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May 15, 1974

Dear Jack:

Many thanks for hosting that nice luncheon to mourn (or celebrate) the impending departure of Don Olson for the ivory towers of Mayo.

It was great seeing all my Minnesota friends again. It happens too seldom these days.

With kind personal regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

Vernon C. Loen Special Assistant to the President

Mr. John J. Flynn O'Connor & Hannan 1747 Pennsylvania Avenue, N. W. Washington, D. C. 20006

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Mr. Vernon Loen Special Assistant to the President Legislative Affairs The White House Washington, D.C.

Dear Vern:

Just a follow up to our phone conversation. Looking forward to seeing you Wednesday, May 15, at 12 Noon at the Rotunda for the farewell luncheon for Don Olson.

Sincerely,

John J. Flynn

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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

Date 7-30-75

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VERN C. LOEN ML FROM: Please Handle For Your Information Per Our Conversation your thoughtfulness Other:

July 25, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR:

ROLAND ELLIOTT

FROM:

NETA BROWN Congressional Relations

SUBJECT:

Vernon C. Loen

Last evening, Vernon Loen of our staff (Deputy Assistant to the President for Legislative Affairs), received word that a nephow was found shot to death in a park in Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

Mr. Loen flow out to Sioux Falls today to attend the fundral.

The nephew's name was Brett Loen and the family address is: M/M Leonard Loen, 920 Annway Drive, SiourxFalls, South Dakota 57103.

Mr. Leen's mother is Mrs. Lauris Loen, 3101 South Lake Drive, Sioux Falls, South Dakota 57103.

Mr. Leen's address is 11212 Long Pine Trail, Potomac, Maryland 20854.

We do not have any of the funeral arrangement information at the present time.

Would appreciate if you could have proper messages of condelence sent to the above. Thank.

Vern's nephew was Brett Loen. The family address is: Leonard Loen 920 Annway Drive Sioux Falls, S. Dakota 57103

The address of Vern's mother is: Mrs. Lauris Loen 3101 S. Lake Drive Sioux Falls, S. Dakota 57103

WILL CALL AGAIN IS WAITING TO SEE YOU		
RETURNED YOUR CALL	WISHES AN APPOINT	MENT
MESSAGE		
Vern is in Sioux Fa He may be reached Mrs. Loen: 605-E or his brother's, Mr. Loen: 605-3 Vern left shortly at and should be back His nephew has pas ly and Vern has flo family and to attem RECEIVED BY Cathie	at his mothe dison 2-4098 338-4575 fter noon on 1 Tues. evenin sed away une wn out to be	Fri. ng.
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At /

July 25, 1975

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Loon:

Mrs. Ford and I were deeply saddened to learn of the tragic death of your son Brett. We want you to know that our thoughts and prayers are with you at this very difficult time.

While words have little meaning in the face of your great loss, we hope that the knowledge that your friends and family share this burden of sorrow with you will be a source of strength and comfort in the days ahead.

With our deepest sympathy to you and your family,

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Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Loen 920 Annway Drive Sioux Falls, South Dakota 57103

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Dear John:

One of the great privileges of my work in congressional liaison here is the opportunity to associate with great Americans like you.

Accordingly, it would do me great honor if you would provide me with a personally autographed photograph to be hung on my office wall.

With best personal regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

Vernon C. Loen Deputy Assistant to the President

Honorable John B. Anderson House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

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