and the Federal Government have seen fit to undertake consumer protection programs implemented by the establishment of consumer bureaus and the enactment of legislation.

My office has been called upon by many governmental agencies for assistance in their consumer programs and should you desire to undertake some measures or propose other action, I would be very pleased to make the resources of the New York State Department of Law available to whomever you should designate as an agent in furthering such a program. We will cooperate in every way possible with you to make available the experience of our consumer program which is designed to help both the public and the honest businessman.

Warm personal regards.

Sincerely,


LOUIS J. LEFKOWITZ
ATTORNEY GENERAL

Hon. Richard M. Nixon
Pierre Hotel
61st Street & 5th Avenue
New York, New York

December 16, 1968

S - x

Task Forces

bcc: Henry Loomis
ma

Dear Mr. Stump:

As I am sure you will readily understand, the delay in responding to your letter of November 25 has been caused by the tremendous amount of mail this office has received since the election.

I am dropping you this note to assure you that your letter has been brought to the attention of the President-Elect and forwarded to Henry Loomis who is working with the Task Forces.

The President-Elect, I know, would want me to extend his very best wishes to you.

Sincerely,

Rose Mary Woods
Personal Secretary
to the President-Elect

Mr. J. C. Stump
Director
Shawneetown Regional Port District
212 Lincoln Boulevard East
Shawneetown, Illinois 62984

SHAWNEETOWN REGIONAL PORT DISTRICT

212 LINCOLN BOULEVARD EAST
SHAWNEETOWN, ILLINOIS 62984
TELEPHONE (618) 269-3182

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President-Elect Richard M. Nixon
810 Fifth Avenue
New York, New York 10021

PERSONAL

5 December 1968

Dear President-Elect Nixon:

Congratulations and Best Wishes for a successful term as President of the United States.

As requested, enclosed is your Special Report for consideration and evaluation in reference to a "National Comprehensive Preliminary Master Pilot Plan for Rural Area Industrial and Transportation Development" which certainly can be an answer to our many current urgent urban problems, also of vital interest to all rural areas in the United States.

In reference to your speech in Iowa on 14 September 1968 concerning the "Problems of Rural America" and stating a definite position and action program for "Rural Development", this position and definite statements on this all important problem of rural areas certainly secured the support of a large majority of all rural voters in the United States, but especially, in the states of Illinois, Indiana, Iowa and Ohio. Your rural program, as outline, is certainly essential to the best interest and the economic conditions in both rural and urban areas.

Constructive action is certainly needed now. The enclosed report certainly substantiates successful action by private Industry and Government working as a team. Our programs of work have been submitted and have been reviewed, evaluated and considered by Industrial and Transportation Corporations in all sections of the

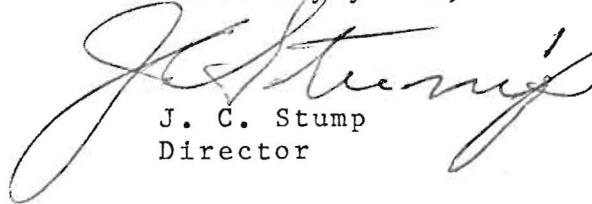
President-Elect Richard M. Nixon
5 December 1968
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United States and Canada. The results of our submitted plans and brochures have been timely, and the results have been excellent. Many suggestions were received recommending a tax incentive and other inducements be provided for the recruitment of urban citizens for new rurally based Industrial Enterprises.

If we can be of service to you and your administration in developing this essential "Rural Transportation and Industrial Development Program", please do not hesitate to give us the opportunity to be of service in every way possible.

Thank you for your consideration and cooperation and hoping for a favorable answer at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "J. C. Stump". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name and title.

J. C. Stump
Director

JCS:crh

Encl.

MEMORANDUM

December 19, 1968

TO: ROSE WOODS
FROM: BRYCE HARLOW ~~TH~~

Earl Eisenhower's funeral will be on Friday at 2 p.m..
in Scottsdale, Arizona, his burial in Phoenix.

In place of flowers, the family requests donations to the
Coronary Care Unit, St. Francis Hospital, Phoenix.

General Schulz suggests that RN may wish to have a repre-
sentative appear at the funeral -- as an idea, not a
command performance.

Ray Arbutnot

o for sympathy
Pres Elect +
Mrs. Richard Nixon

10/19/68 p 25
Early flowers
Phoenix
602/277-7251
messenger Funeral Home
602/258-7401
Flanigan

December 17, 1968

S - x
bcc: Len Garment
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Dear Jack:

As I am sure you will readily understand, the delay in responding to your letter of November 15 has been caused by the tremendous amount of mail we have received since the election.

Your letter regarding the films you took over the years has been brought to the attention of the President-Elect and forwarded to Leonard Garment. I am sure he will be in touch with you to arrange to view the films.

Best wishes for Christmas and the New Year.

Sincerely,

Rose Mary Woods
Personal Secretary
to the President-Elect

Mr. John T. Sherwood
3300 N. E. 36th Street
Apartment 415
Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33308

note to Len: Bob Haldeman suggested you view these films with the thought of acquiring them for the Nixon Foundation.

Rose

Bob Waldman

Should we ask
someone to look
at these films?

Rose

Yes —

Len

Herb?

with
start of
acquiring
for Nixon
Foundation

3300 N. E. 36th St., Apt. 415
Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33308
November 15, 1968

Hon. Richard M. Nixon
810 Fifth Avenue
New York City, New York

Dear Boss,

The attached schedule will reflect the broad scope of 8 mm, color, silent, movie film which I took while assigned to your protection from January 1953 until January 1961. During those eight years my amateur movie taking was confined to color. You may recall that on our trips abroad the professional cameramen and photographers did not shoot color. Therefore, to my knowledge, my film is the only color of those trips.

This film, approximately 7000 feet, is good, very good and excellent as to color and detail. Obviously, some footage relating to individuals, scenery, street scenes, etc., would not lend itself too well for use in a political, historic, Nixon family, or other type of documentary. I do believe there is much fine film here which could be used for your personal family library, as well as for political and historic reference.

A few years ago I had an attractive offer from a TV station which was interested in making one or two half-hour documentaries. This finally fell through and I still have the film intact.

It would be worthwhile for you to have someone with movie technical know how, along with others who are aware of your personal-political-historical tastes, to review this film. I prefer to have the film possessed by you or the Federal Government. It requires a total of about 16 hours to view the movies on screen.

Sincerely,

Jack

Jack Sherwood

7000 ft. of Original, 8 mm, color, silent, movie film

1.	1953 Inaugural Parade, Washington, D.C. (taken by my son)..	400 ft.
2.	1953 Around-the-World Trip (26 Countries).....	1500 ft.
3.	1954 Political Campaigning throughout the U.S.	425 ft.
4.	1956 (?) Central American-Caribbean Trip.....	650 ft.
5.	1957 (Spring) Trip to African Countries	550 ft.
6.	1957 (?) Visits to Alaska and London	300 ft.
7.	1958 (Spring) Visit to South American Countries	500 ft.
8.	1958 (Fall) Key Biscayne Visit.....	200 ft.
9.	1959 (Summer) Visit to Russia and Warsaw, Poland.....	1000 ft.
10.	January 1, 1960 -- Rose Bowl Marshall	300 ft.
11.	1960 (Spring-Summer) -- Camp David, Md. (w/ W. P. Rogers)	100 ft.
*12.	Key Biscayne; Greenbrier Hotel; West Coast and Ogunquit, Maine (through the years)	300 ft.
13.	Palm Beach, Florida vacation.....	325 ft.
*14.	St. Catherine Is., Ga.; Key Biscayne; Pensacola (Eddie's marriage); Bethany College (W. Va.); Michigan State University; Mayflower (Ship) at Plymouth Rock.....	325 ft.
*15.	New York City; Whittier; Disneyland; Virginia City, Nev.; University of San Diego	<u>200 ft.</u>
	Total:	7075 ft.

* Shots taken throughout the years.

Jack Sherwood

December 23, 1968

B - x
RMN files
Bekins
J. Wilkinson/ma

Dear Dan:

This note is my authorization to have the articles in Room 817 under my account transferred to Washington, D. C. by the General Services Administration so that they may be stored with my other files there.

In the next few days, my staff will send you further information concerning the date of shipment.

With all best wishes,

Sincerely,

Mr. Daniel P. Bryant
President
Bekins Van & Storage Company
1335 S. Figueroa Street
Los Angeles, California 90015

December 3, 1968

M - x
Appointments - future
RMW/ma

Dear Bill:

Both Rose Mary Woods and Dwight Chapin told me of your telephone call Saturday with the hope that we could get together while you were in town. Unfortunately, my schedule for the weekend had been completely committed prior to your arrival.

When you are next coming to New York or Washington I hope you will have an opportunity to let my office know in advance.

Please give my best to our mutual friend, Art Summerfield.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely,

Mr. William H. Moeller
121 E. Kearsley Street
Flint, Michigan

NORBERT W. KEARNS, SR.
160-04 80TH STREET
ROCKWOOD PARK
HOWARD BEACH, NEW YORK 11414

30 November 68

File
R. Kearns Sr.

Dear Miss Woods:

Many thanks for your warm and thoughtful note of November 23rd.

If Jack Valenti could "sleep better at night because 'Lyndon is my President'", I can sleep better knowing that Mr. Nixon is mine - and that he has someone like you around to make it a little easier for Richard Nixon himself to "sleep better at night."

With my kindest regards, I am

Yours sincerely,

Norb. Kearns Sr.

Norb Kearns Sr.

Miss Rose Mary Woods,
Personal Secretary to the President-Elect,
P.O. Box 1968,
Times Square Station,
New York, New York 10036.

(P.S. Please give the enclosed to Mr. Nixon).



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The Herald of Freedom

For God
And Country

BOX 3 ZAREPHATH, N.J. 08890

NOVEMBER 29, 1968

VOLUME XIV, NO. 9

HON. W. AVERELL HARRIMAN

Having failed to keep the Democrats in power by every kind of maneuver imaginable, the "liberals" and their kept press are now working on the next item on the agenda - keeping the Democrats' architects of surrender at work in Paris. Top architect is W. Averell Harriman, expert in forcing coalition governments on unhappy countries, and assisting him is Cyrus Vance, sifted through the Adam Yarmolinsky screen into the Defense Department in the Kennedy Administration. We are now being treated to long harangues about how successful Harriman has been in the "Paris Peace Talks" and what a shame it would be for Nixon to rock the boat now that "peace" is almost here.

The bombing halt in Vietnam did not win the election for Humphrey even though it permitted the (Eugene)McCarthyites and O'Dwyerites to vote for him with a clear conscience, in case they had not planned to vote for him anyway. About the only thing the bombing halt has produced is trouble. An article in the N.Y. TIMES of Nov. 19, 1968 stated that American officers in Vietnam are not even trying to conceal their irritation that enemy troops can move around within range of their guns and remain unchallenged. The article quotes remarks of Maj. Gen. Raymond G. Davis, commander of the Third Marine Division which "reflected the rising concern of officers that the halt in the bombing of North Vietnam, which began Nov. 1, was allowing the enemy to refurbish positions in the lower half of the (demilitarized) zone.....These officers are convinced that the North Vietnamese are digging in for protracted warfare during what they expect will be long, drawn-out peace talks."

Meanwhile back in Paris, Harriman is fumbling the ball with his usual diplomatic finesse. HUMAN EVENTS of Nov. 23, 1968 reports on ANOTHER HARRIMAN FUMBLE based on an article in the CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR by Beverly Deepe, Saigon correspondent, as follows:

"As the story is now unravelling, W. Averell Harriman, America's chief negotiator in Paris, may turn out to be the major reason why Saigon-Washington relationships have nearly come apart at the seams in the past two weeks.

"Harriman...had made a major concession to Hanoi in the now famous secret peace package deal. But in Saigon,

American Ambassador Ellsworth Bunker explained the package deal to President Thieu and the South Vietnamese government in such a way that this major concession was glossed over.

" 'The American concession,' says Miss Deepe, 'was the seating of the National Liberation Front (NLF) as a separate delegation at Paris- meaning that the expanded peace talks would be a four-power conference. Hanoi has consistently wanted such a conference, but Saigon has vowed for years that it would never negotiate with the Viet Cong as a separate entity.'

"...the South Vietnamese have been worried that the United States plans to recognize the NLF and foist a coalition government on South Viet Nam. This has been repeatedly denied, but Harriman's actions and words have been most disquieting. And they are even more frightening when it is recalled that he played a major role in imposing coalition regimes in both Asia and Europe in the past."

When forcing the "coalition" government on Laos, Harriman reportedly did not even try to be diplomatic. The incident was described by Joseph Alsop as Harriman "berated" the anti-Communist leaders:

"Governor Harriman looked at the Lao leaders one by one; pointed a stern forefinger at each of them in turn; and told them that he wished them to know they would be 'responsible for the destruction of their country' if they refused to do his bidding. There was a brief silence, and General Phoumi then replied: 'You know, Governor Harriman, we in Laos have many years' experience of colonial rule. But we were never spoken to in quite that fashion in colonial times.'"

Harriman, as Undersecretary of State, was a member of the pro-coup d'etat faction led by Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge, which encouraged the overthrow and murder of Vietnam president, Diem. Diem was a staunch anti-Communist and therefore unacceptable to the United States "liberals." By withholding financial and military aid when badly needed, the United States has been able to force coalition governments on nations depending upon it for help. A coalition government with Communists and anti-Communists participating always ends up with the Communists in control.....it doesn't take long to oust the anti-Communists. It's

"It started early in 1944 when the need for uniform occupation currency in Germany was acknowledged by the Allies. On January 29th Ambassador Averell Harriman informed our State Department from Moscow: 'Great importance is attached by the British Government to the Russian Government's participation in this arrangement.' Cordell Hull informed Harriman on February 8th that the U.S. would be glad to PRINT money for Russia: 'The production of sufficient currency to take care of Soviet requirements, if desired is being contemplated.'

"On February 15th Moscow's answer came from Harriman: 'The Commissariat for Finance considers that in preparing the currency it would be more correct to print a part of it in the Soviet Union in order that a constant supply of currency may be guaranteed to the Red Army....It will be necessary to furnish the Commissariat for Finance, in order that the M-marks may be of identical design, with plates of all denominations, a list of serial numbers, and models of paper and colors for printing.'

"The Russian technique was clever: don't ask whether your demand will be met; ask when it will be met. Harriman's cable ended as follows: 'Molotov asks in conclusion that he is informed soon WHEN the Commissariat for Finance may receive the prints, models of paper and colors, and list of serial numbers. Please instruct.'"

The Russians printed hundreds of millions of dollars with the U.S. plates, all of which were redeemed at U.S. taxpayers' expense. In this connection Harriman cooperated with Soviet agent, Harry Dexter White, who had infiltrated the U.S. Treasury Department and approved the turning over of the plates to the Communists.

When Harriman resigned as Ambassador to Russia in February 1946, he returned home via Chungking where he conferred with Chiang Kai-shek and Gen. George C. Marshall, who was the one who forced the coalition government on China which resulted in the Communist take-over of those unfortunate people. Upon his return to the United States Harriman held a press conference in which he stated: "Russia does not want war with the United States and is trying to cut off avenues of invasion by surrounding herself with friendly small nations."

Harriman was named Ambassador to Great Britain in March 1946 and appointed Secretary of Commerce in September, 1946, a position he held until April, 1948. He was the U.S. representative in Europe under the Econ. Cooperative Act of 1948; special assistant to the president, 1950-1; the American representative on NATO, 1951; director of the Mutual Security Agency 1951-3. Harriman had presidential aspirations in 1952 and 1956 but was unsuccessful in obtaining the nomination. His only elective office was that of Governor of New York, being elected in 1954 to serve from 1955 to 1958. He failed in his attempt at reelection and remained in the background until resurrected by the Kennedy Administration. He was named ambassador-at-large,

Assistant Secretary of State for Far Eastern Affairs, 1961-3; Undersecretary of State for Political Affairs 1963-65; reverting to ambassador-at-large on March 11, 1965. Among his accomplishments was the no-inspection test ban treaty with Moscow in 1963.

Harriman married Kitty Lanier Lawrance on September 21, 1915 and they were divorced in 1929. The following year he married Mrs. Marie Norton Whitney, former wife of Cornelius "Sonny" Whitney. He has two children by his first wife: Mary Averell (Mrs. Shirley Carter Fish) and Kathleen Lanier (Mrs. Stanley Grafton Mortimer, Jr.). He is a member of the Council on Foreign Relations.

Since June Harriman, who has supported a cease-fire since 1965, has been in Paris participating in "Peace Talks" which have accomplished exactly nothing except the alienation of our supposed ally, South Vietnam. In spite of this poor record, the N.Y. TIMES and such "liberal" spokesmen as Jacob Javits are calling for Nixon to retain him when he takes over the presidency in January. An article in the N.Y. TIMES of November 17, 1968 states:

"Senator Jacob K. Javits hailed Ambassadors W. Averell Harriman and Cyrus Vance as a 'splendid team' today and said that he would recommend to President-elect Richard M. Nixon that they continue to direct the Paris talks with Hanoi after the inauguration.....

"Senator Javits warmly (sic) endorsed both Mr. Harriman and Mr. Vance as well as the Administration's over-all peace efforts.....

" 'I think continuity is extremely valuable in the situation,' he said. 'Whether it is fair to ask these two men to stay on is another question. I know that Mr. Vance has been trying to return to his civilian practice for some time. But if at least one of them could be persuaded to stay, it would be a good thing.'

"Mr. Harriman, a staunch (sic) Democrat who is 77 years old, has said that he intends to return to his home in Washington. He is known to bear personal opposition to Mr. Nixon, and in recent weeks it has been said that he probably would decline to serve under him."

However, newscasters have said that Harriman would probably put the good of the country ahead of his personal feelings and stay if Mr. Nixon requests him to do so. When it comes to a choice between his private feelings and the opportunity to help a country go Communist, Mr. Harriman can be depended upon to choose the latter, if previous experience counts for anything. We hope Mr. Nixon won't give him the opportunity to make that choice.*

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* So do a lot of other people who have long noted Mr. Harriman's record as the supreme Architect of Appeasement. - Norb.

*Answered
& referred
to Peter
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INTO THE ROCKET AGE

November 20, 1968

Rose Mary Woods
Executive Secretary to Mr. Nixon
P. O. Box 1968, Times Square Station
New York, New York 10036

Dear Rose:

Enclosed is a letter to Dick regarding Chief Newman
which I hope you can get to Dick's attention in the near future.

It is still hard to believe that Dick will soon be our
next President, and it is awesome to think of the work and
responsibility that he, and you will have. My best wishes to
both of you.

Sincerely

Clint
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INTO THE ROCKET AGE

November 20, 1968

Mr. Richard M. Nixon
P. O. Box 1968, Times Square Station
New York, New York 10036

Dear Dick:

Hubert Perry and I would like to ask that you consider Chief Newman for an appointment to Commissioner of Indian Affairs. We know of his keen interest and knowledge of American Indians, and of his ability to get things done on a level headed basis. Because of this we feel he could be of great service to the American Indians, to our Country and to you.

With this thought in mind we had a meeting with Chief to determine his interest and found him very receptive to the proposal. We feel that he would be a hard and enthusiastic worker at this position because of his interest and motivation.

You know Chief as well, or better than we do, so no more need be said about his qualifications. However we are enclosing a resume of his life which may be helpful to you, or others working with you. We are sending a copy of this letter and resume to Bob Finch since I discussed the matter with him when talking to him on the phone a few days ago.

Dick, we both thank God that you won the election and pray that He will give you help for the job ahead.

Sincerely,

Hubert Perry
Richard M. Nixon

Nov. 14, 1968

RESUME OF THE LIFE OF WALLACE J. NEWMAN.

1. As a citizen of the State of California.
2. As a citizen of the City of Whittier.
3. As a citizen of the United States of America.
4. As a citizen of American Indian blood with interest and convictions about Indians.

EARLY LIFE AND EDUCATION.

Born May 28, 1902, on the La Jolla Indian Reservation, San Diego County, California.

Through the elementary grades, he divided his time between the La Jolla Reservation School, the Mesa Grande Elementary School (Public), the Los Angeles City Schools, and was sent to Sherman Institute, the Indian boarding school at Riverside, California, at the age of 13.

Graduated from Sherman Institute and continued to live there until he had graduated from Riverside Polytechnic High School and completed one year at Riverside Junior College.

Attended the University of Southern California where he received his B. A. degree, with a major in Education, in 1927. He has done graduate work at the same university.

WORK LIFE

Member of the faculty of Covina Union High School 1925-29.

Member of the faculty of Whittier College 1929-51. Rank of Professor and Director of Athletics. Resumed part time teaching there in 1957. Retired in 1964.

During World War II taught at Whittier Union High School for two years.

In 1943, became a Special Agent for the Provident Mutual Life Insurance Company of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Was employed as Supervisor training young agents for the Company. Retired in 1960.

CLUB, PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND HONORS.

Honorary Life Member of Whittier College Alumni Association.

Past-President of the Southern California Intercollegiate Conference Coaches.

Past-President of the Pacific Coast and Rocky Mountain Coaches Association.

Elected to the National Association of Inter-collegiate Athletics Football Coaches Hall of Fame.

Football Writer's Association of America, meeting in Chicago in 1958, voted to present Wallace J. Newman their "Citation of Honor for His Long and Honorable Career in Collegiate Athletics and His Contribution to Football."

Voted "Whittier's Outstanding Citizen for 1958."

The Assembly, California Legislature, passed House Resolution No. 272, during 1965 Regular Session, honoring Wallace J. Newman "for his many contributions to the people of this State and his outstanding career as a teacher, coach, and educator devoted to youth....." etc.

Past-President of the Sherman Institute Alumni Association. Also served as secretary for two years.

Member of Whittier Lions Club and served as President in 1936.

Member of The University Club of Whittier - President in 1947 and present secretary.

Life Member of the University of Southern California Alumni Association.

Member of Whittier Masonic Lodge # 323.

Elected President of Mission Creek Band of Mission Indians when Band was organized in 1957 and has been re-elected president at every election held since that time.

Represented his Band at the Las Vegas, Nevada, Conference and was selected as Chairman of the Education Committee.

Attended the Kansas City, Missouri, Conference on Indian Affairs.

Member of several local Indian organizations.

SUMMATION,

Lived continually with Indian people from 1902-1921.

Has lived, since 1921, with non-Indian, non-reservation situations, as a normal middle-class American.

Has spent his work-life in education: six years at the high school level and over 30 years at Whittier College, a private California college.

He has been in the employ of the Provident Mutual Life Insurance Company of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, as a Special Agent and Supervisor for 25 years.

Has always been interested in Indian education. In 1926 he took out the legal guardianship papers for an Indian boy and saw to it that he received a high school education. He then secured a scholarship for the boy at the University of Southern California.

Some 25 years ago, Wallace Newman realized that he did not know how his people, the American Indians in the United States and more particularly the Indians of California were parted from their heritage. He then began to study material on the subject. He has collected a small library on American Indians with particular emphasis on the Indians of California. He is continually expanding this collection.

In 1957, at the suggestion of the Riverside Area Office, Bureau of Indian Affairs, he was instrumental in organizing the Mission Creek Band of Mission Indians, Mission Creek, California. He was elected president of the Band and under his guidance, a constitution and by-laws in the form required by the Bureau of Indian Affairs, was adopted and in due time approved by the Secretary of the Interior. The business affairs of the Band have since been conducted according to the provisions of this document. In conducting the affairs of the Mission Creek Band, Mr. Newman has worked closely with the Bureau of Indian Affairs for more than eleven years.

ADDITIONAL FACTS.

Helped organize the first Whittier Junior Chamber of Commerce and served as that organizations first vice-president.

Listed in "Who's Who - The Young Men of America."

Member of the Whittier Area Chamber of Commerce where he was a member of numerous committees, chairman of committees, and a member of the Board of Directors.

As an Active member of the Whittier Chapter of the American Red Cross, he served on this organization's Board of Directors for several years.

Was Recreation Director for the City of Whittier's Summer Recreation Program for several years. When this program became a full-time activity, he served as a member of its Board of Directors.

Shortly after the close of World War II, Newman received a citation from the President of the United States for outstanding services as a citizen.

Has been active in Republican politics for many years. Served as Whittier Chairman for Nixon's first venture into politics. Was an Associate Member of the Republican State Central Committee for two years.

December 6, 1968

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bcc: Peter Flanigan
ma

Dear Jack:

Because we have been swamped with mail and telephone calls since Election Day, this is the first opportunity we have had to thank you for your letter of November 12 to the President-Elect.

I am dropping you this note to assure you that your letter has not been sitting on his desk all of this time. We immediately forwarded a copy of your letter to the people who are processing all of the applications and requests we are now receiving from people who want to participate in the Nixon Administration.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Rose Mary Woods
Personal Secretary to
the President-Elect

Mr. John T. Sherwood
3300 North East 36th Street
Apartment 415
Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33308

X-F
bcc: ~~Bob Finch~~
Peter Flanigan

December 6, 1968

Dear Mr. Franich:

Believe me, this is the first opportunity I have had to reply to your most thoughtful letter of November 21 concerning our mutual friend, Stan McCaffrey.

Your suggestion that Stan would "listen" if the President-Elect had a place for him in the Administration has been passed along to the people who have the responsibility for finding the right man for the right spot. You may be sure I will also call this thought to Mr. Nixon's attention.

With best wishes for Christmas and the New Year,

Sincerely,

Rose Mary Woods
Personal Secretary
to the President-Elect

Mr. Marty Franich
P. O. Box 391
Watsonville, California 95076

December 6, 1968

B - x

bcc: Peter Flanigan
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Dear Max:

Because we have been swamped with mail and telephone calls since Election Day, this is the first opportunity I have had to thank you for your letter of November 13.

I am dropping you this note to assure you that your letter has not been sitting on my desk all of this time. We made a xerox copy for my use and immediately forwarded your letter and enclosure through the President-Elect to the people who are processing all of the applications and requests we are now receiving from people who want to participate in the Nixon Administration.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Rose Mary Woods
Personal Secretary to
the President-Elect

Mr. Max W. Bishop
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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT

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December 7, 1968

Dear Louise:

Because we have been swamped with mail and telephone calls since Election Day, this is the first opportunity I have had to thank you for your letter of November 13.

I am writing now to assure you that your most thoughtful letter has not been sitting on my desk all of this time. I had a xerox copy made for the man who is processing most of the recommendations for appointments on committees and in agencies as mentioned in your letter. I am as well today sending a copy to Pat Hitt who has just returned from a brief vacation.

While I will be making my headquarters on Pennsylvania Avenue in Washington now, I still hope I will have the pleasure of seeing you from time to time.

With kindest personal regards,

Sincerely,

Rose Mary Woods
Personal Secretary
to the President-Elect

Mrs. Louise Bushnell
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November 13, 1968

President
MRS. WALTER VARNEY MAGEE

Miss Rose Mary Woods
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Dear Rose Mary:

The press is perhaps turning over a new leaf as it has been kind to you as of Monday and may I add, it's about time.

I watched you in the Waldorf Ballroom during Mr. Nixon's acceptance speech and what I saw moved me perhaps as much as the words spoken by the President-elect. It is very seldom that one is privileged to witness the result of 17 years devotion and labor. It is even rarer to know that in a fairly shoddy world there still exist self-less people who can make of brains and spirit something beautiful.

Thinking in terms of not only the first four years of the incoming Administration, but hoping and planning for the following four, it has occurred to me that things will be a little easier for the President-elect if he has, serving on certain Committees, intelligent, unemotional, hard-working Republican women leaders.

The General Federation of Women's Clubs, i.e., GFWC, is an organization that has played an auspicious role in this election. The almost 18,000 kits of "Work to Win" were well used and based upon my knowledge of the organization, (both in and out as I now happen to be serving on the GFWC Board of Directors), the following suggestions are based on professional experience.

The President of the organization, Mrs. Walter V. Magee (whom you know), would be perfect on any Commission or Committee on Morality, or Youth Problems -- Juvenile Delinquency. As an Ohioan, she will also represent the prestige in this part of the country that is due her state and surrounding areas. She has already made a telling impact on her states and members. This woman is a marvel.

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Miss Rose Mary Woods

She stays in office until June of 1970 and she will be followed by Mrs. Earl A. Brown, first Vice President, GFWC, from Pennsylvania. Mrs. Brown is a conservative but an entirely different type of woman. She was selected as Pennsylvania's Mother of the Year in 1962. She is a "home body" type - quiet and she was appointed in 1967 to the National Association for Retarded Children Advisory Board.

Mrs. Brown goes out of office in June 1972. She will be followed by Mrs. Kermit V. Haugan, 4440 Parklawn, Apt. 201, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55435. She is a Republican, a former teacher and has traveled extensively. She's been past President of her state Federation and she has held Division Chairmanships on the Federation Board of the International Affairs Department as well as being Legislative Chairman and Scholarship Chairman. I suggest that Mrs. Haugan be asked to serve on an Education Committee of the new Administration. She will become GFWC President, the June of 1974, which will be five months prior to reelection of Mr. Nixon, if he so desires.

The other member of the GFWC Executive Committee, important to the President-elect, is Mrs. Carroll E. Miller, 3rd Vice President, who lives at 820 Hastings Avenue, Missoula, Montana 59801. Mrs. Miller will be President of the GFWC during the last two years of Mr. Nixon's second term. She is a remarkable woman. Her working record is too long to recount. Sufficient to say that she is a strong conservative. She worked very hard for Mr. Nixon and has been a member of the West Virginia Federation as she lived in Charleston prior to her marriage five years ago. She has served ten years on the GFWC Board of Directors; she was one of the best Public Affairs Department Chairmen ever. She will make a very strong, active national President. She was one of the most outstanding Safety Chairmen the Federation ever had. I feel sure she would be glad to serve as a member of the Safety Commission in the new Administration. She's involved in many of the important areas helpful to the state of Montana as well as keeping her fingers, in giving West Virginia a lift whenever possible. This is a quality volunteer.

The following women are suggested as top-flight candidates for service on special Committees based upon their experience, excellence and in terms of what they can do to enhance the quality of the new Administration.

Mrs. Americo Chaves, 156 Westminster Avenue, Arlington Heights, Massachusetts 02174, is immediate past President, Massachusetts Federation of Women's Clubs. She is Chairman for both GFWC conventions in Mrs. Magee's Administration; the first to be held in 1969 in Cleveland, Ohio, the second to be held in June 1970 in San Antonio, Texas. Mrs. Chaves (pronounced Chavs) was a top-flight Citizenship Chairman on the GFWC Board. She is a Republican and has a large following in Massachusetts.

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Miss Rose Mary Woods

Mrs. Mitchell Doumit, Chairman, Public Affairs Department, GFWC, lives in Cathlamet, Washington 98612, and is largely responsible for the leadership and wide usage of our "Work to Win" kit in the recent election. She is a strong Republican and handles groups of women like an expert. She would be a great addition serving on any Committee.

Mrs. Lorraine E. Dudley, 3449 South 10th Street, Abilene, Texas 79605, a past President of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, is a former Education Chairman for GFWC, now serves on the Board of Resolutions Committee. Mrs. Dudley is a tremendous worker, a strong conservative, would fit in almost any situation and I believe has a penchant in the field of Health, Education and Welfare.

Mrs. James Segraves, 518 Lincoln Highway, Belleville, Illinois 62221, past President of the Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs, is presently Chairman of the Education Department, GFWC. Mrs. Segraves is an avid fan of the President-elect. She made innumerable speeches all over the country about the importance of electing a man of his calibre, and she spoke in many Negro areas purposely. She was a brilliant President of the Illinois Federation and would greatly enhance any Board on which she serves.

Forgive me for the length of this epistle, but when I see in the papers long lists of names of people under consideration, or who might be suggested as possibilities for positions either paid or unpaid in Washington, I think that a thoughtful letter of this kind, prompted only by friendly interest, is necessary.

Of all the organizations I know and belong to, none serve the same purpose nor represent as a whole, healthy conservative thinking as does GFWC.

The American volunteer helped build this country. I beg of you to exert your influence to the utmost in placing volunteers who have truly earned the privilege in spots where they can do most good for the Republican party as well as for the American people.

Cordially,



Louise Bushnell, (Mrs.)
UN Chairman, GFWC

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KEY ISSUES COMMITTEE

A team of outstanding Republican leaders has been selected to serve as the Key Issues Committee for the Nixon-Agnew campaign. The committee, which advises the candidates on the problems of our national security, urban affairs, financial stability, law enforcement, agriculture, education and employment, is headed by an Executive Committee composed of the following Republican leaders:

JOHN G. TOWER, United States Senator from Texas, who is Chairman of the Committee. He has served in the Senate since 1961, having been elected to fill the seat formerly held by Lyndon Johnson. He is the first Republican Senator from Texas since 1870. He is a member of the Committee on Banking and Currency, the Armed Services Committee, and the Joint Economic Committee, and is ranking Republican on the Senate Subcommittee on Housing and Urban Affairs. He will advise on matters of national security, housing and related urban problems.

F. BRADFORD MORSE, Member of Congress from the Fifth District of Massachusetts, who is Deputy Chairman and will act as a consultant in the field of international affairs. He also serves as a Surrogate Candidate (See sheet 351 for his background).

CLARK MacGREGOR, Member of Congress from the Fifth District of Minnesota, who will offer advice and guidance in the field of law enforcement. He also serves in the campaign as a Surrogate Candidate (See Sheet 351 for his background).

Other members of the Key Issues Committee are:

LESLIE C. ARENDS, Member of Congress from the Seventeenth District of Illinois, who has served in the House of Representatives since 1935 and has been the Republican Whip (Assistant Leader) since 1943. He is the ranking Republican member of the Committee on Armed Services, and as a member of the Key Issues Committee will advise on matters pertaining to the national defense.

HOWARD H. BAKER, JR., United States Senator from Tennessee, who will assist the candidate in the field of private enterprise. He also serves as a Surrogate Candidate (See Sheet 351 for his background).

JOHN H. CHAFEE, Governor of Rhode Island, who is also a member of the team of Big Speakers, prominent Republicans covering the country in behalf of the Nixon-Agnew ticket. (See Sheet 353 for his background).

DANIEL J. EVANS, Governor of Washington, who is another member of the Big Speakers team. (See Sheet 353 for his background).

ROBERT C. HILL, former diplomat, who served as U.S. Ambassador to Costa Rica in 1953, to El Salvador in 1954 and to Mexico from 1957 to 1961. He was special assistant to the Under-Secretary of State for Mutual Security Affairs under President Eisenhower and served as Chairman of the Foreign Policy Task Force of the Republican National Committee from 1965 to 1967.

ROMAN L. HRUSKA, United States Senator from Nebraska, who has served in the Senate since 1954 and previously served in the House of Representatives. He is a member of the Senate Appropriations Committee and second-ranking member of the Senate Judiciary Committee. He will advise in the field of Law Enforcement.

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MELVIN R. LAIRD, Member of Congress from the Seventh District of Wisconsin, who has served in the House since 1953. A member of the House Committee on Appropriations, he is also Chairman of the House Republican Conference and has served on the Committee on Agriculture.

PAUL LAXALT, Governor of Nevada, who was elected Governor in 1966, having previously served as Lieutenant Governor (1963-67), City Attorney for Carson City (1954-55) and District Attorney of Ormsby County, Nevada (1951-54). He has also engaged in the private practice of law.

JOHN A. LOVE, Governor of Colorado, who was elected Governor in 1962 and re-elected in 1966. He served as Chairman of the Republican Governors' Association in 1966 and 1967 and has been a member of the Republican Coordinating Committee.

CATHERINE MAY, Member of Congress from the Fourth District of Washington, who has served in the House since 1959 and is a member of the Committee on Agriculture. She previously served in the State Legislature in Washington, and on several appointive commissions in the state government. She will advise the candidate on agricultural problems.

ROGERS C. B. MORTON, Member of Congress from the First District of Maryland, who has served in the House since 1963. He is a member of the Committees on Interior and Insular Affairs, Merchant Marine and Fisheries, and the Select Committee on Small Business. He will act as an advisor on private enterprise.

THRUSTON B. MORTON, United States Senator from Kentucky, who has served in the Senate since 1957, and previously served in the House and as an Assistant Secretary of State. He has been Chairman of the Republican National Committee (1959-61) and of the Republican Senatorial Campaign Committee (1963-66). He is a member of the Senate Committees on Commerce, Finance, and the District of Columbia and of the Special Committee on Aging. He also serves on the Senate Republican Policy Committee.

KARL E. MUNDT, United States Senator from South Dakota, who has served in the Senate since 1949 and was a member of the House of Representatives from 1939 to 1948. He is a member of the Senate Committees on Appropriations, Foreign Relations, Government Operations and the Joint Committee on the Organization of Congress. He will provide counsel in the area of agricultural problems.

CHARLOTTE T. REID, Member of Congress from the Fifteenth District of Illinois, who has been a member of the House since 1963 and serves on the Committee on Appropriations.

JOHN J. RHODES, Member of Congress from the First District of Arizona, who has served in the House since 1953. He is a member of the Committee on Appropriations and Chairman of the House Republican Policy Committee. He formerly served on the Committee on Education and Labor and the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON, Former Governor of Pennsylvania, who is also a member of the Big Speakers team. (See Sheet 353 for his background).

RAYMOND P. SHAFER, Governor of Pennsylvania, who is also a member of the Big Speakers team. (See Sheet 353 for his background).

MAURICE H. STANS, Chairman, Republican National Finance Committee, who is on leave from his position as President of Glore Forgan, Wm. R. Staats, Inc., investment bankers. He served as Director of the Bureau of the Budget under President Eisenhower following service as Deputy Budget Director and Deputy Postmaster General. He has long been an advisor to Richard Nixon on economic matters.

ROBERT A. TAFT, JR., Member of Congress from the First District of Ohio, who has served in the House since 1967 and also from 1963-65. At present he is a member of the Committee on Foreign Affairs. During his first term he served on the Committees on Banking and Currency and Education and Labor. He was Chairman of the Republican Coordination Committee Task Force on Federal, State and Local Government in 1965 and 1966.

JOHN A. VOLPE, Governor of Massachusetts, who also serves as a Surrogate Candidate. (See Sheet 351 for his background).

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COMMISSION ON GOVERNMENT RE-ORGANIZATION

Richard Nixon has stressed that one of the first tasks of the next President should be a searching reappraisal of our entire government structure. He has pointed out that it has been thirteen years of many government changes since the last of the Hoover Commissions that performed a major public service in studying government organization.

"One of the first tasks of the next President should be to set in motion a searching, fundamental re-appraisal of our whole structure of government -- not only of the federal department and agencies, but also of state and local government, and its relation to the federal structure."

"The two Hoover Commissions, which studied the organization of government for Presidents Truman and Eisenhower, performed a major public service."

"But thirteen years have passed since the second Hoover Commission made its report, and during those years our population has grown by some 35 million; three new Cabinet departments have been created; and the whole pattern of relationships among governments and people on all levels has been profoundly changed."

"There are new relationships between city and suburb; new patterns of direct Federal involvement in the cities, and in education; new ventures in regional co-operation; and new layers upon layers of authority for the individual citizen to fight his way through."

Source: "Toward an Expanded Democracy"
Nationwide CBS Radio Address
June 27, 1968

Mr. Nixon has proposed a Commission on Government Re-Organization that would have an even broader mandate than those given the two Hoover Commission because it would not only be concerned with increasing the efficiency of government organization, but it would also focus equally on the responsiveness of government. In doing this, the Commission would be working toward the expanded democracy (See sheet 451-1) that Richard Nixon believes America needs.

"The Commission on Government Re-Organization I am now proposing would be a commission with a difference. It would have a far broader mandate than those given the Hoover Commissions."

"It would thoroughly study ways of increasing the efficiency of government organization. But its focus would be equally on the responsiveness of government."

Source: "Toward an Expanded
Democracy"

He has explained that the Commission would: 1) be charged with finding every feasible means of decentralizing government; 2) seek new ways of involving private enterprise and the great, vital voluntary sector; 3) include a broadly-based membership; and 4) start with a new premise: what do people want from government today.

"...It would be charged with searching out every feasible means of decentralizing government, of getting it closer to the people, of transferring functions to state and local governments, of creating new instrumentalities where appropriate to involve the people at the community level directly in the decisions that affect their own lives."

"It would seek new ways to transfer functions from government to private enterprise, and also to the great, vital voluntary sector--to enlist the energies of those millions of Americans who stand ready and eager to serve and to help, in the best American tradition."

"Its broadly-based membership would include the best management talent, the best government talent, and also the best academic talent from many disciplines."

"And one of its charges would be to start from a new premise: to search out what the people want from government today, and then to proceed to the question of how those wants can best be satisfied."

Source: "Toward an Expanded Democracy"

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See Also: Expanded Democracy (451-1)

V I P S P E A K E R S

Republicans of national prominence and wide followings have agreed to speak on behalf of the Nixon-Agnew ticket across the country this fall. Representing every section of the country and segment of the Republican Party, this VIP Speakers team will include:

EDWARD W. BROOKE, United States Senator from Massachusetts, who was elected to the Senate in 1966 after two terms as Attorney General of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. A member of the Committees on Aeronautical and Space Sciences and Banking and Currency, Senator Brooke is the first Negro to win a popular election to the Senate.

JOHN H. CHAFEE, Governor of Rhode Island, who has held that position since 1963 and is currently seeking his fourth two-year term. He had previously served as Minority Leader of the State House of Representatives. He has been Chairman of the National Republican Governor's Association since 1967. He also serves on the Nixon Key Issues Committee.

Daniel J. Evans, Governor of Washington, who is completing his first four-year term as Governor and is a candidate for re-election. A civil engineer before entering politics, he served in the State House of Representatives from 1956 to 1964 and has long been active in civic affairs. He also serves on the Nixon Key Issues Committee.

BARRY GOLDWATER, Former United States Senator from Arizona, who is at present a candidate to win back the seat he held from 1953 to 1965, during which tenure he was a member of the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare. He was the Republican Presidential nominee in 1964 and is a member of the Republican Coordinating Committee.

JOHN V. LINDSAY, Mayor of New York City, who has held that post since 1965, prior to which he served in the U.S. House of Representatives (1959-65). He is the first Republican Mayor of New York in more than twenty years.

CHARLES H. PERCY, United States Senator from Illinois, who was elected to the Senate in 1966, defeating a long-time Democrat incumbent. He serves on the Committees on Aeronautical and Space Sciences and Banking and Currency, and on the Joint Economic Committee. He was Chairman of the Republican Platform Committee at the 1960 Convention.

RONALD REAGAN, Governor of California, who was elected Governor in 1966, defeating a two-term Democrat incumbent by nearly a million votes. A newcomer to political office, he had campaigned for Republican candidates since 1952, and is a former President of the Screen Actors' Guild.

NELSON A. ROCKEFELLER, Governor of New York, who is the nation's senior Governor in terms of service, having served in that post since 1959. He previously held appointive positions in the federal government under Presidents Eisenhower, Truman and Roosevelt.

GEORGE W. ROMNEY, Governor of Michigan, who was first elected to that office in 1962, and re-elected in 1964 and 1966, the last time to a four-year term.

He had previously organized and served as chairman of a citizens' group instrumental in bringing about Michigan's Constitutional Convention in 1962, and had been President of American Motors Corporation.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON, former Governor of Pennsylvania, who held that position from 1963 to 1967, prior to which he served a term in the U.S. House of Representatives. He was a candidate for the 1964 Republican Presidential nomination. He is also a member of the Nixon Key Issues Committee.

RAYMOND P. SHAFER, Governor of Pennsylvania, who succeeded Scranton in that position in 1967. He served as Lieutenant Governor of Pennsylvania from 1963 to 1967, and previously in the State Senate. He also serves in the campaign on the Nixon Key Issues Committee.

STROM THURMOND, United States Senator from South Carolina, who has served in the Senate since 1954, having been elected as a Democrat in 1954, 1956 and 1960. He resigned from the Democratic Party and became a Republican in 1964, and was re-elected as such in 1966. He serves on the Committees on Armed Services and the Judiciary.

JOHN G. TOWER, United States Senator from Texas, who also serves in the campaign as Chairman of the Nixon Key Issues Committee. (See sheet 352 for background.)

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December 4, 1968

MEMORANDUM

TO: Robert H. Finch
FROM: Rose Mary Woods

Elmer Bobst called and said that Jim Hester of New York University definitely cannot join you but recommends highly James Allan, Commissioner of Education of New York State. He says he is extremely well versed; not appointed by the Governor, but elected by the Regents.

Elmer said he then asked Hester if he, Hester, would become head of an advisory committee and would he put together a group of those in the education field who could be helpful on this Committee. Hester said he would be very glad to do that, and try to make it a committee which would combine education and health.

December 4, 1968

MEMORANDUM

TO: RMN
FROM: Rose Mary Woods

Meyer Davis would like to know what your
favorite song is.

(CI 7-6161)

December 4, 1968

MEMORANDUM

TO: RMN
FROM: Rose Mary Woods

Elmer Bobst had suggested that if you felt it was too ticklish to write the contributors that you might want to just send them a picture, autographed to ----- with appreciation for your support and best wishes.

However, since you have dictated the letters and they are on their way out, I don't believe a picture is necessary.

Do you?

November 18, 1968

MEMORANDUM

TO: Bryce Harlow
FROM: Rose Mary Woods

Several days ago a Mr. Peter K. Evans called to say that he is working on a report which "is extremely confidential and would have a very bad effect economically." He went on to say -- "Before I go into print with this, I would like to get with someone on Mr. Nixon's staff. It is an evaluation effort which shows a downward trend coming up in the very near future."

Would you please have someone call this man to see whether he does have any good information.

Thanks.

Peter K. Evans -- Area Code 216 (OHIO) 673 1400
home 673 7178

From the desk of Pat Nixon

Please give
file to Rose Woods
for possible
use at
White House
Sppl file

December 16, 1968

Dear Mrs. de Gez,

You were ever so kind to write and our family is most grateful for the warm and generous comments of your letter.

For the present we are not planning any major changes in the services we now use. However, this in no way lessens our deep appreciation for your thoughtfulness in offering to make your special talents available to us.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Mrs. Lura de Gez
~~714 Fifth Avenue~~ 314 W 77th St
~~New York, New York~~ 10024

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address - 314 West 77th St. NYC
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I do thank you —

Very truly yours

Mrs. Lura de Gez

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November 8-1968

Mrs. Richard Nixon
812-5th Avenue
New York City -

Dear Mrs. Nixon:-

Can you possibly find a few brief moments, out of your very hectic busy life to interview me & my ideas. I would be most grateful.

1st Its Great News for Hope & America. A mother real American family in the White House.

Your husband will be a great Mr. President and you a lovely American First Lady & family.

2nd - Now you & your daughters will need help in my field.

May I offer my personal services in all needs you may need in Beauty & Grooming to your household.

Will furnish, records, references



Mrs. Richard Nixon
812 - 5th Avenue
New York City 100 -

Personal

Lura de Gez

LURA M DE GEZ
314 W 77TH ST
NEW YORK N Y
10024



Miss Woods

11/29/68

Rose Kendall tells
me that Pepsi has a
subsidiary that is the
largest moving company in
the country. He wants to
move RN (is all of us)

When the time comes, his
office should be informed
I told Hope.
Peter



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DANIEL P. BRYANT
PRESIDENT

November 19, 1968

Miss Rose Mary Woods
Secretary to President-Elect Nixon
Mudge, Stern, Baldwin & Todd
20 Broad Street
New York, New York 10005

Dear Miss Woods:

Needless to say, President-Elect Nixon's friends in California are unbounded. As we might put it, "cosmic" justice has at last prevailed.

I would be derelict in my duty if I did not present the matter of Nixon's move to the White House and, of course, I am hoping that arrangements can be made to have Bekins perform this service.

The most important aspect of this matter is a symbolic one. With the past relationship, it would be somewhat humiliating to our company and to me personally were anyone else to handle this move.

Of course, the matter of service has to be the prime consideration from your standpoint and I am happy to tell you that we not only have our own facilities in New York, as well as New Jersey, but are well entrenched in Washington in two major locations. This is by way of saying that you will have at your disposal the best of men and equipment and, of course, the deep personal interest and careful attention that would be accorded.

I am so thrilled about the outcome that I somewhat dislike dealing with this mundane problem but, knowing our competitors as I do, I am positive that early efforts will be made to make contact with you, and I would never forgive myself if I neglected to take the proper action.

I will have either Mr. Orson Fair, who is General Manager of our eastern operations, communicate with you or I will call you myself within a few days.

I cannot close without mentioning the very great personal satisfaction you must feel in having given your own "blood, sweat and tears" over the years to the cause of our next President.

Sincerely,


Daniel P. Bryant

DPB/lfc

P.S. I am sending a copy of this letter to the Waldorf Astoria not knowing where you will have your headquarters. If you think I should write to Dick personally, I know you will let me know.

D.P.B.

cc: Orson Fair - New York
Ray Houk - Washington, D. C.

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