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THE WHITE HOUSE

Joe -----

For your information and then, file please.

The Henry Dormann story is a long (and not too pretty one). DeVier Pierson briefed the file for the President just before the last trip.

No one in the White House should ever acknowledge a letter from Dormann ---- file will reveal why.

But, I thought you'd be interested in Dormann's letter.

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July 17, 1968

the comments by Senator your Directive, asking all prepare a history relative

'apers want to go on record in heartily congratulating you on the establishment of so thorough an historical endeavor. The information gathered from the Departments will be invaluable to those serious students of the Presidency and the Government of the United States.

Many of the ideas for the future receive their inspiration from historical efforts of the past, and what you are doing, not only in this Directive, but also in your decision to dedicate yourself to teaching the principles of the Government of the United States and in particular the Presidency, is beyond the fondest hopes of any educator.

May you continue to have every possible success in this educational field.

Very truly yours,

HENRY O. DORMANN

Executive Director

The Library of Presidential Papers

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Appraisals for Gift, Estate and Tax Purposes

7 August 1968

Dear Dorothy:

On re-reading my report on my visit to Henry Dormann and the Library of Presidential Papers, I found it contained a number of typographical errors and some very poor phrasing.

I had it re-typed and am sending a copy of the new version to you for your archives.

Hoeph

Ralph G. Newman

Mrs Dorothy Territo
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20500

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October 22, 1966

Dear Mr. Dormann:

Your letter of October 17th to Mr. Watson arrived while he is out of the country with the President. I am holding your letter for Mr. Watson's attention upon his return to Washington.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Cathy Hames

Mr. Henry O. Dormann,
Executive Director
The Library of Presidential
Papers
17 East 80th Street
New York, New York 10021
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GENERAL

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October 28, 1966

Mr. Henry O. Dormann

988 Fifth Avenue
New York, New York

Dear Mr. Dormann:

I appreciate your letter of October 10 and your invitation to again address the Grand Council of Columbia Association in New York on October 22.

Unfortunately, my schedule will not permit me to be in New York at that time and I must decline your invitation.

I wish you and the Grand Council a magnificent dinner and will be thinking of you on that evening.

Sincerely,

Joseph A. Galifano, Jy. Special Assistant to the President 18 East Chestnut Street - Chicago, Illinois 80811 - WHitehall 4.3085

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Appraisals for Gift, Estate and Tax Purposes

28 June 1968

Dear Dorothy:

Enclosed are two business cards of Peter Miller of Security Systems, Inc., just so you will know the name of the person for whom I would like to set up an appointment with Al Wong, when he is available.

I am reminded that you never sent me the material of Henry

*Dormann and the Library of Presidential Papers so I could
forward it to the IRS. Mr Devere Pearson called me and
wanted to know about it.

I'm seriously thinking of writing an article for Manuscripts on the subject. I'm sure you are familiar with this publication but just to be sure, am sending you a copy under separate cover.

Best,

Ralph G. Newman

Mrs Dorothy Territo
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20500

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Color photograph sent to the President by Mr. Ralph Wolfe Cowan - The Brush and Lens, Inc. Mr. Wolfe has been commissioned by the Library of Presidential Papers in New York to paint portrait of President Johnson for their permanent collection - Henry O. Dormann. Filed on the Shelf.

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Harry F. Guggenheim, President and Editor in Chief

Bill D. Moyers, Publisher

July 11, 1967

Honorable W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President The White House Washington, D. C.

Dear Marvin:

I hope you weren't sleeping when I called Sunday morning, but I was leaving for the day and wanted to lay that matter, before you before I departed. I hope it was only a false alarm.

Two other recent experiences you should know about. I had a visit Friday from a fellow I had never met but who had been hounding me ever since I left the White House—a New York public relations man by the name of Henry Dormann, who explained that he was trying to establish a Library of Presidential Papers and that the White House was being uncooperative. After listening to him I can only express admiration for the White House if it is, in fact, discouraging Dormann. His proposal is not only irrelevant, but his chief motive—as he finally candidly admitted to me—is that if successful, it will diminish his image as a public relations hustler and build his image as a man devoted to the public interest, thus qualifying him to run for office. He threw your name into the discussion several times and seemed to indicate that you were not helping him; you are wise.

The second visit I had was with a strange man also named Dorman (one n). His first name was Michael. He used to work at Newsday long before I came and then went off to

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FOR THE RECORD

I talked to Walter Jenkins and he has no interest in Mr. Dorman -- he merely met him at the suggestion of a friend when he was in New York. I explained the fears of the professional community (also Don Cook) over his lack of knowledge -- and the general feeling all was not what it seemed to be. Walter suggested perhaps there should be further checking by Deke.

Dorothy Territo

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THE LIBRARY OF PRESIDENTIAL PAPERS

May 17, 1966

Mr. Marvin Watson Assistant to the President The White House 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Marvin Watson:

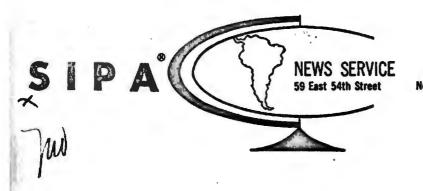
I am enclosing a photograph of the Library of Presidential Papers and a copy of our release announcing the election of Robert F. Wagner, former Mayor of New York, as Chairman of the Board of the Library and Speaker of the House John McCormack, as Honorary Chairman. In addition are some clippings from the newspapers across the country which carried stories of the election of Mr. Wagner.

Dr. Grayson Kirk, President of Columbia University, and Ambassador Robert Murphy have agreed to act as our advisors on educational matters. In particular, Dr. Kirk will be assisting us in the work with universities and senior high school classes across the country.

We have already begun the collection of what will be the most extensive collection of books on the Presidency in the United States. There will also be microfilm and original copies of the papers of the Presidents. The microfilm copies will be obtained from the Archives of the United States and from the Library of Congress, with their permission.

In addition, the Library has begun a collection of memorabilia of the Presidents and actual papers of the Presidents which are now housed in private collections, and which the Library's Board intends to purchase.

There are three areas now, on which I would like to ask your advice:



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April 25, 1966

Mr. Bill Moyers
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Bill Moyers:

Some time ago when I had requested an interview with the President for our SIPA News Syndicate I had enclosed some stories done during my recent interview with Mr. Eisenhower in Gettysburg.

I had asked that those stories be returned since they were the only copies we had. I think Miss Stark of your office has been searching for them, but I am anxious to have them back, and I would appreciate anything that could be done to return them to us.

Sincerely yours

HENRYO, DORMANN

Editor-in-Chief and

Vice President

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March 26, 1966

Dear Mr. Dormann:

Your letter arrived and I appreciate your interest in setting up an appointment. My schedule is such that I cannot plan when I will have free time for meetings and visits.

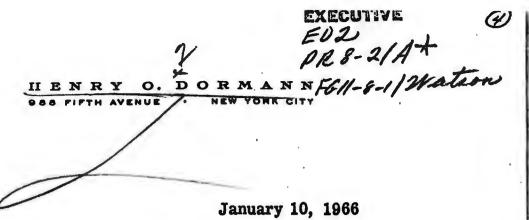
Since I have not been closely involved with the planning and details of the Presidential Papers and Library, I have sent your letter to those members of the staff who have been dealing in this area.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Henry O. Dormann 988 Fifth Avenue New York, New York WMW:JRJ:cfc



Mr. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President The White House Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Watson:

I have spoken with Robert Anderson, after his return from Madrid, in regard to your letter.

He tells me that he would like very much to discuss this with you personally and to discuss it with the President during his next trip to Washington, and he will be in touch with you shortly for an appointment.

With all good wishes for a very happy New Year,

I remain

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Cordially yours.

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December 9, 1965

Dear Mr. Dormann:

I have your letter of November 30 regarding your efforts to establish a library of Presidential papers. Apparently your letter crossed in the mail with that of Mr. Lee White, Special Counsel to the President, dated November 29. As Mr. White's letter states rather clearly, he has strongly recommended that the President not participate in this private undertaking. Although he bases his opinion on general policy considerations, I have discussed the matter with him orally, and he strongly recommends that the President not become involved in the specific project. He advises that the Federal Government through the National Archives and the individual Presidential libraries that have been established with Federal statutory support appear to be a more appropriate mechanism for the preservation and distribution of Presidential papers than a private undertaking.

In view of this very strong negative position, I must request that you make it crystal clear to all involved with the project up to now or who may be involved in the future that it does not have the support of the President or the Executive Branch of the Government. As Mr. White's letter indicates, our opposition to participation or endorsement by the President is not intended to express a judgment as to whether there is a legitimate need for such a library or on the merits of the specific proposal. These are questions which others must answer.

If you have any questions about the matter, I suggest you get in touch directly with Mr. White.

Sincerely,

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Henry O. Dormann
988 Fifth Avenue
New York, New York
cc to Juanita Roberts
cc to Dorothy Territo
file to Lee White

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December 9, 1965

Dear Mr. Dormann:

Thank you for your letter of December 7.

I don't know what the possibilities might be of your interviewing the Vice President, but at the present time we are simply not making any additions to the President's schedule.

I will be happy to keep your request in mind and will let you know if something can be worked out at a later date.

Sincerely,

Bill Moyers Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Henry O. Dormann
Vice President and
Editor-in-Chief, SIPA
59 East 54th Street
New York 22, N. Y.

November 30, 1965

Dear Mr. Dormann:

Jack Valenti has asked me to reply to your cordial letter of October 14 inquiring whether the President has appointed a committee to study the critical lack of doctors in the United States. I am sorry for our delay in answering your query.

Although the President has not directly constituted such a group, the Department of Health, Education and Welfare is conducting manpower studies in all the areas over which it has responsibility. The problem of health manpower is among the foremost items on the agenda, and the manpower studies will explore the need for medical personnel of all kinds -- including the development of new categories of health personnel to meet the needs which will occur in coming years.

Please accept our best wishes, and our thanks for the concern which prompted you to write.

Sincerely,

Douglass Cater Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Henry O. Dormann 988 Fifth Avenue New York, New York

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November 29, 1965

Dear Mr. Dormann:

Mr. Watson has discussed with me your letter of November 18 and your general plan for establishing a library of Presidential papers.

Putting aside the questions of whether there is a legitimate need for such a library in New York City and the merits of the specific proposal, it is my view that it would be inappropriate for the President to participate in a private undertaking of this character, either in an honorary capacity or as a member of a board of directors or advisers. It has been the general policy of President Johnson and a number of his predecessors to restrict severely their membership in private organizations during their time in the White House. I am certain that you can appreciate the rationale for such a policy.

If you have any questions about this, please do not hesitate to get in touch with me directly.

Sincerely,

Lee C. White Special Counsel to the President

Mr. Henry O. Dormann 988 Fifth Avenue New York, New York

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October 20, 1965

MEMORANDUM FOR DOUGLASS CATER

I've sent a copy of this to Jim Moyers for follow-up on the message request but believe the other matter mentioned comes within your province.

Jack Valenti

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October 14, 1965

Mr. Jack Valenti Special Assistant to the President The White House Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Valenti:

Thanks very much for your letter of October 1st.

The 50th Anniversary meeting of the American Medical Women's Association will be held beginning Tuesday, November 9th through Saturday, November 13th at the Sheraton-Chicago Hotel, Chicago, Illinois.

The President's message should be addressed to the President, Bernice C. Sachs, M.D., to the New York office of the American Medical Women's Association, 1790 Broadway, New York, New York.

The ladies would like very much to have the message reproduced, to be given to the members of the group during the Conclave, if this is convenient.

I would value very much your advice on one matter the ladies have inquired about. Is there at present a committee which the President has appointed for studying the critical lack of doctors in the United States and how to solve the problem? If there is such a committee, would it be possible to appoint the President of the American Medical Women's Association to it as a representative and if there is not such a committee, would it be possible to appoint one, with such representation?

There is a dire need for more doctors in the country, and the American Medical Women's Association, together with the AMA are doing everything possible to be of help.

I would value your advice a great deal.

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THE SAM RAYBURN FOUNDATION

NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

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May 26, 1965

Mr. Henry Dormann
The Kimberly Dormann Corporation
59 East 54 Street
New York
22, New York

Dear Henry:

I enjoyed our telephone conversation of Monday, and I look forward to seeing you and Gene during the week of June 21.

In the mean time, I should appreciate a more definitive point of view as to what you and Gene have in mind. In other words, what is your reaction to my suggestions?

you deliver my letter to Gene? I will appreciate hearing from you prior to your departure for Europe in order that I might have some idea of just where we stand.

With my kindest personal regards, and best wishes,

Sincerely,

J. Cal Courtney

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HENRY O.XDORMANN

October 22, 1965

Mrs. Hasek Office of Fred Holborn The White House Washington, D.C.

Dear Mrs. Hasek:

I want you to know what a pleasure it was chatting with you on the phone yesterday.

I appreciate very much your time and trouble in looking into the matter of the message for the Grand Council of Columbia Associations in Civil Service. I'm sorry that it was unable to be worked out, but I want you to know that I appreciate your efforts in any case.

I hope to have the opportunity of meeting you personally some day soon and saying thanks again then.

Cordially yours,

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October 8, 1965

Dear Mr. Dormann:

Enclosed is a copy of the Immigration Bill that you requested. There are no more of the signing pens however, as they have all been given away.

I hope the enclosure will accomplish your purpose. Thank you for writing.

Best regards.

Sincerely,

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Henry O. Dormann 988 Fifth Avenue New York City New York

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HENRY O. DORMANN

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October 6, 1965.

The President Bethesda Naval Hospital Bethesda, Maryland

My dear Mr. President:

Alice and I wanted to send you a bouquet of flowers, but we think you probably have received ten rooms full already. So instead we are sending the flowers to the ward patients at St. Clare's Hospital who I know will join us in prayers for your speedy recovery.

However, we should do something to help brighten a hospital day so i am arranging to have one tea rose delivered to you daily to wear in your pajama lapel (or you can give it to your doctor for doing such a good job).

Sincerely yours,

Sincerely

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October 1, 1965

Dear Mr. Dormann:

The President has asked me to respend to your very kind letter of September 21st concerning the American Women's Medical Association which is celebrating its 50th year.

Much as he would like to be able to meet with a delegation from the association prior to their conclave in Chicago next month, the President's schedule in the weeks ahead is extremely pressing and regrettably, we do not foresee a time when this could be arranged.

He would be pleased, I am sure, to send a message for the convention if they wish. In this event, we should have further information on the exact dates and to whom it should be addressed.

With the President's thanks for bringing this to his attention, and warm good wishes,

Sincerely.

Jack Valenti Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Henry O. Dormann 988 Fifth Avenue New York, New York

JV:hc

(Routed thru James Moyers before dispatch and part of file to be retained by him for followup)

August 27, 1965

Dear Mr. Dormann:

Thank you for your letters dated August 25. We appreciate the additional information.

There are no definite dates that can be furnished.

With kind regards,

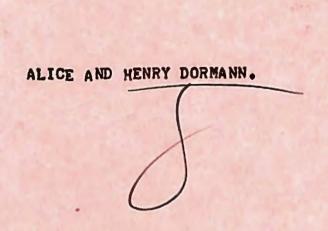
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W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

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August 5, 1965

Dear Mr. Dormann:

Thank you for your letter of August 3 concerning the Library of Presidential Papers. We suggest that you work through Dr. Grover concerning any appointment with the Library of Congress.

With kind regards,

Sincerely,

Marvin

W. Maryin Watson Special Assistant tolke President

Mr. Henry O. Dormann 988 Fifth Avenue New York City, New York

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July 2, 1965

Dear Henry:

I have your Kely let letter and of course will always be glad to see you when it is possible for both of us to so schedule. Since scheduling is practically impossible for me, I suggest that you go ahead and present any information you might have to the Archivest.

Thank you for writing.

Sincerely,

Marvin

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Henry O. Dormann 988 Fifth Avenue New York City, New York

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Dear Mr. Dormann:

I very much appreciate your letter concerning Ralph Stuart and am giving this information to those who are responsible for such arrangements for the White House and National Committee.

Thank you for writing.

Sincerely.

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Henry O. Dormann 988 Fifth Avenue New York City, N. Y.

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Dear Mr. Dormanu:

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Too, I have understood that the library of Presidential papers program was not as enthusiastically received as you had thought in your correspondence to me prior to this letter.

I know that you and your wife had a good trip and that it probably is also good to be home again. Thank you for writing.

Sincerely.

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Henry O. Dormann 988 Fifth Avenue New York City, N. Y.

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May 24, 1965

Dear Henry:

In reply to your question as shown in your May 21 letter, it is too early at this time to make any determination as to the President's schedule for September. Although I do not in any way want to lead you to be optimistic about the possibility, you might contact us again about a month before the proposed meeting for a definite answer.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Henry O. Dormann 988 Fifth Avenue New York, New York

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Dear Cal:

I talked to Henry <u>Dormann</u> today and he tells me that you two have agreed to and the suggestions that you had set out in your letter of May 14.

I trust this is correct. If, however, you still feel it necessary to make such a transmittal as in your latest letter, then let me know and I will get an answer for you.

Sincerely,

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

Mr. J. Cal Courtney
Executive Director
The Sam Rayburn Foundation
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May 11, 1965

Dear Mr. Dormann:

We appreciate your letter of May 10, and will be back in touch with you. We thank you for bringing this matter to our attention.

Sincerely.

Marvin

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Henry O. Dormann 988 Fifth Avenue New York, New York

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May 4, 1965

Dear Mr. Dormann:

Thank you for your letters. Please excuse my delay in writing but I wanted to obtain some information which I could pass on to you.

The background information on David Schulte, Jr., is appreciated. His name has been placed on the White House guest list for some appropriate function in the future. The biographical material has been forwarded to the proper persons for further study about his interest in government work.

Concerning Mr. Bops, I have sent the information on him to officials who are handling the recruitment of persons for government positions. As you already know, there is no White House dinner scheduled on the day you mentioned.

Finally with regard to the presentation of the Sam Rayburn Scholarship funds to the President, it is impossible to say when such an appointment could be arranged because of an already heavy schedule in addition to the international events occupying his time. You might consider the suggestion that Robert Anderson receive the funds for the Foundation and if an appointment here can be arranged in the future, I know that appropriate recognition could be given.

Sincerely.

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W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Henry O. Dormann 988 Fifth Avenue New York, New York

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cc to Cliff Carter (DNC)

cc to Honorable Robert Anderson

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NIGHT LETTER April 2, 1965

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Dormann, Henry O.

Mr. Joseph L. Muscarelle, Sr. 8th Annual Charitable Dinner Dance The Club 17
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I am delighted to jin Unico Nation, as well as your many other friends in high tribute to your contributions to the life and progress of your community.

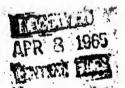
It is always a pleasure to applaud the accomplishments of one whose life has been so richly dedicated to the well-being of the less privileged of our land. The initiative, integrity, and energy which have characterised your endeavors are an inspiring example for every American

The President has asked me to extend his warm congratulations on this auspicious occasion and his best wishes for the years shead.

LYNDON B. JOHNSON

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CC: Mr. Holborn and Central Files



Dear Mr. Dorman:

Thank you for your recent letter telling us that Governor Hughes has now been secured as the principal speaker at the dinner paying honor to Mr. Joseph Muscarelle.

I am reasonably confident that there will be some sort of message from the White House, but the decision which has been made is that it will be extended for reading at the dinner itself rather than for the dinner program.

Thank you for keeping us informed of developments in connection with this event.

With every good wish,

Sincerely,

Frederick L. Holborn Special Assistant in the White House Office

FLH: MB

Mr. Heary O. Dormann C 986 Fifth Avenue New York, N. Y.

CC: Mr. Holbern and Central Files

Dear Mr. Dormann:

Thank you for your letter of February eighteenth requesting a message from the President for the April third Citizen of the Year Award to Mr. Joseph Muscarelle.

I am referring the information to Mr. Fred Holborn who handles this area of responsibility here at the White House.

With kind regards.

Sincerely,

Jack Valenti
Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Henry O. Dormann 988 Fifth Avenue New York City, N.Y.

CC: Incoming to Fred Holborn

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October 24, 1964

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Grand Council of Calumbia Association % c/o Mr. Henry Dormann Grand Ballroom Waldorf Astoria
New York, New York

MY HEARTY GREETINGS AND GOOD WISHES TO THE MEMBERS OF YOUR ORGANIZATION AND TO ALL WHO ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR ITS CONTINUED SUCCESS.

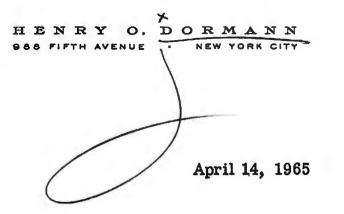
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Mr. Marvin Watson Office of the President The White House Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Watson:

I thought you might like to have a copy of this book, the foreword of which is written by Bob *Wagner.

When you have a moment, will you have time to get together again in Washington or New York? Please let me know.

As always,

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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

April 9, 1965

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MEMORANDUM FOR FRED HOLBORN

The attached is referred for your handling.

Jack Valenti

Message for April 19 banquet honoring Mayor Robert F. Wagner of New York. Requested by Henry O. Dormann, 988 Fifth Avenue, N.Y.

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March 9, 1965 Dear Mr. Dormann: Thank you so much for your letter. I too was sorry that we couldn't get together, but I hope that you will understand the circumstances. I would like to meet with you, but my schedule appears extremely tight for the next few weeks and it will be impossible at the present time. However, please bear with me for I'm planning to get together with you in the future. Sincerely yours, W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President Mr. Henry O. Dormann 988 Fifth Avenue New York, New York

WMW / JRJ

February 15, 1965 Dear Mr. Dormann: I have your letter of the 8th further discussing the plans for Mayor Wagner's Birthday Party on April 19th. Because of the President's schedule, as already committed, he cannot plan to be present. Many thanks for writing us about this, nevertheless, and best wishes. Sincerely, Jack Valenti Special Assistant to the President Mr. Henry O. Dormann 988 Fifth Avenue New York, New York JV:hc

February 3, 1965

Dear Mr. Dormann:

Thank you very much fee inviting the President to Mayor Wagner's Birthday Party on April 19.

We just don't know what the President's schedule will be at that time. I suggest that you go ahead assuming that the President will not be there and keep us informed as the plans develop.

Best wishes to you, sir.

Sincerely,

Jack Valenti Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Henry O. Dormann 988 Fifth Avenue New York, New York

cc: Horace Bushy (with incoming and memo)

JV:PB:ldb

MEMORANDUM FOR HORACE BUSBY

I doubt seriously that the President will go to this. We should have a real good message prepared to send in the President's absence.

Jack Valenti

(re: Mayor Wagner's birthday party on April 19)

December 29. 1964

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Dormann Henry

Dear Cal

I have your letter of December twenty-first -- and I'm looking into your request. I'll be in touch with you at a later date.

Mary Margaret and I send our warm regards for the New Year.

Sincerely,

Jack Valenti Special Assistant to the President

Mr. J. Cal Courtney
Executive Director
The Sam Rayburn Foundation
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August 14, 1964

Dear Mr. Dormann:

Walter Jenkins has passed on to me your telegram suggesting the appointment of a special committee by the President to look into the New York City racial disturbances.

As anxious as the President is to insure that the situation is satisfactorily resolved, including the basic causes for the unrest, this is essentially a problem for the City of New York. Quite obviously, any request from the City for Federal participation in any committee would be carefully considered, and the White House has been in touch with Mayor Wagner on numerous occasions recently. But in my view, the initiative should come from the local community.

In any event, your idea is one that should be kept in mind, and your interest is deeply appreciated.

Sincerely,

Lee C. White Associate Special Counsel to the President

Mr. Henry O. Dormann
Executive Vice President
The Kimberly-Dormann Corporation
59 East 54 Street
New York 22, New York

May 16, 1964

Dear Mr. Dozmanu:

Thank you for your letter. I am sorry we were unable to have a visit last week but whenever you are in Washington, he sure to give me a call.

Sincerely,

George E. Reedy Press Secretary to the President

Mr. Henry O. Dormann Executive Vice President The Kisherly Dormann Corporation 59 East 54 Street Hew York 22, New York

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May 15, 1964

Mr. Richard Maguire ➤ Democratic National Committee 1730 K Street, N. W. Washington, D.C.

Dear Dick:

I am enclosing a check for \$1,000/from Generoso Pope, Jr. I assume you have already gotten Edouard Cournand's and Fortune Pope's.

More to follow.

DORMANN Executive Vice President

P.S. Perhaps when you of Kenny O'Donnell have occasion to come to New York City and have a few moments free for/a meeting, one of our good friends might be willing to contribute approximately \$10,000 to the upcoming campaign, but I would rather put them in touch with you or Ken when the time is right.

April 22, 1964

Dear Henry:

In reply to your note of the 17th, I'believe it would be better if the Michelangele book be mailed.

I am in and out a great deal and am not at all sure I would be here when Mrs. Marano comes to Washington.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

Kenneth O'Donnell Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Henry C. Dormann
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59 East 54 Street
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April 2, 1964

Dear Henry:

Thank you very much for your good letter. This book will be number one in my collection, and even though I am not in a spot where I could do much fishing, I am going to enjoy reading it and dreaming.

When you are in Washington, be sure to give me a call.

Sincerely,

George E. Reedy Press Secretary to the President

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Executive Vice President
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59 East 54th Street
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April 2, 1964

Dear Mr. Dormann:

Thank you for keeping me informed about the progress of the Sam Rayburn Scholarships. We all hope everything works out to your satisfaction.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Walter Jenkins Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Henry O. Dormann Executive Vice President The Kimberly-Dormann Corporation 59 East 54th Street New York 22, New York

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. VALENTI:

I find it hard to make a judgment on this request. In the normal course of events, I do not think this is something that would be done. I am especially hesitant since in my own limited experience with Mr. Dorman, I have found him to be largely a pleader for marginal causes and his judgment has not been the most reliable. However, you probably have a better feel for this one and I will prepare something if you think it has merit.

Frederick L. Holborn

R E: Letter of Feb. 18th

FROM: Mr. Henry O. Dormann 988 Fifth Avenue, New York City

TO: Mr. Valenti

RE: Joseph L. Muscarelle

July 6, 1964

Dear Heary:

Thank you for your letter concerning
Joseph Muscarelle, Generoso Pope and
Norman Blankman. I can assure you,
we will give them each every consideration.

Warmest regards,

Sincerely,

WALTER

Walter Jenkins
Special Assistant
to the President

Mr. Henry O. <u>Dormann</u>

Executive Vice President

The Kimberly Dormann Corporation

59 East 54th Street

New York 22, New York

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July 3, 1964

Mr. Walter Jenkins Special Assistant to the President The White House Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Jenkins:

As you probably know I have been working closely with Cal Courtney of the Sam Rayburn Foundation as well as Bob Anderson in setting up a working arrangement to help support the Foundation in these next years.

All of these arrangements have now been pretty well completed and I think we have a good working arrangement with both Cal and Bob Anderson. I expect very shortly we will be meeting with you at the White House and Cal will be giving you a full report, if he has not already done so.

I wanted to write to you in the meantime concerning a problem which is extremely important to me. In the last few months three recommendations have, I believe, been made to the President regarding appointments on the President's Council on Equal Employment Opportunity. Mr. Joseph Muscarelle of New Jersey has been recommended by Governor Hughes and Bob Burkhardt, Secretary of St ate of New Jersey for a position on this committee. Mr. Muscarelle is one of the most prominent citizens of New Jersey and a large contributor to the party. I can supply you with the biographical data on him, although I believe the Governor has sent it along.

Second, Mr. Generoso Pope of New York City, who is working closely with me and is donating considerable money to the Sam Rayburn Foundation, is also on the suggested list by Dick Maguire of the Democratic National Committee for membership on this same President's Council on Equal Employment Opportunity.

And third, and most important of all, Mr. Norman Blankman has been nominated by Dick Maguire and a number of Senators and Congressmen from New York State, including Jack English, the Democratic Chairman of Nassau County. Norman Blankman was suggested as a member of the President's Council on the Arts. He is the founder of the Long Island Arts Center, the Long Island Summer Festival of the Arts, one of the largest now in the United States, and also President of the Pavilion of Fine Arts at the New York World's Fair. He is a most distinguished individual and also a good contributor.

I would value very much your advice on these three individuals, since we have been asking their help on many occasions but we have been unable to give them any word one way or the other, and whether these things will become an eventuality. Dick Maguire says they are now in your hands and so I guess I am in your hands, too, and look forward to hearing from you.

As always.

HENRY O. DORMANN Executive Vice President

March 23, 1964

Dear Henry:

This is in response to your letter of February 26th about the possibility of the President dedicating the Waldemar Cancer Research Center on Long Island in late April.

I am very sorry I must send a disappointing reply in this regard. However, the President did not feel he could consider adding this dedication to the many commitments he already has next month.

We are appreciative of your interest in asking, nonetheless, and regret the reply could not be a favorable one.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

Kenneth O'Donnell Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Henry O. Dormann
The Kimberly-Dormann Corporation
59 East 54th Street
New York 22, New York

March 24, 1964

Dear Henry:

I have your letter of the 10th with further reference to the book on Michelangelo and whether the presentation could be made on one of the President's New York trips.

I honestly feel that this would be difficult to arrange and think it would be better to just have the book sent along as you suggest.

I would like to get together with you when we are next in New York but I really can't tell in advance. Why not give a call when we are up that way and we'll see what we can work out.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

Kenneth O'Donnell Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Henry O. <u>Dormann</u>
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New York 22, New York

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March 18, 1964

Dear Henry:

This is to acknowledge and thank you for your letter of the 12th.

We are in the process now of setting up a National Businessmen for Johnson Committee and as econ as this is accomplished, someone will be in touch.

With regards and best wishes,

Sincerely,

Kenneth O'Donnell Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Henry O. <u>Dormann</u>
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March 6, 1964

Dear Mr. Dormann:

This is in response to your letter of March 3rd to Mr. Walter Jenkins, which was forwarded to me because I handle the President's appointments and schedule.

I am very sorry that I must send a disappointing reply to your inquiry as to the possibility of an appointment being arranged for the Presentation of a specially printed copy of a book on Michelangelo to the President by Mr. Fortune Pope and a representative of the <u>Ricordi Printing Company</u> of Milan, during the week of April 13th. However, his official schedule at that time is such that it is just not possible to include this. As a matter of fact, because of the unusually heavy official demands on his time, it has been most difficult to arrange appointments for personal presentations at any time.

We trust you will understand and know that the President is appreciative of your interest in writing, nonetheless.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,

Kenneth O'Donnell
Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Henry O. <u>Dormann</u>
Executive Vice President
The Kimberly-Bormann Corporation
59 East 54 Street
New York 22, New York

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FG11-8-1 Welter W. Jenking March 2, 1964 Dear Mr. Dormann: Thank you for your letter and for your visit. I look forward to your report, and I can assure you that your plans will get every consideration. Warmest best wishes, Sincerely, Walter Jenkins Special Assistant to the President

> Mr. Henry O. Dormann Executive Vice President

59 East 54th Street New York 22, New York

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November 7, 1966

Mr. Joseph A. Califano, Jr. Special Assistant to the President The White House Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Califano:

I have your letter of October 31st, and I can well understand your schedule.

We need a speaker who is charming, trustworthy, distinguished, clean, reverent, honest, straightforward with a great future. God knows there are few of those around, and they are certainly extraordinary in themselves. Seeing that you are one of the few that fit this, please just file this letter and allow me to contact you again toward the middle of next year to see how things are going.

Cordially yours,

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May 4, 1964

Dear Mrs. Marano:

I wish to express my gratitude to you, Mr. Henry O. Dormann and to the Italian people you represent, for the handsome leather bound copy of "Michelangelo The Painter" which His Holiness, Pope Paul VI so graciously blessed for me. This first edition, inscribed in remembrance of the fourth centenary of the artist's death, means much to me and I want to assure all who had a part in its presentation that I will treasure it always.

With sincere thanks and warm good wishes,

Sincerely,

LYNDON B. JOUNSON

Mrs. A. Vittorio Marano 86 Bluff Road Palisades, New Jersey

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November 23, 1964

Dear Henry:

Thank you for your thoughtful personal message. I pray that we may work together in the months ahead to keep our country safe, strong and successful as we continue our responsible efforts to assure freedom's victory in a world of peace.

Mrs. Johnson joins me in best wishes to you and Mrs. Dormann.

Sincerely,

LYNDON B. JOHNSON

Mr. Henry O. Dormann 59 East 54th Street New York, New York

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Sheldon S. Cohen

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and cheer, but that's just one of the things that happens when you are busy.

In any case, I am saving all this cheer and exuberance for your visit to New York. We would like very much for you to be aware of the Library, what's its functions are and what it is doing, and it's difficult to know this without seeing it. Fortunately, there isn't anything we want you to do; there are no favors; we have complete tax exemption any way, and just as in the case of your namesake, Mr. Cohen of the Security and Exchange Commission, it's just for the purpose of information and background knowledge.

Should you have occasion to chat with him, I think he can tell you a little bit about the Library and his visit here which was a most enjoyable one, according to him. (I think it was because he visited the Library, although itwas the same day they rioted on Wall Street when that young lady with the large bust came out of the subway and he was in the middle of it (the crowd I mean, not the subway).

ormann, Henry O

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