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EXECUTIVE PL/5737 1906 JAN 25 AT 11 42 January 21, 1966 MEMORANDUM Clifton Carter William Connell FROM: You may recall Robert Straub (age 40-41), State Treasurer of Oregon. He intends to run for Governor, primary or no primary, and even if Edith Green runs against him. He is a strong Johnson-Humphrey man. His primary would be in April. It would be very helpful if he could get a top level advisory committee appointment, particularly in the field of pollution control. To be of any benefit to him, it would be helpful to notify Bob Dwyer a few hours before the release so that he can use his contacts with the newspapers to get some copy. cc: W. Marvin Watson

MEMORANDUM .

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THE WHITE HOUSE

washington February 14, 1967 (8)

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TO:

Marvin Watson

FROM:

Henry H. Wilson, Jr.

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Mrs. Edith Green is for all intents and purposes now in control of the House Education and Labor Committee. She has taken FG 155-23 command from Carl Perkins in the preliminary jockeying, though Carl remains nominal Chairman. She will have to be FG 270 dealt with constantly throughout the year.

She is now pushing two constituents for federal appointment:
(1) Norman Howard for the Safety Advisory Commission, and
(2) Ken Rinke for the Panama Canal Company.

I will not burden you with the Rinke situation now, but the Norman Howard appointment will require some discussion.

The attached note to me from Irv Sprague relates to the findings on the name check concerning Howard.

Matt Coffey tells me that Howard's name was dropped rather than go to the trouble of a full field investigation. I agree that with such a result from the name check, he should not be named without a full field investigation.

However, our relationship with Mrs. Green is such, and her reactions to these matters is such that I feel compelled to ask that the position be held open temporarily and that a full field investigation be undertaken.

I see no indication here whether the discharge took place five, ten, or twenty years ago. Apparently Howard is a member of the legislature, and I should think his history subsequent to the discharge would be of more than passing interest.

Let me know.

Attachment

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Monday, February 27, 1967

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Henry H. Wilson, Jr.

FG155-23

FG 3:0

One of the more delicate and important Congressional problems is the care and feeding of Edith Green.

I confess that through the years I have alternated from time to time between periods of nursing her along with moderate success and simply concluding it wasn't worth the bother.

But she will have to be worked with this year.

The layout of the House Committee on Education and Labor now is such that she really holds the whip hand.

This was proven abundantly in the skirmish on Committee reorganization following the unhossing of Powell, S.

She is simply too smart for Carl Perkins and she has absolutely no compunctions about working with the Republicans.

I see no alternative to re-establishing relations with her.

I determine that she would have to move first, however, and I as much as told her so with respect to the Debt Limit vote.

As you may know, she voted right, and her position was quite useful in holding some of the other far-out liberals.

So I suppose it is our move next.

What she now wants, and wants very badly, is the appointment of a State legislator named Norman Howard to the 29 member National Highway Safety Advisory Commission.

I very strongly urge that you name him for the above reasons.

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THE WHITE HOUSE FG 216

WASHINGTON

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November 6, 1967 Monday, 11: a.m.

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FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Barefoot Sanders

Pilot Community School and Facilities Program

I believe we may be headed into a potentially explosive, situation if we endorse Mrs. Green's proposed amendment to the Poverty bill by which she proposes to create community centers" in the District of Columbia.

Mrs. Green is very competent and very shrewd. Unfortunately, she is distrusted and disliked by the liberals on the House Education and Labor Committee as well as in the House. This group is unhappy at the Administration for having endorsed Mrs. Green's amendment to the Committee bill, by which CAP Boards become public agencies.

The Committee refused to accept Mrs. Green's community center amendment. For us to embrace it at this late date would be a repudiation of the Committee and, in particular, of the Chairman, Carl Perkins, who called me at 12:30 a.m. this morning to see if we were indeed going to go to work for Mrs. Green's community center amendment.

I think the following factors should be considered in making a decision:

l. Community centers for the District of Columbia are obviously District business. Adoption of the amendment on the Poverty bill would intrude on the D. C. Committees in the House and Senate and could interfere with the D. C. Appropriation. As you know, Senator Byrd has promised to have the D. C. Appropriation bill here by Saturday. This could interfere with that schedule.

THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

March 24, 1965

TO:

THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

Douglass Cater

Mrs. Green came out in biting attack against the Education Bill this afternoon.) So far we have no precise information about how many amendments she will attempt tomorrow. She has been trying desperately to line up a co-sponsor on a judicial review clause. We have provided Phil Landrum and Manny Celler with draft speeches to attack such an amendment.

Mrs. Green is a hard woman to argue with. But if you thought it worth the effort, I am willing to stick my neck out and convey to her deep concern at having to report to the President that she is now leading the attack on your education program.

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November 29, 1963

Dear Mrs. Green:

The President received and read with deep appreciation your letter of November 23. Your expression of confidence and your offer of support are a source of much encouragement to him as he assumes the great responsibilities of the Presidency. He has asked me to thank you for your thoughtfulness.

Sincerely yours,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

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THE PRESIDENT

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THE WHITE HOUSE

SHOCKED TO READ YOUR STATEMENT CONCERNING THE EDUCATION BILLS IN THE N.Y. TIMES. I TRUST THAT THEY MISQUOTED YOU. AT NO TIME WAS MRS GREEN THE MANAGER FOR THE HOUSE. I WAS THE MANAGER AND, ACCORDING TO SENATOR MORSE, I PLAYED THE MAJOR ROLE IN GETTING AGREEMENT. WAYNE,

ALSO, THE AUTHOR OF THE BILL AND RANKING SUBCOMMITTEE

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CHAIRMAN, MR. PERKINS OF KENTUCKY, WAS NOT MENTIONED.

MRS. GREEN DOES HAVE A FINE HISTORY IN THE FIELD OF EDUCATION BUT IT SO HAPPENS THAT VOCATIONAL EDUCATION WAS NOT UNDER HER SUBCOMMITTEE NOR WAS SHE THE AUTHOR.

MAY I SUGGEST THAT THIS BE CHANGED BY ANOTHER STATEMENT SINCE NOT ONLY I BUT MANY MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND LABOR, ARE DEEPLY PERTURBED BY THIS QUOTATION IN THE PRESS. RESPECTFULLY,

ADAM C POWELL MC CHAIRMAN COMMITTEE

December 18, 1963

MEMORANDUM:

TO

Walter Jenkins

FROM:

Mildred

Jack Brooks called and said as follows:

The National Christian Church of Washington is a segregated church and should not be attended by the President. I believe he has been invited to go with Wickersham, and Edith Green said yesterday that it would be unwise for the President to do it because of the attitude they have toward integration. Edith Green is a member and she definitely said it was segregated. It is felt that the President should not be bessed in this way by putting him in an embarrancing situation.

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Dear Mrs. Green:

The President has asked me to send you the attached photographs which were taken when you met with him for the signing ceremony of H. R. 4955, the Vocational Education Bill.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

Enclosures: 2 of 41A-1-63

CJR/jam

December 16, 1963

Dear Mrs. Green:

The President asked me to send you the attached photographs taken today when he signed H. R. 6143, the Higher Education Act of 1963.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

Enclosures: Six prints of 38A-1--WH63 (Cecil W. Stoughton) cjr/ncza

Lawrence F. O'Brien Messages Lent/Gt

January 17, 1964

Dear Mrs. Green:

I would like to join your other friends in congratulating you on your birthday. May good health and good spirits be yours today and in the years ahead.

With all best wishes for a very happy birthday,

Sincerely yours,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith S. Green House of Representatives Washington, D.C.

January 20, 1964

Dear Mrs. Green:

The President was pleased to grant your request and I am happy to send you the attached photograph.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

Enclosure: one 8x10 official photo of President Johnson inscribed:
"To Edith Green, with best wishes, Lyndon B. Johnson"

cjr/ncza

January 17, 1964

Edith

Dear Mrs. Green:

I have learned with pleasure that you are celebrating your birthday today. I hope that the day brings you joy and satisfaction, and that it will be one of many happy days for you in the coming year.

With my heartiest congratulations and warm good wishes,

Sincerely,

Honorable Edith S. Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C. January 31, 1964

Dear Mrs. Green:

Enclosed is a book on economic development of the emerging nations. We felt you would like to have a copy. The volume contains a series of articles on one of the world's dominant problems, and the President feels that you too will be interested in this presentation of our country's role with respect to it.

Sincerely,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

Enclosure

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February 4, 1964

Dear Mrs. Green:

In response to your request of February 1, the President will be happy to send his congratulations to Miss Margaret Faulkner, who will celebrate her 103rd birthday on May 3. His personal card of greetings will be mailed to Miss Faulkner several days before this memorable occasion.

We would suggest, however, that this request be confirmed a week or two before May 3 because of Miss Faulkner's advanced age.

Sincerely yours,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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February 26, 1964

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Dear Mrs. Green:

I am replying to your letter of January 16 addressed to Dr. Wiesner. As you know, he has now returned to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and I am his successor as Special Assistant to the President for Science and Technology.

Dr. Wiesner tells me that his interest in education continues and that he will be glad to help you in any way he can.

I also have a deep and abiding interest in aducation at the college and university level as well as at the elementary and secondary level. I am sympathetic with the intent of the bill to establish a National Advisory Council on Education, but I just am not sufficiently informed about specific items in the measure to be of much help in evaluating its effectiveness.

Please excuse my tardiness in replying to your letter.

Sincerely yours,

(signed) Denald F. Hornig

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THE PRESIDENT

THE WHITE HOUSE

WE HAVE BEEN AWAITING THE PRESIDENTS MESSAGE BUT IT HAS NOT ARRIVED.
THE OCCASION IS ON MARCH 6 AND IS A TESTIMONIAL DINNER IN
PORTLAND OREGON FOR MRS EDITH GREEN. TO HONOR HER TEN YEARS IN
CONGRESS. WE ARE CALLING IT HER DECADE OF DEDICATION AND WANT
VERY MUCH TO HAVE SOME WORD FROM MR JOHNSON, TO READ ON THIS
OCCASION. PLEASE WIRE THROUGH WEST BARTHELMES OF MRS

GREEN'S WASHINGTON STAFF. OR IN MY CARE AT 1612 WEST
DIVISION STREET GRESHAM OREGON MOHAWK 5-7023
MRS BETTY SCHEDEEN CHAIRMAN OF EDITH GREEN TESTIMONIAL DINNER.

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March 13, 1964

Dear Mrs. Green:

Thank you for your good wishes regarding my appointment as Special Assistant to the President for Science and Technology.

As I said in my previous letter. I am interested in elementary and secondary education as well as in higher education. I favor the intent of the bill to establish a National Advisory Council on Education, but I am not sufficiently well acquainted with the situation to judge the effectiveness of the bill.

I will be glad to help you in any way that I can.

Sincerely yours,

(signed) Donald F. Hornig

Donald F. Hornig

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C. 20515

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Dear Mrs. Green:

I wish you well upon the occasion of your tenth year in the House of Representatives.

I regard my Congressional service in both House and Senate with warm and fond recollection, in large measure because of the presence of able and courageous members such as yourself. Your contributions to the legislative accomplishments of the Congress have been notable, particularly in the field of education. It was with pride that I signed into law last December the academic facilities construction bill, which you sponsored in the House. This legislation represented a triumph of many years of perseverance and effort and you deservedly were at my side as I signed it.

Again my congratulations to you personally and to your constituents for having the good fortune of having you as their Representative.

Sincerely,

Lyndon B. Johnson

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

GC: Mr. Holborn, Central Files
PR Unit and Mr. Salinger

LBJ:FLH:MB

Door Mrs. Green:

This is among the first Kennedy half dollars to be issued by the Treasury. I felt that it would have a special significance to you and that you should have it. With best wishes.

Sincerely,

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D.C.

March 23, 1964

Dear Mr. Barthelmes:

Thank you for your letter of March 16 regarding a communication from Mr. Thomas Kerr on the use of year and beens in the PL 480 program.

I have enclosed for Mrs. Green's and your information my reply to Mr. Kerr. I want to assure you that we appreciate your interest in this problem and that we are doing everything possible to make the best use of these commodities.

Sincerely,

Richard W. Router Special Assistant to the President Director, Food For Peace

Mr. A. Wesley Barthelmes, Jr.
Administrative Assistant to
Honorable Edith Green
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

Enclosure - Copy of letter to Mr. Themas Kerr, Kerr Grain Corp., Pertland, Oregon

bec. Lawrence F. O'Brien

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CM/Beans
CM/Peas
CM/Lentils

March 23, 1964

Dear Mr. Kerri

Thank you for your letter of March 9 regarding the surplus of peas, beans, and lentils in the Pacific Northwest and your suggestion that these commodities be included in the PL 480 program.

The Food for Peace program does include beans and peas and as of December 31, 1963, 101, 500, 000 pounds of dry edible beans and peas were programed for shipment overseas.

The agricultural attaches in the Latin American countries have been advised of the availability of lentils for the PL 480 program and have also been urged to renew their efforts in publicizing the availability of peas and beans. As you now know, specialists in these commodities from the Foreign Agricultural Service of the Department of Agriculture have been visiting Washington embassies, together with representatives of the trade, to emphasize the availability and value of peas and beans.

I am also pleased to report that negotiations are in progress to supply 500 tons of peas to Ecuador and 10,000 tons of beans to Yugoslavia under the Title IV program (long term dollar credit sales); under Title I (sales for local currency) we are negotiating to supply beans in the following amounts: 1,000 tons to United Arab Republic, 6,000 tons to the Congo, and 500 tons to Ecuador.

I trust that this will serve to assure you that we are endeavoring to promote these useful commodities.

Sincerely,

Richard W. Reuter
Special Assistant to the President
Director, Food For Peace

Mr. Thomas Kerr, President,
Kerr Grain Corporation
600 Lewis Building
Portland 4, Oregon

bcc. Mr. A. Wesley Barthelmes, Jr. (Congresswoman Green)

Edith

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May 11, 1964

Dear Mrs. Green:

I am entiosing a copy of the telegram which President Johnson sent on the occasion of the reception in your honor.

With best regards,

Charles U. Daly

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

bc: Larry O'Brien

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NIGHT LETTER

May 8, 1964

Honorable Edith Green
Member, United States
House of Representatives
Room 313
Pioneer-Post Office
Portland, Oregon

It is a pleasure to send my warm greetings to Senator Kennedy and all Oregon Democrats who are giving this reception in honor of Congresswoman Edith Green.

Congresswoman Edith Green has centributed much to the well-being of this country. Her efforts to secure better education for Americans have been productive. She has worked hard to better our communities, and has been in the forefront of the battle for a sound Poverty Program. I am sure that your own hard work to develop the strongest possible slate of Democratic candidates will produce victory at all levels in November.

With all best wishes,

Lyndon Baines Johnson

cc: Mr. Holborn Central Files

LBJ:FLH:lbm

Dear Mrs. Green:

At your request the President was pleased to send the enclosed letter to Mrs. Kurt Karmin and Mr. Bill Dimit.

With best regards,

Charles U. Daly

Honorable Edith <u>Green</u> House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

bc: Larry O'Brien

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Dear Mrs. Karmia.

Through the thoughtfulness of Congresswoman Edith Green, I have learned of your outstanding work over the last few years.

As a symbol of all the dedicated precinct workers and committeewomen of your county and state, you are to be congratulated for contributing so much of your time and energy to advance the democratic process.

With best wishes,

Sincerely

Mrs. Kurt W. Karmin 6105 N. E. Clackamas Portland, Oregon

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Dear Mr. Dimit:

Through the thoughtfulness of Congresswoman Edith Green, I have learned of your outstanding work over the last few years.

As a symbol of all the dedicated precinct workers and committeemen of your county and state, you are to be congratulated for contributing so much of your time and energy to advance the democratic process.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Mr. Bill Dimit 5905 North Gay Street Portland, Oregon

CD/dg

June 11, 1964

Dear Mr. Barthelmes:

The President would have liked to address the Burro Club in the next few months but his schedule is so tight that it just is not possible right now. Maybe at some later date he will be able to work it out.

Sincerely,

George E. Reedy Press Secretary to the President

Mr. A. W. Barthelmes, Jr.
Office of Edith Green, M. C.
Room 312 Old House Office Building
Washington, D. C.

GER:CG

June 17, 1964

Dear Mrs. Green:

The Bureau of the Census informs us that it will conduct the 1964 Census of Agriculture this fall. A number of temporary personnel will be needed for this task, including about 1800 crew leaders. They will be hired for about six or eight weeks, and each will supervise the enumeration in one or more counties.

I am advised that the Bureau of the Census will contact you shortly with more detailed information, and at a later date will furnish you with the crew leader requirements for your District.

Sincerely yours,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D.C.

SENT TO WALTER JENKINS

- 1. Mem o to JV from Mike Manatos re transportation for 19 Members of the Senate who are Ex-Governors to the Gov. Conference in Ohio on June 8.
- 2. Memo dated May 26, 1964 from Claude Desautels concerning Edith Green and ride home from Texas on Sunday.

Jack Valenti

July 8, 1964

Dear Mrs. Green:

The President has asked me to send you the attached photographs taken when he signed the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

Enclosures: 1 of C522-2 (Rapp)

CJD/CJR/jam

Dear Edith:

As we approach the four-year point in the Democratic Administration, I want to extend first my congratulations on the terrific job you have done in the Congress, and second my warmest appreciation for the many times you lent your personal prestige and strength to winning the Administration's battles.

While at times the problems were many, the results speak for themselves, and I believe we can all take great pride in the remarkable record of achievement made by the Congress and be all the more confident of a Democratic victory in November because of it.

Let me say again that it has been a privilege and a pleasure to work with you.

With the highest regards and best wishes of myself and my staff,

Sincerely yours,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D.C.

September 1, 1964 Dear Mrs. Green: The President has asked me to send you the enclosed pictures taken when he signed S. 2642, the Antipoverty Bill. With best wishes, Sincerely, Lawrence F. O'Brian Special Assistant to the President Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C. Enclosures: 1 of 341-1 and 1 of 341-2 (Stoughton) nf September 14, 1964

Dear Mrs. Green:

The President appreciated your suggestion that he appear at the Oregon State AFL-CIO convention in Salem, after his visit to Portland on September 16.

Unfortunately, the time schedule is such that this appearance cannot be worked in

Kindest best wishes.

Sincerely,

Jack Valenti
Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green
Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C.

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ter it will be for the country. In fact I would like to see a special session of Congress right after the election to complete the unfinished business that remains on the calendar. If this is done, much time can be saved.

THE PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN

(Mrs. GREEN of Oregon asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute, to revise and extend her remarks, and to include editorials from

various newspapers.)
Mrs. GREEN of Oregon. Mr. Speaker, one of the most striking trends in the current presidential campaign has been the startling shift, in the editorial position of the wat on's newspapers from the transional one of supporting the Repub-lican nominee whoever he may be to that of supporting the Democratic nominee. in this case Lyndon Baines Johnson.

I have asked my colleagues to help round up a collection of representative editorials and related matter from newspapers in different sections of the country so that there could be brought together in one place this remarkable consensus. Joining with me in this cooperative effort have been Representatives JOHN MOSS, RALPH HARDING, JOHN MC-FALL, DONALD FRASER, NEAL SMITH, DAN ROSTENKOWSKI, and GRAHAM PURCELL, as well as the staff of the Democratic study group.

The chorus of praise for the administration of Lyndon Johnson rises higher each day from the editorial offices. Newspapers have carried items about these endorsements in various newspapers. I include these as well as a sampling of editorials across the Nation. They help to place this campaign in proper focus:

[From the Democrat, Sept., 1964] L.B.J.-H.H.H. TICKET WINS ACCLAIM IN MAJORITY OF THE NATION'S PRESS

(Note.—The following are excerpts of editorial reaction to the 1964 National Democratic ticket.)

The Baltimore Sun: "After Mr. Johnson's achievement in keeping the Nation on even keel through a storm of crisis, and in view of his subsequent accomplishments, the Democrats are justified in making him not only their automatic choice but their gen-

only their automatic choice but their gen-uine choice, by enthusiastic acclamation.

"Among the possibilities ahead, to say the least of it, is the possibility of a Johnson victory over Mr. Goldware in November. To lead the party in pushing that possi-bility closer to the point of certainty, as well as to stand as representative in a changing as to stand as representative in a changing age of traditional principles of their party, the Democrats are fortunate in their Presi-dential candidate."

New York Journal-American: "The nom-ination of Lyndon Baines Johnson was as certain as the tide tables in Atlantic City. But Mr. Johnson not only compelled the nomination by the full tide of his political dominance in the Democratic Party—he earned it by his accompilshments in the 9 months he has been in the White House.

months he has been in the White House.

"Those accomplishments are:

"I. Personal: He moved in quickly to establish his own authority as President following the assassination of President Kennedy. He demonstrated that he was more than a master politician, that he could fulfill the responsibilities of leadership demanded by the greatest office in the world. He created the Johnson image.

"2. Domestic: Of 30 items President John: son put on his priority list, the 88th Congress enacted more than 20. They began with the \$11.5 billion-a-year tax cut. They reached a dramatic climax with the civil

"3. International: He displayed to doubt-ful allies and to coldly appraising enemies a knowledgeable grasp of foreign policies and affairs. He showed firmness where he believed it necessary—for example, in dealing with the fracas over the Panama Canal, or, ecently, in his response to Communist gun-

boat aggression in the Guif of Tonkin.
"Mr. Johnson has every reason to run on
his record, on which 75 percent of a crosssection of voters, in a recent poll, gave him a favorable rating. He has been a good Presi-

The Philadelphia Inquirer: "There is a section of President Johnson's acceptance speech before the Democratic National Con-vention * * * that has special significance, not as part of a campaign document, but as a declaration of Government policy. "Pointing out that one of our greatest re-

sponsibilities is to assure fair play for all Americans, the President stated that every Amercan has the right to be treated as a person, and that he should be able to find a job, educate his children, vote in the election, and be judged on his merits.

"So long as he is President, he went on, he intends to carry out what the Constitution demands—and justice requires—equal justice under law for all."

The Washington Post: "The President to-day not only is the candidate of the Democastic Party. To an extent seldom exceeded in American history he is the very embodiment of the party. * * * Political skill amounting to genius, an application to the work at hand almost terrifying in its intensity and a relish for the opportunities and burdens of power, have brought President Johnson to this point in his career. He has won the verdict of his party colleagues. He can await with some confidence the verdict of his countrymen. He has now to court the

verdict of history."

The New York Times: "In the 9 months he has held the office which he attained under such tragic circumstances, Lyndon B. Johnson has acquitted himself well.

"He effected the transition from the Kennedy administration to his own with dignity and skill; he made no serious misstep at a time when missteps would have been easy, and he had carried on with conspicuous success the legislative program established by his predecessor * * *.

"As the campaign develops, the points of difference between Mr. Johnson and Mr. Goldwater will become increasingly apparent in respect to such issues as civil rights, management of the economy, the social respon-sibilities of government, the control of nu-clear weapons, the policy of the United States toward its actual friends and its potential enemies.

"We will discuss these in detail in the ensuing weeks but they are clear enough already. In our opinion they point to an inescapably logical conclusion: the necessity of electing Lyndon Johnson as President of the United States and of administering a decisive and definitive defeat to the voices of the past."

Milwaukee Journal: "Senator Humphrey will bring to the ticket a deep sympathy for Americans who are denied their full share of our prosperity and a determination to do something about it. He is an expert in many areas of domestic legislation. He has acquired an understanding and competence in the field of foreign affairs that is vital to a Vice President in our dangerous era. HUBERT HUMPHERY is capable of being President.
That cannot be said for the Vice Presidential candidate on the Republican ticket."

Madison (Wis.) Capital Times: "This is a strong ticket the Democrats have put to-gether and it will need its strength in the days ahead. Elections are not won in convention halls, however, and the Johnson-HUMPHREY team faces determined opponents in Goldwarer and Miller. The Democrats will need all the political savy they can muster if they are to bring what L.B.J. has called the great society to America on the back of the Democratic donkey."

San Francisco News-Call Bulletin: "By all measurable standards, the Democrats are fielding a strong team for the big game November 8."

[From the Medford (Oreg.) Mail Tribune, Sept. 10, 1964]

ON DISTRUSTING GOLDWATER

"Unhesitatingly, this newspaper supports the candidacy of President Lyndon B, John-We are convinced that the cause of son. world peace would be better served by Mr. Johnson and his foreign policy, with its roots deep in both Democratic and Republican addeep in both Democratic and Republican administrations. We frankly fear that the Goldwater philosophy, transformed into Presidential policy, might plunge the world deeper into the uncertainty of greater international tensions. We believe that to entrust the peace to a Goldwater administration would be an unnecessary and undesirable gamble for the Nation to take."

Who said that? The New York Times?

Who said that? The New York Times? Or any other spokesman for the so-called

Or any other spokesman for the so-caned liberal establishment?

No—that is from the Kansas City Star, which has a long record of "moderate conservatism," and which this year, for the first time since Grover Cleveland in 1892, is supporting a Democratic candidate.

Another case in point is the Binghamton Sun-Bulletin, the oldest morning daily newspaper in the State of New York, which has supported "with greater or lesser enthusiasm every Republican nominee since the party was founded in 1856" and before that sup-ported Whig candidates.

The Sun-Bulletin said: "We cannot accept the ideas, the philosophy or the purpose of Senator Barr M. Goldwates, the GOP nominee this year. We believe the views he has espoused could do great harm to the Nation if he were in a position to carry them out. President Johnson, by contrast, has already proved himself fit for the job. He has revealed himself to be a mature, experienced, responsible man given to moderation rather than extremism."

In this instance—if in few others—we could hardly agree more with these conservative papers.—E.A.

[From the Medford (Oreg.) Mail Tribune, Aug. 30, 1964)

A SHARPER CONTRAST

If the contrast between the two Presidential candidates is sharp, the contrast beween the two vice-presidential nominees is even more so.

Congressman MILLER is a little-known member from an upstate New York con-stitutency, chiefly known heretofore as Na-tional GOP Committee chairman.

Senator Humphrey, on the other hand, is a man of real and well-earned stature in his own right. He has had long experience in business, in city government, and in the Senate, where, starting as a brash and out-spoken liberal, he has earned the respect, admiration, and affection of friend and foe

If this seems unfair to MILLER it is no more than the truth, for his background as smalltown lawyer, Army lieutenant, district attorney and Congressman hardly qualify him for office as President of the United States.

According to the authoritative Congressional Quarterly: "The bulk of the legisla-

September 18, 1964

Dear Mrs. Green:

Here is the medallion I promised to send you. Please accept it with the President's best wishes.

Sincerely.

Jack Valenti Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green
The House of Representatives
Washington, D.C.

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GENERAL PR13-1/6# October 16, 1964 Dear Mrs. Green: The President has asked me to send you the enclosed pen used when he signed S. 3060, the National Defense Education Act Amendments. With best wishes. Sincerely, Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C. CJD/CJR/jam Enclosure: pen

October 15, 1964

Dear Congresswoman:

Thank you very much for your note of October 10th.

You're mighty welcome to the medal. I'm just glad that it arrived before adjournment. The report on the political situation is mighty welcome. Your efforts are most valuable to the President, and he is very grateful as you know.

Sincerely,

Jack Valenti Special Assistant to the President

Mrs. Edith Green
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

October 20, 1964

Dear Mrs. Green:

I thought you might like to have a copy of the President's remarks when he signed the National Defense Education Act Amendments legislation. You will note that he made reference to your efforts in behalf of the legislation.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

Enclosure: Release of 10/16/64

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EXECUTIVE
PR13-1/G*

October 20, 1964

Dear Mrs. Green:

As per your request I am pleased to send you the enclosed pen used by the President when he signed H. J. Res. 393, Joint Resolution to authorize the President to proclaim October 9 in each year as Leif Erikson Day.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green c/o Pioneer Post Office Portland, Oregon

Enclosure; pen

CJD/CJR/nf

October 26, 1964

Dear Mrs. Green:

The President has read with deep interest the letter in which you were joined by a number of other Congressmen in furnishing specific observations and suggestions with regard to action that the Federal Government might take in connection with the recent series of bombings in Mississippi.

I am sure you are aware of the continuing concern which the President has shown toward acts of terrorism and violence anywhere in the United States. Early last July, at the direction of the President, 50 additional FBI Agents were sent to Mississippi; and on July 10th, Director J. Edgar Hoover personally arrived in the capital city of Jackson to confer with state and local officials and to open a new FBI field office there.

The FBI and the Civil Rights Division of the Department of Justice have given thorough, prompt attention to all civil rights matters involving possible violations of Federal laws in Mississippi, as in all other states. The President has personally remained abreast of all major developments in these cases, and he has noted with great interest the progress which has been made. For example since July, 1964:

A formidable roadblock in the investigation of the disappearance of the three civil rights workers was overcome when FBI Agents succeeded in locating the bodies of the three men near Philadelphia, Mississippi;

Three residents of Greenwood, Mississippi, have been arrested by the FBI on charges of conspiring to violate the Civil Rights Act of 1964 by allegedly beating a Negro who had attended a local theater;

Four local and county officers and a former Sheriff of Neshoba County have been indicted by the Federal Grand Jury at Biloxi, Mississippi, and placed under arrest by

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FBI Agents at Philadelphia, on charges of depriving local Negro citizens of rights guaranteed them while acting under color of law; and

Eleven men have been arrested in the McComb, Mississippi, area in connection with a series of bombings of Negro homes. These arrests led to the seisure of a large quantity of explosives-type material, including dynamite, hand grenades, fire bombs, gunpowder, and bombs constructed of metal pipe and gunpowder, as well as two boxes of rifle ammunition.

The President met personally with members of the families of the three civil rights workers who were killed near Philadelphia last summer, and with three McComb women whose homes had been bombed. Additionally, he has instructed the Department of Justice to take immediate action in all civil rights matters, including voter registration cases, which are within the purview of the Federal Government.

Obviously the situation warrants continued close attention, and the specific recommendations contained in your letter have been brought to the attention of the Justice Department, the Civil Rights Commission, and the Community Relations Service for evaluation and appropriate action.

Your own deep personal interest in the matter is fully appreciated.

Sincerely,

Lee C. White Associate Special Counsel to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D.C.

November 4, 1964

(to Members of the House of Representatives)

Congratulations. Your victory is well deserved. I am sure your district and the nation will be the ultimate beneficiaries.

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Congressman, continued

Hon. Dave Anderson Congressman Elect 110-1/2 Main Street Wallace, North Carolina

Hon. Harold Cooley
U.S. Congressman
Court Circle
Nashville, North Carolina

Hon. John Blatnik U.S. Congressman Federal Building Duluth, Minnesota

Hon. Al Alman Congressman Elect 1875 Valley Street Baker, Oregon

Hon. Edith Green
U.S. Congresswoman
Court House Building
Portland, Oregon

Hon. Robert Duncan U.S. Congressman 720 E. 13th Avenue Eugene, Oregon

Hon. Earle Cabell Congressman Elect 4017 Commerce Street Dallas, Texas

Hon. Otis Pike
U.S. Congressman
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Rivorhead, New York

Hon. G. Elliott Hagan U.S. Congressman 111 W. Oguchee Street Sylvania, Georgia (2010grand/121101741)

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November 6, 1964

Dear Edith:

Heartiest congratulations on a great victory. Since we shall be leaving on November 28 to take up our new duties in Chile, I doubt that I shall see you before our departure. Nevertheless, I did want you to know how much I have valued your friendship over the years. I trust that if I can be of help to you in Chile during our stay there, you will let me know.

In the meantime, my best wishes.

Sincerely,

Rolph A. Dungan

Honorable Edith Green
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C.

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November 9, 1964

Your thoughtful (telegram)(letter) meant a great deal to me and I want you (and for your congratulations. I pray that our joint efforts will keep our country safe, strong, and successful and will assure freedom's victory in a world of peace.

Lyndon B. Johnson

Hon. John H. Dent 224 South Fifth Street Jeannette, Pennsylvania

Hon. T. J. Dulski 402 United States Court House Buffalo, New York

Hon. Joe L. Evins
South 4th Street
Smithville, Tennessee

Hon, Dante B. Fascell Federal Building Miami, Florida

Hon. L. H. Fountain 316 St. Andrews Tarboro, North Carolina

Hon. Samuel N. Friedel 323 Post Office Building Ealtimore, Maryland

Hon. James G. Fulton 724 Fulton Building Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Hon. Edith Green
313 Old Courthouse Building
Fortland, Oregon

Hop. C. Elliott Hagan Hopes of Representatives Washington, D. C.

Hon. Julia Butler Hansen
Post Office Building
Kelso, Washington

Hon. Porter Hardy, Jr.
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

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Mrs. Johnson and I are delighted with your victory. I am glad that we will be working together in the coming years. These critical days will be demanding and ardous, and the American people are fortunate to have representatives like you.

Lyndon B. Johnson

MOSS, John SISK, B. F. ROOSEVELT, James PERKINS, Carl D. ROONEY, John J. KIRWAN, Michael J. BROOKS, Jack KEOGH, Eugene DELANEY, James GRAY, Kenneth GONZALEZ, Henry KELLY, Edna THOMAS, Albert POWELL, Adam COLLEY, Harold BLATNIK, John GREEN, Edith WILLIS, Edwin ZABLOCKI, Clement

October 19, 1964

MEMORANDUM FOR CLAUDE DESAUTELS

Congressman Edith Green is very interested in getting a
pen used in the signing of H. J. Resolution 393, now Public
Law 88-566 proclaiming October 9 as Lief Erickson Day.

The President signed the Bill on September 2.

She would like the pen sent to her in care of the Pioneer Post
Office, Portland, Oregon -- AIR MAIL. She called me tonight
when she was unable to reach you.

Jack Valenti

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November 13, 1963

Dear Mrs. Groom the in reply to show call sean Mr Huen

As per your request I am pleased to advise I have arranged for the Business and Professional Women's Conference to tour the White House on the morning of February 1.

John J. McNally, who handles these matters, will be in touch with your office regarding the exact time and other details.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant

to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

cc: John J. McNally, Jr.

cc: Larry O'Brien

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GENERAL IV/1965 /St5 (San Francisco)

December &, 1964

Dear Mrs. Green:

For the President, may I thank you for your letter of December 4 expressing your hope that he will be able to accept the invitation extended him by Dr. A. L. Ellingson, President of the Association of Gollege Unions-International, to address the 1965 conference of the Association.

Your interest in this invitation will have the President's consideration, and your letter is being referred to his appointments secretary.

Sincerely yours,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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June 23, 1964

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Dear Mrs. Green:

The President has asked me to thank you for your letter of June 22. He deeply appreciated your comments, and you may be sure that consideration will be given to your cordial invitation to visit Portland in planning the schedule for the coming months.

Sincerely yours,

Lawrence F. O'Erien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D.

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January 11, 1965

Dear Mr. Barthelmes:

Thank you for your letter of the 5th asking about the possibility of the President meeting with the Burro Club sometime during the current 1965 program year.

While we do not foresee a time now when this might be arranged in view of the heavy schedule, we will keep it in mind should the situation case. And if you would like to contact us again later on, say in March or April, we will be glad to hear from you.

Meanwhile, the President wanted me to express his thanks for your interest in asking him, together with his best wishes.

Sincerely,

Jack Valenti Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Wes Barthelmes
Administrative Assistant
to the Honorable Edith Green
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

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Lawrence F. O'Brien / Messages set/6"

January 17, 1965

Dear Mrs. Green:

I want to take this opportunity to extend to you my heartiest greetings on your birthday. May you enjoy good health and every happiness today and for years to come.

With congratulations and best wishes for many happy returns of the day,

Sincerely yours,

Lawrence F, O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith S. Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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January 17, 1965

Dear Edith:

Lady Bird and I join in congratulating you on your birthday. We hope that this day and every day that follows will bring you happiness.

With our warmest wishes for your good health and good fortune,

Sincerely,

Honorable Edith S. Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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Dear Mrs. Green:

Thanks very much for your note and the clipping from the Oregonian.

I enjoyed seeing you -- and hope to see you more often in the months to come.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

Bill Moyers
Special Assistant
To The President

Honorable Edith Green
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

January 30, 1965

Dear Mrs. Green:

I am pleased to advise you that David A. Bunn has joined our White House Congressional Liaison staff.

Dave is now here to assist you as a Liaison Representative and will be in direct contact with you shortly. Of course, Henry Wilson and my assistant, Claude Desautels, continue to be available to you and your office.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D.C.

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February 12, 1965

Dear Hrs. Green:

I am pleased to send you the enclosed large pictures of the President as you requested for forwarding to State Senator Thomas Mahoney.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D./C.

Enclosures: /photos of P.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 10, 1965

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EXECUTIVE

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Larry O'Brien says that Edith Green doesn't really care about either a ceremony or White House Release. She just wants a little advance notice prior to the announcement.

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February 23, 1965

Dear Edith:

Lady Bird and I have just learned that you are in the hospital and hope that this note finds you comfortable and in good spirits.

Hurry up and get well - we need you.

Sincerely,

Honorable Edith Green Bethesda Naval Hospital Bethesda, Maryland

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February 26, 1965

Dear Mrs. Green:

This is in further response to your letter of Pebruary 18, 1965, regarding the Federal Aviation Agency's study known as "Project Focus" and the possible effect it may have upon the Systems Maintenance District Office in Portland, Oregon.

"Project Focus" was a major study of the Federal Aviation Agency's entire field office structure and involved extensive tests of various organization concepts. The study has been completed and data from all the tests are now being analyzed. No final conclusions have yet been made with regard to any of the findings reported.

In the meantime, Mr. Najeeb Halaby, FAA Administrator, has asked regional directors to advise him of their specific plans for strengthening field management during calendar year 1965 using information gained from the "Project Focus" tests. I have learned that the Western Region's plans should be available for Mr. Halaby's review and approval in approximately 60 days.

I am sure Mr. Halaby will keep you informed of developments involving the Portland Systems Maintenance District Office and will advise you of his final decision in this matter.

Please be assured that your concern in this matter has been made known to Mr. Hainby.

Sincorely.

David A. Bunn Aide for Congressional Relations

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C. 20515

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February 23, 1965

Dear Mrs. Green:

I was extremely sorry to learn that you are in the hospital and want to send a word of sympathy and encouragement. I hope all goes well, and that you will be out and around again soon.

Please let me know if I can be halpful in any way.

With every good wish,

Sincerely yours,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green
Bethesda Naval Hospital
Bethesda, Maryland

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Mr. President,

Thank you notes received March 6 from Members of Congress:

Sen. Clark - for photograph at Congressional Recep.

Edith Green -- for flowers rec'd at Bethesda

Sen. McGee - for reception and photograph of it

Congr. Who. B. Widnall -- for flowers at hospital

Sen. Talmange -- for reception and photograph of it

Sen. Yarbrough -- for photo at recep and autographing

of the 3 books he sent in.

Sen. Hickenlooper -- for picture at recep.

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All letters returned to Larry O'Brien -- none needing ack or reply.

March 4, 1965

Dear Congresswoman:

Thank you for forwarding Miss Diane Earl Timm's application for summer employment with the government.

I am enclosing a copy of the Civil Service Commission's information sheet on the procedure to be followed by summer job applicants, and suggest that Miss Timm also send copies of her application to the appropriate departments and agencies.

Assuring you of our desire to be of all possible assistance to you and your constituents.

Sincerely,

David A. Bunn Aide for Congressional Relations

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D.C.

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Enclosure: Civil Service Information Sheet

Dear Congresswoman Green:

I am enclosing a tape of the President's Inaugural Address, which I hope will be helpful for the Northwest Divisional Convention of the Music Educators National Conference and also the National Convention of the National Elementary Principals Sesociation.

They can take the extract from it which they desire.

Sincerely,

George E. Reedy Press Secretary to the President

The Honorable Edith Green, M.C. House Office Building Washington, D.C.

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CONGRESSIONAL THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

February 23, 1965

MEMORANDUM FOR JUANITA ROBERTS

Bethesda Naval Hospital reports the admittance of:

Congressman William Widnall of New Jersey. His expected stay is from 10 days to 2 weeks.

Congresswoman Edith Green of Oregon. She was hospitalized on Friday, February 19th and is expected to remain 4 or 5 more days.

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GENERAL HU2/STI

March 13, 1965

Dear Mrs. Green:

May I acknowledge your recent telegram to the President regarding civil rights demonstrations in Alabama, and the role of the Federal Government in protecting the right of every American citizen to register and vote.

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As the enclosed copy of the President's statement of March 9 makes clear, the Administration's recommendations for legislation to secure that right will be sent to the Congress in the very near future. Meanwhile, please be assured that he is maintaining close touch with the situation in Alabama.

Sincerely yours,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D.C.

Enclosure

MEMORANDUM CONCRESSIONAL

THE WHITE HOUSE

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March 26, 1965

TO:

THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

Douglass Cater

Mrs. Green may try to make a judicial review clause the heart of her attempt to amend the bill this afternoon. We have worked out a very good statement with the Justice Department which Manny Celler has agreed to deliver on his own authority. It indicates: "There is no aspect of this bill which raises issues of any significance in the field of church and state that will not be subject to judicial review."

With Celler's reassurance, the National Council of Churches is prepared to deliver Carl Albert a telegram which will effectively undercut Protestant church support for Mrs. Green's position.

THE WHITE HOUSE

March 30, 1965

TO:

THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

Douglass Cater

Adam Clayton Powell is burning mad over Edith Green's behavior on the Education Bill. He has threatened three raprisals:

- 1. Remove vocational rehabilitation from her Subcommittee jurisdiction.
 - 2. Fire her sister from the Committee staff.
- 3. Entrust John Brademas with sponsorship of the Higher Education Bill.

Brademas is uncertain about No. 3, but is willing to undertake the job if it will serve the good of the Bill.

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PR6-1/G*

April 1, 1965

Dear Mrs. Green:

The President and Mrs. Johnson have asked me to send you the enclosed photograph as a memento of a very pleasant evening.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

Enclosure: Photo auto by P. and Mrs. J.

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE WASHINGTON

MAR 1() 1965

MEMORANDUM FOR HONORABLE FREDERICK L. HOLBORN

This is in response to your request of March 3 for a draft for Presidential signature to be used by the Oregon Education Association in honoring Senator Wayne Morse and Congresswomen Edith Green on March 25.

A draft, together with the original correspondence, is enclosed.

Harold R. Levy

Assistant to the Secretary

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April 20, 1965

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Dear Mr. Barthelmes:

I have your letter of the 7th renewing the request for the President to meet with the Burro Club sometime during the current 1965 program year.

I'm sincerely sorry to now send a disappointing reply but with the pressing schedule outlined for the months ahead and the uncertainty of additional demands, we just do not feel we can hold out any hope this can be scheduled.

We appreciate your continued interest and sincerely regret the reply cannot be a favorable one.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Jack Valenti
Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Wes Barthelmes
Administrative Assistant
to the Honorable Edith Green
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

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THE WHITE HOUSE OFFICE

ROUTE SLIP

(To Remain With Correspondence)

TO Mr. Phillip S. Hughes

Assistant Director for

Legislative Reference

Bureau of the Budget

PROMPT HANDLING IS ESSENTIAL. WHEN DRAFT REPLY IS REQUESTED THE BASIC CORRESPONDENCE MUST BE RETURNED. IF ANY DELAY IN SUBMISSION OF DRAFT REPLY IS ENCOUNTERED, PLEASE TELEPHONE OFFICE OF THE SPECIAL ASSISTANT.

Date March 16, 1965

FROM THE SPECIAL ASSISTANT

Mrs. Edith Green

ACTION:

Comment of further

XXXX Draff reply for undersigned's signature

Direct reply, with information copy to undersigned

Further reply, with information copy to undersigned

For background briefing on which to base reply from this office

For appropriate handling

For your information

XXXXXSee below

Remarks:

Will you get together with HEW and let me have a draft of a further reply to Mrs. Green.

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By direction of the President:

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

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February 18, 1965

Dear Mrs. Green:

May I acknowledge your letter of February 15 regarding the need for additional funds for programs of assistance to the areas of Oregon which were damaged by floods.

As you know, the President has transmitted to the Congress a request for an additional \$135,000,000 for emergency assistance to States and individuals; \$100,000,000 for Small Business Administration loans; \$25,000,000 for disaster relief; \$10,000,000 for emergency conservation measures. He stressed the need for prompt provision of these funds.

Consideration is being given to your recommendations, and we will be back in touch with you.

Sincerely yours,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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Dear Mrs. Green:

At the request of the President and Mrs. Johnson, we are preparing a guest list of Congressional Assistants for a reception to be held at the White House on May 27.

To facilitate this, we would appreciate having the names of your principal Assistants at your earliest convenience. We must adhere to a policy of limiting this to two assistants in each office. The invitations will not be transferable.

Your cooperation in forwarding these names to me will be most helpful in arranging for the invitations to be extended individually.

Claude Desautels of my staff is coordinating this activity.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

LARRY

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D.C.

GENERAL LE/WE7

February 19, 1965

Dear Mrs. Green:

Thank you for your letter of February 15 to the President regarding your proposal to authorize Federal grants to pay part of the cost of a three-year program of research and study of personnel needs in the field of correctional rehabilitation and of the availability and adequacy of educational and training resources in this field.

Your response to the President's request for the recommendations of the Congress is very much appreciated, and this proposal will be carefully considered in drafting the President's message on delinquency and crime.

Sincerely yours,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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June 17, 1965 Dear Mrs. Green: The President has asked me to send you the attached pen used when he signed S. 2089, An Act to provide assistance to the States of California, Oregon, Washington, Nevada, and Idaho for the reconstruction of areas damaged by recent floods and high waters. With best wishes, Sincerely, Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C. Enclosure: Pen CJD/CJR/nf July 2, 1965

Dear Mrs. Green:

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With further reference to your letter of June 29th to the President, I enclose for your information a copy of the letter I wrote Dr. John R. Howard about the Centennial Celebration of Lewis and Clark College in 1967.

With the President's best wishes to you,

Sincerely,

Jack Valenti Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

Enclosure: Copy of ltr from JV, dtd 6/28/65 to Dr. John R. Howard.

JV:HC:ltd

June 30, 1965 Dear Mrs. Green: May I acknowledge your letter of June 29 to the President in support of the invitation to attend the Centennial Celebration at Lewis and Clark College in 1967. Your expression of interest is very much appreciated, and your letter is being referred to the President's appointments secretary. Sincerely yours, Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives jl/az Washington, D. C.

July 14, 1965

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Dear Mrs. Green:

The President has asked me to send you the attached pen which he used in signing H. R. 3708, the Older American Act on Wednesday, July 14 at the White House.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

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Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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You are cordially invited to join me in welcoming the		CO 49	
participants in the White House Conference on Education		CO 51	
at a reception on the South Lawn at 5:15 PM. Wednesday,		CO 305	
July 21.		CO 81	
Please present this telegram at the Southwest Gate of the		CO 92	
White House.		CO 121	
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The Lebanon Amb. & Mrs. EL-AHDAB	Alphonzo BELL		
The Mexico Amb. & Mrs. CARRILLO FLORES	Paul FINDLEY		
The Netherlands Amb. & Mrs. VAN ROIJEN	Ogden R. REID		
The Nigeria Amb. & Mrs. UDOCHI	Glenn ANDREWS		
The Pakistan Amb. & Mrs. AHMED	The following	Senators:	
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The Republic of Turkey Amb. & Mrs.	Joseph S. CLARK		
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The following Congressmen:	Claiborne PELL		
Adam C. POWELL	Edward M. KENNEDY		
Carl D. PERKINS	Gaylord NELSON		
Edith GREEN	Robert KENNEDY		
James ROOSEVELT	Jacob K. JAVITS		
Frank MOMPSON, Jr.		Winston L. PROUTY	
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John BRADEMAS	The following Congressmen:		
James G. O'MARA	Grace HEWELL		
Ralph J. SCOTT	Jack REED		
Hugh L. CAREY Augustus F. HAWKINS	Robert MCCORD		
Carlton R. SICKLES	William GAUL Robert VAGLEY		
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Dear Mrs. Green:

As one of the co-sponsors of the Medicare Bill the President has asked me to send you the attached pen which he used in signing this legislation in the Truman Library, Independence, Missouri.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

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Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

Enclosure: Pen used in signing HR6675, the Medicare Bill

LFOB:CJR:jar

August 9, 1965

Dear Mrs. Greek

I am sending you a brochure that presents, in summary form, the proceedings of the recent White House Conference on Natural Beauty. I thought that the recommendations would be of interest to you. The conference was planned, as you know, to discover and recommend ways to bring natural beauty into the daily lives of all Americans.

It has been a source of pleasure and inspiration to me to see the great public interest developing in natural beauty. Several of our Governors have already scheduled conferences on natural beauty as I suggested in my remarks to the conference delegates here in Washington. Some of our State Highway Departments have devoted a portion of their Federal aid construction funds to the preservation of scenic beauty along their highway systems. Municipalities, school systems, private organizations, and individuals have written to tell of their projects and to offer their assistance in this national effort to improve the quality of our lives.

I am sending copies of this brochure to many of our county and city government leaders across this great country. I hope that these recommendations will be studied and put to work to build a more beautiful America.

Sincerely,

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

Enclosure

LBJ:RNG:mmc

Dear Mrs. Green:

The President has asked me to thank you for your letter of August 13 commending the selection of John Gardner as Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare, and of Arthur Goldberg as Ambassador to the United Nations.

The President is pleased to have your favorable reaction to these appointments, and is most appreciative of your thoughtful letter.

Sincerely yours,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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Dear Mrs. Green:

The President has asked me to send you the enclosed pen, which he used when he signed S. 1483, the Arts and Humanities Bill.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Lawrence F. O'Brien Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

Enclosure

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THE WHITE HOUSE.

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Wednesday, August 25, 1965 8:00 p.m.

TO:

THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

Douglass Cater

SUBJECT:

Report on the Higher Education Bill

Al Quie remarked to an HEW staff member at lunch today that there was no sense in the Republicans offering any amendments. I have been told by Dr. Frank Rose that a number of the Alabama Republicans will vote for final passage.

There are two possible threats: One is a Republican attack on the student loan provision. But we now have the attached statement from the American Bankers Association supporting the amended version which we negotiated with them. If the Republicans attempt to fight it, using the tax credit proposal as an alternative, Congressman Phil Landrum is ready to counter-attack. (The tax credit is not germane as an amendment.)

Congresswoman Edith Green called to tell me that there would be a Republican amendment to eliminate all fraternities and sororities from the Civil Rights Act. She said that she felt she might have to support this since she thought Keppel had gone beyond his authority in his letter of June 17th to Senator Metcalf in which he stated:

"An institution which maintains a fraternity system as part of its activities and over-all program is responsible under the Civil Rights Act requirements for assuring that discrimination is not practiced by the fraternities in the system."

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When I called Chairman Powell to inform him of Mrs. Green's attitude on this amendment, he said that he was going to support the amendment himself. He did not, by the way, mention any disgruntlement with Keppel for not appointing Dr. Brice. Unless you think differently, it might be best to let the House work its will on this fraternity amendment. It could probably be eliminated in Conference.

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Lawrence F. O'Brien's book of telegrams inviting the following to signing of the Immigration Bill on Sunday, Oct. 3 at Liberty Island, N.J., Present wire at the boat named "Miss Circle Line" at the Statue of Liberty Boat Pier Battery, Park Seawall South Ferry, New York City.

WILLIS, Edwin E. ANNUNZIO, Frank BARRETT, William A. BOLAND, Edward P. CAMERON, Ronald Brooks COHELAN, Jeffrey DINGELL, John D. FARBSTEIN, Leonard FOGARTY, John E. FORD, William D. FRIEDEL, Samuel N. GIAIMO, Robert N. GREEN, Edith HALPERN, Seymour HELSTOSKI, Henry JOELSON, Charles S. KREBS, Paul J. LEGGETT, Robert L. MacDONALD, Torbert H. MCCRATH, Thomas C. MONAGAN, John S. NEDZI, Lucien N. O'NEILL, Thomas P., Jr. PATTEN, Edward J. RONAN, Daniel J. ROOSEVELT, James ROSENTHAL, Benjamin S. ROYBAL, Edward R. RYAN, William F. SICKLES, Carlton R. UDALL, Morris K. WOLFF, Lester L. GALLAGHER, Cornelius BENN, Donald CLINE, Garner J. DICK, Bess E. FOLEY, William R. O'CONNOR. Edward M. HINES, James KRIZEK, Eugene L. McARTHUR, Douglas II

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WARREN, George L., Sr. ECKERSEN, Helen FARRELL, Raymond F. HART. Constance W. HENNESSY, James L. HOYNE, Lillian KATZENBACK, Nicholas Deb LINDENBAUM, Sol ROSENTHAL, Jack SALOSCHIN, Robert L. SCHLEI, Norbert A., Dept., of Justice SULLIVAN. Angela E. ULMA, Leon WIRTZ, W. Willard, Sec. of Labor GEHRIG, Leo J. HUTTT, Ralph Kinslue, Assist. Sec. of Legislation for Dept, of HEW JACOBS, Louis MASLAND, Richard L. PARKER, Michael PRINDLE, Richard A. YOLLES, Stanley S. CROCKETT, William J., Deputy Under Sec. of State CIEPLINSKI, Michel, Deputy Asst. Sec. for Administrative Affairs, Dept. of State NOTO, Mario T. BROWN, Richard R. GREEN, William J.

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Box No. 1531 sent to Central Files from Mr. Lawrence O'Brien's Office contains the following folders of Congressional files: 1963 - 1965

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Mr President

A report from the Vice President: Oct. 12/Tuesday/8:45 am

Dubrow, Evelya Green, Edith

him surprisingly amendable. "We've had a wonderful Congress" said Meany "altho I am very disappointed about 14-B." Meany realizes it will be shut down and brought up in next session. He is concerned about what Mansfield will say vis-a-vis the scheduling of 14-B in the next session. Mean y is in New York today and tomorrow at the Commodore Hotel.

He wants to talk by phone with the President. We can call him or wait until he calls us. But VP said Meany was not vindictive or vexed uncreasonably.

2. Talk with Monroney. VP said Mike Monroney pledged the VP to hold off marking up the pay bill for two days. Thus we have two days grace.

VP says several alternatives available.

a) Get bill on calendar and adjourn Senate before passing.

b) Pass bill in late days of session and give it pocket veto

- 3. Home rule. VP met with O'Brien and other WH staff members.

 VP thinks it may be wiser to let the bill hang -- and then repair

 it in next session. Keep it in himbo until next session and move to

 strike away from it some of the objectionable features. Morse is

 irrevocably opposed to Sisk bill and won't go along. VP also fears

 half baked Southern filibuster if we go to conference and bring out

 better bill. Moroever, the members are lethargic now, and absenteeism

 is enormous.
- 4. Highway beautification: Pat McNamara thinks we ought to go with House bill. O'Brien leans toward House bill - instintively.

 Commerce people say we should go to Confrence.

 VP says he leans toward Conference, but this is dangerous course.

 Objectors could take us back to Rules Committee. McNamara's staff members have not yet analyzed the bill to weigh its pro and con. They will finish analysis today or tomorrow and McNamara will then give his thoughtful decision.

November 3, 1965

Dear Edith:

I would like you to have this freshly minted quarter. It has just come from the Mint, the first result of your new coinage legislation.

On August 24, 1935, President Roosevelt wrote of the 74th Congress, "It has dealt, in a spirit of statesmanship, with matters of vital interest to the lives of our people. Much has been accomplished for the permanent well-being of the Nation as a whole."

I wanted you -- as a member of the even more enlightened and public-minded 89th Congress -- to have this shiny quarter as a memento. Perhaps it may become a treasured keepsake in your family.

Sincerely,

LYNDON

House of Representatives
Washington, D.C.

Enclosure

LBJ:JV:PB:pap

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December 13, 1965

Dear Mrs. Green:

For the President, may I acknowledge your letter of December II in which you were joined by a number of your colleagues in the House of Representatives in stating your vigorous opposition to bombing targets in the Hanoi-Haiphong area.

Please be assured that your views will have the attention of the President and his advisers.

Sincerely,

Henry H. Wilson, Jr.
Administrative Assistant
to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

jl/jf

Dear Edith:

The celebration of Christmas is a holy time, a time of renewal and hope. It is a time for families and friends, neighbors and colleagues to join in the goodness of God, and His divine purpose.

I could not let this Christmas pass without telling you that Mrs. Johnson, my daughters, and I ask God's blessings on you and yours. And I ask you to join with me in uttering a special prayer that peace will come again to this earth.

Sincerely,

LYNDON B. JOHNSON

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D.C.

LBJ:MM:

Dear Mrs. Green:

It occurs to me that in the course of the current discussions of the Bethlehem Steel Company price increase you may wish to see the attached data, which includes statements earlier made by the President and by Gardner Ackley.

Sincerely,

Hénry H. Wilson, Jr. Administrative Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

Enclosure

HHW:jc

January 8, 1966

Dear Mrs. Green:

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Welcome back to Washington. The President wants you to be reminded that the lines to the White House are open, and we will try to lend you a hand whenever you call on us.

I hope to be seeing you soon.

Sincerely,

Henry H. Wilson, Jr. Administrative Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D.C.

HHW:hd

Henry H. Wilson Mag Sent 16* January 17, 1966 Dear Mrs. Green: Congratulations and all good wishes for a happy birthday. I hope your birthday will be a very special and memorable occasion and that you will be blessed with many more. With best personal regards, Cordially, Henry H. Wilson, Jr. Administrative Assistant to the President Honorable Edith S. Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C. j1/jf

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January 17, 1966

Dear Edith:

Lady Bird and I join in sending you our warmest greetings on your birthday. We wish for you a joyous celebration today and a year filled with the good things of life for you and yours.

With the hope that you will have many happy returns of the day.

Sincerely,

LYNDON B. JOHNSON

Honorable Edith S. Green
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

LBJ:HHW:JL:jf

YNDON B. JOHNSON Carbons stamped in Mr. Thomas' office Dear Mrs. Green:

I am pleased to be sending you under separate cover a copy of the Proceedings of the White House Conference on Natural Beauty.

This 800 page book is a full transcript of all the sessions of that conference. You will find it a valuable document on many aspects of the problems of preserving and creating beauty in our environment. I commend it to you and your associates for review and reference.

There has been an encouraging wave of interest and action for the natural beauty of America since the White House Conference. The Congress passed the Highway Beautification Bill of 1965 which incorporated many of the conference's recommendations on that subject. The federal agencies have been constantly reviewing their programs to see what they can do to make a greater contribution.

More than twenty states have responded to my suggestion at the conclusion of our White House meeting that each state hold conferences on natural beauty. In cities and towns across the country, local groups have been responding.

I hope that this volume will spur increased interest and provide a valuable source of practical ideas and programs which we see through to implementation.

Sincerely,

LYNDON B. JOHNSON

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D.C.

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Pebruary 12, 1966

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STRAIGHT TELEGRAM

M. SID LEIKEN
CHAIRWIN, DEMOCRATIC DINNER
RILTON HOTEL
PORTLAND, OREGON

I AM PLEASED TO SIED GREETINGS AND BEST WISHES TO THOSE OF YOU ATTENDING THE DEMOCRATIC DINNER TONIGHT IN PORTLAND.

I DO NOT HAVE TO TELL YOU THAT MAURINE HEUDERGER IS GOING TO BE MISSED IN WASHINGTON AND ON CAPITOL HILL.

I COMMEND THE DEDICATED AND UNTIRING EFFORTS OF THE THREE DEMOCRATIC MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE DELEGATION—ALL ULLEAN, EDITH GREEN AND ROBERT DUECAN. TOGETHER THRY HAVE A RECORD OF MORE THAN THREE DECADES OF SERVICE TO THE PEOPLE OF THE SECOND, THIRD AND FOURTH DISTRICTS.

I JOIN THEIR MANY FAIRIDS WHO ARE HONORING THEIR LEADERSHIP AND THEIR ACCOMPLISHMENTS.

LYEDON B. JOHNSON

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CENTRAL FILES

March 3, 1966

Dear Mrs. Green:

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The Veterans Readjustment Benefits Act which the President has now signed into law will favorably affect a great many of your constituents.

I thought perhaps the attached release containing figures specifically for your district might be helpful to you.

Sincerely yours,

Henry H. Wilson, Jr. Administrative Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

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Thursday, February 17, 1966 11:45 a.m. LE/LA
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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Henry H. Wilson, Jr.

As you know, I talked to the Speaker and to Dent about Minimum Wage on Monday.

Biemiller called me Tuesday night and gave notice that the AFL-CIO would fight us all the way for a 1967 effective date for \$1.60. He also said that he was confident that he had a majority of the House Committee with him.

I figured that the only way to handle this situation was to beat Biemiller to the punch, and so we placed calls to every Democratic member of the Committee yesterday morning.

I talked personally with Edith Green. Frank Thompson,
Roman Pucinski, John Brademas, Jim O'Hara, Hugh Carey,
and Carl Perkins, who make up the effective leadership of the
Committee.

Mrs. Green gave as near a complete commitment as in my experience she has given, O'Hara was agreeable, but a little jumpy about the reaction of labor, and the rest of them gave me solid commitments to stick with the 1968 date.

I made clear that the '67 date was completely unacceptable to us and that they could expect all-out pressure from the AFL-CIO. Answers from some of the freshmen were somewhat messy, but I am confident that in the event of a show-down, we can control this situation, especially since the Republicans will be in an awkward position on this issue.

* Education and Labor

MEMORANDUM

Blind copies: PMG, JJ. JL, JC

THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

Thursday, March 10, 1966 12:30 p.m.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

John

I talked with Dent who is entirely agreeable to the February 1967-1968 arrangement.

He says he will convene his Subcommittee on Tuesday and report the bill out.

We have checked most of the Democrats on the full Committee now and reaction is highly favorable, with the predictable exception of Mrs. Green, who would prefer that the \$1.40 figure start in 1966, as I earlier told you.

If she didn't find some occasion to take exception with what we are doing, the Committee and the House would consider the situation abnormal.

CENTINAL FILES

March 30, 1966

Dear Mrs. Green:

This is to inform you that arrangements were made for the President to congratulate Mrs. Sarah A. Tice on the occasion of her 100th birthday. The President's personal card of greetings was sent by Airmail Special Delivery to Mrs. Tice yesterday.

Sincerely,

David A. Bunn
Aide for Congressional Relations

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

3/29/66

Telephone request from Miss Ajax in Mr Bunn's office called in from Cong Edith Green requesting card sent to

woman below.

MAR 29 1966 CARD SEN

Mrs. Sarah Tice 1219 Southeast Sherrett Portland, Oregon

Sent Pres's card, airmail special, as she's over 100 on 3/30/66.

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April 5, 1966

Dear Mrs. Green:

The President noted with much appreciation that you inserted in the March 31 Gongressional Record the editorials from the Washington Post and the New York Times regarding aid for India.

He deeply appreciates your support.

Sincerely,

David A. Bunn
Aide for Congressional Relations

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

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Tuesday, April 26, 1966 3 p. m.

TO:

THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

Douglass Cater

Today was a good day for your education program:

1. Congressman Brademas' special subcommittee reported the International Education Act unanimously without significant change.

- 2. The Library Construction and Services Act amendments were reported out by Pucinski's subcommittee. It was boosted from your request of \$57.5 million to \$88 million. The Republicans favored the lower figure.
- 3. Mrs. Green's subcommittee unanimously reported the Higher Education amendments for an additional three years. The only serious change was to delete the Administration's recommendation for NDEA student loan conversion.

I am briefing reporters on the Washington Post, The New York Times, and Scripps-Howard to point out these favorable developments on legislation which was bitterly contested a few years ago.

May 24, 1966

Dear Mrs. Green:

You might be interested in seeing the attached charts which show the performance of the American economy during the past five years. Perhaps these will be of some assistance to you.

Kindest personal regards.

Sincerely yours,

Jake Jacobsen
Legislative Counsel
to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C. The Mhite Mouse Margington

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September 13, 1966

Dear Mrs. Green:

The President would like to invite one member of your staff to attend the welcoming ceremonies at the White House of His Excellency Ferdinand E. Marcos, President of the Republic of the Philippines.

Please have your staff member present the enclosed ticket at the Southwest Gate by 11:15 a.m., Wednesday, September 14, 1966.

I regret that there are no parking facilities available.

Sincerely,

Henry H. Wilson, Jr.
Administrative Assistant
to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D.C.

Enclosure

September 8, 1966

Dear Mrs. Green:

This is to inform you that arrangements were made for the President to congratulate Mrs. Rose Sauvain on the occasion of her 100th birthday in accordance with your request of September 7. The President's personal card of greetings was sent to Mrs. Sauvain by Special Delivery mail today.

Sincerely.

David A. Bunn Aide for Congressional Relations

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

DAB:az

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September 7, 1966

Dear Mrs. Green:

In accordance with your request of September 6, the President's personal card of greetings was sent today to your constituent, Mr. George Baily, who will celebrate his 100th birthday on September 10.

Sincerely,

David A. Bunn
Aide for Congressional Relations

Honorable Edith Green
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

DAB:az

PR6-1/20 September 30, 1966 Dear Mrs. Green: The President thought you might appreciate having the enclosed photograph taken at the signing of the Minimum Wage bill September 23. Regards, Henry H. Wilson, Jr. Administrative Assistant to the President Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D./C. HHW:JL:msf

BURTON, Phillip

AYRES, William

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You are cordially invited to the Signing of H.R. 13712, The Minimum Wage Bill, at 11:00 A.M. Friday, September 23. Please natify your acceptance by return wire and present this telegram at the White House Northwest Gate for admission.

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

DuCHESSI, William, Textile Workers Union of America, Washington, D.C. OLIVER, Edward, Amalgamated Transit Union, Washington, D.C. MURPHY, Richard, Building Service Employees, Washington, D.C. LIPSEN, Charles, Retail Clerks International Association, Washington, D.C. BLANKENSHIP, Ben, Communications Workers of America, Washington, D.C. BEIRNE, Joseph A., Communications Workers of America, Washington, D.C. BEDELL, Dan, United Auto Workers, Washington, D.C. ANDERSON, C.T., Hotel & Restaurant Employees, Washington, D.C. MOY, Ruby HAYATA, Tom RAFERTY, Frank, Brotherhood of Painters, Washington, D.C. HAMILTON, Jim, National Council of Churches, Washington, D.C. COHEN, Dave, Washington, D.C. MITCHELL, Clarence, NAACP - Washington, D.C. ARONSON, Arnold, Leadership Conference on Civil Rights, Washington, D.C. DIRKSEN, Everett Senators GOODELL, Charles LONG, Russell Congressmen BELL, Alphonzo 17 MORSE, WAyne REID, Ogden YARBOROUGH, Ralph WILLIAMS, Harrison " ANDREWS, Glenn 88 82 BOGGS, Hal RANDOLPH, Jennings " .. 88 11 ARENDS, Leslie KENNEDY, Edward 27 FORD, Gerald KENNEDY, Robert 11 22 McCORMACK, John, The Speaker JAVITS, Jacob 11 11 YARBOROUGH, Dick PROUTY, Winston 17 11 Staff FORSYTHE, Jack MURPHY, George 88 McCLURE, Stewart SMATHERS, George 22 ** 11 POWELL, Adam PERKINS, Carl CUMMINS, FRank Congressmen 11 BRUFF, John 11 GREEN, Edith MANDEL, Alan 11 23 THOMPSON, Frank WHITTAKER, Marjorie " 29 11 HOLLAND, Elmer 82 87 DENT, John PUCINSKI, Roman 11 DANIELS, Dominick ti . BRADEMAS, John 11 12 O'Hara, Jones 11 11 HAWKINS, Augustus 11 SICKLES, Carlton GIBBONS, Sam 11 22 FORD, William 88 87 HATHAWAY, William 11 99 MINK, Patsy 21 27 MEEDS, Lloyd 11 22

October 21, 1966

EXECUTIVE FG 411/Education and Labor LE/ED

Appreciate your attendance at the Committee meeting 9:30AM Friday, Oct. 21, for purpose of considering the International Education Act and taking appropriate steps to obtain final action by Congress.

Carl D. Perkins.

POWELL, Adam C., Wash., D.C. PERKINS, Carl D., Alexandria, Va. CREEN, Edith, Arlington, Va. THOMPSON, Frank, Jr., Alexandria, Va. HOLLAND, Elmer J., Wash., D.C. DENT, John H., Bay Ridge, Md. PUCINSKI, Roman C., Wash., D.C. SCHEUER, James H., Wash., D.C. DANIELS, Dominick V., Wash., D.C. BRADEMAS, John, Wash., D.C. O'HARA, James G., Arlington, Va. SCOTT, Ralph J., Wash., D.C. CAREY, Hugh L., Wash., D.C. HAWKINS, Augustus F., Wash., D.C. SICKLES, Carlton R., Lanham, Md. GIBBONS, Sam M., McLain, Va. FORD, William, Wash., D.C. HATHAWAY, William D., McLain, Va. MINK, Patsy T., Silver Spring, Md. MEEDS, LLOYD, Annandale, Va. BURTON, Phillip, Wash., D.C. AYRES, William H., Wash., D.C. GRIFFIN, Robert P., Bethesda, Md. QUIE, Albert H., Silver Spring, Md. GOODELL, Charles E., Wash., D.C. ASHBROOK, John M., Bethesda, Md. MARTIN, Dave, Wash., D.C. BELL, Alphonzo, Kenwood, Md. REID, Ogden R., Wash., D.C. ANDREWS, Glenn, Wash., D.C. GURNEY, Edward J., Wash., D.C.

November 4, 1966

Dear Edith:

Attached is a copy of a report on the Manila Conference which I sent to the Speaker, Senate Majority Leader, and the House and Senate Minority Leaders. I thought you might want a copy.

The Manila Conference, I am firmly convinced, was a great success.

I also want to take this opportunity to express my personal appreciation and the gratitude of our Nation for the contribution you made to the 89th Congress, the Great Congress.

My prayers and best wishes for your continued success in the days ahead.

Sincerely,

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D.C.

LBJ: WMW: JJ: wew

November 9, 1966

Dear Edith:

Congratulations on your re-election. While my confidence in the good judgment of the voters of your District never wavered, it is heartening to know that the victory you so fully earned is yours.

The Speaker described the 89th as the most dedicated Congress he had seen in his 38 years as a Member of the House. I join him in looking forward to an even greater 90th Congress.

Sincerely,

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D.C.

LBJ:HHW:wew

November 10, 1966

Dear Mrs. Green:

Congratulations on your well deserved victory. Even though we lost many of our friends I am sure the 90th Congress will be productive.

I am looking forward to working with you and will see you in January, if not sooner.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

David A. Bunn
Aide for Congressional Relations

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D.C.

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THE WHITE HOUSE OFFICE

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REFERRAL

To:

The Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare

____ Letter: _____ Telegram: Other:

The President

of 1964.

December 15, 1966

To: From:

Date:

Subject:

Date: December 19, 1966

ACTION R	EQUESTED
Draft reply for:	i i
President's signature.	
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Memorandum for use as enclosure to reply.	Prompt action is essential.
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Carl G. Renfroe, Superintendent, City Schools of Decatur, Decatur, Ga.

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Encloses article, "Education Office Oversteps the Law, Rep. Green Says,"

By direction of the President;

Chifford L. Alexander, Jr. Deputy Special Counsel to the President RECEIVED

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(White House File Copy)

December 20, 1966

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Dear Miss Sullivan:

In response to your letter of October 19, the President and Mrs. Johnson have inscribed the enclosed photograph which they have asked me to send to you.

Sincerely,

Henry H. Wilson, Jr. Administrative Assistant to the President

Miss Linda L. Sullivan Office of Honorable Edith Green 2441 Rayburn House Office Building Washington, D. C. 20515

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RECEIVED DEC 2 1 1966 CEN FILES January 14, 1967

Dear Mrs. Green:

As the session begins, I want to express my readiness to be of all assistance possible during the months ahead. I expect to be talking with you before too long, as it is our intention to ask the Members of Congress to come down to the White House in small groups soon.

Meanwhile, let me know if there is anything we can do for you here.

With best regards,

Cordially,

Henry H. Wilson, Jr.
Administrative Assistant
to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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January 17, 1967

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Dear Edith:

All good wishes for a happy birthday and many more of them. Mrs. Johnson joins me in congratulating you on this special day and in wishing for you good health and happiness in the year to come.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

LYMPON B. JOHNSON

Honorable Edith S. Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

LBJ:HHW:JL:jf

Howy H. Wilson, Jr./My-Sert 6 January 17, 1967 Dear Mrs. Green: Hearty congratulations on your birthday. I hope that you will celebrate your anniversary in the best of health and spirits, and that these happy conditions will prevail throughout the coming year. With best wishes, Cordially, Henry H. Wilson, Jr. Administrative Assistant to the President X Honorable Edith S. Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C. j1/jf

November 16, 1965,

Dear Edith:

Thank you for your letter.

I shall make certain that Mr. Harper Leiper's name is put in review for the National Council on the Humanities.

Sincerely yours,

Douglass Cater

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

February 23, 1966

Dear Mrs. Green:

Mr. Robert Short sounds like a valuable possibility for government service. I will call his qualifications to the attention of appropriate officials and hope that something may develop.

I hope we can get together one day soon.

Sincerely yours,

Douglass Cater
Special Assistant
to the President

Honorable Edith Green
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 27, 1967 1:45 p.m.

Mr. President:

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February 2, 1967

Dear Mrs. Green:

The President has asked me to acknowledge your letter of February 1 concerning the refueling of the U.S. Aircraft Carrier Franklin D. Roosevelt at Capetown, South Africa.

The President has asked Deputy Secretary of Defense Cyrus Vance to contact you directly and I understand that Secretary Vance will be meeting with you at 10:00 a.m. tomorrow morning.

Sincerely,

Henry H. Wilson, Jr. Administrative Assistant to the President

House of Representatives Washington, D. C. July/

February 28, 1967

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Dear Mr. Speaker:

I was happy to receive your report on the progress of the Elements y and Secondary School legislation, and the Higher Education Bill.

This is the kind of cooperation all America can look to with pride and thankfulness. I am personally grateful to Chairman Perkins and Mrs. Green.

The sooner we can conclude these hearings and clear this vital legislation, the quicker we can give our educators and other interested sarties the information and instruments they need.

Many of us are relying on you. We are coefident that your initiatives will fulfill our hopes.

Biacondly,

Honorable John W. McCormack Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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Mrs. Johnson invites you to a ceremony-reception at the White House to salute the Head Start Program and to view the Premiere of "PANCHO", the film story of a Head Start child on Monday, March 13, 1967, at 9:30a.m. Please present this The Social Secretary, The White House. telegram at the Southwest Gate. RSVP.

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Congress of the United States

House of Representatives

Washington, D.C.

April 20, 1967

RICHARD E PEENEY
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PHONE: 225-4811

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SPECIAL ASSISTANT
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PHONE: 226-3361
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S. Douglass Cater, Jr.
Special Assistant to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Cater:

It has been called to my attention that Mr. Elmer Kimble, who is presently in the Hazelwood Nursing Home in Portland, Oregon, will be one hundred years old on the 15th of May.

One of his neighbors thought he would be very pleased to receive birthday congratulations from the President. I shall appreciate any consideration that can be given to this request. The above nursing home is located at 13007. N. E. Glisan.

Every good wish.

Sincerely,

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EDITH GREEN 30 DISTRICT, OREGON

COMMITTEES:
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Congress of the United States
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Washington, D.C.

April 26, 1967

RICHARD E FEELEY

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S. Douglas Cater, Jr.
Special Assistant to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Cater:

Mrs. Margaret Faulkner, a patient at the Porthaven Nursing Home in Portland, will be 106 years of age on May 3, 1967. Her caseworker has written me regarding Mrs. Faulkner, and he thought she would be very pleased to receive birthday congratulations from the President of the United States. I shall appreciate any consideration you may be able to give this request.

The address of the Porthaven Nursing Home is:

5330 N. E. Prescott Street Portland, Oregon 97218.

Best wishes.

Sincerely,

Edith Green

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Already called in to Pal Howard - 5/2/67

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Monday PR8-2/15
May 1, 1967
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FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Douglass Cate

Congresswoman Edith Green is coming to have lunch with me at 1 p.m. today. As you know, she has been dragging her feet on the Teacher Corps and is now making strange noises of discontent about the Elementary and Secondary Education Act. She refuses to tell reporters what she will do on the Quie substitute.

She is a most difficult woman but I decided to have one more try at reasoning with her. Do you wish to shake hands while she is here? I can't find it in my heart to recommend that you do.

Shake hands with Congresswoman Green:

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May 9, 1967

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Dear Congressman;

For the President, may I acknowledge the letter of May 4 in which you were joined by a number of your colleagues in the House of Representatives in expressing opposition to attacking or blockading Haiphong harbor.

Note has been made that all signatories had authorized the use of their names which were typewritten on the original letter, since the pressure of time prevented their affixing their signatures.

You may be sure that the views expressed in the letter will be considered by the President and his advisers.

Sincerely,

Henry H. Wilson, Jr. Administrative Assistant to the President

Honorable Don Edwards House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

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May 23, 1967 3:30 p.m.

TO:

Marvin Watson

FROM:

Henry H. Wilson, Jr.

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The Quie substitute to the Education Bill will be considered under the five-minute rule on the Floor of the House momentarily.

This apparently will be done on Tellers prior to the consideration of any other amendments.

The extremely complex maneuvering over the past week is such that I would regard the outcome of the Teller vote to be fairly meaningless.

If the Quie substitute carries we will demand that there be a roll call after the Committee of the whole House rises and if the Quie substitute Teller vote fails the Republicans will doubtless incorporate it in the recommital motion and demand a roll call on that.

This is usually the situation but in this bill there is the unusual circumstance that the outcome of the subsequent considered amendments very probably could change the outcome on the roll call from that on the Teller vote.

The principal amendments to be considered subsequent to Quie are the four amendments to be offered by Mrs. Green.

In my judgment if the Green amendments are substantially adopted the Southern Democrats will vote against Quie on roll call regardless of how they may have voted on the Teller.

And if the Green amendments fail, I think the majority of Southern Democrats will vote for Quie on the roll call regardless of how they may have voted on the Teller.

The posture taken by the Speaker, by the Education and Labor Committee leaders, by the Department and by us is such that



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Dr. Neil M. Postman, Associate Director

Louis P. Schwartz, Principal, Demonstration School

April 24, 1967

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Mr. Douglass Cater Special Assistant to the President The White House Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Cater

Members of the Special Sub-Committee on Education of the House Committee led by Representative Edith Green visited our Demonstration School in Bedford-Stuyvesant last Friday and have invited us to show their committee our film. Tentative arrangements have been made for the committee to view the film in Washington on Thursday, April 27th.

I hope the President can also see the film this Friday.

John C. Robertson

Director

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May 2, 1967

Dear Mrs. Green:

Thank you for your letters about Elmer Kimball and Mrs. Margaret Faulkner. I have arranged for a greeting to be sent to both of them.

I enjoyed very much our luncheon yesterday, and hope we can keep in regular contact.

Sincerely yours,

(Signed)
Douglass Cater

Douglass Cater
Special Assistant
to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

Executive FG 11-8-1/Sanders, B.

Dear Mrs. Green:

In my new post as Legislative Counsel to the President I will be spending a great deal of time on the Hill on Congressional matters. With Henry Wilson's departure I will be assuming his responsibilities in this field.

I look forward to working with you and visiting with you soon. Please let me know when I can be of assistance.

Sincerely,

Barefoot Sanders

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO: Department of Justice

DATE: 15 June 1967

(Attn: Mr. John Adler, First Asst., Adm. Div.)

FROM : M/Sgt C. W. Stroup, Chief, White House Corresp.

Liaison Section, Room 3A-938, The Pentagon, OX 56151

SUBJECT: White House Correspondence Referrals

The attached referral addressed to Mr. Irvine H. Sprague was routed to Department of Defense by Mr. Sprague who requested a draft reply for his signature.

After review, it appeared that the subject of the letter was under the jurisdiction of your agency. Therefore, Mr. DiGirolamo was contacted and he agreed that the case should be referred to your agency. Mr. Sprague has been advised of this action.

Attachment

White House Referral from Mr. Irvine H. Sprague attaching a memo from Representative Edith Green and a letter from Mr. Matthew A. Cohen, Associate Coordinator, Educational Activities Office, Portland State College, P.O. Box 751, Portland, Oregon 97207.

cc: White House Central Files
Attn: Mr. Frank Matthews
Room 68
Executive Office Building
Washington, D. C.

Mr. Irvine H. Sprague
Aide for Congressional
Relations
The White House



THE WHITE HOUSE OFFICE

ROUTE SLIP

(To remain with correspondence)

	Date: June 13, 1967
TO: Department of Defense	
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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, U.S. WASHINGTON, D.C.

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Respectfully referred to

Mr. Irv Sprague
Special Assistant to the
President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Because of the very serious nature of this letter, may I have your comments.

Very respectfully,

Edith Green

M.C.. District.

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OFFICE OF THE DEAN OF STUDENTS

EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES

May 25, 1967

The Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

Dear Mrs. Green:

On behalf of the Wednesday Forum, part of the Portland State College Associated Students' Community Affairs Board, I am writing to request information regarding some rumors that are currently circulating among certain students.

The specific reference has to do with the future status of dissent in American society and the rumor that at least two of the relocation centers used for the Japanese people on the West coast during World War II have been reopened and made ready for occupancy. The centers mentioned in the rumor are rumored to be located at Klamath Falls, Oregon, and Longview, Washington.

We wonder if you would have any information as to the reliability of these rumors and could provide any documentation one way or the other.

The students are currently planning some of the speaker schedule on the Forum for academic year 1967-68 and are considering this as a possible topic. Before I give them any encouragement in this direction, I would like to have the requested information as an outline.

Sincerely,

Matthew A. Cchen

Associate Coordinator

Educational Activities Office

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June 23, 1965

TO DOUG CATER

FROM:

Bill Moyers

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'ON EVENING STAR

By PAUL HOPE

When Rep. Edith Green, D-Ore., voted against the ad-ministration's Appalachia pro-gram. President Johnson is reported to have told an aide, "I guess we should have had Lady Bird invite her down to the ranch."

Mrs. Green, a key member of the House Education and Labor Committee, has become something of a thorn in the side of the Great Society, and Johnson would like to take some of the sting out of her.

Actually, Mrs. Green is a liberal Democrat and is solidly behind most of the objectives of the Great Society. But she doesn't like to be pushed around, and she thinks Congress has been abdicating its responsibility to consider every piece of legislation thoroughly. In this she reflects a growing annoyance on Capitol Hill against what many legislators interpret as White House dictation on what, when and how Congress shall legislate.

She may eventually get that invitation to the Johnson ranch, but the independent-minded representative from Oregon is not one to respond to the President's buttering-up.

Before the vote on the Appalachia bill came up, two White House aides had Mrs. Green to lunch and afterwards took her in to talk to the President. Then Mrs. Johnson invited her to go along on a trip to Florida for a domestic Peace Corps graduation.

Mrs. Green returned, said she had a "very pleasant day," and proceeded to vote against the Appalachia bill. Her main objection was that

the administration had laid down the rule that no amendments would be permitted.

"I just instinctively get suspicious when there is a great limitation placed on any piece of legislation," she said. And besides, she had been trying without success to get some help for her flood-devastated Northwest.

When the \$1.3 billion aid to education bill came up, she had reservations about providing federal funds for private schools. She wanted an amendment calling for a judicial review of that provision. She also protested that the formula for distributing money discriminated against the poorer areas.

Mrs. Green's attempt to halt the steamroller drew frowns from the administration, but a Republican called her a "profile in courage."

When the President's \$700 million military appropriation request for Viet Nam came up last month, Mrs. Green was one of only seven House mcmbers to vote against it. She hadsome doubts about the usefulness of continued bombing of North Viet Nam, and she felt that Congress was relinquish-. ing its authority to declare war. But, beyond that, she strongly objected to limiting debate to 90 minutes. Her latest brush with the

administration was over a provision of the college education bill that provided the federal government could pick up the tab for 2 percent of the interest on loans to students. Mrs. Green felt it would be better to liberalize existing loan programs rather than set

up another one. Besides, she said, no one except the administration had asked for the guaranteed loan provision, while there had been considerable testimony against it before her committee.

Opposition can sometimes bring punishment, as Mrs. Green has found. The special education subcommittee she heads used to have jurisdiction over legislation affecting the program to combat juvenile delinquency. But it was taken away just before the Easter recess. Mrs. Green, who was instrumental in writing the original legislation that set up the program, has become increasingly critical of the way it has been administered.

There was another incident a few weeks ago that Mrs. Green ascribes to a "mis-understanding" but which a colleague said seemed to be an attempt by administration forces to "waltz her around."

Mrs. Green had asked to be put on a labor subcommittee in addition to her special education subcommittee. Commit-s tee Chairman Adam Clayton Powell announced one day that Mrs. Green was being transferred from the special subcommittee to the labor subcommittee. Mrs. Green, who was in New York when she received the news, got on the phone to find out what was going on, and before she was through Powell had decided it was all a mistake. She now serves on both subcommittees.

Congress is an arena where punishment and reward are part of the system, But somehow neither seem to work on JUN 5 the lady from Oregon.

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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

June 17, 1967

TO:

MIKE MANATOS

FROM:

DOUG CATER

Here is an assessment of the Teacher Corps and Education Professions
Development bill reported out of Mrs.
Green's Subcommittee. HEW is well satisfied with the package. It is our hope that the Senate will give it favorable consideration.

Attachment

Nothing else sent to Shope 7 Central Files as of Shope 7.

Mrs. Green

June 21, 1967

Dear Congresswoman:

I was most happy to arrange for the President and Mrs. Johnson to send birthday greetings to Mrs. Etta Graves on her 102nd birthday.

If I may be of further assistance, please let me know.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,

Irvine H. Sprague Aide for Congressional Relations

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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MEMORANDUM



THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

Monday, March 13, 1967 4:15 P.M.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Henry H. Wilson, Jr.

You should be aware of the way your attention to Members of Congress pays off. I talked with Edith Green this afternoon who has been a bitter open enemy of the Teacher Corps.

She told me that she will now support it.

She also responded to may question that you had not raised this subject to her in your conversation with her of last week.

But clearly the conversation with her and the favor you did her considerably softened her attitude on the pieces of the domestic program with which she has taken exception.

This does not mean that the Teacher Corps Bill is home free.

I suppose the first fight will be on the Supplemental, and I think it will be very difficult to get this appropriation out of the Appropriations Committee, especially in view of George Mahon's attitude.

Certainly the change of position by Mrs. Green will brighten the chances of the 1968 authorization.

Also, you should know that your extraordinary attention paid to the Bollings has had just as extraordinary a bearing on their attitude.

I think you can count on complete cooperation from Dick from now on.

June 13, 1967

Dear Mrs. Green:

Thank you for your note of June 7 enclosing correspondence from Portland State College regarding possible reopening of the World War II relocation centers.

I have asked for a report on this matter and will keep you advised.

Best wishes.

Sincerely,

Irvine H. Sprague Aide for Congressional Relations

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C. June 29, 1967

Dear Edith: Green

I asked the Department of Defense and the Justice Department to provide me with detailed information on the inquiry from Portland State College on the possible reopening of re-location centers.

The rumors are not true.

The Internal Security Act of 1950 contains provisions calling for the detention of alleged subversives under certain circumstances presscribed in the law. In 1951, property was set aside for this purpose at six locations -- Tule Lake, California; Wickenburg and Florence, Arizona; El Reno, Oklahoma; Allenwood, Pennsylvania, and Avon Park, Florida.

Only three of these sites are still maintained by the U.S. Bureau of Prisons. Those at Florence and Allenwood are used to house minimum security inmates sentenced on a variety of Federal charges. The El Reno site is used as grazing land for cattle owned by the nearby Federal Reformatory. The other three sites are no longer controlled by the Department of Justice. There is no such center at Klamath Falls, Oregon, which is located near Tule Lake, California, and none at Longview, Washington.

The provision of the law calling for detention of alleged subversives has never been activated, and cannot be activated, except by order of the President. As you know, many provisions of the Internal Security Act of 1950 have been declared unconstitutional by the Supreme Court. The detention provision, having never been utilized, has not been challenged.

Mr. Cohen may assure his students that the rumors they have heard are unfounded, and that the Government has no plans to reactivate detention centers anywhere in the country.

I trust the above information will be helpful.

It is always a pleasure working with you.

Best wishes.

Sincerely,

Irvine H. Sprague Aide for Congressional Relations

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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June 30, 1967

Dear Mrs. Green:

I have your letter of June 27th concerning the birthday of Mrs. Else Spencer on July 9 and will be glad to see that the President and Mrs. Johnson send her a card of remembrance.

Sincerely,

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Irvine H. Sprague
Aide for Congressional Relations

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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June 7, 1967

MEMOR/NDUM FOR THE HOTTOR/BLE JOSEPH A. CALIFANO

This morning Mrs. Green's Subcommittee agreed to these changes in the Teacher Corps:

- 1. Striking the word "National" from the title.
- 2. Taking every from the Commissioner of Education the authority to establish crateria for the training of Teacher Corps members. (This was an amendment by Mrs. Green to ECEA which failed on the floor).
- 3. Matching requirement of 10% for the states and local education agencies. This may be waived the first year in hardship cases. A provision will be made for reaching children who attend non-public schools.
 - 4. A three-year authorization (through 1970).

There was general agreement that there should be national publicity and local recruitment, with screening by the national office.

As we understand these changes, they are acceptable to the Teacher Corps.

Carey suggested the passage of a temporary extension bill, but Mrs. Green rejected it, saying a separate bill will not pass the House.

The advice of Committee staff is that it would be premature to press Mrs. Green or Quie at this point. We should instead wait until the full Committee has voted to report the bill on next Wednesday. We then could arrange with the Senate Committee to pass a temporary extension containing the language of the House bill. Mrs. Green and Quie would find it difficult not to go slong with that.

We will actively explore this additional alternative.

/s/ Ralph K. Huitt
Relph K. Huitt
Assistant Secretary
for Legislation

bcc: Hon. Harold Barefoot Sanders, Jr.

Hon. Mike Manatos V

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July 19, 1967

Dear Congresswoman:

The President has asked me to give you this pen which he used in signing H. R. 10943. He thought you might like to have it since you were so vitally interested in this legislation.

Best wishes.

Sincerely,

Irvine H. Sprague
Aide for Congressional Relations

Honorable Edith Green
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

Enclosure

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June. 8, 1967

Thursday: 7:15 p.m.

FOR THE PRESIDENT:

FROM: Barefoot Sanders

Attached are resumes of conversations the Staff members have had with members of Congress today.

This does not include conversations on the Debt Limit increase.

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August 8, 1967

Dear Edith:

Thank you for sending me a copy of your Green Letter.

I've known all along how effective you have been but it is impressive to see the news clippings all assembled.

Congratulations and best wishes.

Sincerely,

Irvine H. Sprague Aide for Congressional Relations

Honorable Edith Green
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

August 18, 1967

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Dear Professor Aly:

I was touched by your kindness in writing, and quite stirred by the eloquence and force of those arguments contained in your two attachments.

I hope to always share the sober confidence of your mind, together with the heart's commitment that has always fired this nation's defense of freedom and patient search for peace.

Sincerely,

Professor Bower Aly
Department of Speech
*College of Liberal Arts
*University of Oregon
Eugene, Oregon 97403

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September 8, 1967

Dear Edith:

The President wanted you to have one of the pens used in signing H.R. 11945, the college work-study amendment legislation. Enclosed also is a copy of the statement issued at the time of the signing.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,

Irvine H. Sprague Aide for Congressional Relations

Honorable Edith Green
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

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EXECUTIVE

8:30 p.m., Tuesday September 5, 1967

FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM Larry Levinson

Attached is an Enrolled Bill -- H.R. 11945 -- which improves the college work-study program.

This Bill was sponsored by Mrs. Green and she is very anxious to know when it will be signed.

Harry and I recommend that you sign the Bill.

Attached is a short Presidential statement prepared by Ervin Duggan and edited by pre.

The statement explains the two basic changes the Act makes to strengthen the program. I recommend your approval of the statement.

Approve______Disapprove____

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Mr. Cater:

At a caucus of the Demogratic Members of the E+ General Subcommittee on Education this morning, it was agreed that there be the following rough division of labor on the defense of the Administration bill on the floor:

Title II and IV - Carey; Title III - Brademas; Title V - William Ford; all Members of the Subcommittee will have general responsibility for Title I.

This was prepared by the Democratic Members of the Perkins subcommittee in order to brief the Rules Committee on Mrs. Green's possible appearance.

Samuel Halperin

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DICK GRAHAM CALLED WITH THIS REPORT.

He was unable to see Edith Green, but got this report from Bill Gaul, her top aide:

Mrs. Green's Special Subcommittee will go into session on the Higher Education Bill June 5-6.

The measure should be acted on in full committee in the week of June 13.

Floor action is expected during the week of June 20th.

Graham also saw Al Quie, who said:

He will support the Teacher Corps, if it keeps the ten per cent matching formula, the requirements for state approval and recruiting of volunteers (with early language which enables the Office of Education to screen the volunteers).

Quie said that Gerry Ford will support Quie's recommendations re the Teacher Corps, and that Mel Laird will probably come around to supporting the TC.

Quie also told Graham that, IF the subcommittee gets bogged down on the Higher Education bill, he thinks it will be possible to separate the teaching professions title which contains the TC so that the HE Bill will not be delayed unduly.

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The attached may be of interest to you.



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PHONE: NATIONAL 9-2970

Samuel Halperin
Deputy Assistant Secretary
for Legislation

Phone: 963-4158
Room 5237, HEW North
330 Independence Ave., SW.
Washington, D.C. 20201

Mrs. Edith Green. Chairman
Special Subcommittee on Education
House Education and Labor Committee
Rayburn House Office Building (Rm. 2441)
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mrs. Green:

Biemiller, Andrew J.

The AFL-CIO continues to be deeply concerned with the student loan guarantee program as embodied in the Higher Education Act of 1965. Our concern, of course, is not with the objectives of the program, but with the failure of the lending institutions to make adequate funds available to applying students.

When the student loan guarantee program was first suggested, the AFL-CIO urged that sufficient monies be appropriated to permit direct loans by the federal government. Instead, the program was designed to attract the cooperation of the banking industry in the hopes that action by the private sector would make direct federal loans unnecessary.

Following enactment of the Higher Education Act of 1965, the AFL-CIO spelled-out the provisions of the guaranteed loan program in its kit of materials sent to high school students seeking financial aid for higher education. Our Education Department has heard from many of these students who state that while the program may be low, the loans cannot be obtained.

It is the AFL-CIO's understanding that slightly over 357,000 loans were made through June 1967, compared to a projected estimate of 585,000 loans. Based on these figures, less than two-thirds of the program's goal is being reached. We are convinced that the present program is not living up to its promise and requires realistic amendments if it is to be meaningful to our nation's youth.

The AFL-CIO has studied the Administration's recent proposals to improve the program. We view these proposals as, basically, another attempt to obtain increased cooperation from the banks. While the AFL-CIO continues to believe that a direct federal loan approach ultimately will prove necessary, we recognize the present budgetary problems and are willing to support additional incentives to the banking industry. The AFL-CIO takes this position reluctantly because our prime price is to make student loans available now.

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GENERAL F6-505/49

October 6, 1967

Dear Mrs. Green:

Thank you for your letter of October 3 to the President requesting that careful consideration be given to appointing an Oregonian to the vacancy on the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals.

I will be glad to ask that your request be kept in mind in reviewing the qualifications of those recommended for appointment.

Sincerely,

Barefoot Sanders Legislative Counsel to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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October 9, 1967

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Dear Mrs. Greent

Thank you for your letter of October 5 to the President regarding a settlement of the conflict in Vietnam.

Your views are appreciated, and your letter will have the careful attention of the President and his advisors.

Sincerely.

Barefoot Sanders Legislative Counsel to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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August 31, 1967, 3 p.

For:

Bill Hopkins

From:

Irv Sprague

When the President signs H.R. 11945, I would appreciate your sending the following telegram for me:

The President has signed your Bill, H.R.11945, the College Work-Study program.

Irvine H. Sprague

The telegram should be sent to: Honorable Edith Green, 206 U.S. Court House, Portland, Oregon 97205.

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November 1, 1967

Dear Congresswoman Green:

The President has signed H.R. 1948 which you sponsored and which provides for the relief of Lim Ai Ran and Lim Soo Ran.

He has asked that I send the enclosed pen which he used in signing this legislation along with his appreciation and best wishes.

Sincerely yours,

Marvin

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Edith Green.
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

Enclosure

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July 25, 1967

Dear Congresswoman Green:

Irv Sprague asked that I send you the enclosed fact sheet describing the President's plan for reorganization of the District of Columbia government and pointing out its purposes and strengths.

I would be pleased to visit you any time at ' your convenience to respond to any questions you may have about the Reorganization Plan. If you feel this would be helpful, please have your secretary give me a call and suggest a convenient time.

Sincerely,

Stephen J. Pollak Advisor for National Capital Affairs

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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United States Office of Education Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Commissioner Howe:

Although I recognize the life-long interest and dedication of Congresswoman Green to the cause of education, I am deeply concerned about the implications of her amendment to the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1967. As I understand her amendment it would transfer programmatic authority over Title III grants from the united States Office of Education to the several State Departments of Education.

Title III, from my perspective, is one of the most significant educational developments in recent decades. It provides for supplementary educational centers developed by local educational agencies working closely with other cultural institutions and services in a local area. It is required by law that plans for these centers be developed with the knowledge and advice of State educational agencies, but the latter are not at present permitted to make the final decisions on Title III projects. Such decisions rest with the United States Office of Education.

My understanding of the initial legislative intent vis-a-vis
Title III is that the Congress wished to promote the highest possible
degree of grass roots experimentation and responsibility in the
creation and development of supplementary educational centers.
It also wished to promote local coordination between the centers
on the one hand and Title IV Research and Development Centers and
Regional Laboratories on the other. Neither of the latter is under
the jurisdiction of State departments of education for the simple
reason that R & D and laboratory activities are often associated
with private universities or with regional complexes which transcend
State lines. Finally, the original sponsors of Title III, recognizing
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OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION

June 15, 1967

To:

Honorable Douglass Cater The White House Washington, D.C.

Doug:

For your information.

Harold Howe II

scrap the present system of grants for specific programs and, instead, make funds available in block grants to the states to spend on education as they saw fit.

Overnight, the Quie amendment became a test of the Administration's ability to get its Great Society programs through Congress. Consideration of the bill was put off for weeks while the Administration rallied opposition. Catholics who feared they would lose ESEA funds in 33 states whose constitutions prohibit aid to private schools; civil rights groups that feared Negro children would suffer if Southern state officials decided how to spend the money; educators who hated to see a promising program tampered with all lined up against Quie. It was enough to beat his amendment but not all the other threats to the bill.

These, too, came from members passionate about states rights: Southern Democrats and that liberal maverick, Edith Green of Oregon. All that happened to the ESEA cannot be blamed on her. But she did serve, as Rep. Joelson (D., N.J.) aptly put it, as "drum majorette" for that coalition of Republicans and Discerrats that is always being pronounced dead and, like the South, always seems to rise again.

On final passage the bill was saddled with troublesome amendments, most of them harmful to civil rights if they stay in: one by Rep. Fountain (D., N.C.) would bar the Office of Education (OE) from deferring funds for new programs in any school district it believes discriminates until it completes a hearing in the matter; one by Rep. Erlenborn (R., III.) would strike from the FSEA an authorization to continue the Teachers Corps beyond June 30; one by Mrs. Green requires OE to apply rules such as its desegregation guidelines uniformly to all 50 states; two other Green amendments, derisively termed "mini-Quies" in the corridors, would give the states control over some \$600 million earmarked for leavestime programs and grants to strongthen state education

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The New Aid to Education Bill

Like More Whiskey For A Drunkard

"Who are the people who lave rejected the children, that made the Federal government get into this field? The states. My state is the 6th or 7th richest in the country and it is with in what it does for education... the state desartment of education tried to vet every single grant for the deprived areas of Ohio and the grants had to be made around (it)... When we pass these amendments to give the job of administering the Federal money back to those state administrators, at least in some states I know, it is like taking a drunkard who is convicted of neglecting his children and giving him an extra \$100 a month to spend on whiskey, so he can neglect them some more."

-Rep. Wayne Hays (D., O.) during ESEA debate, May 24.

lepartments.

None is necessarily a mortal blow. The Fountain amendnent would deprive OE of one of its few weapons for comselling districts to comply with the law. It was added to the
iSEA last year but a House-Senate conference compromised
: into harmlessness and the Senate may knock it out again.
lequiring uniform application of guidelines may turn out to
e meaningless. Indeed if OE is not too cowed, it might
conceivably use the amendment to require a speed-up of
desegregation all over the country. The Teacher Corps
authorization may be saved in the Higher Education Act now
before Mrs. Green's subcommittee. And giving the states
control over two programs does not touch Federal control of
the big money in the bill, the \$2.6 billion authorization for
deprived children. Another Fountain amendment that would
have virtually repealed Title VI was beaten.

What suffered graver damage than the bill was morale. Government officials already cringing under Congressional criticism will be less ready than ever to push civil rights enforcement. The pity is Mrs. Green doesn't seem to know that. Her record on civil rights and education is excellent. But her antipathy to anything she feels smacks of Federal control of education appears to affect her judgment.

When it comes to school desegregation, the states cannot be treated alike. Southern states with dual school systems mean to keep them. Far from being punitive, the OE desegregation guidelines were meant to help some 2,000 Southern districts out of the 25,000 school districts in the country, move toward a single school system without losing Federal money. By aligning herself with the Southerners, Mrs. Green feeds the fallacious notion that they are being treated badly, when the mistreated ones are the Negro children—threatened, insulted and beaten when they try to go to white schools. By implying that the guidelines are administered unfairly, she strengthens the Southern argument that they are illegal, even though the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals, in March, upheld their constitutionality.

But Mrs. Green is not the House. Timid leadership must share responsibility for what happened to the ESEA. One trembles at what the House will do now with the poverty program and what this may precipiate among the frustrated and disillusioned of the ghetroes and uleritations;

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November 27, 1967

Dear Mrs. Green:

Thank you for your letter of November 25 enclosing a copy of the letter you received from Mr. Charles Davis, Chairman of the Executive Board of the American Civil Liberties Union of Oregon.

Mr. Davis' comments about the policies of the Selective Service System are appreciated and will receive careful attention.

Sincerely,

Barefoot Sanders Legislative Counsel to the President

House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE WASHINGTON, D.C. 20201

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

November 29, 1967

MEMORANDUM FOR THE HOMORABLE'S. DOUGLASS CATER, JR.
HOMORABLE H. BAREFOOT SAMBERS, JR.
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Ralph K. Hultt Assistant Secretary for Legislation

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Dear Mrs. Green;

The President wants you to have the attached as a memento of that historic day -- November 8, 1967 -- when the President signed H.R. 5894, an Act removing restrictions on the careers of female officers in the Army, Navy, Air Force and Marine Corps.

Sincerely,

Juanita D. Roberts
Personal Secretary
to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D.C.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

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WASHINGTON

December 13, 1967
Wednesday, 10:50 a.m.

FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Barefoot Sanders

Chairman Carl Perkins called me about 6:30 a.m. this morning, as is his custom, to ask our help in getting a conference report on the Elementary and Secondary Education bill agreed to and voted on before adjournment.

Specifically, Carl wanted us to ask the House Leadership to announce that Congress will not adjourn until this conference report is adopted.

I have discussed this problem several times with the Speaker and Albert and they are unwilling to make any announcement along these lines. In fact, they believe that any delay in adjournment because of the ESEA bill would threaten their Leadership position.

I am trying to make it clear to everyone that we really want this bill this session. But Mrs. Green continues to delay her return from Oregon because she does not want a bill until next session.

I recommend that if the question comes up at a press briefing George Christian should state that the Administration does want this bill this session and hopes the Congress will pass it. Further than that I do not think we should try to go.

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THE HOSORABLE EDITH GREEN X COUNCIL OF CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICERS

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"ovember 16, 1967

STUDY OF THE OFFICE OF I DUCATION

At the outset of my remarks, I want to thank you and your staffs for your assistance to my subcommittee in the preparation of the Study of the thited States Office of Education. In responses to difficult questionnaires and in candid testimony, your knowledge of state educational programs and problems was graciously offered to us.

Mountains of data collected from the Office of Education and from educators throughout the country could not all be put in the report. But all of it was studied carefully and was invaluable as background.

I want also to akknowledge the generous assistance we received from Commissioner Howe and members of his staff. Office of Education personnel made a material contribution to the atude in testimony and in detailed

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U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND LABOR SPECIAL SUBCOMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20515

December 11, 1967

Douglass Cater
Special Assistant to
the President
The White House
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Cater:

The enclosed Study of the United States Office of Education will be released Monday, December 18. Advance copies will be distributed to news media on Wednesday, with an embargo on the use of material in the study until Sunday morning newspapers.

Almost 18 months of work by members of the Special Subcommittee on Education and its staff, as well as that of educators throughout the nation, went into the preparation of the report.

It is my hope, and that of members of my subcommittee, that this study will be helpful to our
colleagues in the Congress, officials in the
Executive Branch, and educators across the country
in understanding and appreciating the responsibilities
and the achievements of the Office of Education and in
considering some of the ways Federal education programs
might be improved.

Sincerely,

Edith Green

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June 29, 1967

Dear Edith:

I would like to take this opportunity to express my deep appreciation for your leadership in getting the Education Professions Development Act of 1967 through the House in such a wise and expeditious fashion. It was a race with the clock, but it was worth it.

Sincerely yours,

Douglass Cater

Honorable Edith Green
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

October 25, 1967

MEMORANDUM FOR THE HONORABLE S. DOUGLASS CATER

Peter Muirhead and I met with Mrs. Green on the Guaranteed Student Loan Amendments on Monday afternoon, October 23. We had met on the previous Friday with representatives of higher education associations to get their attitudes toward the policy positions we had tentatively agreed upon with Mrs. Green at the meeting in your office:

- I. Priority in granting of loans to students with special need.
- 2. More involvement of college student financial aid officers.
- 3. Maintenance of equity in allowance for administrative costs for colleges and bankers.
- 4. Prevention of undue escalation of bankers fees.
- 5. Abolition of loan forgiveness for teachers.
- 6. Discontinuance of interest subsidy on guaranteed loans after graduation of student.

The higher education people went along with all these proposals except the abolition of loan forgiveness now. They really were sympathetic with the discontinuance of loan forgiveness but they believed that attempting to do it at this time would kill the higher education bill for this year.

We told Mrs. Green that we believed we could give priority to special cases and more discretion to college student aid officers through administrative changes. She accepted this but probably will put language into the committee report to make sure. To control escalation of the bankers fees we will ask Treasury about the feasibility of putting in the bill (or in the committee report at the least) a table linking specific bankers fees with levels of the price of money.



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November 29, 1967

MEMORANDUM FOR THE HONORABLE S. DOUGLASS CATER, JR.
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Ralph K. Huitt Assistant Secretary for Legislation

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

February 13, 1967

MEMORANDUM FOR HONORABLE S. DOUGLASS CATER HONORABLE HENRY HALL WILSON MR. WILLIAM CANNON MR. HERBERT N. JASPER

Subject: Congressional Activities Concerning Education Legislation Mrs. Green and Chairman Perkins today discussed subcommittee jurisdiction and, as Mr. Perkins reported to us, Mrs. Green wanted to know whether Perkins intended to hold on to ESEA permanently or whether this was his intention for this year only. Perkins indicated that he hoped to be a "working chairman" and that he wanted ESEA permanently. In that case, countered Mrs. Green, she would retain her chairmanship of the Special Subcommittee on Education and continue to deal with higher education legislation. (We assume that Mrs. Green assumes that she will have jurisdiction over the National Teacher Corps, part of Title V of the Higher Education Act of 1965).

Mrs. Green made a special point of asking for jurisdiction over the Cooperative Research Act of 1954 and the 1965 amendments authorizing regional laboratories. Mr. Perkins would not agree to separating this legislation, which is now Title IV of the ESRA, from other parts of the elementary-secondary area. However, he did agree to allow Mrs. Green to conduct hearings on education research involving the Cooperative Research Act and the Laboratories, since Mrs. Green is critical of certain practices in this area including the "high salaries" paid to laboratory directors and the new authority to allow contracts with profit-making corporations.

Senator Morse will hold hearings in Oregon in the next month or so and his Professional Staff Member, Charles Lee, announced that the Senator would "have fun" citing the Administration's proposed cut-backs in grants for the construction of higher education facilities and a proposed increase of interest rates for the construction of academic and dormitory facilities. Lee indicated the Senator would be quoting this morning's Wall Street Journal which takes a very different view of educational priorities than that contained in the President's budget:

"College enrollments are due to rise far faster than the school population generally. Undergraduate ranks are expected to reach 15 million to 20 million by 2000, up from 5.5 million currently. Graduate students are expected to number between 2 million and 2.5 million by the close of the century, compared with 520,000 today. DECEIVED

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January 17, 1968

Dear Edith:

Your birthday marks much more than just another passing year in the calendar of life. It honors the fullness of selfless national service.

Mrs. Johnson and I are proud and pleased to join your many friends in offering you our warmest wishes for health and happiness in fullest measure on this birthday and every day.

Sincerely,

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Honorable Edith S. Green
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

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Karold H. Howe II Commissioner, Office of Education February 12, 1968

Ralph K. Huitt
Assistant Secretary for Legislation

Your telephone conversation with Mrs. Green

Thank you for your memorandum about your telephone conversation with Mrs. Green. EOITH

I think she will find it difficult to hold as "hostage" the parts of the Higher Education bill which relate to extension of existing legislation. Pressure from higher education people for early passage of that part of the bill should be pretty intense. Her problem is that the people who would be most concerned about the fate of the "hostage" have little control over appropriations.

As soon as Congress comes back next week I will visit each member of the subcommittee to get an impression of their sentiment toward our higher education package. It would be hard to formulate strategy until we know that.

cc: Mr. Cater

Mr. Sanders

Mr. Cohen

Mr. Halperin

K Mr White

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February 23, 1968

Dear Edith:

I am glad to furnish you the enclosed copies of the President's Crime Message, as requested.

Sincerely,

Irvine H. Sprague
Aid for
Congressional Liaison

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

To Larry Levenson with good luck

February 10, 1968

TO:

Harry McPherson

FROM:

Barefoot Sanders 10

Harry:

I believe this falls within your jurisdiction.

Please prepare a detailed reply either for yourself to sign or I will sign if you prefer.

Mrs. Green is giving us trouble on several fronts on our education legislation. On this inquiry, she has the support of all members of her Subcommittee, both Republicans and Democrats, so its rather urgent we get them settled down as soon as possible and take whatever remedial steps we can.

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COMMITTEES: EDUCATION AND LABOR MERCHANT MARINE AND FISHERIES EXECUTIVE

RICHARD E FEENEY MINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT WASHINGTON OFFICE PHONE: 225-4811

Congress of the United States Quie, Albert H. STAN SWAN House of Representatives

IONE: 226-3361

Washington, D.C.

February 9, 1968

The Honorable Lyndon B, Johnson The White House Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. President:

The Special Subcommittee on Education is conducting hearings on your legislative recommendations for higher education. Earlier this week the U. S. Commissioner of Education and his colleagues appeared before the Subcommittee to testify on this most important legislation. In connection with proposals relating to student aid programs, graduate fellowship programs, graduate program support and graduate academic facilities support, certain questions were raised relative to the impact of current draft policies on graduate education. Commissioner Howe advised the Subcommittee, "It is clear that the current draft policy will have considerable impact on the graduate schools," and as our discussion continued, it became clear to us that the situation was indeed serious and deserving of immediate attention. was decided the Subcommittee should schedule a hearing today to further discuss these issues with representatives from the higher education community.

This morning President Pusey of Harvard University, Mr. John Morse of the American Council on Education, Dr. Merriam H. Trytten, Chairman of the Committees Advisory to the Selective Service System on Deferment Policy at the time of the Korean conflict and currently Special Consultant to the President of the National Academy of Sciences, and Dr. William G. Shannon of the American Association of Junior Colleges appeared before the Subcommittee

Nothing else sent to Central Files as of EXECUTIVE -

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February 14, 1968

MEMO FOR: Larry Levinson

FROM

: Irv Spragualim

Edith Green said she would send me the transcript of her hearings on the draft for background use by whoever handles her letter to the President. Attached are the proof pages.

appreciate being kept advised.

February 10, 1968

Dear Mrs. Greent

The President has asked me to thank you for your letter requesting a re-examination of national draft policy, particularly as it applies to graduate students and college graduates.

As you know, the President has a very great interest in all matters affecting education.

We appreciate your sharing your concern with us. We hope to have a further and more detailed response for you in the near future.

Sincerely,

Barefoot Sanders Legislative Counsel to the President

Honorable Edith Green
2441 Rayburn Building
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

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Dear lines Chairman:

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THE SECRETARY OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE WASHINGTON, D. C. 20201

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March 14, 1968

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

From:

Wilbur J. Cohen, Acting Secretary Weber Cohen

Subject: Education

In our discussion on Saturday afternoon, you raised the question of the critical attitude of educators toward your Administration, despite the tremendous forward steps you have taken in the education field. You asked that we arrange some kind of a meeting with educators to impress them with what the Administration has done.

As I have thought about the matter, it seems to me that one matter which might interest them would be the establishment of a Cabinet Department of Education. As you know, a number of groups have made the proposal that the education and job training activities be put together in one separate Cabinet department.

If you are thinking of transferring some of the major activities of the poverty program to HEW, you might want to think about indicating whether you favor setting up a separate Cabinet Department of Education and Manpower Training. Edith Green and Abe Bibicoff have repeatedly recommended this, and I am sure that there are others in Congress who would favor it. I am attaching the views of Edith Green and Sam Gibbons from their recent report.

I thought this was something that you might like to think about, or you might like to have us do a little bit more work on for your further consideration. You could, for example, mention the matter in the first education bill that you sign this year, or in some speech or other activity related to education later in the year. Finally, it could be something that you could bring up for exploration with the educators if we had a meeting with them in the White House.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

February 1, 1968

Lec'd 5:45 P

FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Douglass Cate

Edith Green just called. She said that Carl Albert is pushing her to schedule the hearings on higher education. She said she is ready to go early next week -- as soon as she gets word that the Education Message and the draft bills will come up. She wants to send letters out to Committee members at least two days in advance of the hearings.

She said it would be helpful if we could indicate that the Message would be coming up by Monday. I told her I would let her know as soon as it was definite.

Notify Mrs. Green message will be sent by Monday:

YES

Joe Califano --

if it's ready Monday -- I don't know if it will be ready.

LBJ/mf 2-1-68 5:59p golf

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

SP 2-3/1968/EB

February 1, 1968 Thursday, 5: p.m.

Rec'd 5:45 p

FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Barefoot Sanders

Carl Albert called to inquire about the Message on Education.

He said that Edith Green is going to cancel her planned subcommittee hearings on Higher Education, scheduled for next Tuesday, February, since the Message has not arrived.

I asked Carl to ask Edith not to cancel yet.

Carl urges that the Message come forward Monday (the House will not be in session tomorrow). I agree and recommend that the Message be sent to the Hill Monday.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE OFFICE OF EDUCATION

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO

The Secretary-Designate

DATE:

April 17, 1968

FROM

Harold Howe II

Commissioner of Education

SUBJECT: \$150 - \$250 Million for Summer Programs for the Cities

You requested me to sound out Mrs. Green, Mr. Pucinski and Mr. Perkins Carl Frin regard to a special summer program for the cities. I have sent you their responses in a memorandum dated April 16.

It seemed to me that you might be helped in reaching a decision about this possibility if you had a more definite suggestion regarding its actual operation. Consequently I asked our Bureau of Elementary and Secondary Education to outline the criteria it would use in notifying cities and States of the kinds of projects approvable under a special summer program.

Attached is an outline of the emphasis we would propose for this special effort. I attach, also, some examples of existing programs of the kind we would want to encourage.

Attachments

cc: Honorable Ralph K. Huitt Honorable William Gorham Honorable James Kelly Mr. Samuel Halperin

> Honorable Douglass Cater Mr. James Gaither

> > OST REDUCTION PROGRAM

EXECUTIVE

LE/FA2 FI5-6-1

February 2, 1968

FOR JOE CALIFANO

FROM: Douglass Cater

I have talked with both Perkins and Mrs. Green. Both have been fully briefed on the Higher Education package. Both see no hitches in moving forward with the hearings. Perkins assured me he was not going to let Mrs. Green drag her feet on the Guzranteed Loan Program.

July 3, 1968 Sf 3, 750

Deer Edith:

On Monday it was the proud privilege of this Government to sign the Non-Proliferation Treaty.

We will begin talks with the Soviet Union on further steps to peace soon.

Because of the great importance of these events to all the people of the world, I am sending you a personal copy of the remarks I made on Monday.

I hope that you will give this matter your full and urgent attention.

I trust we may move forward as a united people toward bringing a measure of order into the affairs of our troubled planet.

Sincerely.

House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20201

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January 12, 1967

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MEMORANDUM FOR HONORABLE S. DOUGLASS CATER HONORABLE HENRY HALL WILSON MR. WILLIAM CANNON MR. HERBERT N. JASPER

Subject: Education Legislation for 1967

Attached is an outline of the packaging arrangements proposed by our office and approved by the Under Secretary for the forthcoming legislative program in education. The ETV bill would, of course, go to the Congressional Commerce committees while we anticipate that the Elementary and Secondary Bill would go to Congressman Perkins (who will probably continue to head the General Subcommittee on Education) . and the Higher Education Bill would go to Mrs. Green. If further soundings show that Mrs. Green is hostile to the Teacher Corps we will consider alternative packaging arrangements. Chairman Perkins has promised us that the Teacher Corps will not be allowed to languish in his Committee even if he has to bring out a separate bill and personally chair hearings.

If there are reactions to the attached packaging ideas I would appreciate hearing from you as soon as possible as we are proceeding with bill drafting which, in turn, depends upon these packaging decisions.

> Cam 1 Halperin Samuel Halperin

Acting Assistant Secretary

for Legislation

Attachment

September 13, 1967

Dear Mrs. Green:

Following up on our telephone conversation, I am sending along an analysis of the 170 responses to my transmission of the President's letter of August 9 to Chairmen Hill and Perkins on the Guaranteed Loan Program. In addition, I am attaching copies of all the responses from the State of Oregon, together with a representative sampling of college, State agency and bank replies from around the country.

I have called your office in hopes of arranging a breakfast meeting with you, to include Under Secretary Barr, Commissioner Howe, and Assistant Commissioner Muirhead, early next week.

I look forward to seeing you then.

Sincerely yours,

Douglass Cater

Honorable Edith Green 206 U.S. Court House Portland, Oregon 97205

Attachments

Wednesday, Sept. 20 - 8:00

THE UNDER SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY

February 6, 1968

The Honorable Douglas Cater The White House

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Doug:

Per our telephone conversation.

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Joseph W. Barr

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON Thursday, May 2, 1968 WE9

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TO: THE PRESIDENT all together

FROM: Douglass Catol (B) [T]

Following your request, Wilbur Cohen and Ralph Huitt have checked with leaders in Congress on the plan for a summer school program for the 100 largest cities and the 100 poorest counties in the Nation. The program would keep selected schools open morning, noon, and night, seven days a week, to conduct work-study, athletic, and training programs. For \$200 million, it would benefit an estimated one million disadvantaged young people and create an estimated 400,000 jobs for young people and other residents of the ghettos. The National Association of School Boards is prepared to give strong promotion to such a summer program.

Here are the reactions:

- 1. Carl Perkins was negative if the program applied only to cities but probably would go along with the 100 poorest counties added to the program.
- 2. Edith Green thinks it is an excellent proposal but will oppose shifting funds from other programs.
- 3. George Mahon first said he would want to consider it carefully.

 Later, at Marvin Watson's swearing-in ceremony, he approached Wilbur Cohen and discussed it further. He seemed to be interested particularly in the idea that it might be used as a way to break the current deadlock between House and Senate conferees on the Urgent Supplemental Appropriation bill. (The Senate added \$216 million over the House for summer Head Start, MDTA, Impacted Areas and FHA.)
- 4. Hill and Morse were noncommittal but will probably go along.
- 5. Laird expressed the view that it would be difficult for the Republicans to take a stand against such a program.

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MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

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July 10, 1968 Wednesday - 5:20p

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FOR THE PRESIDENT

FRCM:

Douglass Cater

Samuel

Congresswoman Green called me today to report that she had held hearings on Congressman Stratton's joint resolution to provide \$5 million in funds for Eisenhower College. She said that there was strong reservation among even the Republicans on her committee about making a special endowment of this type. She asked what the Administration's position would be.

I reported to her that HEW was prepared to send her a letter giving tacit approval to the resolution and that the Bureau of the Budget would indicate no opposition. But I did not believe it would be possible to urge passage if the Republicans were not going to take the lead. She said that she doubted there would be any action on the resolution.

SP3-250

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES WASHINGTON, D.C.

EDITH GREEN PORTLAND, OREGON

July 16, 1968

Dear Mr. President:

The signing of the nuclear non-proliferation treaty is, in my view, one of the most significant achievements of any Administration. I am, if possible, even more deeply gratified that discussions have begun on limiting and reducing nuclear weapons delivery and defense systems - a most desirable goal which now seems closer to attainment than ever before. This major achievement holds promise for all men -- not just a reduced fear of momentary extermination -- but also the hope that resources spent to create a balance of terror may now be used to create the material foundation of a just society. For this reason your letter of July 3 and the enclosure of a personal copy of your remarks upon signing of the non-proliferation treaty will be included among my most treasured documents.

Sincerely,

Edith Green

The Honorable Lyndon Johnson The White House Washington, D. C.

ALC: 12.01

August 22, 1968

Dear Edith:

The President has asked me to send you the enclosed photograph which was taken on July 31 when you were at the White House for the signing of the Juvenile Delinquency Prevention and Control Act of 1968.

Sincerely,

Barefoot Sanders Legislative Counsel to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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You are cordially invited to attend the signing of H.R. 12120; The Juvenile Delinquency Bill to be signed at the White House on Wednesday, July 31 at 1:30 P.M. in the East Room. Please confirm your attendance by return wire and present this wire at the northwest gate for admittance.

Sherwin J. Markman, Assistant to the President

BREITEL, Charles D., NYK

EREWSTER, Kingman, Yale University

BYRNE, Garrett H., Mass.

CHANDLER, Otis, Los Angeles Times

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BAHINGTON, Wallace K.

BANKS, Mary

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BAXTER, William

BETLER, Linda

POWEIL, Lewis Franklin

STOREY, Robert Gerald, Dallas, Texas
STUART, Julia Davis, League of Women

Voters of the U.S. Spokane, Wash.

KATZENBACH, Nicholas, Under Sec. of State
BLATT, Genevieve, OEO

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BENEKE, Jo
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HEROWN, Bertram

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FOR: Doug Cater

FROM: Jim Gaither

For your information.

Attachment

July 29, 1968

MEMORANDUM FOR JAMES C. GAITHER

From: Robert Perrin

Acting Deputy Director

Attached is information concerning Representative Edith

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<u>Green's comments on Upward Bound. It will be released to the press today.</u>

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Nothing else sent to Central Files as of 2/3/68 w.R.

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MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASKINGTON

September 9, 1968

de la per FAZ F&165 Morse, Wayne Sen

TO:

Doug Cater

FROM: Jim Gaither

Doug:

Sam Halperin feels that HEW will need some help with the House conferees on the Higher Education Act. In particular, he was wondering whether you would call Edith Green to urge her to support the compromise provision. Mores will undoubtedly support it on the Senate side.

At present, the House version of the Migher Education Act contains both the cut-off for willful violation of university regulations, after hearing, and the automatic cut-off for three years after conviction of any crime.

The compromise version which we recommend would cut off aid upon conviction or violation of university regulations, but only after a hearing and a determination that the crime or violation was "of a serious nature and contributed to a substantial disruption of administration of the institution."

The arguments in favor of the compromise are spelled out in the attached memorandum.

Attachment

NO 19 BO 312

October 12, 1967

Dear Mrs. Green Edith

The President has asked me to reply to your thoughtful letter of October 1.

We agree that the recent elections in South Vietnam were a significant achievement, and we feel confident that the new civilian government can strongthen our efforts to achieve an honorable poace.

As to Senator Manefield's proposal for the United Mations Security Council to renew consideration of the Victora problem, I assure you that we are giving it our serious consideration.

I should recall, however, that the Security Gousell has had the Vietnam question on its agenda, at our request, since February, 1966. Our draft recolution at that time called for immediate unconditional talks to arrange a conference that would work for the application of the 1954 and 1962 Geneva Accords, and the establishment of lacting peace in Southeast Asia.

Further, our receivtion recommended that the conference arrange a consessive, effected to provide arbitrators or mediators, and asked the Secretary General to assist in implementing the resolution.

Although the request was much discussed in and out of the Geuncil, that body took no action, largely because of the opposition of some Geuncil members, including France and the Seviet Union. In addition, both Manel and Peiping have continued to deny the United Nations' authority and competence to deal with Victnam.

As long so those circumstances exist, it seems evident that members of the Security Council will be unable to reach agreement

on any proposal to establish effective international peacekeeping muchinary in Vietnam. And without agreement in the Council, it is doubtful that the General Assembly would wish to undertake the financial or political responsibility for establishing a large peacekeeping force in Vietnam.

Nevertheless, we intend to keep the matter under review in the hope that a favorable opportunity will arise for constructive United Nations action.

Sincerely yours,

(signed) W. W Rostow

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Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

WWR/HK/PG:mdr 10/12/67

October 2 , 1967

NO19/0312 FG115-FG-105 PR14 FG.410

Dear Congressman Ryan:

I have given careful thought to the letter in which you and your colleagues advocate a halt in the bombing of North Vietnam.

I am just as anxious as you are to see the conflict throughout Vietnam ended once and for all. But despite numerous direct and indirect. contacts over the past months, we have not had any indication from Hanoi that North Vietnash genuines ly desires a peaceful settlement. We have never received any assurance from any quarter that a unilateral cessation of the bombing would lead North Vietnam to seek, in good faith, a real and lasting resolution of the conflict.

I assure you that we shall continue -- directly an ! indirectly -- to seek any indication int North Vietnam really desires productive sions with us. We will continue to do ehumanly possible to reach a satisfactor; ment of this tragic conflict.

Sincerely.

The Honorable V !lliam F. Ryan House of Representatives Vashington, D. C.

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GENERAL October 7, 1968 Dear Edith: Thank you for your letter of October 5 regarding the possibility of the President's sending a message to Mr. Charles N. Coyle, who is being honored on October 19 by the Local Branch of the National Association of Letter Carriers. Your interest is very much appreciated and I will be glad to ask that every consideration

consistent with policy be given to your request.

Sincerely,

Barefoot Sanders Legislative Counsel to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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HAROLD BAREFOOT SANDERS/ May that October 8, 1968 Dear Edith: For me, one of the real highlights of this post has been the opportunity it has given me to know and work with the members of Congress. As the session draws to a close, I want you to know that I have enjoyed our association and value your friendship. I hope that the future will bring you every happiness and success. Best wishes and warm regards. Sincerely, Barefoot Sanders Legislative Counsel to the President Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D.C. BS: jam

October 17, 1968

Dear Mrs. Green:

We were sorry you couldn't be present for the signing of the Higher Education and Vocational Education bills on Wednesday, October 16.

The President knew of your great interest in these measures and thought you might like to have the enclosed pen which comes with his appreciation and best wishes.

Sincerely,

Barefoot Sanders
Legislative Counsel
to the President

Honorable Edith Green
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

October 29, 1968

Dear Mrs. Green:

The President signed H.R. 1596, an Act for the relief of Demetries Konstantines Georganas (also known as James K. Georganas), on October 21, 1968.

He knew of your interest in this bill and asked that I send this pen with his warm wishes and best regards.

Sincerely,

Barefoot Sanders
Legislative Counsel
to the President

Honogable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C. 20515

Enclosure

WMB:cf

November 1, 1968

Dear Edith:

As you come down to the wire in your re-election campaign, I want to wish you every success.

I hope that you will have a decisive and smashing victory next Tuesday.

Very best of luck and warmest regards.

Sincerely,

Barefoot Sanders Legislative Counsel to the President

Honorable Edith S. Green 306 U.S. Court House Portland, Oregon

Dear Edith:

I share the confidence of the voters who have returned you to the Congress.

Their judgment was based on a legislative record which I have long admired. It is my hope that you will continue to enlarge upon it for the good of America in your coming term.

I congratulate you on a well-earned victory and wish you all happiness in the success that it promises.

Sincerely,

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Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D.C.

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December 16, 1968

Dear Edith:

In response to the recent request from your office, I have made arrangements for the President's personal card of greetings to be sent to Mrs. Denna Sommers, who will celebrate her 101st birthday on December 18.

Sincerely,

Barefoot Sanders
Egislative Counsel
to the President

Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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REQUESTS FOR PHOTOGRAPHS RECEIVED TODAY, DECEMBER 11, 1968

Swo (2/2/14)	
1. Request for photo of the President signing the Auto Safety Legislation.	
Requested by Paul Halpern, Joint Center for Urban Studies of MIT and	\Im
Harvard to be used in a book he is writing. Mg 22 A6340-3	

- 2. State Department requested transparency of the President signing a bill/
 (any bill) for use in a State Department Publication.
- 3. Trudy Feldman (Jewish Press) requested photographs of the President, Kissinger and Rostow meeting in the President's office. She needs them for Sunday edition. Sec. 5 A 7371-12 & 36 sect 141

4. The Office of Congresswoman Edith Green's Office requested a photograph of the White House for a constituent.

I recommend the above photographs be ordered.

Approve Disapprove

George Christian

President Okayed Ordered 2/12/68

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January 17, 1969

Dear Edith:

The time has come to close the pages of this chapter of my life and to return home.

Before I leave Washington, I would like you to know that there will always be a place of warm affection and respect for you in my heart.

The years have been richer for me because of our friendship.

Sincerely.

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Honorable Edith Green House of Representatives Washington, D.C.

LBJ:RLH:rba

January 17, 1969

Dear Edith:

Let me take this opportunity to send you my most sincere good wishes for a happy birthday.

We've worked together over the years on so many projects, that I get a little sentimental now that it is coming to an official end. But I wish you many happy years, years filled with achievement for this country and especially for our children.

Best wishes for a grand job well done, and happy birthday.

Sincerely,

Honorable Edith S. Green House of Representatives

Washington, D. C.

LBJ:RLK:ck

cc: Harry Middleton/Charles Maguire/Bob Klein/Central Files