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PENNSYLVANIA DISTINGUISHED REPUBLICAN AWARD
DINNER HONORING SEN. HUGH SCOTT, 7:30 PM
MONDAY, NOV. 5, 1973, AT THE SHERATON
HOTEL IN PHILADELPHIA, PA.

To Dinner
Bill
To Senator
Swisher
SCRA
Champion
Telephone
Call

IN TWENTY-FIVE YEARS IN THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS YOU GO TO A LOT OF TESTIMONIAL DINNERS. IT'S AN UNOFFICIAL PART OF THE JOB, AND A PART THAT I HAVE ALWAYS ENJOYED.

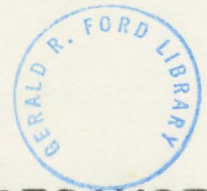


FOR A QUARTER OF A CENTURY NOW, I HAVE WORKED WITH THE MEN AND WOMEN OF THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS AND MY RESPECT FOR MY COLLEAGUES HAS GROWN --

McCabe
Coughlin
Beuster
Ware
Slusher
Henry
26th
\$100
Wesley

NOT DIMINISHED -- WITH THE PASSING OF TIME.
SO THIS KIND OF GATHERING, PAYING TRIBUTE
TO AN HONORED PUBLIC SERVANT, IS ALWAYS A
PLEASURE.

TONIGHT, HOWEVER, IS SOMETHING
SPECIAL -- SOMETHING MORE THAN THE USUAL
OPPORTUNITY TO OFFER SOME WELL-EARNED
PRAISE TO AN HONORED COLLEAGUE.



THIS EVENING IS UNIQUE BECAUSE THE
MAN WE HONOR THIS EVENING IS HIMSELF UNIQUE.
HIS LEARNING, WIT, INTELLECT AND DEDICATION
MAKE HIM SO, AS WELL AS HIS REMARKABLE

RECORD OF PUBLIC SERVICE -- A RECORD
UNEQUALLED IN THE ANNALS OF THIS PROUD
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA.

FOR OVER THIRTY YEARS HUGH SCOTT
HAS GIVEN HIS STATE AND HIS COUNTRY THE
TWO THINGS THEY NEED THE MOST -- ABLE
LEADERSHIP AND UNQUESTIONED INTEGRITY.

IN THE PROCESS, BECAUSE OF OUR
SHARED RESPONSIBILITIES AS THE MINORITY
LEADERS OF THE ~~SENATE~~ AND THE HOUSE, HE HAS
ALSO BECOME A MAN I AM PROUD TO CLAIM AS A
VALUED PERSONAL FRIEND. HUGH'S ADVICE,

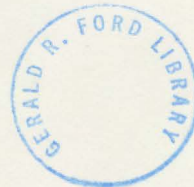


HIS ENCOURAGEMENT, AND HIS UNFAILING GOOD HUMOR HAVE HELPED US BOTH THROUGH A LOT OF TOUGH DECISIONS AND A LOT OF IMPORTANT WORK FOR AMERICA.

BESIDES, HE IS THE ONLY MAN IN THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS YOU CAN GO TO FOR REALLY KNOWLEDGABLE ADVICE ABOUT CHINESE ART.

*Wall Street
Hugh Scott was here
Scott has been too.*

ANOTHER OF HUGH SCOTT'S UNSUNG VIRTUES IS HIS PIONEER WORK IN MAKING THE MOUSTACHE RESPECTABLE IN MODERN AMERICAN POLITICS. AFTER TOM DEWEY LOST THE



PRESIDENTIAL RACE FOR A SECOND TIME IN 1948, THE MOUSTACHE FELL INTO A LONG DECLINE. ONLY HUGH SCOTT STOOD BETWEEN THE MOUSTACHE AND TOTAL POLITICAL OBLIVION. IN THOSE DAYS HE WAS A PROPHET WITHOUT HONOR.

TODAY, THANKS LARGELY TO HUGH, THE MOUSTACHE HAS REGAINED RESPECTABILITY AND HAS REAPPEARED ALONG WITH SIDEBURNS IN BOTH HOUSES OF THE CONGRESS. I CALL IT THE GRAYING OF AMERICA.



WHEN HISTORIANS LOOK BACK ON THE
TROUBLED YEARS OF THE MID-TWENTIETH CENTURY,
THEY WILL REMEMBER OUR GUEST OF HONOR
TONIGHT AS THE MAN WHO MADE THE
MOUSTACHE SAFE FOR DEMOCRACY.

IN A MUCH MORE SERIOUS VEIN, THERE
IS SOMETHING ELSE THAT HUGH SCOTT
PIONEERED FOR WHICH POSTERITY WILL BE
ETERNALLY GRATEFUL. LONG BEFORE MOST PEOPLE
HAD GIVEN A THOUGHT TO THE WHOLE CIVIL
RIGHTS ISSUE, HUGH SCOTT WAS FIGHTING
VIGOROUSLY FOR THE CAUSE OF HUMAN DIGNITY.



AS A CRUSADING PHILADELPHIA
DISTRICT ATTORNEY, HUGH SCOTT CHAMPIONED
THE RIGHTS OF ITALIAN AMERICANS, BLACK
AMERICANS AND OTHER MINORITY GROUPS DECADES
BEFORE CIVIL RIGHTS HAD BECOME A
FASHIONABLE CAUSE OR A POLITICAL ASSET.

WHAT HUGH DID, HE DID OUT OF
COMPASSION AND A BELIEF IN HUMAN DIGNITY.
AND THOSE FOR WHOSE RIGHTS HE FOUGHT HAVE
NOT FORGOTTEN HIM, AS I CAN SEE FROM
LOOKING OUT INTO THIS AUDIENCE TONIGHT.



I DON'T THINK THERE IS ANOTHER MAN ALIVE TODAY, IN OR OUT OF THE CONGRESS, WHO HAS DONE AS MUCH FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF HUMAN RIGHTS -- THE FUNDAMENTAL LIBERTIES OF ALL AMERICANS -- AS THE SENIOR SENATOR FROM PENNSYLVANIA, MY FRIEND HUGH SCOTT.

NEARLY EVERY CIVIL RIGHTS BILL THAT HAS PASSED THE CONGRESS SINCE HUGH ENTERED IT CARRIES HIS IMPRINT. MILLIONS OF AMERICANS TODAY ARE AT LONG LAST LIVING THEIR LIVES AS FIRST CLASS CITIZENS BECAUSE THIS MAN OF PRINCIPLE LED THE CRUSADE FOR HUMAN DIGNITY FOR MORE THAN A GENERATION.



SPEAKING OF JUSTICE AND LAW ENFORCEMENT, I HAPPEN TO KNOW THAT HUGH'S ADVICE ALSO HELPED THE PRESIDENT IN HIS SUCCESSFUL SEARCH FOR A NEW ATTORNEY GENERAL OF UNQUESTIONED ABILITY AND INTEGRITY, HUGH'S COLLEAGUE FROM OHIO, THE HONORABLE BILL SAXBE.

IF THERE EVER WAS A MAN WHO TELLS IT LIKE IT IS, THAT MAN IS BILL SAXBE. AS ATTORNEY GENERAL I AM CONFIDENT THAT HE IS GOING TO DO A GREAT JOB HELPING TO RESTORE TRUST AND RESPECT TO A SHAKEN JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.



THIS IS THE SAME TASK I HAVE SET FOR MYSELF AS VICE PRESIDENT. I HOPE TO DO MY PART IN RESTORING THE TRUST THAT OUR PEOPLE ONCE HAD AND DESERVE TO HAVE AGAIN IN THE AMERICAN SYSTEM OF GOVERNMENT.

AS FAR AS I AM CONCERNED, THIS IS THE FIRST ORDER OF BUSINESS TODAY FOR ALL OF US -- WHETHER WE SERVE AS VICE PRESIDENT, SENATE MINORITY LEADER OR A PRECINCT CHAIRMAN IN PENNSYLVANIA. AND I DEEPLY BELIEVE THAT, IF WE ALL PULL TOGETHER, WE CAN AND WILL DO IT.



IN HIS FAREWELL STATE OF THE
UNION ADDRESS A GREAT ADOPTED PENNSYLVANIAN
BY THE NAME OF DWIGHT EISENHOWER LEFT US
A PRAYER -- A PRAYER THAT ALL AMERICANS
CAN SHARE, ESPECIALLY AT THIS TROUBLED
TIME.

“LET US PRAY,” IKE SAID, “THAT
LEADERS OF BOTH THE NEAR AND DISTANT
FUTURE WILL BE ABLE TO KEEP THE NATION
STRONG AND AT PEACE, THAT THEY WILL LEAD US
ON TO STILL HIGHER MORAL STANDARDS, AND THAT,
IN ACHIEVING THESE GOALS, THEY WILL MAINTAIN
A REASONABLE BALANCE BETWEEN PRIVATE AND



GOVERNMENTAL RESPONSIBILITY."

AS WE LOOK AT THE WORLD TODAY --
AND I REALIZE THAT YOU HAVE TO PIERCE
THROUGH A LOT OF IMMEDIATE GLOOM TO DO
SO -- BUT IF YOU DO LOOK AT THE BROADER
PICTURE TODAY, YOU SEE THAT PART OF IKE'S
PRAYER HAS ALREADY BEEN ANSWERED.

FOR DESPITE SOME VERY SORE
TESTING, OUR LEADERSHIP -- PRESIDENT NIXON'S
LEADERSHIP -- HAS KEPT AMERICA STRONG AND
RESTORED THE PEACE. NOT ONLY THAT, BUT FOR
THE FIRST TIME IN LIVING MEMORY,



WE CAN ACTUALLY LOOK TO A FUTURE IN WHICH
A FULL GENERATION OF PEACE IS NO LONGER
AN EMPTY DREAM BUT A POTENTIAL REALITY.

THIS IS NO SMALL ACCOMPLISHMENT.
IN FACT, IT IS AN ACCOMPLISHMENT THAT, LIKE
OUR GUEST OF HONOR TONIGHT, IS UNIQUE. AND
OUR GUEST OF HONOR HAD A LOT TO DO WITH IT.

FOR WITHOUT THE SUPPORT OF MEN
LIKE HUGH SCOTT, PRESIDENT NIXON COULD
NEVER HAVE ACHIEVED HIS GREAT BREAKTHROUGHS
FOR WORLD PEACE.



WORKING TOGETHER, THE PRESIDENT AND MEN OF CONSCIENCE AND ABILITY IN THE CONGRESS HAVE ACCOMPLISHED THIS GREAT WORK.

A NEW CHAPTER IN THE SEARCH FOR PEACE WAS WRITTEN JUST A FEW DAYS AGO, WHEN FOR THE FIRST TIME IN THE LONG AND BITTER HISTORY OF THE ARAB-ISRAELI CONFLICT, BOTH SIDES AGREED TO DIRECT TALKS -- THE KIND OF TALKS THAT MAY EVENTUALLY REMOVE THIS MENACE TO WORLD STABILITY.

THIS IS A RECORD THAT WE CAN BE PROUD OF AS REPUBLICANS AND AS AMERICANS.



I RECOGNIZE THIS, YOU RECOGNIZE THIS, AND I BELIEVE THAT MOST AMERICANS RECOGNIZE THIS. BUT WE ALSO REALIZE THAT, TODAY AS NEVER BEFORE, WE FACE ANOTHER PROBLEM -- THE PROBLEM OF MORALITY AND STANDARDS THAT IKE ADDRESSED HIMSELF TO IN THE SECOND PART OF THAT PRAYER OF HIS.

RIGHTLY OR WRONGLY, A CLOUD OF DOUBT HANGS OVER WASHINGTON AS WE ARE GATHERED HERE THIS EVENING. IT IS A CLOUD THAT MUST BE CLEARED AWAY FOR THE SAKE OF OUR COUNTRY.



THE QUESTION IS, HOW DO WE DO
IT?

I AM SURE NO ONE EXPECTS AN EASY
ANSWER TO THAT QUESTION. THERE ISN'T ONE.
BUT I WOULD LIKE TO SUGGEST AN ANSWER THAT
FLOWS FROM MY OWN EXPERIENCE.

LAST THURSDAY I APPEARED BEFORE
THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON RULES AND
ADMINISTRATION, WHICH WAS INQUIRING INTO
MY FITNESS TO BE VICE PRESIDENT OF THE
UNITED STATES.



IN MAKING MY OPENING STATEMENT TO THE COMMITTEE, I SAID: "TRUTH IS THE GLUE THAT HOLDS GOVERNMENT TOGETHER, AND NOT ONLY GOVERNMENT, BUT CIVILIZATION ITSELF."

I BELIEVE THAT MOST DEEPLY. TRUTH IS A TIE THAT BINDS HUMAN BEINGS TOGETHER IN A DRIVE TOWARD NOBLE GOALS, AND TRUTH IS THE BOND THAT LINKS PEOPLE TO THEIR GOVERNMENT WITH FEELINGS OF FAITH AND TRUST.

WITHOUT THAT BOND OF FAITH AND TRUST, GOVERNMENT CANNOT FUNCTION. AND SO TODAY THERE IS AN URGENT NEED FOR



ALL AMERICANS TO REDEDICATE THEMSELVES TO TRUTH, AND TO HONESTY AND TO FAIR DEALING AND TO PLAIN SPEAKING.

I HAVE ALWAYS FELT THAT IF YOU COMMUNICATE WITH THE AMERICAN PEOPLE AND -- TO EMPLOY A CLICHE WHICH EVERYONE UNDERSTANDS -- LAY THE FACTS ON THE LINE, THEY WILL RESPOND AND THE COUNTRY WILL MOVE FORWARD.

THIS IS THE IMPORTANT INGREDIENT IN THE GLUE OF TRUTH -- THAT WE COMMUNICATE



WITH ONE ANOTHER, WITH COMPLETE CANDOR
AND OPENNESS.

MY EXPERIENCES SINCE BEING
NOMINATED FOR THE VICE PRESIDENCY ALSO
COMPEL ME TO MAKE SOME COMMENT ABOUT THE
LADIES AND GENTLEMEN OF THE PRESS.

A NUMBER OF INVESTIGATIVE
REPORTERS HAVE BEEN DIGGING TO SEE IF THEY
CAN FIND ANYTHING IN MY PAST CONDUCT WHICH
WOULD TEND TO DISQUALIFY ME FOR THE HIGH
OFFICE OF VICE PRESIDENT.



I DO NOT OBJECT TO THIS. THAT IS THEIR JOB, AND THEY SHOULD DO IT THE BEST THEY KNOW HOW. THEY ARE SEEKERS AFTER TRUTH. THEY ARE MOTIVATED BY THE SAME EMOTIONS THAT INSPIRE THE REST OF US -- LOVE OF COUNTRY AND DEDICATION TO WHAT'S RIGHT.

LAST WEEKEND THE WASHINGTON POST FAILED TO PUBLISH BECAUSE OF A PRINTERS' WORK STOPPAGE. I KEENLY MISSED READING MY WASHINGTON POST, *altho I like it better some days better than others* THE EXPERIENCE BROUGHT FRESHLY TO MIND THE COMMENT MADE BY THOMAS JEFFERSON IN A LETTER DATED JANUARY 16, 1787, A LETTER WHICH RINGS WITH



JUST AS MUCH WISDOM NOW AS THEN.

“THE BASIS OF OUR GOVERNMENT BEING THE OPINION OF THE PEOPLE,” JEFFERSON WROTE, “THE VERY FIRST OBJECT SHOULD BE TO KEEP THAT RIGHT; AND WERE IT LEFT TO ME TO DECIDE WHETHER WE SHOULD HAVE A GOVERNMENT WITHOUT NEWSPAPERS, OR NEWSPAPERS WITHOUT A GOVERNMENT, I SHOULD NOT HESITATE A MOMENT TO PREFER THE LATTER.”

THERE ARE TIMES, OF COURSE, WHEN NEWSPAPERS ENGAGE IN AN EXCESS OF ZEAL.



SO, TOO, DO MEMBERS OF THE CONGRESS. IN THIS HIGHLY CHARGED AND EMOTIONAL ATMOSPHERE OF THE MOMENT, IT IS THE DUTY OF ALL AMERICANS -- PARTICULARLY THOSE IN PUBLIC OFFICE AND THOSE IN THE NEWS MEDIA -- TO EXERCISE THE UTMOST CAUTION. THOSE OF US IN THESE HONORED FIELDS OF ENDEAVOR HAVE A SPECIAL RESPONSIBILITY.

TO PRECLUDE A BREACH OF THAT TRUST, SELF EXAMINATION IS HELPFUL. THAT IS EXACTLY WHAT I ENGAGED IN LAST WEEK AS I WAS PREPARING FOR MY CONFIRMATION HEARINGS.



AS A RESULT, I SAID TO THE COMMITTEE:

“I AM NOT A SAINT, AND I’M SURE I HAVE DONE THINGS I MIGHT HAVE DONE BETTER OR DIFFERENTLY OR NOT AT ALL. I HAVE ALSO LEFT UNDONE THINGS THAT I SHOULD HAVE DONE. BUT I BELIEVE AND HOPE THAT I HAVE BEEN HONEST WITH MYSELF AND WITH OTHERS, THAT I HAVE BEEN FAITHFUL TO MY FRIENDS AND FAIR TO MY OPPONENTS, AND THAT I HAVE TRIED MY BEST TO MAKE THIS GREAT GOVERNMENT WORK FOR THE GOOD OF ALL AMERICANS.”



THAT IS WHAT I WILL CONTINUE TO DO IF THE CONGRESS SEES FIT TO CONFIRM ME AS VICE PRESIDENT -- JOIN HANDS WITH REPUBLICANS AND DEMOCRATS OF GOOD WILL TO MAKE OUR GREAT GOVERNMENT WORK FOR THE GOOD OF ALL AMERICANS. I WILL WORK FOR A NEW SPIRIT OF COOPERATION BETWEEN THE WHITE HOUSE AND THE CONGRESS, AND FOR A REDEDICATION TO TRUTH ON THE PART OF ALL AMERICANS.

MY JOB -- HARD AS IT IS GOING TO BE -- WILL BE MADE A LOT EASIER THANKS TO MEN LIKE HUGH SCOTT, THIS MAN OF



CONSCIENCE, THIS MAN OF CONVICTION, THIS
MAN OF CONCILIATION.

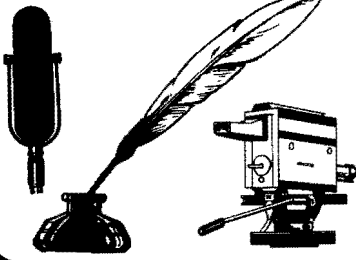
HUGH SCOTT DOESN'T LIKE LABELS
VERY MUCH, AND I AGREE WITH HIM. LABELS
TEND TO LIMIT PEOPLE, TO FORCE THEM INTO
NARROW CORNERS AND ARTIFICIAL CATEGORIES.
BUT THERE IS ONE LABEL HUGH HAS NEVER
REJECTED -- THE LABEL OF MODERATE. ALWAYS,
HE HAS BEEN A MODERATE IN THE BEST SENSE OF
THE WORD -- A MAN OF MODERATION AND
FAIRNESS, A MAN WITH A FIERCE SENSE OF
JUSTICE AND AN EQUALLY STRONG SPIRIT OF
CONCILIATION.



THAT IS WHAT MAKES HUGH SCOTT
AN OUTSTANDING REPUBLICAN, NOT JUST THIS
YEAR, BUT EVERY YEAR. AND THAT IS WHY I
CONSIDER IT A SPECIAL HONOR TO BE A PART
OF THIS TRIBUTE TO HIM TONIGHT.

-- END --





CONGRESSMAN
GERALD R. FORD
HOUSE REPUBLICAN LEADER

NEWS
RELEASE

--FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE--

Friday, Nov. 2, 1973

Some 1,000 Pennsylvania Republicans will gather at the Sheraton Hotel in Philadelphia at 7:30 p.m. Monday for the Distinguished Republican Award Dinner honoring Senate Minority Leader Hugh Scott.

Vice President-Designate Gerald R. Ford will present the award to Sen. Scott on behalf of the dinner committee and will be the principal speaker for the \$150-a-plate dinner. Proceeds from the dinner will be used for the 1974 Pennsylvania Republican gubernatorial campaign.

Sen. Scott is being honored for his distinguished service to the Pennsylvania Republican Party. This is the second consecutive year that the award has been presented. Last year it went to Thomas McCabe, Pennsylvania's national committeeman since 1964.

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MINORITY LEADER

United States
House of Representatives

PRESS MANIFEST FOR FORD PHILADELPHIA TRIP

1. Stephen Geer.....ABC-TV
2. Ron Cordray.....Booth Newsp.
3. Milton Jaques.....Pittsburgh
Post Gazette
4. Phil Jones.....CBS-TV
5. Michael George....." "
6. Bob Huttenloch....." "
7. Harry Lee Clark....." "
8. Saul Kohler.....Newhouse
Newspapers



VICE PRESIDENT-DESIGNATE GERALD FORD TABLE GUESTS

DISTINGUISHED REPUBLICAN AWARD DINNER

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Monday, November 5, 1973

WILLIAM S. CASHEL, JR. - Wife, MARIE. President of Pennsylvania Bell Telephone Company. General Dinner Chairman. Active in all civic drives in Philadelphia. Will introduce you at dinner. Age 53.

ROBERT H. SHERTZ - Wife, ANNE. President of Rollins International. New Chairman of Republican Finance Committee of Pennsylvania. Good friend of John Rollins. This is first time Shertz has been involved in anything political. Met you at the airport on arrival. Age. 58.

RICHARD C. FRAME - State Senator from Franklin County. Minority Leader in Pennsylvania Senate. From rural Area. Age. 47.

ROBERT J. BUTERA - House of Representatives. From Montgomery County. Majority Leader of House of Representatives. Highly respected by State GOP. Age 38.

JOAN AIKENS (MRS.) - Chairman of Republican Women's Clubs of Pennsylvania. Travels extensively on behalf of GOP within the State. Age 45.

F. EUGENE "FITZ" DIXON, JR. - Wife, EDITH. President of Widener College. Chairman of the Board of Abington Hospital. Share owner of Secretariat syndication. Major contributor.



VIP RECEPTION ATTENDEES

DISTINGUISHED REPUBLICAN AWARD DINNER

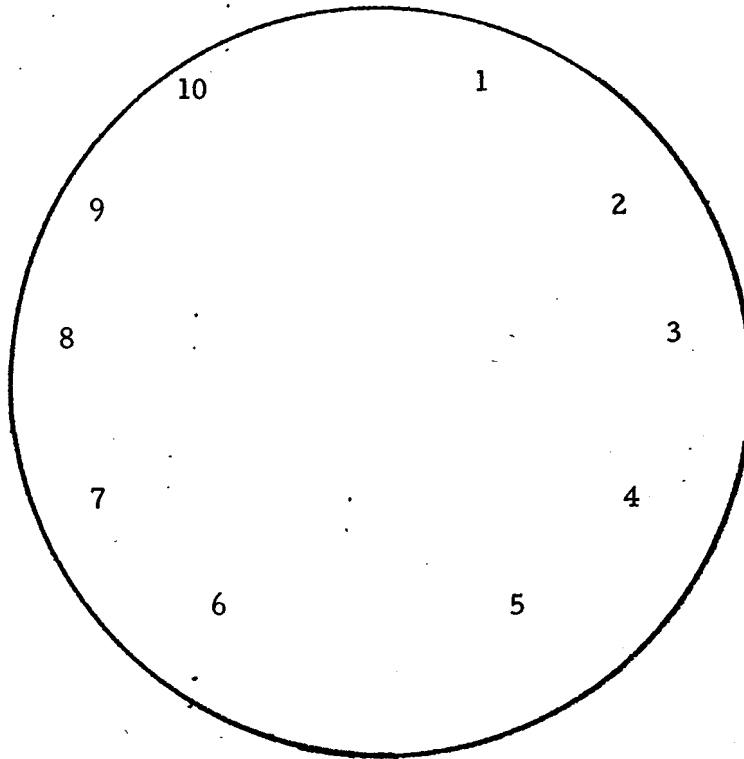
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Monday, November 5, 1973

Mrs. Joan Aikens
Hon. Daniel E. Beren
Mr. & Mrs. Richard P. Brown, Jr.
Hon. Robert J. Butera
Mr. & Mrs. William S. Cashel, Jr.
Mr. & Mrs. Tristram C. Colket, Jr.
Mr. John E. F. Corson
Mr. & Mrs. Philip L. Corson
Mrs. Diana S. Crompton
Mr. & Mrs. F. Eugene Dixon, Jr.
State Senator Richard Frame
Mr. & Mrs. Richard W. Havens
Mr. & Mrs. Frederick B. Henry
Mr. Walter Hogan
Mr. Clifford L. Jones
Mr. & Mrs. Andrew L. Lewis, Jr.
Mr. F. W. McBrien III
Mr. & Mrs. Thomas B. McCabe
Mr. James C. McCannon
Mr. & Mrs. Frank C. P. McGlinn
Mr. & Mrs. Henry S. McNeil
Mr. & Mrs. Harry A. McNichol
Mr. & Mrs. Malcolm Meyer
Mr. & Mrs. William A. Murray
Mr. Charles Norris
Mr. & Mrs. Howard C. Petersen
Mr. & Mrs. R. Anderson Pew
Mr. & Mrs. Lachlan Pitcairn
Dr. & Mrs. Harold Scheie
Senator Richard S. Schweiker
Hon. Anthony J. Scirica
Gov. William Scranton
Mr. & Mrs. Joeseeph M. Segel
Mr. & Mrs. Philip T. Sharples
Mr. & Mrs. Robert H. Shertz
Miss Sarah Ann Stauffer
Mr. & Mrs. William L. Van Alen, Jr.

DINNER SEATING DIAGRAM

DISTINGUISHED REPUBLICAN AWARD DINNER

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Monday, November 5, 1973



1. Mrs. Joan Aikens
2. Mr. Robert H. Shertz
3. Mrs. Marie Cashel, Jr.
4. Hon. Robert J. Butera
5. Mrs. Edith Dixon, Jr.
6. Hon. Richard C. Frame
7. Mrs. Anne Shertz
8. Mr. William S. Cashel, Jr.
9. Vice President-Designate Gerald Ford
10. Mr. F. Eugene Dixon, Jr.



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

November 2, 1973

MEMORANDUM FOR: VICE PRESIDENT-DESIGNATE GERALD FORD

FROM: W. DEWEY CLOWER *WDC*

SUBJECT: YOUR ATTENDANCE AT THE DISTINGUISHED
REPUBLICAN AWARD DINNER
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Monday, November 5, 1973

The following Tabs are provided in connection with your participation in the subject event:

Tab A	Schedule
Tab B	List of VIP Reception Attendees
Tab C	Table Seating Diagram and Guest Backgrounder
Tab D	Your Suggested Remarks

BACKGROUND

You have accepted the invitation of the Pennsylvania Distinguished Republican Award Dinner Committee to attend their dinner honoring Senator Hugh Scott. The proceeds of this \$150-a-plate dinner are earmarked for the state 1974 Gubernatorial Campaign. 800 persons are expected to attend the dinner and cocktail party at the Sheraton Hotel.

GUESTS

All MC's who have accepted invitations to the dinner have been invited to join you aboard your flight to Philadelphia. The following have accepted:

Senator Hugh Scott
Rep. Lawrence Coughlin
Rep. Henry John Heinz III
Rep. E. G. "Bud" Shuster



Rep. Edward Biester will advise us as to his transportation needs on Monday. Senator Schweiker and Congressman John Ware will travel via commercial means.

PRESS CONFERENCE

The press conference will be joint, featuring you and Senator Scott. With a city election the following day, media interest is expected to be heightened.

VIP RECEPTION

Tab B lists those in attendance, the majority of whom are major contributors to both the state and national GOP organizations. Approximately 60 will be in attendance with you and the other MC's. No formal receiving line.

COCKTAIL PARTY

All dinner guests (800) are invited to attend the cocktail party, which begins at 6:30 pm. No formal receiving line.

DINNER

Tab C lists those who will sit with you for dinner. As is custom, there will be no head table. A stage will be used for the program portion of the dinner. Upon completion of meal service, the program participants (including yourself) will be asked to come to the stage and be seated.

DISTINGUISHED REPUBLICAN AWARD

This 2nd Annual Distinguished Republican Award is being conferred upon Senator Hugh Scott by the Republican Party of Pennsylvania for his distinguished service to the state party. Last year the award went to Thomas McCabe, their National Committeeman since 1964. You have agreed to present the award to Senator Scott as detailed in your schedule.

November 2, 1973

1:30 pm

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

SCHEDULE

VICE PRESIDENT-DESIGNATE GERALD FORD'S ATTENDANCE AT
THE DISTINGUISHED REPUBLICAN AWARD DINNER

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Monday, November 5, 1973

ATTIRE: Dark Business Suit

WEATHER: Cloudy with chance of
showers, winds light, temperature
in the 40's.

3:15 pm
(EST)

ARRIVE Andrews AFB and board Convair.

3:20 pm

DEPART Andrews AFB via Convair en route
Philadelphia International Airport, Philadelphia
Pennsylvania.

[Flying time: 35 minutes]
[No time change]

On board are:

Senator & Mrs. Hugh Scott (R-Pa.)
Rep. Edward G. Biester, Jr. (R-8th)
Rep. Lawrence Coughlin (R-13th)
Rep. Henry John Heinz III (R-18th)
Rep. E. G. "Bud" Shuster (R-9th)

3:55 pm
Advanceman:
Frank Ursomarso

ARRIVE Philadelphia International Airport
and board motorcade. (215/365-6649)

You will be met by:

Mr. Thomas B. McCabe, National
Committeeman
Mr. Andrew "Drew" Lewis, Outgoing
GOP State Finance Chr.
Mr. Robert H. Schertz, Incoming GOP
State Finance Chr.
Mr. Clifford L. Jones, State GOP
Chairman

PRESS PHOTO OPPORTUNITY

4:00 pm

DEPART airport via motorcade en route Philadelphia Sheraton Hotel.

NOTE: Senator and Mrs. Scott will accompany you in your vehicle.

[Driving time: 35 minutes]

4:35 pm

ARRIVE Philadelphia Sheraton Hotel (18th Street Entrance) and proceed to Suite-Room 2234 & 36.

To be met by:
Mr. Pat Birmingham, General Manager

NOTE: Senator and Mrs. Scott may proceed to their Suite - 2002/4.
Congressmen may proceed to a guest suite - 2037.

4:40 pm

ARRIVE Suite (215/563-3209)

PERSONAL/STAFF TIME
[15 minutes]

NOTE: Press will set-up for press conference.

4:55 pm

DEPART Suite and proceed with Senator Scott to press conference.

NOTE: Senator Scott will arrive at your suite prior to departure.

5:00 pm

ARRIVE press conference - Constitution Room (215/563-2977)

FULL PRESS COVERAGE

5:20 pm

Press conference concludes.

DEPART press conference with Senator Scott and return to Suite.



5:25 pm

ARRIVE Suite (215/563-3209)

PERSONAL/STAFF TIME
[35 minutes]

6:00 pm

DEPART Suite and proceed to VIP Reception with Senator & Mrs. Scott and other members of the Pennsylvania Congressional Delegation.

6:05 pm

ARRIVE VIP Reception - Philadelphia Suite (215/563-2977)

NOTE: You will be greeted at the door by Tom McCabe and Cliff Jones. No formal receiving line.

6:25 pm

DEPART VIP Reception and proceed to Dinner Cocktail Party escorted by Senator & Mrs. Scott.

6:30 pm

ARRIVE Pennsylvania Room for Cocktail Party and meet with guests. (215/563-4434)

[Attendance - 800]

NOTE: You will be greeted at the door by Drew Lewis and Bob Schertz. No formal receiving line.

7:25 pm

DEPART Cocktail Party and proceed to Grand Ballroom escorted by Senator and Mrs. Scott. (215/563-4434)

NOTE: There is no head table, nor will your entrance into the Grand Ballroom be announced. At your table will be the following:

Hon. Robert J. Butera
Hon. Richard C. Frame
Mr. & Mrs. William Cashel, Jr.
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Schertz
Mr. & Mrs. F. Eugene Dixon, Jr.
Mrs. Joan Aikens

Senator & Mrs. Scott will be seated at another table.

7:40 pm	Invocation - Elsie Hillman, former Allegheny County GOP Chairman.
7:42 pm	Pledge of Allegiance - Bob Jubelier, State Chairman of YR's.
7:43 pm	"Star Spangled Banner" - Marcia Gehris, Assistant Dean of Women, Lebanon Valley College.
7:45 pm	Dinner begins.
8:20 pm	Announcement of all program participants to proceed to stage by Mr. Drew Lewis, program MC.
8:20 pm	DEPART Table and proceed to stage.
8:25 pm	ARRIVE Stage and be seated.
8:26 pm	Introduction of distinguished guests by Bill Cashel.
8:28 pm	Presentation of Outstanding Service Award Plaque to Drew Lewis by Frank C. P. McGlinn.
8:30 pm	Introduction of Vice President-Designate Gerald Ford by Mr. Bill Cashel.
8:30 pm	Vice President-Designate Gerald Ford remarks.
	FULL PRESS COVERAGE
8:48 pm	Remarks conclude.
	<u>NOTE:</u> Upon conclusion of your remarks, you will be joined at the podium by program MC who, in turn, will invite Senator Hugh Scott to step to the podium.
8:50 pm	You will present Senator Hugh Scott with the Pennsylvania State GOP Committee "Distinguished Republican Award."

FULL PRESS COVERAGE

NOTE: Upon presentation of the award to Senator Scott, you will return to your seat.

8:52 pm	Senator Hugh Scott remarks.
8:58 pm	Remarks conclude.
8:59 pm	Closing "Thank You" by Bill Cashel.
9:00 pm	DEPART Grand Ballroom and proceed to motorcade for boarding. Senator & Mrs. Scott will remain in Philadelphia.
9:05 pm	DEPART via motorcade en route Philadelphia International Airport and board Convair.
	[Driving time: 25 minutes]
9:30 pm	DEPART airport via Convair en route Andrews AFB.
	[Flying time: 40 minutes] [No time change]
	<u>On board are:</u> Rep. Edward G. Biester Rep. Lawrence Coughlin Rep. Henry John Heinz III Rep. E. G. "Bud" Shuster
10:10 pm	ARRIVE Andrews AFB.



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 25, 1973

11:00 am

MEMORANDUM FOR: VICE PRESIDENT-DESIGNATE GERALD FORD
FROM: W. DEWEY CLOWER
SUBJECT: ATTENDANCE AT THE DISTINGUISHED
REPUBLICAN AWARD DINNER
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Monday, November 5, 1973

Attached at Tab A is a proposed schedule for your participation
in the subject event.

Approve Schedule _____ Disapprove Schedule _____

BACKGROUND

You have accepted the invitation of the Pennsylvania Distinguished
Republican Award Dinner Committee to attend their dinner honoring
Senator Hugh Scott. The proceeds of the \$150-a-plate dinner will
be used for the 1974 Pennsylvania Gubernatorial Campaign.
Approximately 1,000 persons are expected to attend the functions
at the Philadelphia Seraton Hotel. Attire for the evening is dark
business suit.

GUESTS

Of the two Pennsylvania Senators, only Senator Hugh Scott has
accepted to date. Do you desire to extend an invitation to
Senator and Mrs. Scott to accompany you on your flight to
Philadelphia?

Yes _____ No _____

Bob Heatherington going along.



At this juncture, it is not known whether Senator Scott's daughter will attend.

PRESS CONFERENCE

The dinner committee is desirous of holding a press conference for you in conjunction with your visit to Philadelphia. At the scheduled time frame, they feel excellent coverage can be gained on the evening news.

VIP RECEPTION

One of the most important facets of the evenings activities, as far as the State GOP Committee is concerned, is your attendance at a small VIP reception consisting of major contributors to the Republican party. This group consists of many of the most prestigious Philadelphia families, including such people as Richard Scaife, John Dorrance Jr., F. Eugene Dixon Jr., and R. Anderson Pew among others. A full listing of those 35 persons in attendance will be provided with your final schedule.

Participation in the VIP reception with Senator Scott:

Approve _____

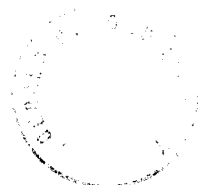
Disapprove _____

COCKTAIL PARTY

The cocktail party begins at 6:30 pm in the Pennsylvania Room at the Philadelphia Sheraton. All dinner guests are invited to attend the cocktail party. There will be no formal receiving line.

DINNER

There will be no head table for the dinner in the Grand Ballroom, as is their custom. A stage will be used for the program portion of the dinner. Upon completion of meal service, the program participants (including yourself) will be asked to come to the stage and be seated.



DISTINGUISHED REPUBLICAN AWARD

This 2nd Annual Distinguished Republican Award is being conferred upon Senator Hugh Scott by the Republican Party of Pennsylvania for his distinguished service to the state party. Last year the award went to Thomas McCabe, their National Committeeman since 1964. The dinner committee requests that you present the award on their behalf to Senator Scott, as detailed in the attached schedule.

Do you accept their request to present the award to Senator Scott?

Yes _____

No _____



October 25, 1973
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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

PROPOSED SCHEDULE

VICE PRESIDENT-DESIGNATE GERALD FORD'S ATTENDANCE AT
THE DISTINGUISHED REPUBLICAN AWARD DINNER

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Monday, November 5, 1973



3:15 pm
(EDT)

ARRIVE Andrews AFB and board Convair.

3:20 pm

DEPART Andrews AFB via Convair en route
Philadelphia International Airport,
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

[Flying time: 35 minutes]
[No time change]

3:55 pm

ARRIVE Philadelphia International Airport
and board motorcade.

NOTE: Composition of airport
Welcoming Committee is as yet
unresolved.

PRESS PHOTO OPPORTUNITY

4:00 pm

DEPART airport via motorcade en route
Philadelphia Sheraton Hotel.

[Driving time: 35 minutes]

4:35 pm

ARRIVE Philadelphia Sheraton Hotel and
proceed to Suite.

To be met by:
Mr. Daniel Murphy, General Manager

4:40 pm

ARRIVE Suite.

PERSONAL/STAFF TIME
[15 minutes]

NOTE: Press will set-up for
press conference.

4:55 pm

DEPART Suite and proceed to press
conference.

5:00 pm

ARRIVE press conference.

FULL PRESS COVERAGE

5:20 pm

Press conference concludes.

DEPART press conference and return
to Suite.

5:25 pm

ARRIVE Suite.

PERSONAL/STAFF TIME
[35 minutes]

6:00 pm

DEPART Suite and proceed to VIP Reception.

6:05 pm

ARRIVE VIP Reception.

NOTE: This reception of approximately
35 persons includes some of the most
socially prominent families of the
Delaware River Valley and several
State GOP leaders.

6:25 pm

DEPART VIP Reception and proceed to
Dinner Cocktail Party (Pennsylvania Room),
escorted by Senator Scott and VIP's.

6:30 pm

ARRIVE Pennsylvania Room for Cocktail
Party and meet with guests.

[Attendance - 1000]

NOTE: There will be no formal
receiving line.

7:25 pm

DEPART Cocktail Party and proceed to Grand Ballroom, escorted by Senator Scott.

NOTE: There is no head table, nor will your entrance into the Grand Ballroom be announced.

7:30 pm

Invocation - Elsie Hilman, former Allegheny County GOP Chairman.

7:32 pm

Pledge of Allegiance - Bob Jubelier, State Chairman of YR's.

7:33 pm

"Star Spangled Banner" - Bob Jubelier, State Chairman of YR's.

7:35 pm

Dinner begins.

8:20 pm

Announcement for all program participants to proceed to stage by Mr. Drew Lewis, Chairman of State GOP Finance Committee.

8:20 pm

DEPART Table and proceed to stage.

8:25 pm

ARRIVE Stage and be seated.

8:26 pm

Introduction of distinguished guests by Bill Cashel, President of Bell Telephone.

8:28 pm

Presentation of Outstanding Service Award Plaque to Drew Lewis by Frank C. P. McGlinn.

8:30 pm

Introduction of Vice President-Designate Gerald Ford by Mr. Bill Cashel, President of Bell Telephone.

8:30 pm

Vice President-Designate Gerald Ford remarks

FULL PRESS COVERAGE

8:48 pm

Remarks conclude.



NOTE: Upon conclusion of your remarks, you will be joined at the podium by program MC who, in turn, will invite Senator Hugh Scott to step to the podium.

8:50 pm

You will present Senator Hugh Scott with the Pennsylvania State GOP Committee "Distinguished Republican Award."

FULL PRESS COVERAGE

NOTE: Upon presentation of the award to Senator Scott, you will return to your seat.

8:52 pm

Senator Hugh Scott remarks.

8:58 pm

Remarks conclude.

8:59 pm

Closing "Thank You" by Bill Cashel.

9:00 pm

DEPART Grand Ballroom and proceed to motorcade for boarding, escorted by Senator Scott.

9:05 pm

DEPART via motorcade en route Philadelphia International Airport and board Convair.

9:30 pm

DEPART airport via Convair en route Andrews AFB.

[Flying time: 40 minutes]
[No time change]

10:10 pm

ARRIVE Andrews AFB.



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REMARKS BY VICE PRESIDENT-DESIGNATE GERALD R. FORD

AT THE PENNSYLVANIA DISTINGUISHED
REPUBLICAN AWARD DINNER
HONORING SENATOR HUGH SCOTT

AT THE SHERATON HOTEL
PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA

7:30 P.M. MONDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1973

ADVANCE FOR RELEASE ON DELIVERY
AT 8:30 P.M.



In twenty-five years in the United States Congress you go to a lot of testimonial dinners. It's an unofficial part of the job, and a part that I have always enjoyed.

For a quarter of a century now, I have worked with the men and women of the United States Congress and my respect for my colleagues has grown -- not diminished -- with the passing of time. So this kind of gathering, paying tribute to an honored public servant, is always a pleasure.

Tonight, however, is something special -- something more than the usual opportunity to offer some well-earned praise to an honored colleague.

This evening is unique because the man we honor this evening is himself unique. His learning, wit, intellect and dedication make him so, as well as his remarkable record of public service -- a record unequalled in the annals of this proud State of Pennsylvania.

For over thirty years Hugh Scott has given his State and his country the two things they need the most -- able leadership and unquestioned integrity.

In the process, because of our shared responsibilities as the minority leaders of the Senate and the House, he has also become a man I am proud to claim as a valued personal friend. Hugh's advice, his encouragement, and his unfailing good humor have helped us both through a lot of tough decisions and a lot of important work for America.

Besides, he is the only man in the United States Congress you can go to for really knowledgable advice about Chinese Art.

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Another of Hugh Scott's unsung virtues is his pioneer work in making the moustache respectable in modern American politics. After Tom Dewey lost the presidential race for a second time in 1948, the moustache fell into a long decline. Only Hugh Scott stood between the moustache and total political oblivion. In those days he was a prophet without honor.

Today, thanks largely to Hugh, the moustache has regained respectability and has reappeared along with sideburns in both Houses of the Congress. I call it the graying of America.

When historians look back on the troubled years of the mid-twentieth century, they will remember our guest of honor tonight as the man who made the moustache safe for democracy.



In a much more serious vein, there is something else that Hugh Scott pioneered for which posterity will be eternally grateful. Long before most people had given a thought to the whole civil rights issue, Hugh Scott was fighting vigorously for the cause of human dignity.

As a crusading Philadelphia district attorney, Hugh Scott championed the rights of Italian Americans, black Americans and other minority groups decades before civil rights had become a fashionable cause or a political asset.

What Hugh did, he did out of compassion and belief in human dignity. And those for whose rights he fought have not forgotten him, as I can see from looking out into this audience tonight.

I don't think there is another man alive today, in or out of the Congress, who has done as much for the advancement of human rights -- the fundamental liberties of all Americans -- as the senior Senator from Pennsylvania, my friend Hugh Scott.

Nearly every civil rights bill that has passed the Congress since Hugh entered it carries his imprint. Millions of Americans today are at long last living their lives as first class citizens because this man of principle led the crusade for human dignity for more than a generation.

Speaking of justice and law enforcement, I happen to know that Hugh's advice also helped the President in his successful search for a new Attorney General of unquestioned ability and

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integrity, Hugh's colleague from Ohio, the Honorable Bill Saxbe.

If there ever was a man who tells it like it is, that man is Bill Saxbe. As Attorney General I am confident that he is going to do a great job helping to restore trust and respect to a shaken Justice Department.

This is the same task I have set for myself as Vice President. I hope to do my part in restoring the trust that our people once had and deserve to have again in the American system of government.

As far as I am concerned, this is the first order of business today for all of us -- whether we serve as Vice President, Senate minority leader or a precinct chairman in Pennsylvania. And I deeply believe that, if we all pull together, we can and will do it.

In his farewell State of the Union Address a great adopted Pennsylvanian by the name of Dwight Eisenhower left us a prayer -- a prayer that all Americans can share, especially at this troubled time.

"Let us pray," Ike said, "that leaders of both the near and distant future will be able to keep the nation strong and at peace, that they will lead us on to still higher moral standards, and that, in achieving these goals, they will maintain a reasonable balance between private and governmental responsibility."

As we look at the world today -- and I realize that you have to pierce through a lot of immediate gloom to do so -- but if you do look at the broader picture today, you see that part of Ike's prayer has already been answered.

For despite some very sore testing, our leadership -- President Nixon's leadership -- has kept America strong and restored the peace. Not only that, but for the first time in living memory, we can actually look to a future in which a full generation of peace is no longer an empty dream but a potential reality.

This is no small accomplishment. In fact, it is an accomplishment that, like our guest of honor tonight, is unique. And our guest of honor had a lot to do with it.

For without the support of men like Hugh Scott, President Nixon could never have achieved his great breakthroughs for world peace.

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Working together, the President and men of conscience and ability in the Congress have accomplished this great work.

A new chapter in the search for peace was written just a few days ago, when for the first time in the long and bitter history of the Arab-Israeli conflict, both sides agreed to direct talks -- the kind of talks that may eventually remove this menace to world stability.

This is a record that we can be proud of as Republicans and as Americans.

I recognize this, you recognize this, and I believe that most Americans recognize this. But we also realize that, today as never before, we face another problem -- the problem of morality and standards that Ike addressed himself to in the second part of that prayer of his.

Rightly or wrongly, a cloud of doubt hangs over Washington as we are gathered here this evening. It is a cloud that must be cleared away for the sake of our country.

The question is, how do we do it?

I am sure no one expects an easy answer to that question. There isn't one. But I would like to suggest an answer that flows from my own experience.

Last Thursday I appeared before the Senate Committee on Rules and Administration, which was inquiring into my fitness to be Vice President of the United States.

In making my opening statement to the committee, I said: "Truth is the glue that holds government together, and not only government, but civilization itself."

I believe that most deeply. Truth is a tie that binds human beings together in a drive toward noble goals, and truth is the bond that links people to their government with feelings of faith and trust.

Without that bond of faith and trust, government cannot function. And so today there is an urgent need for all Americans to rededicate themselves to truth, and to honesty and to fair dealing and to plain speaking.

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I have always felt that if you communicate with the American people and -- to employ a cliché which everyone understands -- lay the facts on the line, they will respond and the country will move forward.

This is the important ingredient in the glue of truth -- that we communicate with one another, with complete candor and openness.

My experiences since being nominated for the Vice Presidency also compel me to make some comment about the ladies and gentlemen of the press.

A number of investigative reporters have been digging to see if they can find anything in my past conduct which would tend to disqualify me for the high office of Vice President.

I do not object to this. That is their job, and they should do it the best they know how. They are seekers after truth. They are motivated by the same emotions that inspire the rest of us -- love of country and dedication to what's right.

Last weekend the Washington Post failed to publish because of a printers' work stoppage. I keenly missed reading my Washington Post. The experience brought freshly to mind the comment made by Thomas Jefferson in a letter dated Jan. 16, 1787, a letter which rings with just as much wisdom now as then.

"The basis of our government being the opinion of the people," Jefferson wrote, "the very first object should be to keep that right; and were it left to me to decide whether we should have a government without newspapers, or newspapers without a government, I should not hesitate a moment to prefer the latter."

There are times, of course, when newspapers engage in an excess of zeal. So, too, do members of the Congress. In this highly charged and emotional atmosphere of the moment, it is the duty of all Americans -- particularly those in public office and those in the news media -- to exercise the utmost caution. Those of us in these honored fields of endeavor have a special responsibility.

To preclude a breach of that trust, self examination is helpful. That is exactly what I engaged in last week as I was preparing for my confirmation hearings. As a result, I said to

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the committee: "I am not a saint, and I'm sure I have done things I might have done better or differently or not at all. I have also left undone things that I should have done. But I believe and hope that I have been honest with myself and with others, that I have been faithful to my friends and fair to my opponents, and that I have tried my best to make this great government work for the good of all Americans."

That is what I will continue to do if the Congress sees fit to confirm me as Vice President -- join hands with Republicans and Democrats of good will to make our great government work for the good of all Americans. I will work for a new spirit of cooperation between the White House and the Congress, and for a rededication to truth on the part of all Americans.

My job -- hard as it is going to be -- will be made a lot easier thanks to men like Hugh Scott, this man of conscience, this man of conviction, this man of conciliation.

Hugh Scott doesn't like labels very much, and I agree with him. Labels tend to limit people, to force them into narrow corners and artificial categories. But there is one label Hugh has never rejected -- the label of moderate. Always, he has been a moderate in the best sense of the word -- a man of moderation and fairness, a man with a fierce sense of justice and an equally strong spirit of conciliation.

That is what makes Hugh Scott an outstanding Republican, not just this year, but every year. And that is why I consider it a special honor to be a part of this tribute to him tonight.

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(ECONOMY)

NEW YORK (UPI) -- THE PACE OF THE NATION'S ECONOMIC GROWTH WILL SLOW CONSIDERABLY NEXT YEAR BUT NOT ENOUGH TO CONSTITUTE A RECESSION, A GROUP OF LEADING ECONOMIC AND BUSINESS FORECASTERS SAID.

CONTINUING INFLATION AND SLIGHTLY HIGHER UNEMPLOYMENT WILL BE TWO AREAS OF MAJOR CONCERN DURING 1974, THEY SAID.

THE PREDICTIONS BY 46 FORECASTERS WERE PREPARED FOR WILLIAM C. FREUND, VICE PRESIDENT AND CHIEF ECONOMIST OF THE NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE. HE COMPILED THE INDIVIDUAL FORECASTS INTO A REPORT TO THE EXCHANGE'S MEMBER FIRMS FOR USE IN THEIR PLANNING FOR NEXT YEAR.

"IN 1974, ECONOMIC GROWTH WILL SLOW FROM ITS TORRID 1973 PACE," FREUND'S REPORT SAID.

"THE SLOWDOWN, HOWEVER, WILL NOT BE SO SEVERE AS TO CONSTITUTE A RECESSION (TWO OR MORE CONSECUTIVE QUARTERS OF DECLINING OUTPUT).

"ECONOMIC WEAKNESS WILL BE REFLECTED IN SUCH KEY BAROMETERS AS CONSUMER INCOME AND SPENDING, CORPORATE PROFITS, INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION, HOUSING STARTS AND UNEMPLOYMENT," HE SAID.

"THE SLOWDOWN WILL BE CUSHIONED, HOWEVER, BY STRONG PERFORMANCES IN FOREIGN TRADE AND PLANT AND EQUIPMENT SPENDING."

FREUND'S REPORT SAID THE FORECASTERS EXPECTED INFLATION TO CONTINUE AT A 5 TO 5.5 PER CENT RATE IN 1974, PRODUCING A 7.4 PER CENT AGGREGATE INCREASE IN THE GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT (GNP) TO \$1.4 BILLION. THIS COMPARES WITH THIS YEAR'S 11.3 PER CENT INCREASE IN THE GNP.

WITH INFLATION DISCOUNTED, HE SAID, THE FORECASTERS EXPECT REAL GNP NEXT YEAR TO GROW ABOUT 2.4 PER CENT COMPARED WITH 6 PER CENT IN 1973.

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(TAPES)

WASHINGTON (UPI) -- THE WHITE HOUSE HAS SPENT TWO DAYS IN FEDERAL COURT STRUGGLING TO PROVE A NEGATIVE--THAT TWO OF PRESIDENT NIXON'S WATERGATE TAPES NEVER EXISTED.

TWO SECRET SERVICE AGENTS AND THE TOP WHITE HOUSE HISTORIAN SPENT MORE THAN FIVE HOURS THURSDAY ON THE WITNESS STAND DESCRIBING TO U.S. DISTRICT COURT JUDGE JOHN SIRICA WHAT HAPPENED TO THE RECORDINGS.

THE TAPES WERE OF A LATE NIGHT CONVERSATION BETWEEN NIXON AND FORMER WHITE HOUSE COUNSEL JOHN DEAN ON APRIL 15, 1973, SHORTLY BEFORE DEAN WAS FIRED, AND A FOUR-MINUTE TELEPHONE CONVERSATION IN 1972 BETWEEN NIXON AND HIS FORMER CAMPAIGN CHIEF, JOHN MITCHELL.

THE COURT HEARING RESUMES TODAY (10 A.M. EST). PROSECUTORS SAID THEY MAY CALL AT LEAST THREE WITNESSES, INCLUDING PRESIDENTIAL AIDE STEPHEN BULL.

ONE QUESTION THAT REMAINED UNANSWERED DURING THE THURSDAY COURT SESSION WAS WHY THE WHITE HOUSE HAD NOT CHECKED ALL NINE OF THE TAPES, WHICH IT HAD AGREED TO SURRENDER TO THE COURT.

CONCERNING THIS, WHITE HOUSE COUNSEL J. FRED BUZHARDT TOLD REPORTERS, "THERE WAS NO CAUSE TO. WE THOUGHT WE COULD WIN THE SUIT AND WE'D NEVER HAVE TO BOTHER WITH THEM. WE PRESUMED THE CONVERSATIONS WERE AVAILABLE."

NBC EVENING NEWS REPORTED THURSDAY THAT SENATE INVESTIGATORS HAD BEEN TOLD LAST SUMMER THAT THE APRIL 15 TAPE DID EXIST.

NBC CORRESPONDENT PAUL DUKE SAID THE INVESTIGATORS FOR THE WATERGATE COMMITTEE WERE TOLD BY BULL ON AUG. 1 THAT THE CONVERSATION BETWEEN DEAN AND NIXON WAS TAPED AND THAT BUZHARDT HEARD THE TAPE IN THE PRESENCE OF A SECRET SERVICE AGENT.

DUKE QUOTED THE INVESTIGATORS AS SAYING BULL NEVER INDICATED ANYTHING WAS WRONG WITH THE TAPES.

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HOUSTON (UPI) -- NEWLY APPOINTED SPECIAL WATERGATE PROSECUTOR LEON JAWORSKI, WHO SAYS HE'LL BEGIN HIS INVESTIGATION WHERE HIS PREDECESSOR ARCHIBALD COX LEFT OFF, PLANS TO LOOK INTO THE MATTER OF THE MISSING PRESIDENTIAL TAPES BEFORE ANYTHING ELSE.

"I PLAN TO GO TO THE TAPES MATTER FIRST," JAWORSKI SAID THURSDAY. "I DIDN'T EVEN KNOW UNTIL JUST NOW WHICH PARTICULAR ONES ARE MISSING. I TELL YOU FRANKLY THAT THAT WASN'T DISCUSSED (WEDNESDAY WHEN HE WAS ASKED TO TAKE THE JOB)."

JAWORSKI SAID HE WILL BEGIN WORK IN WASHINGTON MONDAY.

JAWORSKI SAID HE HOPES TO BE ABLE TO USE COX'S FILES AND ADDED HE WOULD TALK TO COX.

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(FORD)

WASHINGTON (UPI) -- GERALD FORD SAID HE HAD NOTHING TO HIDE. HE EARNESTLY DETAILED THE COST OF HIS SON'S ORTHODONTISTRY AND HOW HE CAME TO AFFORD A CONDOMINIUM AT THE SKI RESORT OF VAIL, COLO., ON A CONGRESSMAN'S SALARY.

THE HOUSE REPUBLICAN LEADER'S APPARENT EAGERNESS TO ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS--AND HIS PLEDGE TO SERVE AS "READY CONCILIATOR AND CALM COMMUNICATOR" BETWEEN A WARRING PRESIDENT AND CONGRESS--HELPED FORD WEATHER HIS FIRST DAY THURSDAY OF CONGRESSIONAL SCRUTINY ON HIS FITNESS TO SERVE AS VICE PRESIDENT. THE QUESTIONING WAS MILD AND LACED WITH COMPLIMENTS.

FORD'S RESPONSES RAISED NO APPARENT OBSTACLE TO HIS SWIFT CONFIRMATION, POSSIBLY BY THANKSGIVING.

BUT HE WILL BE CALLED BACK MONDAY TO EXPLAIN FURTHER HIS RELATIONSHIP WITH FORMER LOBBYIST ROBERT WINTER-BERGER, WHO HAS SWORN HE GAVE FORD \$15,000 THAT WAS NEVER REPAID--A CHARGE FORD CALLED "ASININE" AND "UTTERLY PREPOSTEROUS."

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(MEDIA)

WASHINGTON (UPI) -- CONFIDENTIAL WHITE HOUSE MEMOS SHOW THAT TOP NIXON ADMINISTRATION AIDES PROPOSED A MAJOR CAMPAIGN IN 1970 AGAINST THE NEWS MEDIA.

EIGHT MEMOS, WRITTEN BY WHITE HOUSE AIDES, HAVE BEEN RELEASED FROM SENATE WATERGATE COMMITTEE FILES BY SEN. LOWELL WEICKER, R-CONN.

THEY SHOW A DEEP CONCERN BY FORMER WHITE HOUSE CHIEF OF STAFF H.R. HALDEMAN; HIS THEN ASSISTANT, JEB STUART MAGRUDER; AND PRESIDENTIAL COUNSEL CHARLES COLSON OVER WHAT THEY BELIEVED WAS BIASED REPORTING ABOUT THE ADMINISTRATION.

FREQUENTLY MENTIONED IN THE DOCUMENTS WERE PLANS TO USE FORMER VICE PRESIDENT SPIRO AGNEW AS THE MAIN ADMINISTRATION CRITIC OF THE NEWS MEDIA.

"WE WILL KEEP TABS ON EXAMPLES OF PARTISAN PRESS TREATMENT AND FEED THEM INTO THE VICE PRESIDENT ON A REGULAR BASIS," MAGRUDER WROTE ON AUG. 28, 1970.

ONE MEMO WAS A "TENTATIVE PLAN ON PRESS OBJECTIVITY," WRITTEN BY MAGRUDER JULY 17, 1970, FOR HALDEMAN AND WHITE HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR HERBERT KLEIN. THE MEMO WAS INSPIRED, MAGRUDER WROTE, BY "SOME EXTREMELY DISPARAGING REMARKS ABOUT THE PRESIDENT" MADE BY TELEVISION NEWSMAN DAVID BRINKLEY. BUT IT OUTLINED A MEDIA-WIDE PROGRAM.

AMONG MAGRUDER'S PROPOSALS WERE:

--"PLANT A COLUMN WITH A SYNDICATED COLUMNIST WHICH RAISES THE QUESTION OF OBJECTIVITY AND ETHICS IN THE NEWS MEDIA.

--"ENCOURAGE THE DEAN OF A LEADING GRADUATE SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM TO PUBLICLY ACKNOWLEDGE THAT PRESS OBJECTIVITY IS A SERIOUS PROBLEM.

--"ARRANGE FOR AN 'EXPOSE' TO BE WRITTEN BY AN AUTHOR SUCH AS EARL MAZO OR VICTOR LANSKY.

--"PRODUCE A PRIME TIME SPECIAL, SPONSORED BY PRIVATE FUNDS, THAT WOULD EXAMINE THE QUESTION.

--"GENERATE AN OUTPOURING OF LETTERS-TO-THE-EDITOR."

THERE WAS NO INDICATION IN THE MEMOS THAT THE PLAN AS SUCH AS ADOPTED BY THE WHITE HOUSE.

THE COMMITTEE RECESSED ITS PUBLIC HEARINGS UNTIL TUESDAY, WITHOUT DECIDING WHO WILL TESTIFY NEXT.

IT ALSO WILL HOLD AN EXECUTIVE SESSION EARLY NEXT WEEK TO DISCUSS A PROPOSAL BY WEICKER THAT THE SEVEN COMMITTEE MEMBERS SEEK A MEETING WITH NIXON TO QUESTION HIM ON HIS KNOWLEDGE OF WATERGATE, WITH A TRANSCRIPT OF THE MEETING TO BE MADE PUBLIC.

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(MEDIA)

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) -- CHAIRMAN DEAN BURCH OF THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION (FCC) LABELED AS "ABOMINABLE" THURSDAY A SUGGESTION THE FCC MONITOR NEWS PROGRAMS OF THE THREE NETWORKS.

"THERE IS CERTAINLY NO ADVANTAGE IN A REGULATORY AGENCY MONITORING SUCH SENSITIVE AREAS AS NEWS," BURCH TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE FOLLOWING A SPEECH BEFORE THE WESTERN REGIONAL MEETING OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF BROADCASTERS.

"I THINK SUCH MONITORING WOULD BE ABOMINABLE. I BELIEVE THE MEDIA HAVE THE DUTY TO BE OBJECTIVE, FAIR AND COMPLETE AS THEY CAN. BUT I ALSO BELIEVE A GOVERNMENTAL REMEDY IS WORSE THAN NO REMEDY AT ALL."

BURCH SAID HE WAS NEVER APPROACHED BY ANYONE FROM THE WHITE HOUSE OR FROM THE COMMITTEE TO RE-ELECT THE PRESIDENT TO SUGGEST THE FCC MONITOR TELEVISION NEWS COVERAGE.

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SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) -- THE CALIFORNIA POLL SHOWED TODAY THAT MORE PEOPLE QUESTIONED ABOUT NEWS COVERAGE OF WATERGATE AND RELATED MATTERS NOW THINK IT "HAS BEEN FAIR AND UNBIASED THAN THOUGHT SO LAST MAY WHEN THE HEARINGS STARTED."

TWO OUT OF THREE PEOPLE QUESTIONED ALSO SAID THEY DISAGREED WITH PRESIDENT NIXON'S REMARK THAT TELEVISION COVERAGE HAS BEEN "OUTRAGEOUS, VICIOUS AND DISTORTED."

THE POLL REPORTED THAT 55 PER CENT OF THE PUBLIC THINKS "PRESS COVERAGE HAS BEEN FAIR AND UNBIASED."

"LAST MAY, 50 PER CENT THOUGHT THIS WAY," THE POLL SAID.

THE POLL ALSO REVEALED THAT THE NUMBER WHO FEEL PRESS COVERAGE HAS BEEN UNFAIR AND BIASED HAS DROPPED FROM 27 PER CENT IN MAY TO 17 PER CENT.

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LOS ANGELES (UPI) -- WHEN REPORTER WILLIAM FARR GOT AN EXCLUSIVE STORY DURING THE MANSON FAMILY MURDER TRIAL, DESPITE A COURT GAG RULE, SIX ATTORNEYS CAME UNDER SUSPICION AS THE POSSIBLE SOURCE OF THE LEAK, AND FARR WENT TO JAIL FOR NOT TELLING WHO HIS SOURCE WAS.

TWO OF THE SIX LAWYERS THURSDAY SUED FARR, ARGUING THAT THEY REMAIN UNDER A CLOUD OF SUSPICION BECAUSE HE DID NOT TELL WHO LEAKED THE INFORMATION.

THE TWO ATTORNEYS, PAUL FITZGERALD AND IRVING KANAREK, ALSO NAMED IN THEIR \$24 MILLION SUIT TWO OTHER ATTORNEYS, WHO THEY SAY ARE THE ONES GUILTY OF LEAKING THE STORY TO FARR.

THEY DEMANDED \$24 MILLION IN DAMAGES FROM FORMER DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY VINCENT BUGLIOSI, ATTORNEY DAYNE SHINN, AND FARR AND FIVE OTHER DEFENDANTS. THEY ACCUSED BUGLIOSI AND SHINN OF PERJURY.

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DALLAS (UPI) -- ON THE RAINY NIGHT OF OCT. 12, UNITED PRESS INTERNATIONAL REPORTER DOUG STANGLIN, COVERING AN ANNUAL CELEBRATION GOING ON IN THE STREETS, TOOK REFUGE UNDER THE AWNING OF THE ADOLPHUS HOTEL IN DOWNTOWN DALLAS.

A POLICE OFFICER APPROACHED STANGLIN AND TOLD HIM TO MOVE ON. AS THE REPORTER TALKED TO THE OFFICER AND IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS A NEWSMAN, ANOTHER POLICEMAN CAME FROM BEHIND STANGLIN, WRESTLED HIM TO THE SIDEWALK, GRABBED HIM BY HIS HAIR, JERKED HIS ARMS BEHIND HIS BACK AND HANDCUFFED HIM.

STANGLIN WAS TAKEN TO THE CITY JAIL AND HELD IN A CELL FOR 56 MINUTES UNTIL HE POSTED BAIL. HE WAS FORMALLY CHARGED WITH REFUSING TO OBEY THE ORDERS OF A POLICEMAN AND BROUGHT TO TRIAL.

MUNICIPAL COURT JUDGE GEORGE ORNDOFF ORDERED A DIRECTED VERDICT OF ACQUITTAL OF THE CHARGES THURSDAY NIGHT.

STANGLIN HAS FILED A COMPLAINT ABOUT THE OFFICER'S TACTICS, AND UPI SOUTHWEST DIVISION MANAGER ROBERT CRENNEN SAID FURTHER SUITS MAY BE FILED.

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ST. PETERSBURG, FLA. (UPI) -- REPORTER LUCY WARE MORGAN OF THE ST. PETERSBURG TIMES WAS CONVICTED OF CONTEMPT OF COURT AND SENTENCED TO FIVE MONTHS IN JAIL THURSDAY FOR REFUSING TO REVEAL A NEWS SOURCE.

TIMES' ATTORNEYS FILED NOTICE OF APPEAL AND MRS. MORGAN WAS FREED UNDER \$1,000 SURETY BOND.

THE CONVICTION STEMS FROM A STORY PUBLISHED IN THURSDAY'S TIMES IN WHICH MRS. MORGAN REVEALED PORTIONS OF AN ALLEGED PRESENTMENT OF THE PASCO COUNTY GRAND JURY. SHE REFUSED TO SAY WHETHER HER SOURCE WAS A JUROR. UNDER FLORIDA LAW, IT IS ILLEGAL FOR A MEMBER OF THE GRAND JURY OR COURT OFFICIALS TO REVEAL WHAT TRANSPIRED IN THE JURY ROOM.

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(NIXON)

KEY BISCAYNE (UPI) -- THE WHITE HOUSE SAID TODAY PRESIDENT NIXON WOULD MAKE AVAILABLE TO THE FEDERAL COURTS A MEMORANDUM HE MADE OF HIS CONVERSATIONS WITH FORMER WHITE HOUSE COUNSEL JOHN DEAN ON APRIL 15, 1973.

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ADD 1 NIXON, WASHINGTON (UPI-100)

PRESIDENTIAL SPOKESMAN GERALD WARREN SAID NIXON DICTATED A MEMORANDUM OF HIS RECOLLECTIONS OF THE MEETING SHORTLY AFTER THE CONVERSATION TOOK PLACE AND THIS RECORD WAS STILL IN EXISTENCE.

WARREN SAID HE DID NOT KNOW WHETHER A SIMILAR MEMORANDUM WAS MADE OF THE PRESIDENT'S CONVERSATION WITH FORMER ATTORNEY GENERAL JOHN MITCHELL ON JUNE 30, 1972.

THE CONVERSATIONS WITH DEAN AND MITCHELL WERE THE TWO WHICH THE WHITE HOUSE ANNOUNCED EARLIER THIS WEEK WERE MISSING FROM THE NINE TAPED WATERGATE-RELATED CONVERSATIONS HANDED OVER THE U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE JOHN SIRICA'S COURT.

WARREN SAID THE PRESIDENT'S PERSONAL MEMO WOULD BE DISCUSSED WITH SIRICA BY THE PRESIDENT'S LAWYERS AND ADDED, "I'M SURE WAYS WILL BE FOUND TO TURN OVER THAT INFORMATION."

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ADD 2 NIXON, WASHINGTON

WARREN ALSO DENIED THAT ANY TAPES OF PRESIDENTIAL CONVERSATIONS HAD BEEN ALTERED, DESTROYED OR HIDDEN.

IN A BRIEFING, WARREN SAID THE PRESIDENT WAS GIVING NO THOUGHT TO RESIGNING -- A MOVE SUGGESTED BY SEVERAL OF HIS FORMER CONGRESSIONAL SUPPORTERS.

"THE PRESIDENT HAS NO INTENTION OF RESIGNING," WARREN SAID. "THE PRESIDENT HAS EVERY INTENTION OF FULFILLING THE VITALLY IMPORTANT OBJECTIVES HE SET FOR THE NATION AND HIMSELF."

"IN REFERENCE TO THE WATERGATE MATTER AND SPECIAL PROSECUTOR, HE WANTS TO CLEAR THIS UP AND NOT WALK AWAY FROM IT."

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(O'NEIL)

BUFFALO, N. Y. (UPI)--DEMOCRATIC HOUSE MAJORITY LEADER THOMAS O'NEIL SAID FRIDAY HE BELIEVES PRESIDENT NIXON WON'T FINISH HIS SECOND TERM IN OFFICE.

O'NEIL, FROM MASSACHUSETTS, TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE HERE "IN MY OPINION PRESIDENT NIXON WILL NEVER FINISH OUT HIS TERM. HOW LONG CAN A MAN GO WITH HIS CREDIBILITY BEING WHAT IT IS?"

O'NEIL SAID HE THOUGH NIXON MIGHT BE IMPEACHED OR RESIGN AFTER GERALD FORD WAS CONFIRMED BY CONGRESS AS VICE PRESIDENT AND ADDED THAT FORD'S CONFIRMATION MAY COME IN ABOUT A MONTH.

"IT'S MY OPINION THAT REPRESENTATIVE FORD WILL BE CONFIRMED--PROBABLY AROUND THE SECOND WEEK IN DECEMBER," O'NEIL SAID. HE SAID ABOUT THREE QUARTERS OF THE DEMOCRATS IN CONGRESS WANT FORD TO BE CONFIRMED "AS SWIFTLY AS POSSIBLE."

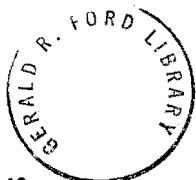
O'NEIL SAID HE WAS SORRY TO SEE ARCHIBALD COX FIRED AS THE SPECIAL WATERGATE PROSECUTOR AND CHARGED NIXON WITH OVERREACTING LAST WEEK WHEN HE ORDERED U.S. MILITARY FORCES TO BE PUT ON WORLDWIDE ALERT BECAUSE OF THE MIDEAST SITUATION.

"THERE ARE TWO KINDS OF ALERTS," O'NEIL SAID. "A CONVENTIONAL WAR ALERT AND A WORLDWIDE NUCLEAR ALERT. HE (NIXON) OVERREACTED WITH THE WORLDWIDE ALERT."

"HE SHOULD HAVE CALLED ONLY A CONVENTIONAL WAR ALERT," O'NEIL ADDED.

O'NEIL WAS IN BUFFALO FOR THE DEDICATION OF THE LYNDON BAINES JOHNSON SENIOR CITIZENS APARTMENT COMPLEX AND TO MEET WITH LOCAL AND STATE DEMOCRATIC PARTY OFFICIALS.

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(FORD)

WASHINGTON (UPI) -- SEN. EDWARD KENNEDY, D-MASS., TODAY URGED EARLY SENATE ACTION ON HOUSE REPUBLICAN LEADER GERALD FORD'S VICE PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATION TO AVOID ANY SUGGESTION THAT PARTISAN POLITICS WAS DELAYING A VOTE.

SPEAKING OF FORD'S TESTIMONY YESTERDAY AT CONFIRMATION HEARINGS BY THE SENATE RULES COMMITTEE, KENNEDY SAID: "IT IS A SIGN OF THESE DISTRESSING TIMES THAT MR. FORD'S BEST RECEIVED REPLIES WERE THOSE AVOWING HIS BASIC BELIEF IN THE RULE OF LAW AND REFUSING TO CONTEMPLATE THE USE OF EXECUTIVE PRIVILEGE AS A COVERUP FOR CORRUPTION IN THE HIGHEST OFFICE OF THE LAND."

FORD SAID UNDER QUESTIONING THAT IF HE WERE PRESIDENT, HE WOULD SURRENDER ANY DOCUMENTS TO THE COURTS OR CONGRESS THAT DEALT WITH ALLEGED CRIMINAL VIOLATIONS, UNLESS THEIR RELEASE WOULD ENDANGER NATIONAL SECURITY OR SENSITIVE FOREIGN POLICY NEGOTIATIONS.

"THE EXTRAORDINARY CIRCUMSTANCES OF THESE TIMES DEMAND A FIRM COMMITMENT FROM EVERY PERSON IN PUBLIC OFFICE TO ACT IN THE HIGHEST INTERESTS OF THE NATION, AND TO AVOID ANY POSSIBLE IMPUTATION THAT PARTISAN CONSIDERATIONS ARE INTRUDING IN ANY WAY UPON THE EFFECTIVE DISCHARGE OF OUR GREAT RESPONSIBILITIES," KENNEDY SAID IN A STATEMENT.

"AS DEMOCRATS, WE OWE THE COUNTRY THE EARLIEST POSSIBLE ACTION ON MR. FORD'S NOMINATION, CONSISTENT, OF COURSE, WITH THE SPECIAL OBLIGATION OF SCRUTINY WE MUST GIVE TO THE NOMINATION OF THE MAN WHO MAY WELL ASSUME THE PRESIDENCY," HE ADDED.

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