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Monday, October 24 (continued)

2:10 PM EDT

Depart Altoona, Pennsylvania enroute to
Johnstown, Pennsylvania

(35 mi. - 1:00)

3:10 PM EDT

Arrive Johnstown, Pennsylvania

AM: Ned Sullivan

Population of Johnstown is 58,000

U. S. Senator is Hugh Scott

Candidate for Congress is John P. Saylor (22nd District)

In charge of arrangements is K. O. Thompkins

Greeted by:

Robert Gleason, County Chairman

Leave train - walk through station, down steps to
platform in parking lot next door

Flowers presented to Mrs. Nixon by Gertrude McEldowney,
head of Housewives for Nixon

The Vice President introduced by Senator Hugh Scott

BRIEF REMARKS BY THE VICE PRESIDENT

Board train

3:40 PM EDT

Depart Johnstown, Pa. enroute to Greensburg, Pa.

(48 mi. - :55)

4:35 PM EDT

Arrive Greensburg, Pa.

*Dem Mayor
Leo Walter
will greet*

Monday, October 24 (continued)

3:40 PM EDT Depart Johnstown, Pa. enroute to Greensburg, Pa. (48 mi. - :55)

4:35 PM EDT Arrive Greensburg, Pa. AM: Ned Sullivan

Population of Greensburg is 16,500
U.S. Senator is Hugh Scott
Candidate for Congress is William L. Batten (21st District)

In charge of arrangements is Mr. Henderson

Greeted by: Mr. Gregg County Chairman

Leave train - walk through station to platform in parking lot.

Press tables and phones in front of platform.

Flowers presented to Mrs. Nixon by Sara Rugh, County Vice-Chairman

The Vice President introduced by Senator Hugh Scott
State Committeeman

BRIEF REMARKS BY THE VICE PRESIDENT

Board Train

5:05 PM EDT Depart Greensburg, Pa. enroute to Pittsburgh, Pa. (31 mi. - :50)

5:55 PM EDT Arrive Pittsburgh, Pa.

Monday, October 24 (continued)

5:05 PM EDT Depart Greensburg, Pennsylvania enroute to
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania (31 mi. -:50)

5:55 PM EDT Arrive Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania AM: Sherm Unger

Population of Pittsburgh is 650,000

Congressmen are James G. Fulton (27th District)
and Robert J. Corbett (29th District)

Candidates for Congress are Arthur O. Sharron
(28th District) and Jerome M. Meyers (30th District)

Ed Flaherty, County Chairman, is in charge of arrangements

Flowers for Mrs. Nixon presented by Mrs. Nellie G.
Dressler, County Vice Chairman

Reception Committee:

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Byers, Chairman, Finance
Committee

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph G. Smith, Treasurer, Finance
Committee

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Graham, former Finance
Chairman

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Johnson, Treasurer,
Allegheny County Executive Committee

Edward L. Flaherty, County Chairman

Mrs. Nellie G. Dressler, County Vice Chairman

E. E. Moore, Chairman, Citizens for Nixon

Mrs. Elsie Hillman, Vice Chairman, Citizens for Nixon

Mrs. Ingrid Rea, Vice Chairman, Citizens for Nixon

Robert Loch of Grove City College, Grove City,
Pennsylvania, and Chairman, Pennsylvania College
Youth, will present to the Vice President a petition
of 20,000 voting collegians endorsing him.

Motorcade Chairman is Jack Spreadbury

Depart station by motorcade enroute downtown
Liberty Ave., Fifth Ave., Grant St., 6th Ave.,
William Penn Place (1.8 mi. -:15)
actual :10

6:25 PM ARRIVE PENN-SHERATON HOTEL

Press Room located off lobby

1-1/2 HOURS STAFF WORK

Monday, October 24 (continued)

8:00 PM Depart hotel enroute to Syria Mosque (3.5 mi. - :25)
actual :17

8:25 PM ARRIVE SYRIA MOSQUE

Platform Committee:

Mr. and Mrs. Gwilym A. Price, Chairman of Board,
Westinghouse Electric Corporation
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mellon Scaife
Louis Oliver, Chairman, Democrats for Nixon-Lodge
Congressman James Fulton
Judge Blair Gunther, candidate for Supreme Court
Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Heinz
Hon. and Mrs. John Drew
Hon James H. Duff, former Governor
Congressman Robert J. Corbett

Program:

Master of Ceremonies is Ed Flaherty
Vice President introduced by Senator Hugh Scott

8:30 to 9:00 PM ADDRESS BY THE VICE PRESIDENT

Television newsreels

9:10 PM Depart auditorium for basement to greet overflow crowd,
estimated at 1500

9:30 PM Depart Syria Mosque enroute to Baltimore and Ohio
Railroad Station, via parkway (3.3 mi. - :15)
actual :11

9:45 PM Arrive Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Station

10:00 PM Board train

Tuesday, October 25

Baltimore and Ohio Railroad

4:15 AM EDT Depart Pittsburgh enroute to Marietta, Ohio
via Williamstown, West Virginia (148 mi. -5:15)

8:30 AM EST Arrive Williamstown, West Virginia AM: Bpb Krill

Tuesday, October 25

Baltimore and Ohio Railroad

4:15 AM EDT Depart Pittsburgh enroute to Marietta, Ohio
via Williamstown, West Virginia (148 mi. -5:15)

6:30 AM EST Arrive Williamstown, West Virginia AM: Bob Krill
Train proceeds immediately to Parkersburg,
West Virginia (12 mi. -1:35)

8:35 AM Depart Williamstown by motorcade enroute to Marietta, Ohio (1.5 mi. - :10)
actual :05
Motorcade Chairman is Edward Blackett

8:45 AM Arrive Marietta, Ohio - Ohio National Guard Armory
Population of Marietta is 17,000
Congressman is John E. Henderson (15th District)
not a candidate for re-election
Candidate for Congress is Thomas V.
Moorehead (15th District)
John C. Butcher, Wood County Chairman, is in
charge of arrangements
Reception Committee:
John Bricker, former U.S. Senator
C. William O'Neill, former Governor
Mayor Don Curtis
Flowers for Mrs. Nixon presented by
Miss Susan Lallahin (age 13)
Marietta High School Band and Choir
Platform Committee:
Clarence J. Brown, National Committeeman
Mrs. Katharine Kennedy Brown, National Committeewoman
Randall Metcalf, Washington County Chairman
Miss Martha Moore, State Central Committeewoman
Tom Lloyd, State Central Committeeman
Congressman John E. Henderson (retiring)
Courtney Burton, State Finance Chairman
Ray C. Bliss, State Chairman
Mrs. Howard H. Hudson, Co-Chairman, Nixon Volunteers
Dr. Clyde E. Williams, Co-Chairman, Nixon Volunteers
and State and Local Candidates

Program:

Master of Ceremonies is Harold Oyster
Invocation by Dr. Glover Johnson (Congregationalist)
Vice President introduced by Thomas V. Moorehead,
Candidate for Congress (15th District)

8:50 to
9:20 AM

ADDRESS BY THE VICE PRESIDENT

Greets platform guests following address

9:25 AM

Depart Marietta by motorcade enroute to
Parkersburg, West Virginia

(15.5 mi. -:30)
actual :25

9:55 AM

Arrive Parkersburg, West Virginia

AM: Bob Krill

Tuesday, October 25 (continued)

9:25 AM EST Depart Marietta by motorcade enroute to
Parkersburg, West Virginia (15.5 mi. -:30)
actual :25

9:55 AM EST Arrive Parkersburg, West Virginia AM: Bob Krill
Wood County Court House (East Side)

Bad weather alternative: Parkersburg
Memorial Field House of High School

Seating capacity: 4,000

Press facilities in front of County Court House

Population of Parkersburg is 46,000

Candidate for U. S. Senate is Cecil H. Underwood, Governor

Candidate for Governor is Harold E. Neely

Candidate for Congress is Clyde Pinson (4th District)

Reception Committee:

Governor and Mrs. Cecil Underwood, candidate for Senate
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Neely, Candidate for Governor
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pinson, Candidate for Congress
(4th District)

John C. Powell, Candidate for State Senate
Walter F. Hallanan, National Committeeman
Mrs. Pearl T. Harman, National Committeewoman
Jack Hoblitzell, former U.S. Senator, and West Virginia
Campaign Manager

Daniel Lauchery, State Chairman
John C. Butcher, Wood County Chairman
Mrs. Virginia Stevens, Associate State Chairman
Donald Deane, President, State Young Republicans
Mrs. Dorothy Heinzer, President, State Republican
Women's Federation
Edward H. Green, Chairman, State Volunteers for Nixon.

Flowers for Mrs. Nixon presented by Margery Nicely,
Chairman, Wood County Republican Women's Federation

Big Red Band of Parkersburg High School

Platform Committee:

Governor and Mrs. Cecil Underwood
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Neely
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pinson
John C. Powell, Candidate for State Senate
Walter F. Hallanan, National Committeeman
Mrs. Pearl T. Harman, National Committeewoman
Jack Hoblitzell, former U. S. Senator and West
Virginia Campaign Manager
Daniel Lauchery, State Chairman
John C. Butcher, Wood County Chairman
Joseph M. Handlan, State Senator

Program:

Master of Ceremonies is Joseph M. Handlan
Invocation by Rev. Preston Smith (Negro) Baptist
Vice President introduced by Governor Underwood

10:00 to
10:30 AM

ADDRESS BY THE VICE PRESIDENT

Greets platform guests following address

10:35 AM

Depart Court House enroute to railroad station (5 mi. -:05)
actual -:03

10:40 AM

Arrive 6th Street Railroad Station

10:50 AM EST

Depart Parkersburg enroute to Athens, Ohio (37 mi. -:50)

11:40 AM EST

Arrive Athens, Ohio

AM: Stan Lothridge

Tuesday, October 25 (continued)

10:50 AM EST Depart Parkersburg, West Virginia enroute
to Athens, Ohio (37 mi. -:50)

11:40 AM EST Arrive Athens, Ohio, Baltimore and Ohio AM: Stan
Railroad Station Lothridge

Population of Athens is 17,000

Candidate for Congress is Oakley C.
Collins (10th District)

Dr. L. E. Burnelle, County Chairman, is in
charge of arrangements

Flowers for Mrs. Nixon presented by Miss
Carol Downing

Bands at station: Jacksonville-Trimble High
School Band; Athens High School Band;
Gloucester High School Band

Program:
Master of Ceremonies is Ross Gregg

Vice President introduced by Oakley C.
Collins, Candidate for Congress (10th District)

REMARKS BY THE VICE PRESIDENT FROM REAR PLATFORM

12:10 PM EST Depart Athens enroute to Hamden, Ohio (31 mi. -:35)

12:45 PM EST Arrive Hamden, Ohio AM: Stan Lothridge

Tuesday, October 25 (continued)

12:10 PM EST Depart Athens enroute to Hamden, Ohio (31 mi. -:35)

12:45 PM EST Arrive Hamden, Ohio, Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Station AM: Stan Lothridge

Population of Hamden is 1,000

Candidate for Congress is Oakley C. Collins (10th District)

R. B. Will is in charge of arrangements

Bands at station: Wellston High School Band
McArthur High School Band
Richland High School Band
Hamden High School Band
Zuleski High School Band

9 high school bands

Master of Ceremonies is ^{+ four more} R. B. Will

Vice President introduced by Oakley C. Collins, Candidate for Congress (10th District)

REMARKS BY THE VICE PRESIDENT FROM REAR PLATFORM

Roy Nixon, ^{wife} first cousin of the Vice President introduced

Johnny Howell presented Bibb in 56

1:15 PM EST Depart Hamden enroute to Chillicothe, Ohio (30 mi. -:40)

1:55 PM EST Arrive Chillicothe, Ohio AM: Stan Lothridge

Cynthia Sprague presents flowers

Tuesday, October 25 (continued)

1:15 PM EST Depart Hamden, Ohio, enroute to Chillicothe, Ohio (30 mi. - :40)

1:55 PM EST Arrive Chillicothe, Ohio AM: Stan Lothridge

Population of Chillicothe is 26,000

Candidate for Congress is William H. Harsha, Jr. (6th Dist)

Leave train - walk to trainside platform at Wactangee Park

Band at Park: Chillicothe High School

Program:

Master of Ceremonies is Lowell T. "Red" Fess

The Vice President introduced by William W. Harsha, Jr., Candidate for Congress (6th District)

REMARKS BY THE VICE PRESIDENT

Board Train

2:25 PM EST Depart Chillicothe, Ohio, enroute to Cincinnati, Ohio (96 mi - 1:50)

*Oliver Austin
118 yrs old Negro
was going to be here
but didn't come
is reg. to vote Populist
Stokes withilly - school
McKinley hand*

Tuesday, October 25, 1960

2:25 PM EST Depart Chillicothe, Ohio, enroute to Cincinnati, Ohio (96 mi. - 1:50)

4:15 PM EST Arrive Cincinnati-Oakley Avenue Station (Suburban Cincinnati) AM: John Ehrlichman

Population of Cincinnati is 525,000
Congressmen are Gordon Scherer (1st District)
and William Hess (2nd District - retiring)
Candidate for Congress is Donald D. Clancy (2nd District)

In charge of arrangements is Al Highsmith

Flowers for Mrs. Nixon presented by Mrs. Robert Reckman

Reception Committee at Oakley Station:
Mayor Donald Clancy (Candidate for Congress)
Neil McElroy, former Secretary of Defense
Mrs. Robert Reckman, President of Republican Women's Club
Congressman William Hess, (retiring)
Senator John Sherman Cooper, of Kentucky
Senator Homer Capehart, of Indiana
Jules Apel, Candidate for Congress (5th District- Kentucky)
Judge George Eyrich, Jr., County Chairman
Doug Hoge, County Chairman, Nixon Volunteers

Motorcade Chairman is Carl Rubin

4:35 PM Depart station for Sheraton-Gibson Hotel

Motorcade (top down) via urban, commercial,
4-lane streets - 35 mph (7.1 mi. - :45)
actual :22

5:20 PM Arrive Sheraton-Gibson Hotel
Press Room: Florentine Room - Ground Floor

Possible remarks by the Vice President from
vicinity of bandwagon in Fountain Square

2 HOURS STAFF TIME

7:20 PM Depart Sheraton-Gibson Hotel enroute to Cincinnati Gardens Auditorium via Mill Creek Parkway and urban commercial streets - 2 and 4 lane, 35-50 mph (10 mi. - :30)
actual :20

Waiting room at auditorium available
to the Vice President

7:50 PM Arrive Cincinnati Gardens Auditorium

Tuesday, October 25 (continued)

Platform Committee:

Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge, candidate for Vice President
Fred Seaton, Secretary of Interior
William Rogers, Attorney General
Senator Homer Capehart of Indiana
Senator John Sherman Cooper of Kentucky
John Bricker, former Senator from Ohio
Mayor Donald Clancy
Congressman Gordon Scherer
Congressman William Hess
Jules Apel, candidate for Congress, from Kentucky
Neil McElroy, former Secretary of Defense
and 27 others

Band: Smitty's Band

Program:

Master of Ceremonies: Mayor Donald Clancy
Invocation by Reverend Page (Negro Church)
The Vice President introduced by Henry Cabot Lodge

8:00 PM to
8:30 PM

ADDRESS BY THE VICE PRESIDENT

Live TV - National CBS-TV network.

Benediction by Father Staunton

9:00 PM

Depart Auditorium

9:30 PM

Arrive Sheraton-Gibson Hotel

Remain overnight

Wednesday, October 26

6:30 AM

Baggage in lobby

7:00 AM

Depart Sheraton-Gibson Hotel enroute to Union Station

7:15 AM

Arrive Union Station

7:30 AM

Depart Cincinnati enroute to Middletown, Ohio

(32 mi. - :40)

October 26

New York Central Railroad

7:50 AM EST Depart Cincinnati, Ohio, enroute to
Middletown, Ohio (32 mi. -:40)

8:10 AM EST Arrive Middletown, Ohio AM: John Whitaker

Population of Middletown is 42,000

Congressman is Paul F. Schenck (3rd District)

John Moser, Butler County Chairman, is in charge of
arrangements

Reception Committee:

Brock Little, Middletown Campaign Chairman
Mrs. Betty Little, Co-Chairman, Volunteers for Nixon
Phil Cade, Co-Chairman, Volunteers for Nixon
Mrs. Anne Dawson, Chairman, Republican Women's Club
Allen Cooper, President, Young Republicans
C. R. Hook, retired Chairman, ARMCO Board
C. H. Murray, retired Vice President, ARMCO
Martin Coyle, County Treasurer
Donald Driscoll, President, Sorg Paper Company
Mr. Fran Carmody, former Chairman, City Commission
Mrs. Edna Sath, County Chairman, Women's Groups
Bob Hayden, Chairman, County Central Committee
John Moser, Butler County Chairman

Program:

Master of Ceremonies is John Moser
The Vice President is introduced by
Congressman Schenck

While receiving ovation, flowers will be presented
to Mrs. Nixon by Jenny Peters (6 years old), daughter
of Richard Peters, ARMCO Public Relations man.

REMARKS BY THE VICE PRESIDENT

From the rear platform of train

8:40 AM EST Depart Middletown enroute to Dayton, Ohio (21 mi. - :25)

9:05 AM EST Arrive Dayton, Ohio AM: John Whitaker

8:40 AM EST Depart Middletown, Ohio enroute to Dayton, Ohio (21 mi. -:25)

9:05 AM EST Arrive Dayton, Ohio, Union Station AM: John Whitaker

Population of Dayton is 400,000

Congressman is Paul F. Schenck (3rd District) County Chairman

Howard Young, Montgomery/ is in charge of arrangements

Reception Committee:

Mrs. Alberta Warner, Montgomery County Co-Chairman, Volunteers for Nixon

James F. Herrman, Montgomery County Finance Chairman

Mrs. Paul F. Schenck, wife of Congressman Schenck

Mrs. Gwen Kline, County Co-Chairman

Fred Van Allen, Montgomery County Treasurer

Frederick Young, Montgomery County Young Republican Chairman

Harry Jeffrey, State Secretary, Volunteers for Nixon

Flowers for Mrs. Nixon presented by Mrs. Gwen Kline

9:15 AM Depart by motorcade for Court House (4 blocks-:05) actual - :03

Motorcade Chairman is Tom Cecil

9:20 AM Arrive Court House

Platform Committee:

Howard Young, County Chairman

James F. Rhodes, State Auditor

Charles W. Whelan, Jr., Candidate for State Senate

David D. Albritton, Candidate for State Representative

Harry Jeffrey, Candidate for State Representative

Frank W. Mills, Candidate for State Representative

William L. Sanders, Candidate for State Representative

Mrs. Clara E. Weisenborn, State Representative

Bernard L. Keiter, Sheriff

and members of the Reception Committee

Program:

Master of Ceremonies is Howard Young, County Chairman

Vice President introduced by Congressman Paul F.

Schenck (3rd District)

9:25 to REMARKS BY THE VICE PRESIDENT

9:50 AM

Wednesday, October 26 (continued)

Greets platform guests following address

9:55 AM	Depart Court House by motorcade enroute to train	(4 blocks - :05) actual :03
10:00 AM	Arrive Dayton <u>Union Station</u>	
10:05 AM EST	Depart Dayton enroute to Springfield, Ohio	(25 mi. - :35)
10:40 AM EST	Arrive Springfield, Ohio	AM: John Whitaker

Wednesday, October 26 (continued)

New York Central Railroad

10:05 AM EST Depart Dayton, Ohio, enroute to
Springfield, Ohio (25 mi. - :35)

10:40 AM EST Arrive Springfield, Ohio AM: John Whitaker

Population of Springfield is 85,000

Congressman is Clarence J. Brown (7th District)

Russell D. Rouch, Clark County Chairman, is in
charge of arrangements

Program:
Russell Rouch is Master of Ceremonies

The Vice President is introduced by
Congressman Clarence J. Brown.

While receiving ovation, flowers will be
presented to Mrs. Nixon by Ruth Hynes (9 years old)

REMARKS BY THE VICE PRESIDENT
From the rear platform of the train

11:10 AM EST Depart Springfield enroute to Columbus, Ohio
(45 mi. - :50)

12 Noon EST Arrive Columbus, Ohio AM: Bill Black

Thursday, October 27 (continued)

Remarks by the Vice President from rear platform

12:55 PM EST Depart Battle Creek enroute to Kalamazoo,
Michigan 1/2 hr. - 23 mi.

1:20 PM EST Arrive Kalamazoo, Michigan, New York Kalamazoo pop:
Central Railroad Station 74,000

Congressman is August E. Johansen
(3rd District)

Remarks by the Vice President from rear platform

1:50 PM EST Depart Kalamazoo for Grand Rapids, Michigan 2 hrs. -49 mi.

3:45 PM EST Arrive Grand Rapids, Michigan Grand Rapids pop:
190,000

Congressman is Gerald R. Ford, Jr.,
(5th District)

3:50 PM Depart railroad station by motorcade for
Campau Square

4:00 PM Arrive Campau Square

4:05 PM Address by the Vice President

4:40 PM Depart Campau Square

4:50 PM Arrive railroad station - 9th and 'Muskegon' Avenue

4:55 PM EST Depart Grand Rapids for Muskegon, Michigan 1-1/4 hr. -40 mi.

6:10 PM EST Arrive Muskegon, Michigan, Laketon Musgegon pop:
Terminal of Grand Trunk Railroad 50,000

Congressman is Robert Griffin (9th District)

6:30 PM Depart railroad station by motorcade for
Occidental Hotel

6:45 PM Arrive Occidental Hotel PRESS ROOM:
8:15 PM Depart hotel for arena Russet Room -
mezzanine

8:20 PM Arrive L. C. Walker Memorial Sports Arena

8:25 PM Dedication Remarks by the Vice President

Thursday, October 27 (continued)

4:55 PM EST Depart Grand Rapids, Michigan, enroute to
Muskegon, Michigan (40 mi. - 1:15)

6:10 PM EST Arrive Muskegon, Michigan, Laketon
Terminal of Grand Trunk Railroad AM: John Warner

Population of Muskegon is 49,000
Congressman is Robert Griffin (9th District)
In charge of arrangements is Frederick C. Mielke

Reception Committee:

O. W. Shannon
Wendell A. Miles
Congressman and Mrs. Robert P. Griffin
Mr. and Mrs. Frederick C. Mielke, Chairman of Arrangements
Byrndene Frederickson
Gerald Graham
Paul C. Johnson
Oscar E. Bowsma
Harold DeMarr
Daniel C. Upton

Motorcade Chairman is William Snyder

6:30 PM Depart railroad station by motorcade enroute
to Occidental Hotel (2 mi. - :15)
actual :09

6:45 PM Arrive Occidental Hotel
Press Room: Russet Room - mezzanine

STAFF WORK

8:15 PM Depart Hotel

8:20 PM Arrive L.C. Walker Memorial Sports Arena (5 blocks - :05)
actual :03

Platform Committee:

H. Winston Hathaway
Rabbi Stanley Kaplan
Dr. E. N. Oliver, D.D.
J. C. Beukema
Mayor Don Sayfert
Congressman and Mrs. Griffin
Abe Hartsema

Flowers presented to Mrs. Nixon

Thursday, October 27 (continued)

Band: Muskegon High School Band

Program:

Master of Ceremonies is H. Winston Hathaway
Invocation by Rabbi Stanley Kaplan
The Vice President introduced by Congressman
Robert P. Griffin

8:25 to
8:45 PM

DEDICATION REMARKS BY THE VICE PRESIDENT

9:00 PM

Depart Arena

9:05 PM

Arrive platform just outside arena

Platform Committee:

Paul D. Bagwell, Candidate for Governor
Alvin E. Bentley, Senatorial Candidate

The Vice President introduced by Paul D. Bagwell,
Candidate for Governor

9:10 to
9:25 PM

REMARKS BY THE VICE PRESIDENT (POLITICAL)

9:30 PM

Depart for Laketon Terminal

(1.5 mi. - :10)
actual :06

9:40 PM

Arrive Laketon Terminal

10:00 PM

Depart Muskegon enroute to Danville, Illinois
via Fort Wayne, Indiana

AM:
Ned Sullivan
Sherm Unger

Thursday, October 27

New York Central Railroad

7:30 AM EST Depart Toledo, Ohio, enroute to
Monroe, Michigan (24 mi. - :30)

8:00 AM EST Arrive Monroe, Michigan
(Train stops at East Chester Avenue and
foot of East Second Street.) AM: Jim Murphy

Population of Monroe is 25,000
Congressman is George Meader (2nd District)
In charge of arrangements is Milton Ranabusch

Bands at railroad station: Dundee High School
and Airport Community High School

Flowers for Mrs. Nixon presented by Mrs. Edith Bagwell

Reception Committee:

Larry Lindemer, State Chairman
Mr. & Mrs. Paul Bagwell, Candidate for Governor
Mr. & Mrs. Alvin Bentley, Candidate for Senate
Mr. & Mrs. John Martin, National Committeeman
Mrs. Ella Koeze, National Committeewoman
Delmont Chapman, Candidate, State Legislature
Elmer Porter, Candidate, State Senate
George Meader, Congressman (2nd District)
Dr. Lawrence Forest, Mayor of Monroe (Independent)

Program:

Master of Ceremonies is Ed McCormick, former County Chairman

The Vice President introduced by Congressman Meader

REMARKS BY THE VICE PRESIDENT
From the rear platform of train

Press phones located left side of train

8:30 AM EST Depart Monroe, Michigan enroute to
Ann Arbor, Michigan (70 mi. - 1:35)

10:05 AM EST Arrive Ann Arbor, Michigan

Thursday, October 27 (continued)

8:30 AM EST Depart Monroe, Michigan, enroute to Ann Arbor, Michigan (70 mi. - 1:35)
10:05 AM EST Arrive Ann Arbor, Michigan AM: Jim Murphy
New York Central Station

Trainside rally. The Vice President to wait in station until introduced.

Population of Ann Arbor is 63,000

Congressman is George Meader (2nd District)

In charge of arrangements is Wendell Hobbs

Band: Ann Arbor High School

Flowers for Mrs. Nixon presented by Miss Sue Kennedy

Reception Committee:

Wendell Hobbs, County Chairman (Washtenaw)
Norm Randall, Ann Arbor City Chairman
Ed Sherburn, County Chairman "Citizens for Nixon"
Dr. Richard Judge, Chairman of "Faculty for Nixon",
University of Michigan
Mayor Cecil Creal
Harlan Hatcher, President, University of Michigan
Ken MacDonald, Congressional Chairman of 2nd District
of Volunteers for Nixon
Albert Warnhoff, "Ann Arbor Santa Claus"
Josephine McKenna, Chairman of College Youth for Nixon

Program:

Master of Ceremonies is Ken MacDonald,
Congressional Chairman of 2nd District of
Volunteers for Nixon
Vice President introduced by Congressman George Meader

REMARKS BY THE VICE PRESIDENT

College Youth for Nixon will present the Vice President
with a special petition endorsing Nixon.

Press tables to right of platform

Board train

10:35 AM EST Depart Ann Arbor enroute to Jackson, Michigan (38 mi. - :35)
11:10 AM EST Arrive Jackson, Michigan

1102 Chelsea

Thursday, October 27 (continued)

10:35 AM EST Depart Ann Arbor, Michigan, enroute to Jackson, Michigan (38 mi. - :35)

11:10 AM EST Arrive Jackson, Michigan

Population of Jackson is 53,000

Congressman is George Meader (2nd District)

The Vice President to be escorted to platform at side of train by George Beach, County Chairman.

Press tables will be set up on the platform.

Platform Committee:

Larry Lindemer, State Chairman
Paul Bagwell and Mrs. Bagwell, Candidate for Governor
Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bentley, Candidate for Senator
Mr. and Mrs. John Martin
Congressman George Meader (2nd District)
George Beach, County Chairman
Mun Furman, Chairman of Event
Barry Beaman, Treasurer, State Finance Committee
Mrs. Babe Dettling, Secretary of Republican Party
Haskell Nichols, State Senator
Bill Bassett, State Legislator
James Falks, State Legislator
Elmer Pettit, Chairman of Democrats for Nixon

In charge of arrangements is Mun Furman
Flowers to be presented to Mrs. Nixon by Mrs. Mary Walker

Program:

Master of Ceremonies is George Beach
The Vice President will be introduced by Paul Bagwell,
Candidate for Governor

REMARKS BY THE VICE PRESIDENT

Live radio by WKHM, WIBM
TV film by WILX and WJIM

A cake will be presented to the Vice President by
Conrad Bakery

Board Train

11:40 AM EST Depart Jackson, Michigan enroute to Battle Creek, Michigan (33 mi. - :45)

12:25 PM EST Arrive Battle Creek, Michigan AM: Bob Krill

Thursday, October 27 (continued)

11:40 AM EST Depart Jackson, Michigan, enroute to
Battle Creek, Michigan (38 mi. - :45)

12:25 PM EST Arrive Battle Creek, Michigan AM: Bob Krill

Population of Battle Creek is 50,000

Congressman is August E. Johansen (3rd District)

Flowers for Mrs. Nixon presented by Mrs. Ford
Jarvis, former member, State Central Committee

Program:
Master of Ceremonies is Congressman August E. Johansen

Congressman Johansen introduces the Vice President

REMARKS BY THE VICE PRESIDENT
Radio WBCK, WELL

12:55 PM EST Depart Battle Creek enroute to
Kalamazoo, Michigan (23 mi. - :25)

1:20 PM EST Arrive Kalamazoo, Michigan AM: Bob Krill

Thursday, October 27 (continued)

12:55 PM EST Depart Battle Creek, Michigan, enroute to
Kalamazoo, Michigan (23 mi. - :25)

1:20 PM EST Arrive Kalamazoo, Michigan AM: Bob Krill
New York Central Railroad Station

Population of Kalamazoo is 74,000

Congressman is August E. Johansen (3rd District)

In charge of arrangements is Robert J. Barber

Flowers for Mrs. Nixon presented by
Miss Eleanor G. Bennett, President, Kalamazoo
County Republican Women

Band at station: Eddie Snugg's Band

Program:

Master of Ceremonies is James S. Gilmore, Jr., Mayor

The Vice President introduced by Congressman
August E. Johansen (3rd District)

REMARKS BY THE VICE PRESIDENT

From rear of train

1:50 PM Depart Kalamazoo, Michigan, enroute to
Grand Rapids, Michigan (49 mi. - 1:55)

3:45 PM EST Arrive Grand Rapids, Michigan AM: Bob Krill

Thursday, October 27 (continued)

1:50 PM EST Depart Kalamazoo, Michigan enroute to
Grand Rapids, Michigan (49 mi. -1:55)

3:45 PM EST Arrive Grand Rapids, Michigan AM: Bob Krill
Pennsylvania Railroad Freight Station
Population of Grand Rapids is 190,000
Candidate for U. S. Senate is Alvin M. Bentley
Candidate for Governor is Paul D. Bagwell
Congressman is Gerald R. Ford, Jr., (5th District)
Walter J. Russell is in charge of arrangements
Flowers for Mrs. Nixon presented by Miss Jan Yentsch
Reception Committee:
Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Russell
Mayor Stanley J. Davis (Democrat)
Dr. and Mrs. Willard VerMeulen, former County
Chairman
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Waer, former County Chairman
Mr. and Mrs. Ted Brink

3:50 PM Depart freight station by motorcade enroute to
Campau Square (1.5 - :10)
actual :05
Motorcade Chairman is Lewis Simhauser

4:00 PM Arrive Campau Square
Bad weather alternative: Civic Auditorium
Seating Capacity 4500
Platform Committee:
Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence T. Lindemer State
Chairman
Mr. and Mrs. John B. Martin, National
Committeeman
Mrs. Albert S. Koeze (Cozy), National Committeewoman
Mr. and Mrs. Paul D. Bagwell, Candidate for
Governor
Mr. and Mrs. Alvin M. Bentley, Candidate for U. S.
Senate
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reid, Candidate for Lt.
Governor

Thursday, October 27 (continued)

Platform Committee (continued):

John Clemens, Candidate for Auditor General
William Kreger, Candidate for Secretary of State
David Calhoun, Candidate for State Treasurer
Wendall A. Miles, Candidate for Attorney General
and 40 local candidates and county leaders

Flowers for Mrs. Nixon presented by Barbara Rozell

Program:

Invocation: Rev. Don Folden (Baptist)
Master of Ceremonies is Bob Howlett, County
Chairman
Vice President introduced by Congressman
Gerald Ford (5th District)

4:05 to
4:35 PM

ADDRESS BY THE VICE PRESIDENT

Greets platform guests following address

4:40 PM

Depart Campau Square enroute to railroad station
(1.5 mi. - :10)
actual :05

4:50 PM

Arrive railroad tracks 9th and Muskegon Avenue

4:55 PM

Depart Grand Rapids enroute to Muskegon,
Michigan (40 mi. - 1:15)

6:10 PM

Arrive Muskegon, Michigan AM: John Warner

Mon. -Oct. 17

BANDWAGON SCHEDULE

Monday, October 24 - Thursday, October 27, 1960

City	Train	Running Time	Highway Miles	Bandwagon		Advance Man
				Running Time	#1 #2	
York Penna.	AR 8:00 AM LV 8:30 AM	0:50	25	1:00	X(?)	Jim Murphy
Harrisburg	AR 9:20 AM LV 10:20 AM	2:00	106	2:30	X	Jim Murphy
Huntingdon	AR 12:20 PM * LV 12:50 PM	0:50	30	0:50		Jim Murphy
Altoona	AR 1:40 PM LV 2:10 PM	1:00	41	1:10	X	Ned Sullivan
Johnstown	AR 3:10 PM LV 3:40 PM	0:55	39	1:10		Ned Sullivan
Greensburg	AR 4:35 PM LV 5:05 PM	0:50	30	1:00	X	Ned Sullivan
Pittsburgh	AR 5:55 PM LV 2:45 AM	(overnight)	130	4:00	X (?)	Sherm Unger
Marietta, Ohio	AR 8:30 AM LV 9:15 AM	0:35	13	0:30	X	Bob Krill
Parkersburg West Va.	AR 9:50 AM LV 10:50 AM	0:50	39	1:10	X	Bob Krill
Athens, Ohio	AR 11:40 AM LV 12:10 PM	0:30	36	1:00		Stan Lothridge

*Times shown are Daylight Saving but Huntingdon is actually on Standard.

Bandwagon Schedule (continued)

Mon. Oct. 24-Thurs. Oct. 27

City	Train	Running Time	Bandwagon		Advance Man
			Highway Miles	Running Time	
Hamden	AR 12:45 PM LV 1:15 PM	0:40	41	1:15	Stan Lothridge
Chillicothe	AR 1:55 PM LV 2:25 PM	2:10	95	2:00	Stan Lothridge
Cincinnati	AR 4:35 PM LV 7:30 AM	(overnight) 0:40	39	1:10	X John Ehrlichman
Middletown	AR 8:10 AM LV 8:40 AM	0:25	25	0:45	X(alt.) Bob Ogden
Dayton	AR 9:05 AM LV 10:05 AM	0:35	25	9:45	X(alt.) Bob Ogden
Springfield	AR 10:40 AM LV 11:10 AM	0:50	44	1:15	X(alt.) Bob Ogden
Columbus	AR 12:00 Noon LV 1:15 PM	1:25	45	1:15	X Bill Black
Marion	AR 2:40 PM LV 3:10 PM	1:00	54	1:35	X Bill Black
Lima	AR 4:10 PM LV 5:15 PM	1:25	79	2:15	Bill Black
Toledo	AR 6:40 PM LV 7:30 AM	(overnight) 0/30	20	0:45	X X Dick Miller
Monroe, Mich. (21,000)	AR 8:00 AM LV 8:30 AM	1:35	40	1:15	Jim Murphy
Ann Arbor (48,000)	AR 10:05 Am LV 10:35 AM	0:35	34	1:00	X Jim Murphy

Bandwagon Schedule (cont'd)
 Mon. Oct. 24-Thurs. Oct. 27

City	Train	Running Time	Bandwagon		Advance Man
			Highway Miles	Running Time	
Jackson (51,000)	AR 11:10 AM LV 11:40 AM	0:45	42	1:15	Jim Murphy
Battle Creek (49,000)	AR 12:25 PM LV 12:55 PM	0:25	24	0:45	Bob Krill
Kalamazoo (58,000)	AR 1:20 PM LV 1:50 PM	1:55	48	1:25	Bob Krill
Grand Rapids (177,000)	AR 3:45 PM LV 4:45 PM	1:15	40	1:15	Bob Krill
Muskegon (67,000)	AR 6:00 PM LV 10:25 PM				John Warner

*Illinois Schedule assumes #2
 will do Muskegon

October 15, 1960

MEMORANDUM TO ADVANCE MEN

RE: TRAIN ADVANCING

There are, of course, a number of special requirements involved in advance arrangements for the train. In general, train stops will fall into three categories:

1. Whistle-stop -- speech from rear platform of train.
2. Off-train station rally -- speech from railroad station or platform built near train tracks.
3. Off-train, downtown rally -- motorcade from train to auditorium or other point for speech.

Other than the general provisions covered below, an off-train downtown rally is set up about the same as a regular campaign stop from an airplane. The train pulls into the station and the party moves to cars to drive to the hotel or meeting place. The station should, of course, be decorated and there should be a crowd and a band -- just as at an airport.

Off-train station rallies:

The train should stop at a pre-determined point so that the official party can move from the rear car to the platform as quickly as possible. The Vice President will leave the train and take his place on the platform as soon as the train stops. He should be introduced as quickly as possible -- get the preliminary program over before the train arrives and have the band play to fill the interval.

There must be a press section with tables, phones, etc., the same as at an ordinary rally. Be sure that the members of the press are able to move from their cars at the forward part of the train back to the press tables.

At conclusion of speech, the party will return directly to the train and leave for the next stop.

Whistle-stops:

These will be the most frequent train stops and require some special arrangements. The train should be stopped so that the rear platform is in the best position for the VP's speech. This is done, with the cooperation of local railroad people, by placing a stake at the point where the engineer is to stop the engine -- calculating the length of the train from there back to the speaking point. Your job is to decide on position of rear platform. RR men will do the rest.

Location should be determined on the basis of the best place to assemble a crowd.

The rear platform of the train will serve as the speaker's platform -- and the local MC should be prepared to step right up onto this platform to introduce the top dignitaries. Then the top state or local candidate should introduce the VP -- who will come out to the platform from the door to his car.

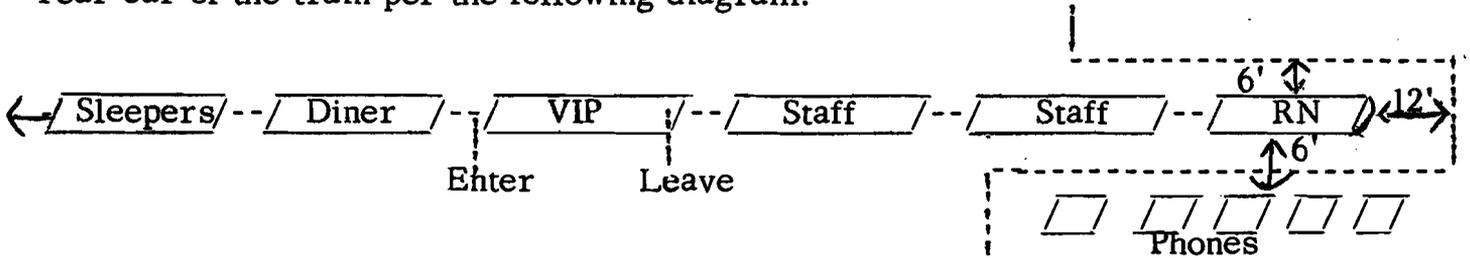
The number of candidates and officials to be introduced should be held to an absolute minimum. Do not go below candidates for Congress. If there is a Republican mayor, he should be introduced, or perhaps serve as MC.

The group to be introduced should wait at the foot of the steps to the rear platform and as each name is called, the individual goes up on the platform, waves, then down the other side. Only two or three people should remain on the platform when the VP comes out to speak. There isn't room for any more.

Immediately at the conclusion of the speech, the train will pull out -- so any presentations should be made before the speech, as soon as the VP comes out.

There should, of course, be a band and decorating in the area.

For safety of the crowd, it is essential to provide rope barriers around the rear car of the train per the following diagram.



The rope across the back is, of course, a drop line -- and is put in place as soon as the train has pulled into position - before the crowd is allowed to fill in behind the train on the tracks. There must be a 6-foot lane kept clear on both sides of the rear car for its full length -- and a 12-foot area kept clear behind the rear of the train.

Local railroad officials will generally be happy to provide ropes and stanchions for the above purpose.

No press tables are required. The press will stand inside the secured area. Phones should be provided within easy access -- either LD terminal on tables alongside the train forward of the rear car or pay booths in the same location, or both.

Advancing for whistle-stops is generally simpler than for regular rallies since no motorcades or hotels are involved. Be sure, however, that the location for the stop is carefully selected; that the publicity is given great emphasis; and that everything is done to insure a big crowd and lots of color. All the basic crowd-building ideas should be used -- plus any others you think of.

The train will carry its own PA and speaker system -- so this does not need to be provided on the ground.

General Provisions:

It is customary on the campaign train to let a group of dignitaries from stop B board the train at stop A and ride into their area with the VP. A VIP lounge car is provided for this purpose. The group to board the train must never total more than 40 persons. This will include some state officials who will ride all the way through their state. Clear with the office before setting a number to board at any stop.

The local committee must provide numbered credentials to those who are to board the train. They will also have to provide one-way transportation to the preceding stop. It should be clearly understood in advance that only those with proper credentials and only the number approved will be permitted to board. Refreshments will be available to traveling VIP's. Have a local committee member check the VIPs on.

Basic contact with the railroad is the station-master at each stop.