

Thursday, October 26, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

I think Secretary McNamara would appreciate having a picture of his perennial harrasser.

Attachment
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Mary,

5/18/67

This was returned to us, clipped
to the back of some papers President
had indicated he wanted for lunch
meeting. If it hasn't been acted on,
maybe you want to re-submit it.

Lois Nivens

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Tuesday, May 16, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

Although I have tried, I have been unable to get a good picture of your weekly luncheon because you start eating as soon as you sit down. Then it becomes impossible to get a picture without someone with his mouth wide open.

Would you mind having your sherry in the dining room today and not getting served for a few minutes? Then, I think I could get my picture.

Approve _____

Disapprove _____

MEMORANDUM

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Wednesday, December 13, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

I understand you do not like any of the pictures we sent up.

If I may have a full 15 minutes -- plus one hour to prepare lights in advance -- I would like to try it again.

Try it again?

Yes

☒

No

Oke,

There is some urgency -----

We have to get the picture approved, printed and in folders for mailing as XMAS gifts to 95 Cartoonists.

mjdr

Dec 14

Monday, November 27, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

I realize that these meetings with Congressmen on the surtax are vitally important to you. The idea behind these pictures was to try visually to represent the problems of the \$29 billion deficit. The pictures were taken by simple double exposure on the film. This means that I took about half a roll of just the blackboard, rewound the film in the camera and then took action pictures of you while you spoke on the already exposed film. The results are those double images that you asked about.

Rec'd
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11/9/67

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Thursday, November 9, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

My friend, Ted Spiegel, a professional photographer, took the attached picture of you. He has written me asking if you would inscribe it to him. I know he would be most appreciative.

Attachment:

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Attachment:

TED SPIEGEL - ASMP
Magazine and Advertising Photography
732 EAST OLIVE STREET • SEATTLE, WASH. 98122
EAST 4-5881

October 20, 1967

Dear Oke:

I'll be down under by the time you get this - in Australia, that is. Countless times I've forgotten to ask you to get these autographed with an inscription if possible. Would like them to join up with my Kennedy shot (also autographed). I realize this is an imposition, but that \$25 Kennedy shot did give you some mileage, and let's consider this as my bonus.

Was giving a talk on photography at an Art School here in Seattle this A.M. Posed your Ky-Johnson shot as a demonstration of significant detail. Would really appreciate that Johnson -Russell shot, as well as the ~~the~~ Ky-Johnson, if you would be so kind - with your signature!

Best - and letter to come from Australia - Ted -

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P.S. - Just mail it all back to Seattle ^{Si-} Ted
_{here}

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 2, 1964


Dear Mr. Spiegel:

Kay Reese sent us a print of the picture you took of President Johnson in Seattle last week.

All of us think it is one of the best pictures we have seen of the President and he likes it so well that he has asked that some be made up for him to autograph to special people.

The President is grateful for your generosity and is very pleased to have the photograph.

Sincerely,


George E. Reedy
Press Secretary
to the President

Mr. Ted Spiegel
Rapho Guillumette Pictures
59 East 54th Street
New York 22, New York

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WASHINGTON

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TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

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Attachment
A5023-04

Approved 1 *Disapproved* —

Wednesday, October 11, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

Here are the improved prints of the family portrait that you like.

Attachments
C6803-15

Thursday, October 5, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

We have made only proofs of the family group pictures. When a choice is made we can go into more complicated color correction for the final prints. Would you please let Mrs. Johnson, Lynda, Liz Carpenter, etc., see these for their choide.

I don't care.

LBJ/mf

10-2-67

9:00p

MEMORANDUM

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Monday, October 2, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

OK

I fear that the suggestion I made of collecting pictures of various White House staffers with you is not working out.

We have combed through our files and have even tried to take a few on the spot, but there are just too many deserved people who do not get within camera range of you within the year. I suggest that we forget the project as a few would be happy but too many would be disappointed.

Drop project _____

Continue project _____

MEMORANDUM

(21)

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 22, 1967

MEMORANDUM TO THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

There are many people in supporting positions at the White House who have never received a picture of you and would indeed like to have one as memorabilia for having worked here. Secret Servicemen, various secretaries, White House Police -- are good examples.

I believe that we have good candid action pictures of many of these folks with you in our picture file. These pictures, mounted and signed, would make ideal Christmas presents from you this coming December. The reason I suggest this now is that it will take us a long time to find the pictures in case you like the idea.

Should we begin searching and printing?

Yes



No

Friday, September 22, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

These pictures, taken last night in the Yellow Oval Room, are the intimate type of thing I was hoping to get with each guest. However, in order to get them it will be necessary for you to stay on your feet, roam about, and speak at least a few words to each guest with your glasses off. If you sit down in the usual chair, I have a completely dormant and unproductive situation.

Also, with you and the guests standing I can usually manage to keep any drinks out of the picture.

Attachments

A4812-20A

A4812-13A

A4812-04A

A4812-06A

A4814-12

A4814-10

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Friday, September 1, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

These prints were made from color film, taken at the President's request. Unfortunately black and white prints from color negatives do not print well. These are the best we have.

MEMORANDUM

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Thursday, August 24, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

I am sorry but the picture I tried to take of you and the Leadership was a complete failure. It is so bad I don't even want to show it to you. I just seem to have blanked out technically and esthetically. May I have another try?

Yes



No

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE


WASHINGTON


Monday, August 21, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

I believe it would be beneficial to change your official photograph periodically. We could substitute this one (attached) for the old if you like it.

Use the new 

Retain the old 

Attachment
C6322-8A

" This makes me look silly "

LBJ/ms

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

August 16, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT
FROM: OKAMOTO

Every time I see Lynda she complains to me that she never gets to see any of the pictures that I take of her.

Would it be all right for Mary or Yolanda to send my pictures of Lynda to her?

Yes _____

No ☒ _____

I'll ask her not to complain. After all
she hasn't invested much in this
project -
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Monday, August 7, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

Marvin has instructed me to give you a report on the fastest service we can give you for rush pictures to the Press Office for release. The following services can be given only when our lab is notified in advance, so that darkrooms may be cleared for action. This may delay some routine work.

Black and white prints:

From the time the picture is taken to delivery of the final prints to the Press Office, we need a minimum of 4 hours.

Color prints:

A color print will require a minimum of 6 hours.

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Monday, July 17, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

You once sent me a note saying that we should use another quality of paper for our photographic prints. Attached are samples of the old and the new.

You will note that the new paper does not have the surface sheen and is also a bit warmer (browner in tone). If you prefer the new paper, we will convert as quickly as possible.

Convert to new paper



Continue using old paper

If you prefer the new paper, we would, of course, like to continue using up the old as long as our current stocks last.

Attachments

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Tuesday, June 27, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

Twenty-one of my lab boys, who never see you, worked from 12 to 26 hours overtime in order to prepare the albums you gave Messrs. Kosygin and Gromyko.

May I please have autographed photographs prepared for each of these men?

Yes ☒ No ☐

Would you consider the attached photo acceptable?

Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, may I suggest that they be signed: "With gratitude for your extra efforts during the Glassboro summit conference."

Attachment:

Tuesday, June 27, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

Here's what Chuck Bailey did with our Sit Room pictures.

Attachment

June 26, 1967
Monday - 10:10 a.m.

FOR THE PRESIDENT

I know you have been thinking about a picture book for 1968, and I've spoken to Oke and Jack Valenti about the kind of pictures that should be used.

My impression of most of the photographs we put out is that they are "staged." There is a self-conscious, now-let's-take-a-picture quality about them. That puts people off, whether in photographs of their families or of their President.

Pictures of you are generally from the left side, without glasses, and show a rather bland expression. You look as if you're trying hard to seem "nice," fatherly, etc.; the image, rather than the reality, of a leader. You look as if you are feigning, not being.

What does not come across is the urgency of your personality; the sense that you are heavily occupied with the country's business -- too occupied to "pose" in the conventional sense. Little of your strength of character and purpose is revealed.

When you put your glasses on and forget about Oke, forget about striking an attitude for the camera, you come out of the photographs as a live, energetic, thrusting spirit. If I didn't know you, and were merely one voter in ninety million, I would think "There is the President at work. I may not like his politics, but it's clear that he's working at his job full-time and doing the best he knows how." If I were the same voter and saw the usual photograph we put out, I would say "There's old Johnson, trying to look like a plaster saint, when everybody knows he's a wheeler-dealer politician."

I asked Oke for some photographs of the kind I like. They are attached. I believe very strongly that they should heavily predominate in any picture book for next year.

Harry C. McPherson, Jr.

Attachments

Monday, June 5, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT
FROM: OKAMOTO

This is one of my favorite pictures of you. On June 22nd,
my family is having a big celebration of my mother's/60th
year in the United States. Mrs. Shina Okamura

Would you inscribe this to her? You might like: "Best
wishes on your 60th anniversary in the United States. You've
been here longer than I have!"

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May 23, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT
FROM: OKAMOTO

We requested a set of pictures taken by USIS in Bonn. Thought you would like to see them.

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OPERATIONS MEMORANDUM

TO: Mr. Yoichi R. Okamoto
White House, Staff Assistant
FROM: USIS Bonn *JK*
SUBJECT: Photographs to Be Presented to The President
REF: Unclass WH 70247, 70250, Unclass State 190534

DATE: May 18, 1967

Attached please find 25 black and white enlargements - paper size and borders as requested - on President Johnson's recent visit to Bonn. For possible reproduction, photographs are printed in glossy; for captions please see separate sheet.

All photographs were taken by USIS Bonn staff and contract photographers. USIS made no color coverage.

Enclosure: 25 photos

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 22, 1967

MEMORANDUM TO THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

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I believe that we have good candid action pictures of many of these folks with you in our picture file. These pictures, mounted and signed, would make ideal Christmas presents from you this coming December. The reason I suggest this now is that it will take us a long time to find the pictures in case you like the idea.

Should we begin searching and printing?

Yes ☒ No ☐

Tuesday, May 16, 1967

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FROM: OKAMOTO

Although I have tried, I have been unable to get a good picture of your weekly luncheon because you start eating as soon as you sit down. Then it becomes impossible to get a picture without someone with his mouth wide open.

Would you mind having your sherry in the dining room today and not getting served for a few minutes? Then, I think I could get my picture.

Approve _____

Disapprove _____

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 16, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

Would you like me to edit and print up a suitable album for each Governor you met at the Governors' Conference in Hartford?

Yes _____

No _____

*Just Pix
no album
JED - myde
5-17-67*

Mr. President,

A reminder -----

These albums "cost" in the neighborhood of \$60 each.

You have just sent all the Governors pictures of your session with them all here in Washington --- and the booklet for the Governors will be ready for sending about Friday.

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April 4, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

These are some impressions I got while you were away, of the Easter egg roll. I thought you might like to see them.

Attachments

C4827-18

C4827-20

C4827-36A

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

March 30, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT
FROM: OKAMOTO

(L)

For your information, the receiving line pictures of 150 handshakes took us 12 minutes last night.

March 28, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

Our advance man, Michael Geissinger, took these pictures to give you an idea of some of the preparation which goes into your arrival on Guam.

Attachments

4782-19

4794-24A

4795-24a

4781-07

March 23, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

As you know, we took a lot of pictures at the historic Guam conferences. Would you like me to make a selection of prints for you to send sets or albums to the principals? These would, of course, be subject to your approval.

Approve _____ Disapprove _____

Albums to:

Air Marshal Ky	Yes _____	No _____
Lt. Gen. Thieu	Yes _____	No _____
Ambassador Lodge	Yes _____	No _____
Ambassador Niem	Yes _____	No _____
General Wheeler	Yes _____	No _____
Secretary Rusk	Yes _____	No _____
General Westmoreland	Yes _____	No _____
Ambassador Bunker	Yes _____	No _____
Ambassador Locke	Yes _____	No _____
Mr. Gaud	Yes _____	No _____
Ambassador Harriman	Yes _____	No _____
Admiral Bird	Yes _____	No _____
Mr. Zorthian	Yes _____	No _____

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Admiral Sharp	Yes _____	No _____
Mr. Helms	Yes _____	No _____
General Taylor	Yes _____	No _____
Mr. Komer	Yes _____	No _____
Secretary McNamara	Yes _____	No _____

All other Americans to receive one Album?

Yes _____ No _____

All other Vietnamese to receive one album?

Yes _____ No _____

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Tuesday, March 14, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT
FROM: OKAMOTO

I feel that we have never gotten a good full Cabinet picture. The attached is my idea of one that would be editorially valuable and of different composition. Technically, this calls for the setting up of lights in advance and I need about 10 minutes of the Cabinet's time when every Cabinet member is present.

Would you let me try it?

Yes ☒ No ☐

Attachment

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(in order of Precedence)

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March 1, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT
FROM: OKAMOTO

Would you like to give this to Marvin?

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MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Thursday, March 2, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

Because of the size of the negative it is humanly impossible to retouch the tele-prompters out of the picture.

February 23, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Okamoto

Here is the picture that you admired so much in President Park's Blue House in Seoul. Sorry it has taken so long, but I did not have enough light to get it in color when we were there, and had to ask USIS, Seoul, to have it photographed for us.

Attachment
C4596-04

Friday, February 17, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

Shall we print up one for each of the Chicago Board of Trade members in this photo?

Yes

☒

No

☐

Attachment
A3678-13

February 17, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

When you posed with each of your "bright young men" down in the Mess, you boosted their morale immeasurably. It was a nice reward for hard work by men who seldom get credit.

However, I find that four of them did not attend and were not photographed with you on the night of that meeting -- January eighteenth.

Would you mind taking two minutes to give them similar pictures sometime at your convenience?

Yes _____ No _____

The four:

Tom Cronin
Bill Graham
Bill Jorden
Don Ropa

February 16, 1967

Mary:

To the best of our knowledge, this is the list of
Bright Young Men who attended the Jan. 18th
reception:

✓Cliff Alexander
✓Fred Bohen
✓Walter Coyne
✓Chuck Cooper
no Tom Cronin
✓Nat Davis
✓Ervin Duggan
✓Larry Eagleburger
✓Jim Gaither
no Bill Graham
✓Bob Hardesty
✓Dick Holbrooke
✓Ed Hamilton
✓Tom Johnson
✓Will Sparks

✓Jim Jones
✓Bill Jorden
✓Spurge Keeny
✓Larry Levinson
✓Jack McNulty
✓Charles Maguire
✓Sherwin Markman
✓Dick Moose
✓Doug Nobles
✓Fred Panzer
✓John Robson
Don Ropa
✓Hal Saunders
✓Whitney Shoemaker
✓Ben Wattenberg

Attached is the list of the Young Staff Group as it
is today.

Sarah

✓Walter Schaefer
✓Bob Pacheco
✓Bill Bowdler
✓Ted Jan Dake
✓Hayes Redmon

Bess Abell
Cliff Alexander
Fred Bohen
Bill Bowdler
Matt Coffey
Chuck Cooper
Bob Cox
Walter Coyne
Tom Cronin
Nat Davis
Ervin Duggan
Larry Eagleburger
Jim Falcon
Jim Gaither
Ashton Gonella
Bill Graham
Ed Hamilton
Bob Hardesty
Eliska Hasek
Dick Holbrooke
Tom Johnson
Jim Jones

Spurge Keeny
Larry Levinson
Jack McNulty
Marsha Maddox
Charles Maguire
Sherwin Markman
Jim Marsh
Dick Moose
Doug Nobles
Fred Panzer
Hayes Redmon
John Robson
Don Ropa
Peter Rosenblatt
Marta Ross
Hal Saunders
Bill Schoen
Lou Schwartz
Whitney Shoemaker
Will Sparks
Ben Wattenberg

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

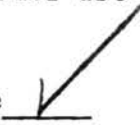
Friday, February 3, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

May we send the attached photographs of Ambassador Locke and Ambassador Tomic to USIA for use in their overseas posts?

Approve



Disapprove

Attachments:

A3596-20

A3601-20A

Sent
2/8/67
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MEMORANDUM

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Wednesday, January 25, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Okamoto

These are the pictures we took for Bess Abell on Monday night.

Approve ☒

Disapprove ☐

Attachments:

C4326-8

C4326-2

(Pres said: "Let's have some of these made ((just the top one)
12 color 11x14 sent to Pres ofc 2/3/67

Oke:

On the John Connor pictures, the President approved tonight. He wants them in an album and wants ONE more added, perhaps of him and Connor at Ranch in color.

If that not available, then he wants attached but unmounted in an 11x14 size. Will you rush it to Nell Yates who will be preparing album for gift-giving tomorrow night. Thanks.

Yolanda

1-26-67

930 pm

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 19, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Okamoto

These are extra prints from Dorothy Territo's archives. Would you care to give any or all of these to Secretary Connor as a souvenir album? It could be your personal gift to him at his farewell party in the Yellow Oval Room.

Yes ✓ No

Attachments

Jan. 26, 1967

Mr. President:

Would you like to have these pictures of Secy John Connor put into an album for your presenting to him at Reception honoring him tomorrow?

Put in page book -
☒ Yes ☐ No

Don't we have one of us at yb Ranch *Q*

I do not think any of these are good enough of
me to send.

LBJ:mary s

1/13/67

6:00p

C4110-10

15 Dec.

C4110-3

C4110-4

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 12, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

Here are the pictures of you and your staff. We have made several copies of those that you approved so that, if you care to, you can give one to each staffer pleasing to him.

Mike Manatos
Bob Komer
George Christian
Bob Fleming
Henry Wilson
Joe Califano
Bill Hopkins
Doug Cater
Walt Rostow
Bob Kintner
Harry & McPherson
John Roche
Francis Bator
Cliff Alexander

Mr. President:

Would you like to send each Special Assistant in these pictures with you the three prints with your best wishes?

Do you want them prepared for autog?
yb ☐ Yes ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ No

CHIEF Alexander
Francis Bator
John Bore
Harry & McPherson
Bob Kintner
Walt Boston
Doug Carter
Bill Hobkins
Joe Carls
Henry Wilson
Bob Fleming
George Christiansen
Bob Kowser
Mike Manafos

Ap _____ Yes No
Do you want them prepared for a long
_____ Yes No

the three prints with long rest marks;
Assistant in these pictures with long
Would you like to send each special

Mr. President:

Attachments

C4110-3
C4111-4
C4110-10
C4111-3

Those are terrible. They would do more harm than good to send.

LBJ:mary s

1/11/67

3:00p

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 10, 1954

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TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

These pictures were not released, but you might care to send them to President Eisenhower.

Yes _____

No ☒ _____

Attachments

C4115-4

C4115-10

A3502-14

A3502-08

Monday, January 9, 1967

TO: THE PRESIDENT

FROM: OKAMOTO

I am sorry that you have your glasses on in these pictures, but you instructed Jake to be sure that Messrs. Brown and Barho received prints of this occasion. So, I had these printed up, just in case.

bcc: Jake Jacobsen

Attachments

4217-14A

4217-15A

4217-19A

4219-26

4219-20

Oke:

The President read your memo, according to Jake Jacobsen. He did not check Yes or No; but did approve these for release.

The ones marked NO should not be released.

Jake/yb

1/6/67

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

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January 5, 1967
6:32 p.m.

Mr. President:

I have been greatly upset by the unfair criticisms you have received especially from the press and columnists. I believe the unfairness of this treatment will rebound to your favor eventually, but I would like to be helpful with my camera if you approve.

Having discussed this with several members of your staff, I concluded that the American public needs to be reminded of your many forceful characteristics which made you one of the most popular and trusted Presidents of our history. There is no better way than letting a picture tell your story.

Please look at the attached pictures which I chose at random and are examples only. They show you as a leader with monumental problems -- but meeting them with skill, confidence, courage, zest and thoughtfulness. But most of all these pictures are human and the type Americans can understand and identify with.

If you would let us release pictures like these steadily over a period of time, I think positive results will occur. I don't mean a deluge, but occasional judicious placement. Would you let a group of staffers approve pictures without bothering you? Particularly when you are out of town?

May we try it?

Yes ___ No ___

Okamoto