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EDUCATION

October 27-28. Secretary Alexander will travel to Des Moines to attend the National Education Forum sponsored by the National Governors Association and the Department of Education. The meeting will gather seven governors and other education officials to review progress toward the national education goals. While in Iowa, Alexander will join Governor Terry Branstad at kickoff events for Iowa 2000. Alexander will also meet with the New Iowa Schools Development Corporation, a coalition of education and business groups. Topic: America 2000 and the role of communities.

October 28. Alexander will travel to St. Louis to join Governor John Ashcroft at kickoff events for Missouri 2000 event. The following day, he will travel to Kansas City to participate in other Missouri 2000 events.

October 29. Alexander will travel to Wichita to participate in kickoff activities for Kansas 2000.

October 30. Alexander will travel to San Antonio to join Mayor Nelson Wolff at kickoff activities for San Antonio 2000.

October 31. Alexander will travel to Mobile and Birmingham to participate in kickoff activities for Alabama 2000 with Governor Guy Hunt. While in Birmingham, Alexander will meet with the Alabama Business Council. Topic: business participation in America 2000.

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ENERGY

October 29. Secretary Watkins will attend a fundraiser for Senator Robert Kasten.

October 31. Watkins will participate in a joint press conference with leaders of the National Association of Manufacturers. Topic: a joint DOE/NAM energy management project brochure.

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

October 28. Secretary Sullivan will travel to Phoenix to participate in the second in a series of six summits with local officials intended to raise awareness about the importance of childhood immunization. While in Phoenix, Sullivan will meet with the editorial board of the Arizona Republic.

October 29. Sullivan will address the Northern Iowa Conference sponsored by Congressman Fred Grandy. Topics: health care reform and the need for increased rural access. Secretary Skinner will also address the conference.



News Summary

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TRIP NEWS

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BUSH CONVINCED HE'LL WIN -- President Bush held a town meeting in the round in Pioneer Park on Sunday afternoon, fielding questions from the Republican faithful of Yellowstone and surrounding counties. (Billings Gazette)

NATIONAL NEWS

DIRTY TRICK CHARGES SPREAD AS RACE TIGHTENS -- The presidential campaign entered its final full week amid sensational charges of political skullduggery and signs that the race is tightening. (Reuter, Washington Post, Washington Times, UPI)

CLINTON WON'T WAIVE PRIVACY RIGHT ON HIS FBI FILES -- Bill Clinton has declined to sign a waiver that would allow the FBI to make public any information in its files about his anti-Vietnam War activities and efforts to avoid the draft as requested by several news organizations. (Washington Times)

NETWORK NEWS (Sunday evening)

PEROT/DIRTY TRICKS -- Ross Perot says the reason he dropped out was because of a Republican dirty-tricks plot.

PRESIDENT'S TRIP -- President Bush is out on a marathon campaign swing until after election day.

CRIME -- New FBI figures show a 2% drop in the total number of crimes in the first six months of 1992.

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TRIP NEWS

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SIoux FALLS -- President Bush touted his farm record, repeatedly sideswiped Bill Clinton and told a thunderous crowd Sunday in Sioux Falls that he believed he could win re-election. Bush told farmers that he would work to expand export markets and fight European subsidies and assured small business owners of his support. The President spoke for 20 minutes at a rally attended by 5,000 to 6,000 people in the Expo Building at the W.H. Lyon Fairgrounds. He blasted Clinton's record as Arkansas governor and railed against Clinton's "pattern of deception, trying to be all things to all people."

Supporters waved official Bush-Quayle '92 signs and homemade signs with slogans ranging from "Bush Supports Ag" to "George Doesn't Waffle" and, inexplicably, "Bush Rocks." Bush closed by asking for South Dakotans' support in next week's election. He said he and President Reagan had changed the world with their policy of "peace through strength" and that now he wants to make a further difference domestically. "I want to finish the job I've started," Bush said. The job is not done and it won't be until we can lift up every family in this country and inspire in them the American dream is still alive." (Todd Nelson, Sioux Falls Argus Leader)

BUSH CONVINCED HE'LL WIN

BILLINGS -- President Bush held a town meeting in the round in Pioneer Park on Sunday afternoon, fielding questions from the Republican faithful of Yellowstone and surrounding counties. The questions covered the gamut from taxes and spending to energy to foreign affairs to family values to education. Bush, sitting on a stool on a small stage, took about 15 questions, answering most specifically and using them all as an opportunity to tee off on the Clinton/Gore opposition. (Jim Gransberry, Billings Gazette, A1)

BUSH MIXES ATTACKS, POSITIVE TACK

Foreign Policy stressed, But Clinton Scored on Crime, Taxes, Trust Bush Mixes Attacks, Positive Tack

BILLINGS -- An upbeat President Bush opened a frantic nine-day dash aimed at slashing up Bill Clinton and convincing voters that while they may have doubts about the Bush record, they trust him as commander-in-chief. Bush, who is not scheduled to return to Washington until after the election, spent the bulk of his oratory in a furious fusillade against Clinton on crime, taxes, trust and charges that Clinton had "flip-flopped" on major issues. "If they ever put this guy on Mount Rushmore," Bush said to laughter during a stop in Sioux Falls, S.D., "they'll have to have two faces for him." Bush argued that Americans should not take world peace -- and thus his Administration's foreign policy achievements -- for granted. "I want to finish the job I started," he told the South Dakota audience.

(R.J. Dionne, Washington Post, A9)
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BUSH, CLINTON SHOW URGENCY IN MICHIGAN

DETROIT -- Amid new polls showing a tightening in the presidential race with nine days to go, Michigan took center stage Sunday as President Bush and Bill Clinton blitzed the state in search of votes.

The visits, less than a week after both candidates were in East Lansing for the last presidential debate, highlighted the importance of Michigan's 18 electoral votes....

On Sunday Bush addressed about 2,500 police chiefs gathered in Detroit and sought to highlight law and order, an issue that helped propel him to victory four years ago but hasn't mattered much this year because the economy has been the No. 1 issue with voters.

(Patricia Montemurri, Chris Christoff and Chris Cook
Detroit Free Press, A1)

BUSH THANKS CHIEFS, SIGNS CARJACKING BILL

DETROIT -- President Bush came to Detroit to talk tough on crime Sunday at a meeting of the nation's police chiefs and signed a bill to make carjacking a federal crime.

Acknowledging he was "preaching to the choir," about law and order, Bush told about 2,500 members of the International Association of Chiefs of Police he wanted to thank them for their crime-fighting efforts.

"I'd be remiss if I didn't ask for your vote," the President added in a 20-minute morning speech that launched him on a campaign swing through the West. He attacked Clinton's record on crime as governor of Arkansas, saying the state released too many criminals early from prison and did not spend enough money on law enforcement while its major crime rate was rising....

The President's use of the occasion to sign the carjacking bill angered one of its primary sponsors, Rep. Schumer, who said, "the Administration opposed it all the way up to last week."

"I just find it kind of galling that now the President signs the bill," Schumer said. "What he says the week before the election and what he does the four years before the election are at odds with each other." (Jim Schaffer, Detroit Free Press)

CHIEFS HAIL THE PRESIDENT**Bush Says Clinton Is Soft On Crime**

DETROIT -- President Bush skipped church Sunday to do a little "preaching to the choir," vividly portraying Bill Clinton as being soft on crime while Arkansas violence soared.

"It's doubled on the governor's watch," Bush told the convention of the International Association of Chiefs of Police, which repeatedly gave him standing ovations.

"No wonder crime goes ballistic there during the '80s. You're supposed to handcuff the criminals, not tie the hands of the police," Bush said to an audience considered part of his electoral base, already wooed and won. (Frank Murray, Washington Times, A1)

BUSH BASHES PRESS, PREFERS FRIENDLY AUDIENCES

LAFAYETTE, La. -- President Bush is turning his fire in the last days of the campaign on an old familiar target -- the press, which he claims wants him to lose.

Bush is not the only presidential candidate testy with journalism's "ink-stained wretches" these days.

Ross Perot now calls the press thin-skinned "jerks" bent on telling people what to think.

After hearing Bush lash out at reporters here Saturday, a young journalism student had a heartfelt question for the President -- "What exactly is your problem with the media?"

The answer that followed at an "Ask George Bush" forum held at a local high school was a laundry list of grievances as the President slammed the media for being self-important, "nutty" and slanted against him from page one news stories to cartoons and editorials.....

Bush has been avoiding the national press assigned to his campaign for months. He seldom ventures to talk to them on Air Force One and he seldom stops to answer their questions at his campaign appearances. He used to give barbecues for them, but now he roasts them.

(Arthur Spiegelman, Reuter)

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NATIONAL NEWS

DIRTY TRICK CHARGES SPREAD AS RACE TIGHTENS

The presidential campaign entered its final full week amid sensational charges of political skullduggery and signs that the race is tightening.

Ross Perot accused top Republicans Sunday of having plotted to tap his phones, fake a photo to embarrass his daughter, Caroline, and disrupt her Aug. 23 wedding.

President Bush's camp dismissed the charges as totally unfounded and "crazy."

At the same time, Bush cited an unconfirmed report to tar Bill Clinton. At issue is an alleged Clinton campaign effort to stall talks on global trade reform to keep Bush from taking credit for any progress made before the Nov. 3 election.

Bush told a cheering crowd in Sioux Falls that the report in the Sunday Telegraph was true: "It is a sorry, pathetic thing to be doing."

Clinton denied the charge and said he was trying to find the source. (Jim Wolf, Reuter)

Dirty Tricks Charged By Perot

Ross Perot, hitting the campaign trail for the first time since reentering the presidential race, charged in two speeches and in interviews that President Bush's campaign engaged in dirty tricks, including efforts to wiretap his Dallas office and to doctor a photograph so it would embarrass his daughter.

Perot said he dropped out of the presidential race in July to spare his daughter Caroline from humiliation and to avoid what he feared would be a disruption of her Aug. 23 wedding. He claimed that he later learned that the Bush-Quayle campaign organization subsequently tried to wiretap and manipulate some of his businesses' international communications in an effort to ruin him financially and prevent him from rejoining the campaign....

Perot offered no evidence to substantiate his charges and acknowledged that one of his sources was a man [Scott Barnes, former Englewood, Calif., police officer] government investigators said often has promoted unprovable tales.

(Eric Pianin and John Mintz, Washington Post, A1)

Perot Charges Bush Camp Wanted To Smear His Daughter

PITTSBURGH -- Ross Perot once again grabbed center stage in the presidential race by saying he initially ended his campaign for fear that staying in would jeopardize his daughter's wedding.

Perot made the allegations in campaign appearances in Flemington, N.J., and Pittsburgh, as well as in interviews Sunday on "60 Minutes" and the Boston Herald....

Both CBS and the Herald said Perot offered no proof of his charges, although the network reported that charges the Bush camp tried to wiretap Perot's Dallas offices were investigated and found wanting. (UPI)

Perot Claims GOP Plot To Smear His Daughter

FLEMINGTON, N.J. -- Ross Perot hurled shocking but unsubstantiated charges Sunday that the Bush campaign plotted to "smear" his daughter's wedding and bug his Dallas campaign headquarters. The White House rejected the charges as "preposterous."... Bush-Quayle officials released a 16-page transcript of general counsel Bobby Burchfield's interview with CBS's Leslie Stahl denying Perot's charges. "After a thorough investigation of all these allegations, there is absolutely nothing to them," Burchfield said in the Oct. 22 interview released Sunday. The President was so disturbed by the allegations that he called Perot to deny them. Perot also discussed them with James Baker, who also denied them. (Major Garrett, Washington Times, A1)

PEROT DRAWING MORE FROM SUPPORT FROM CLINTON THAN BUSH

NEW YORK -- The voters support Ross Perot gained after the presidential debates came at Bill Clinton's expense more than President Bush's, by a 3-2 ratio, a new poll says. The Times Mirror Center for the People and the Press said Sunday that its poll found many voters have reconsidered Perot and that Republican attacks have hurt Clinton's image. However, opinions of Bush have not changed much, it said. The findings were based on re-interviews Tuesday through Thursday with 1,153 registered voters previously polled Oct. 8-12. About one in five voters change allegiance. Clinton fell by 4 points, to 44%; Bush slipped 1 point, to 34%; Perot shot up 11 points, to 19%. A breakdown shows that Perot's 19% is made up of 6% who stuck with the Texan from the previous poll, 6% who defected from the Democratic nominee, 4% who switched from Bush and 3% won over from "undecided." (AP)

PEROT GAINS TIGHTEN RACE

The race is getting tighter, national polls are showing.

With only eight days to the election, Bill Clinton's lead over President Bush and Ross Perot is narrowing. The USA Today/CNN/Gallup tracking poll, taken Friday and Saturday, shows Clinton's lead over Bush down to 7%, 39%-32%; Perot is at 20% and gaining. That raises GOP hopes of a surprise comeback by Bush.

"The numbers aren't important. What is, is that there's a trend away from Clinton and it hasn't stopped," says Larry Berg, University of Southern California political scientist.

(Richard Benedetto, USA Today, 1A)

PEROT'S GAIN IS CLINTON'S LOSS, POLL SHOWS

Early last week, most political news reports were calling a Bill Clinton victory a done deal. Now, question marks abound over the size of his victory, or whether this campaign might, somehow, hold a final surprise.... The USA Today/CNN/Gallup poll shows Clinton's favorability rating on the downswing, while his unfavorability is going up, a sign Bush attacks on his character may be taking a toll. At the same, when the poll looks as "core" support -- voters who say they will back a particular candidate no matter what -- Clinton leads Bush by only 4 points, 27%-23%, and 6% for Perot.

(Richard Benedetto, USA Today, 2A)

CLINTON LEADS BUSH BY 19 POINTS IN CALIFORNIA

LOS ANGELES -- Bill Clinton is still running comfortably ahead of President Bush in California with a 19-point lead, while Ross Perot is having little effect on the state's presidential race, according to a poll published Monday.

The Los Angeles Times survey, conducted among registered voters after the final debate, showed Clinton with 47%, Bush with 28% and Perot with 20%. (Reuter)

CAMPAIGNS PUSH AS POLLS SHOW SOME NARROWING

With polls showing a tightening three-man presidential race, President Bush's camp claimed he was gaining nationwide while the Clinton campaign cited solid leads in some 30 states that could lock up the election for Clinton.

The intensified maneuvering Sunday was spurred national poll numbers showing Bush making inroads into Bill Clinton's commanding lead with just nine days remaining until Election Day.

The President embarked on a final, non-stop push to Nov. 3 and the Democrat left behind traditional GOP strongholds to focus on key battleground states in the Midwest and Northwest where the 1992 election will be decided....

Chief of Staff Baker, accompanying the President predicted: "It's absolutely doable. We're going to win it."...

-Bush won endorsements from the Houston Chronicle and Houston Post, the New Orleans Times-Picayune and the Cincinnati Enquirer. (UPI)

BUSH MOOD SWINGS BACK AND FORTH IN LAST DAYS OF CAMPAIGN

LAFAYETTE, La. -- In the final days of a brutal campaign that could end his presidency, George Bush alternates between going through the motions and suddenly fighting back like a man who isn't going to let a recession cost him his job.

One minute he is like an upscale version of "Rocky" bounding up the steps of Air Force One, two and three at a time, eager to fly to the next round of the fight of his life.

Another minute, he appears so tired that he stumbles and nearly falls as he is about to get into his limousine to drive to one more wearying rally.

It has been a curious campaign -- publicly optimistic but privately pessimistic until this weekend when the fax machines aboard Air Force One began humming with new poll results that showed the race tightening and Bush now only between five and eight points behind Bill Clinton....

After jogging in a Montgomery park Saturday, Bush spotted a soccer game being played by a group of 6-year-olds and joined in, until he scored a goal that the tiny goal-keeper got his hands on but could not stop.

"That's it. I gotta go. I'm going on that one," Bush said. It was a moment that perhaps summed up his re-election campaign -- he plans to squeak through.

(News Analysis, Arthur Spiegelman, Reuter)

BUSH CAMPAIGN SENSES COMEBACK IN THE OFFING

BILLINGS -- President Bush's campaign, nearly out of hope a week ago, senses seeds of a comeback in polls showing the race tightening. Although Bush's support seems unable to rise above about one-third of voters in the USA Today/CNN/Gallup poll, his advisers believe a shift among the electorate -- like movement in seismic places beneath earthquake faults -- has thrown the contest up for grabs in the past nine days.... "There's no doubt we have momentum and Clinton's dropping because his negatives are just crashing down on him," said Charles Black. "If the trend continues at this pace, we'll win." (Judy Keen, USA Today, 8A)

BUSH, PART II: DISCOVERING AMERICA

Volume one of George Bush's presidency told the tale of overseas adventures and foreign policy triumphs. The second volume, if there is one, promises to be the saga of George Bush discovering America. The same energy that won the Cold War and the Gulf War and brought Arab and Jew to the peace-table now will be unleashed on the sickly economy, high unemployment and other problems at home. Mr. Fixit, James Baker, would be at Bush's side. His top economic advisers would be tossed out, casualties of the recession, and the Cabinet would be turned upside down to recharge the Administration. Though weary from the campaign, the 68-year-old Bush shows no sign of slowing down. After four years, he still gets to the office by 7 a.m. and puts in 11 or 12 hours a day.

In the opening days of his first term Bush refused to set out a 100-day agenda of priorities; he says it'll be different this time. He has prepared a list of goals to be completed in a year, from health-care reform and deficit reduction to tax cuts and incentives for business.... While the domestic agenda would be on the front burner, there's still unfinished business in foreign policy, such as the search for weapons in Iraq and nurturing capitalism and democracy in the former Soviet Union.... And by 1996, Bush hopes to have created a legacy of his own, freed finally from the shadow of Ronald Reagan. (Terence Hunt, AP)

NO HONEYMOON, FEW STYLE CHANGES IN 2ND BUSH TERM

A second term for President Bush might rerun his first -- heavy on personal contact, light on bold, new initiatives.

But all could depend on how he won: If he wins a popular majority, Bush would be in a strong position, able to claim a mandate for his policies without the need to worry about winning re-election. If he squeaks by Bill Clinton by trashing him with negative campaigning, Bush would likely face bitter Democrats in Congress and a turned-off electorate. That could cause Gridlock II. He would still conduct business on the go at 6 a.m., over 18 high-speed holes of golf, before a fire in his residence and at dinner in a trendy restaurant. The shortfall of Bush's style is that it doesn't fit TV, the medium he must use to persuade an economically insecure public that it will be better off after four more years of his leadership. (Jessica Lee, USA Today, 5A)

BUSH ADMINISTRATION READIES ENVIRONMENTAL PUSH

The EPA appears ready to announce a flurry of air pollution regulations this week, in what critics charge is part of a last-ditch effort to boost President Bush's re-election campaign.

William Reilly planned a news conference Monday to announce regulations to limit acid rain. An environmental group official said Monday's news conference would be followed by other announcements each day of the week. An EPA spokesman would neither confirm nor deny that. (Doug Levy, UPI)

OIL RECYCLING SUCCESS PROVIDES SUPPORT OF DIFFERING MESSAGES

NEWARK -- With know-how and moxie, Jake Voogd built Evergreen Oil Inc. into a \$15 million-a-year recycling business that could be a campaign ad for President Bush's market-based environmentalism -- except for one thing.

Were it not for a California regulation of the sort championed by Bill Clinton, Evergreen may never have gotten off the ground.

Evergreen's story is telling in a presidential campaign in which the environmental issue is framed chiefly in economic terms: Does regulation make or break jobs?...

It was no coincidence that both camps visited Evergreen this summer to deliver very different messages. Bush, apparently unaware of the importance of the state regulation to Evergreen, praised the company as a symbol of free enterprise in service of the environment. He criticized government intervention as a drag on business initiative.

Al Gore gave just the opposite pitch: Evergreen's success shows how regulation can benefit the economy by encouraging new technology and corporate efficiency....

There were overall economic benefits of the regulation. Evergreen, for example, was able to refine its technology in a more conducive business climate and grow from a small tank farm to a company large enough to keep 70 percent of the cars and trucks in San Francisco running on recycled motor oil...

For Voogd, a longtime Republican resident of conservative Orange County, where the term "regs" is considered a four-letter word, the 1986 regulation was "very important."

"It allowed our small plant, which was on the learning curve, to survive," he said. (Michael Weisskopf, Washington Post, A8)

EFFICIENCY STANDARDS ADD FUEL TO THE FIRES OF PRESIDENTIAL RACE

President Bush says 300,000 autoworkers could be laid off if Bill Clinton were elected president and followed through on a promise to improve fuel efficiency.

But Bush's claim is being debated. The auto industry sides with him; other experts say the job-loss claims don't ring true....

Required or not, one economic study as concluded that stricter standards could actually stimulate the economy, because consumers would have more disposable income resulting from the fuel savings.

The American Council for an Energy Efficient Economy says as many as 244,000 new auto industry jobs could be created if the fuel efficiency standard climbed to 40 mpg.

"Energy efficiency improvements save consumes money...and result in a net increase in jobs," says Howard Geller, the group's executive director. (Rae Tyson, USA Today, 9A)

ALL THREE CANDIDATES TALKING TOUGH

The Bush campaign, portraying Bill Clinton as just another soft-on-crime Democrat, dishes out statistics that make Arkansas look something like the south Bronx.

"Under Gov. Clinton, Arkansas' violent crime rate went up about 60% in the 1980s, more than twice the national average," President Bush charged in Detroit on Sunday, at a conference of the International Association of Chiefs of Police.

While Bush's numbers are not correct, experts say his charge is indicative of the kind of "tough on crime" rhetoric coming out of all three candidates this year.

If you ask the experts, much of the "I'm-tougher-than-you" rhetoric misses the point: The problem, they say, is more about preventing crime and less about punishing criminals.

"This is the statistical equivalent of talking about Murphy Brown," complains Barry Krisberg of the National Council on Crime and Delinquency. "We've got to talk about solutions and causes."

(Sam Meddis, USA Today, 10A)

CLINTON ASSAILS -- AND ECHOES -- PEROT

Stump Speech Incorporates New Jabs In Light Of Increased Threat

STERLING HEIGHTS, Mich. -- Bill Clinton, facing an increased threat from Ross Perot, Sunday expanded his stump speech to include subtle but unmistakable gibes at Perot along with his standard denunciation of President Bush.

Seizing on a report Sunday that Perot complained that the Bush campaign would have played dirty tricks on Perot's daughter, as well as earlier stories that Perot had investigated Bush's children, Clinton acted to keep the high road.

"So now we've got this bizarre situation where Bush and Perot have accused each other of investigating each other's children," he said. "I want to tell you something, folks. I want to investigate your children -- their problems, their promise, their future.... They ought to be talking about you and your future."

(Ruth Marcus, Washington Post, A9)

CLINTON TALKING TOUGHER

STERLING HEIGHTS, Mich. -- Bill Clinton toughened his rhetoric Sunday as he campaigned in Michigan where swelling support for Ross Perot has cut a 20-point Clinton lead in half.

Campaigning at a fall festival in Saginaw, Clinton turned his campaign speech upside down here, going on the attack from the start with the scathing, attacks he typically reserves until the crowd is warmed up a little.

He launched right into a long tirade about Bush, accusing him of coddling Saddam and scheming over the Iran-Contra scandal.

He also ripped him for the "snoopin' scandal" investigation of his passport files.

"I never thought I'd live to see what we're seeing in Washington" Clinton said. "They have abused the power of the presidency for their own political purposes," Clinton said. "It's really time you have somebody who really believed in change and really fought for it."

(Amy Bayer, Copley)

Clinton Rips Into Both Foes

SAGINAW, Mich. -- Bill Clinton increased the volume of his rhetoric against both President Bush and Ross Perot Sunday by accusing them of being more interested in investigating each other than in developing solutions to the nation's problems....

Using his opponents as foils, Clinton also is making more pointed his line about being the only candidate in the race with key policy experience. "Of all your choices for president, only one has ever balanced a government budget. Only one has never been part of the Washington political scene, lobbying for special interest breaks.... And only one made a real good choice for vie president," Clinton said at a rally Saturday in Michigan.

(J. Moss, Washington Times, A1)

CLINTON TEAM HONES ITS STRATEGY FOR THE FINAL WEEK

STERLING HEIGHTS, Mich. -- Bill Clinton's strategy for the final sprint of the 1992 presidential race comes down to three P's, according to aides. Pound home the economic message. Punch at the President every day. And put his personal side out front.

Barring a major slide in his standing in the next eight days, Clinton, plans little new or fancy in the homestretch. Instead, he has fine-tuned his pitch in an effort to remind voters what a Clinton presidency would mean and contrast that with four more years of a Republican White House, aides said. No significant charge by President Bush will go unanswered, these aides said, and the governor will continue to take issue with the President on issues ranging from the State Department search of his and his mother's passport records to policy matters, such as Bush's broken no-taxes pledge.

(Susan Feeney, Dallas Morning News)

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(Michael Hedges, Washington Times, A7)

QUAYLE REVISITS 'FAMILY VALUES' THEME

AUGUSTA, Ga. -- Perhaps it was the effect of the minister's sermon, but Vice President Quayle Sunday returned to a subject he had all but abandoned since the divisive Republican convention in late August: family values. "I'm going to continue to talk about traditional values; I'm going to continue to talk about family values," Quayle vowed in a pitched voice to a rally in Savannah Sunday morning. "I don't care what they say, I'll never, ever back down." Despite the family values foray, Quayle spent most of the day calling Bill Clinton "a patsy" who wouldn't stand up to the spending demands of his fellow Democrats in Congress.

(John Harris, Washington Post, A10)

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**GORE PRESSES ATTACK OVER GULF POLICY
Democrat Asserts GOP Is Engaged
In 'Bigger Coverup Than Watergate'**

MARIETTA, Ga. -- Al Gore Sunday continued his attacks on the Bush Administration and its policies toward Iran and Iraq before the Gulf War, saying that it is now engaged in a massive attempt to hide its activities.

"This is a bigger coverup than Watergate ever was," Gore told a crowd at a private lodge near here. "It involves the biggest bank fraud, it involves \$2 billion of the American taxpayers' money that we're stuck with," he said, referring to the scandal involving BNL.

"It involves the decision by George Bush to arm Saddam Hussein and to lead him to miscalculate and launch a war that never should have taken place and would not have except for the poor judgement and bad foreign policy of George Bush, and he ought to be held accountable for it," Gore said.

(Richard Tapscott, Washington Post, A10)

NEGATIVE ADS APPEAR TO LOSE POTENCY

President Bush's advertising barrage has been unrelenting: Bill Clinton may raise taxes on the middle class; two Clintons, their faces obscured by gray dots, taking both sides of every issue; Clinton dissembling on the draft as his negative image stares from a Time magazine cover; average people on the street calling Clinton untrustworthy.

But the ads appear to have had little effect on the presidential campaign. Analysts say the race is being shaped mainly by news coverage, talk shows and public concern about the ailing economy.

"When you have debates and 93 million people watch, and nightly coverage on the news, those things are more credible than advertising," said Republican ad man Don Sipple, who worked for Bush in the primaries.

"People are cynical and skeptical about the whole process," said Frank Greer, a Clinton media specialist. "They have an almost instantaneous and visceral reaction to negative ads that has been building since the 1980s. They've built up an inoculation."

Sig Rogich said the President's ads have helped focus attention on Clinton's record. But, he added: "All the things in the world we put on television aren't going to accomplish as much as what the President says and does. We're amplifying what he's saying; that's how paid media works best. Advertising probably doesn't play as big a role as previously because there's such a huge amount of free media -- talk shows, morning shows, Arsenio Hall."

(Howard Kurtz, Washington Post, A1)

ON THE TRAIL WITH BLAIR BROWN

..."I think it's dangerous and abhorrent," said actress Blair Brown of the family values rhetoric. "It's ridiculous for (Quayle) to condemn basically all people who are not like him. I mean he drew that a lot, but not everyone has that ticket."

("The Reliable Source," Washington Post, D3)

GOP STAGING COMEBACKS IN SENATE, HOUSE RACES

Over the past two weeks, while Bill Clinton appears to have solidified his claim on the presidency, Republicans have been making a comeback in their efforts to avoid a congressional wipeout. The trend is especially true in the Senate, where the margins have closed dramatically in more than a half-dozen races in which Democrats had held solid double-digit leads. Democrats remain favored to gain in total number of Senate seats, but their goal of picking up at least three to give them the 60 votes needed to stop a GOP filibuster is endangered.

(Peter Brown, Washington Times, A6)

TERM LIMITS RUN STRONG IN 14 STATES

FARMINGTON HILLS, Mich. -- Voters in 14 states are overwhelmingly supporting a movement to limit the time their legislators can remain in office, one of the strongest anti-Washington messages the public has sent Congress in recent decades.

According to election surveys, upwards of 70% of the voters in the 14 states say they are likely to approve ballot initiatives Nov. 3 that typically will limit their senators to two six-year terms and House members to three two-years terms.

(Bill McAllister, Washington Post, A1)

WHERE AVAILABLE, SCHOOL CHOICE IS EMBRACED BY FEW

School "choice," the cornerstone of President Bush's education reform plan, has been embraced by less than 2% of parents in the 13 states in which it is now available, according to a study released Monday. The study by the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, the most comprehensive review to date on school choice, found that 70% of parents with children in public schools across the nation said they would not want to send their child to a different school. "Clearly a myth has grown up around choice," Ernest Boyer, president of the Carnegie Foundation and the former U.S. commissioner of education. "It's a diversion to present choice as a panacea -- some grand design that can miraculously sweep away all the difficulties that impede schools and restrict learning."... Secretary Alexander issued a written statement to the new survey, saying its finding that 28% of parents would like to send their child to some other public or private school was "astonishing."... "More astonishing is Carnegie's view that this is only mild support for giving these families more choices of schools," Alexander said. "Would the Berlin Wall still be a good idea if only 28% of East Germans wanted out?"

(Mary Jordan, Washington Post, A4)

VIOLENT CRIME ON THE RISE, BUT MURDERS DROP

Violent crime rose 3% in the first six months of 1992 over last year, continuing an eight-year upward spiral of violence, the FBI reported. But after record numbers of murders in 1990 and 1991, the first half of 1992 showed a 3% decline in the murder rate. Still, the overall crime rate -- forced down by a drop in burglary, larceny, auto theft and arson -- was down 2%.

(Maria Puente, USA Today, 1A)

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INTERNATIONAL NEWS

BUSH SIGNS BILL TO AID FORMER SOVIET STATES

BILLINGS -- President Bush Sunday signed into law a bill providing the former Soviet Union with \$140 million in U.S. assistance and underwriting billions of dollars more in international aid. The measure also provides assistance for the destruction of nuclear weapons in Russia and other former Soviet states and for the conversion of military facilities to peaceful uses. (AP, Washington Post, A11)

PHYSICIANS PLAN TO SEE THE WORLD THROUGH COLD WAR RECOVERY

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. -- ...Bernard Lown, the Boston cardiologist who helped to found the International Physicians for the Prevention of Nuclear War, said he objects to a view expressed by President Bush, which has not been contradicted by the other presidential candidates and is fast becoming accepted wisdom: that the U.S. "won" the Cold War and did so because of a policy known as "peace through strength," with no help from peacenik groups such as the IPPNW. "It's a lie that we won," Lown said with a growl. "The American people lost the Cold War.... The Russian people lost the Cold War. There is no victory." Besides the dollars spent, the Cold War had other costs, Lown said, citing a second-rate economy, habitual government secrecy and a belief that national strength can be measured in terms of nuclear throw-weight. (Chris Daly, Washington Post, A5)

FOR GORBACHEV, TIMELY ADVICE FROM BUSH

NEW YORK -- Mikhail Gorbachev says President Bush once told him "not to pay any attention" to his campaign rhetoric taking credit for ending the Cold War, according to The New Yorker. "Bush warned me privately not to pay any attention to what he would say during the presidential campaign," Gorbachev said in what the magazine said was a telephone interview. "I suppose these are necessary things in a campaign. But if this idea is serious, then it is a very big delusion." The article does not say when or where Bush made the remarks. (AP, Washington Post, A17)

SOME MAY HAVE SURVIVED KAL SHOOT-DOWN

SEOUL -- A South Korean opposition politician quoted a top secret U.S. intelligence report Monday as saying some of the people aboard a Korean Air Lines (KAL) jumbo jet shot down by the Soviet Union in 1983 had probably survived. The report quoted "sensitive, highly provocative evidence from some recent Russian emigres" that those who survived were immediately imprisoned in the Soviet "Gulag" slave labor prison system. The opposition politician, Sohn Se-il, said the report was compiled by the CIA but declined to say how he had obtained a copy. A U.S. embassy spokesman said he was unaware of the report and could not comment. "This is extremely sensitive new evidence, which has been partially verified," the report said of the emigre reports that survivors had been taken prisoner. (Diane Stormont, Reuter)

U.S. SUSPENDS RELIEF FLIGHTS TO SOMALIA TOWN

NAIROBI -- A bullet hit a U.S. military cargo plane as it was landing at a famine-stricken Somali town Sunday, and American relief officials temporarily suspended food-relief flights there.

U.S. military officials said no one was injured in the incident but that the aircraft was hit in the fuel tank.

Officials of the U.S. airlift, Operation Provide Relief, said flights to Baidoa were suspended after the incident and would remain so until commanders review the security situation in the town.
(Keith Richburg, Washington Post, A12)

U.S. PLANS SEPARATE TALKS ON INDIAN, PAKISTANI NUKES

NEW DELHI -- The U.S. will open separate negotiations in Washington next month to find ways to halt the emerging nuclear rivalry in South Asia, according to Indian and U.S. officials.

The parallel talks proposal was designed to overcome India's refusal to hold direct bilateral talks with Pakistan or attend a multilateral conference on South Asian nuclear nonproliferation.

(Brahma Chellaney, Washington Times, A11)

U.S. REPORTEDLY IGNORED IRAQ INVOLVEMENT IN BANK SCANDAL

LOS ANGELES -- The Bush Administration ignored emerging evidence in 1989 of Iraq's involvement in an Atlanta bank scandal, continuing to funnel aid to Baghdad to avoid straining relations, the Los Angeles Times reported.

Newly released government documents show that U.S. officials were aware at the time of Iraq's complicity in the massive BNL loan scheme. In addition, the Bush Administration was aware of evidence that strongly suggested that Iraq swapped American food for arms.

The U.S. officials failed, however, to alert a government committee about the information at a time when it could have curtailed aid to Iraq, the Times reported Sunday.

An internal Justice Department document suggests that Iraq may have obtained weapons for food bought with American loan guarantees as part of a Bush Administration effort to strengthen ties to Saddam.

The documents were released Saturday by the Senate Agricultural Committee.
(UPI)

**BOMB KILLS 5 ISRAELI SOLDIERS IN LEBANON
5 Others Wounded; Hezbollah Forces Claim Responsibility**

JERUSALEM -- Five Israeli soldiers were killed and five were wounded Sunday when a powerful roadside explosive detonated under their vehicle near the village of Ahmadiyah in southern Lebanon, the army announced Sunday night.

The Islamic Resistance Movement, the military arm of the Hezbollah, claimed responsibility for the attack in a radio broadcast.

The midday bombing was the latest in what Israeli officials have described as a string of violence sponsored by groups opposed to the Middle East peace talks.

(David Hoffman, Washington Post, A12)

NETWORK NEWS

(Sunday evening, Oct. 25)

CAMPAIGN/PEROT ACCUSATIONS

CBS's Connie Chung: Ross Perot now says the reason he dropped out of the presidential race last July was because of a Republican dirty-tricks plot. He reveals details in an interview on "60 Minutes" tonight. A spokesman for President Bush calls Perot's claims crazy and preposterous.

CBS's Bill Lagattuta reports Perot, in his first campaign appearance since reentering the race, repeated his anti-Bush bombshell. The real reason he quit in July, he said, was because the Republicans threatened to ruin his daughter's wedding.

(**Perot**, "60 Minutes": "There was a plan to have a computer-created false photo of my daughter Caroline that they were going to give the press shortly before her wedding to embarrass me.")

CBS's Lesley Stahl: "Mr. Perot, be more specific. You said that you heard that there was a plan. Tell us specifically: Was it the Bush-Quayle people?"

Perot: "This was the Republican key people and the opposition-research team. This was run at the top.")

Perot says the reason he quit was all about his daughter.

(**Perot:** "I said that's a risk I can't take. This is one of the most important days of her life and I love her too much to have her hurt.")

The charge was flatly denied by the Bush-Quayle committee today.

(**Bob Teeter:** "I only heard the allegation a couple of days ago and I do know that it is absolutely untrue and there is no basis whatsoever for it.")

But Perot fans had no trouble believing in what their candidate called "Republican dirty tricks."

(**Perot supporters:** "I think the Republican tactics are slimy, slimy."... "I'm absolutely certain that it's going on."... "I think all politics is basically corrupt.")

Perot, who once said he wouldn't let his wife campaign because he feared for her safety, now seems to have no qualms about using his family to help him get elected. Perot quoted his daughter as saying --

(**Perot:** "OK, the wedding's over. Get back in the race.")

Late today, Perot admitted he has no proof of the charges and asked his followers to forget them. But the fact that they've been raised in such a public forum means they'll widely viewed as another attack on Bush by Perot, who seems to be getting pretty good at the kind of politics he professes to hate.

Chung: What's the fallout of these charges?

Lagattuta: Even though the Bush-Quayle team vigorously and quickly denied them, these things tend to take on a life of their own, and there are precious few days left in this campaign that the President can afford to be out there on the campaign trail fending them off. I'm afraid this is a serious blow to the President from Mr. Perot.

(CBS-Lead)

ABC's Forrest Sawyer: As the presidential campaign enters its final days, a new ABC News Poll shows Bill Clinton continuing to hold a solid lead over his rivals. Clinton leads President Bush by 10 points, 44 percent to 34. That's a slightly smaller margin than was indicated in a poll taken two days ago. Ross Perot is at 17 percent.

ABC's Morton Dean reports on Perot's campaign appearance today. (**Perot:** "I found myself in a situation where I had three reports that the Republican Party intended to publish a false photograph of my daughter who was getting married on August the 23rd -- smear her before her wedding and actually disrupt the wedding ceremony.") Perot gave no other details and no proof of his charges, but said he did not want to ruin his daughter's wedding by telling her why he was not going to run. So apparently at that July 16 news conference, he fibbed. He concocted the two reasons he gave for not running. Whatever his real reason for not running then, he is running now. And he talked today like a candidate who is going to pull a big surprise on Nov. 3. (ABC-Lead)

CAMPAIGN/BUSH TRIP

Chung: President Bush is out on a marathon campaign swing until after election day, and his aides were out answering Ross Perot's allegation.

CBS's Susan Spencer: Mr. Bush today made his eighth trip to the must-win state of Michigan since the convention, his spokesmen primed to denounce Ross Perot's charge of dirty tricks, calling it preposterous and nuts.

(TV coverage: President Bush taking podium for address.)

(**Marlin Fitzwater:** "There haven't been any dirty tricks against Ross Perot. This business about his daughter is just crazy. And he's been told that. He knows that.")

Mr. Bush's chosen topic was not Perot, but law and order, a subject that has served him well in the past. He told a police group in Detroit that Congress' failure to pass tougher laws is to blame for the increase in violent crime. And reeling through reams of Arkansas statistics, he painted Gov. Clinton, a backer of handgun control and the death penalty, as soft on crime.

(**President Bush:** "Arkansas ranks near the bottom for every important per capita crime dollar that it spends. And so no wonder crime goes ballistic there during the '80s. You're supposed to handcuff the criminals, not tie the hands of the police.")

The latest Michigan polls show Mr. Bush 10 points back, but gaining. And the campaign is making a game effort to convince reporters the President now has the momentum he needs, if not yet all the states.

(**Bob Teeter:** "We think we're ahead in about 12, 13, 14 states this morning and very close. A lot of them are tied.")

Perot's reentry into the race seems to be helping the President in the crucial midwest. Republicans were clearly playing to him today.

(TV coverage: President Bush greeting supporters.)

Spencer continues:

(Sen. Dole: "There may be a place for Ross Perot in the next Bush Administration.")

CBS's Bob Schieffer: "You mean as a Cabinet-level officer or what?"

Dole: "I don't know, but it'd seem to me it's an idea that might be at least looked at.")

But first, there has to be a second Bush Administration, and the President is leaving no state unturned. He also stumped today in South Dakota, with three electoral votes and considered a tossup.

(President Bush: "If they ever put this guy on Mount Rushmore, they'll have to have two faces for him, one on one side of the issue, the other on the other.")

The President is now going flat out. He is not scheduled to be back in Washington until after the election. And even he concedes that he needs to carry every single state he visits to win.

(CBS-2)

ABC's Ann Compton: The Bush campaign cut a swath from the Great Lakes to the Rocky Mountains today. At a fairgrounds rally in Sioux Falls, South Dakota, President Bush ignored Ross Perot.

(TV coverage: President Bush greeting supporters.)

But backstage, he told ABC News there is no truth to Perot's allegation that Republicans were plotting dirty campaign tricks.

(President Bush: "Well, I have enough confidence in the media to be sure they'll make him document that. That's preposterous and outrageous, as a matter of fact. But, you know, if he has some proof, put it out. You all will analyze it.")

The President's stump-speech targets these days are the media -- his tongue-lashings draw huge cheers -- and, of course, Bill Clinton. Today, he told a barnful of farmers and ranchers about a London newspaper story which claims the Clinton campaign secretly contacted the European Community's president two weeks ago, asking for a delay in a world trade agreement on agriculture subsidies until after the election.

(President Bush: "If this report is true, and if the Clinton campaign is going over to Europe interfering with an agreement that would benefit all American agriculture, it is a sorry, pathetic thing to be doing a few days before an election.")

A Clinton spokesman told ABC News no one was authorized by the campaign to do any such thing. And he blamed President Bush for failing to lock up a trade agreement earlier. The Republican campaign is riding a wave showing the three-way presidential race tightening in some polls. President Bush today called it a sea of change, and his campaign believes that means there are more undecided voters to target in the final days.

(ABC-2)

CAMPAIGN/CLINTON

CBS's Richard Threlkeld reports that wherever Clinton shows up these days, there is a whole stageful of Democratic hopefuls hanging on for dear life to the Clinton bandwagon.

(TV coverage: Clinton urging supporters to vote for Democratic congressional candidates.)

Democrats, who for years have been used to campaigning all by their lonesome, have been falling over each other to be seen with Clinton.

Threlkeld continues:

(Geri Rothman-Serot, Missouri candidate: "There's no question that Bill Clinton coming to Missouri is very, very helpful to all the Democrats.")

Even some Republicans, like Sen. D'Amato, are sounding like Clinton wannabes.

(D'Amato: "You know, I voted for the death penalty for drug kingpins. Bill Clinton supports that.")

(Rep. Boxer: "We're all in it together. So if he's got the coattails, I'm delighted. If I have the skirrtails, I'll share them.")

It remains to be seen if Clinton's coattails will be long enough. Still, it's been almost 30 years since a Democrat running for president had any coattails at all. (CBS-3)

ABC's Chris Bury reports Clinton today took pains to set himself apart from the President and Perot.

(Clinton: "Of all your choices, only one of them has ever balanced a government budget. Only one of them has never been part of the Washington lobbying scene.")

Clinton has stepped gingerly around Perot. But today, he took great glee in noting that Perot had accused President Bush of investigating his children.

(Clinton: "So now we've got this bizarre situation where Bush and Perot have accused each other of investigating each other's children.")

A statewide poll conducted in Michigan last week suggests that Perot has cut Clinton's lead over Bush in half. That explains why Clinton has reworked his stump speech to attract voters who may be leaning in Perot's direction. Today, he went so far as to borrow one of Perot's favorite lines.

(Clinton: "And I am nothing more than a temporary tenant and your chief hired hand. And if it hadn't been for you, I wouldn't be there.")

Clinton may be sounding more like Perot, but his campaign insists that for now, Perot is not enough of a threat to cost Clinton the election. Clinton is casting a wary eye Perot's way just the same.

(ABC-3)

CAMPAIGN/REPUBLICAN FUTURE

Chung reports on the future of the Republican Party.

(TV coverage: Clinton waving to cheering crowd.)

(President Bush: "I ask for your support and your trust.")

Chung asked two Republican analysts how the Bush comeback bid is going. David Keene of the American Conservative Union thinks Bush lost an opportunity by concentrating too long on cultural and family issues.

(Keene: "The problem was that from the beginning, it was clear to anybody who was looking at it that this was an election in which people were concerned about the economy.")

(TV coverage: President Bush speaking at convention.)

(Linda DiVall, Republican pollster: "I think many people would say did indeed overplay the family-values issue, and that's hurt us with baby-boomers and with many women, with working women in particular.")

Chung continues:

In answering questions at a forum in New Jersey last week, Bush tried to address this concern and appeal to a broader base.

(President Bush: "We have diversity. I don't agree with everything in the platform and I don't agree with every spokesman at our convention.")

DiVall thinks Bush may now have a fighting chance.

(DiVall: "If he keeps on his message, which he has for four days, or refocusing people on the fact that they trust him more than Bill Clinton to lead them through the next four years.")

But whether Bush wins or loses, many agree that the Reagan coalition has been fractured.

(DiVall: "I still think the economy is the major reason for the dissatisfaction. And if there is an ultimate battle in the party, I think it's going to be between the right-wing evangelicals and the economic-growth conservatives.")

(TV coverage: President Bush being introduced by Pat Robertson.)

(Keene: "I think that the Republican coalition can in fact be put together again, and that it's probably more resilient and more quasi-permanent, if you will, than it appears today. But that remains to be seen.")

The battle for control of the GOP is set to begin on Nov. 4, the morning after the election. (CBS-7)

CRIME STATISTICS

Chung reports new FBI figures out today show a 2 percent drop in the total number of crimes reported in the first six months of 1992. However, violent crime showed an increase, with reports of forcible rape up 4 percent and reports of aggravated assault up 6 percent. (ABC-8, CBS-8)

ISRAEL/VIOLENCE

Chung reports six Israeli soldiers were killed in attacks by guerrillas apparently intent on sabotaging the Mideast peace talks. (ABC-5, CBS-4)

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ABC -- THIS WEEK WITH DAVID BRINKLEY

Moderator: David Brinkley. **Panel:** Sam Donaldson, George Will.
Guests: Rep. Boxer, California Senate candidate Bruce Herschensohn, Sen. Kasten, Wisconsin Senate candidate Russell Feingold.

POLITICAL DISCUSSION

On the campaign: Cokie Roberts joins the panel.

Donaldson: The President's polls aren't surging. He's not surging. What's happening is all these people out there that decided they didn't want to vote for George Bush have now looked at another alternative, Ross Perot....

Will: ...I would expect Bush or Clinton to finish first or second between them in 48, 49, maybe 50 states....

Brinkley: What do you think [of President Bush touting the "Annoy The Media, Reelect Bush" bumper sticker]?

Will: It's a reason. If you're looking for a reason, there's one. Clearly, the country dislikes lawyers and politicians and journalists and often doctors, all for the same reason. These are a professional class that mediates sort of necessary goods and services, and people feel dependent on them and resent it.

Donaldson: ...I think it's great. If they want to throw rotten eggs and tomatoes at us, I think that's exactly right.... Our job is to challenge authority, to make them accountable....

Brinkley: Has the media been fair in this election?

Donaldson: The Clinton people didn't think the media was fair last spring when the stories were savaging him on all of the character issues. The Bush people don't think we've been fair. Certainly, Perot hates us.... I think we're equally unfair in the minds of all three of the candidates, which suggests to me that we're roughly doing our jobs.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Brinkley's guests discussed their respective congressional races.

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NBC -- MEET THE PRESS

oderator: Tim Russert. **Panel:** David Broder, Albert Hunt.
ests: Bob Teeter, Mickey Kantor of the Clinton campaign, Orson
windle of the Perot campaign.

On the campaign: With Swindle.

Russert: If a week from now, Mr. Perot is still in third place, would he consider endorsing one of the other candidates?

Swindle: I can't imagine him doing that. We're in this thing to win. He's our candidate and we're going for it.

Russert: ...You said last week in Vermont that you personally preferred George Bush over Bill Clinton if it came to that choice. Has your opinion changed now that Bush has said that some of Perot's ideas are nutty?

Swindle: Let me put this in perspective. I was misquoted terribly in that. Ross Perot is by far the better candidate for the American people and for the future of this country, and Mr. Bush is incapable of bringing about the leadership that would bring the changes that we need. He's proven that he cannot lead an adversarial Congress.... Mr. Clinton, there's no way he changes anything because if he were to be elected, he's going to walk into the Democrat power structure and they'll control the agenda, and that agenda has never changed.... Mr. Perot can bring about the changes, and no way would I ever endorse George Bush....

Russert: ...Perot is quoted as saying that the reason he got out of the race in July is that he had been told that the Bush campaign had doctored photos of his daughter which would have been embarrassing to the Perot family. He also goes on to say that there was a plan to disrupt his daughter's wedding by the Bush campaign, and there are also plans to wire-tap his office. What do you know about that?

Swindle: Very little.... But I can tell you this: If Mr. Perot said it happened, you can put it in a book. The man's character is beyond reproach....

On the campaign: With Kantor.

Russert: Would Clinton modify his plan in order to avoid taxes on the middle class?

Kantor: There will be no taxes on the middle class. In fact, there'll be a middle-class tax cut. He's made it quite clear. That's what we have to do. Those who got hurt the worst in the '80s -- the middle class and the poor -- need help the most and that's what's going to happen....

On the campaign: With Teeter.

Russert: Ross Perot tonight on "60 Minutes" alleges that the Bush campaign doctored a photograph of his daughter.... What do you know about that?

Teeter: I don't know anything about it all. I only heard the allegation a couple of days ago and I do not know that it's absolutely untrue and there's absolutely no basis whatsoever for it.

Russert: He also alleges that the Bush campaign was going to disrupt his daughter's wedding. What do you know about that?

Teeter: The answer holds -- absolutely nothing.... We have not engaged in any of that kind of behavior, nor will we.

Russert: One last allegation by Mr. Perot is that you had attempted or wanted to tap his telephones in his Dallas office.

Teeter: That is absolutely untrue.... It's just plain not true.

Russert: ...Three State Department employees went to her files -- Mrs. Virginia Kelley -- and ruffled through them. Is that tolerated by the Bush Administration?

Teeter: No, it is not and I think the Bush Administration has made it clear that that was something that should have been done. The campaign certainly had absolutely no knowledge of it....

Hunt: ...If it's a mistake to raise taxes, why did the President yesterday sign an energy bill that has 12 tax or user-fee increases of about \$2 billion a year?

Teeter: That was an energy bill, and he signed that because he believes it is the first time in a long time that we have had a coherent, comprehensive national energy strategy. And that's what that bill really does, is guarantee us a coherent energy strategy for the future.

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CBS -- FACE THE NATION

Moderator: Bob Schieffer. **Guests:** Ron Brown, Sen. Dole.

On the campaign: With Brown.

Schieffer: Would you go as far as President Bush, who this week said that he thought Ross Perot's ideas, some of them, were simply nutty?

Brown: No. I think, as usual, George Bush goes too far in his statements. It doesn't really sound presidential making statements like that. No, I wouldn't call them nutty. I'd say that some of those proposals are misguided....

Schieffer: ...Have you heard anything about [Perot's allegations of dirty tricks by the Bush campaign]?

Brown: I've heard exactly what you've heard. Nothing would surprise me. These are the kinds of campaigns that George Bush is known for running. It's the kind of campaign we had in 1988....

Schieffer: ...There was a finding in our poll that was released last night.... For the first time, people have a more negative view of Clinton than they do a positive view.... This is the first time I think since the Democratic convention that any pollster has turned up that kind of information. Does that suggest that the attacks on his character that the Bush campaign has launched are working?

Brown: The attacks have certainly been vicious and they've been dishonest. Your poll is the only one that shows that....

On the campaign: With Dole.

Schieffer: Does that [Perot's accusations of dirty tricks] sound like something the Bush campaign would do?

Dole: I don't think it's something they would do.... Certainly, President Bush had nothing to do with it. I'd stake my race on that, that President Bush knew nothing about it, if in fact it happened.

Schieffer: How does [the energy bill] differ from the urban-aid bill, which also has some things in there that some would call tax increases? Does the President now intend to veto that bill or is he going to sign it?

Dole: What I would do if I were the President, I would line-item veto that. I would test the Constitution. I would knock out some of those tax increases.... This is a perfect target for a line-item veto....

Schieffer: Do you think that the President made a mistake when he said it was a mistake to break his pledge on no new taxes?

Dole: I guess based on what he has said in 1988, he did make a mistake. But he's also said, and I think correctly, that there are a lot of good things in the budget agreement....

On Perot:

Dole: ...There may be a place for Ross Perot in the next Bush Administration.

Schieffer: You really think that? You mean as a Cabinet-level officer or what?

Dole: I don't know, but it seems to me it's an idea that might be at least looked at. And he has some good ideas.... He might be a catalyst in the appropriate position.

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THE McLAUGHLIN GROUP

Moderator: John McLaughlin. **Panel:** Fred Barnes, Eleanor Clift, Clarence Page, Morton Kondracke.

On the electoral map:

McLaughlin says besides a virtual 297 electoral vote lock-up by Clinton, another 16 states with another 126 electoral votes are leaning towards Clinton. Under this scenario, Clinton would win a total of 423 of the 538 electoral votes -- 79 percent -- giving him a landslide.

Barnes: It is possible [for George Bush to pull an upset]. I'm not holding my breath, but it is possible. There is about 20 percent of the vote that is still in flux. Bush needs three things to happen, all of them to happen at the same time: One, the trust issue works and that erodes some of Clinton's support; secondly, when people get in the voting booth they have to decide, well, Perot can't win, and have most of those people flock to Bush; and then the undecideds go disproportionately to Bush. Now is that likely to happen, all three of those things? Not likely. I'd say there's less than a 10 percent chance, but it is possible. There's a greater chance, however, that there will be a Clinton landslide.

Clift: For us to sit around like many other so-called pundits are doing and close down the election, I think what that does is trigger a larger protest vote for Perot, and it brings the popular vote narrow and will probably keep Clinton under a 50 percent mandate. But he will have an electoral landslide.

Page: It's a long-shot for Bush, but I've never seen so many nervous Democrats. They, more than anyone, know the ability of the Democratic Party to snatch defeat out of the jaws of victory, and the problem is that wild card Perot.

On Perot:

Barnes: Perot is not a Republican, he's not running as a Republican, Republicans aren't looking to him forthright, he doesn't have Republican ideas, he's for a huge tax increase, he's a nativist -- he's not a free trader at all. The guy who will pick up the pieces of the Republican Party is the most popular Republican in the country right now, and that's Jack Kemp.

Kondracke: I think it is really important for the sake of the country that the press and the two candidates give the Ross Perot line another good look. He is a frog, and he ought to be reduced again from prince to frog.

On who has the biggest momentum: **Barnes:** Perot has the mo, and neither Clinton nor Bush has any mo, but Clinton doesn't need any since he's way ahead. **Clift:** Perot, Clinton, Bush this week. **Page:** Perot's got the mo, Bush ain't got no mo, and Clinton don't need no mo. **Kondracke:** Bush got no mo. **McLaughlin:** Perot, Clinton, but some mo for Bush.

On the economy:

Clift: It's a faltering recovery, and the economy is slowly getting better, and it may help a President Clinton avoid a costly short-term stimulus package. And it may also allow Clinton to use a bettering economy as a springboard to doing some of the longer-term commitments to the economy -- public investment, infrastructure, education, job training. The public has no confidence that George Bush would know what to do with a better economy.

Barnes: The economy is going up a little bit, not enough to help George Bush.

PREDICTIONS

Barnes: A Clinton landslide, 10 percent or more, will mean that Republican dreams of gaining in the House won't materialize. They'll actually lose seats in the House.

Clift: Saddam Hussein will be the first foreign leader to test Bill Clinton's mettle.

Kondracke: Hot new rumor. Tom Foley for secretary of state and Warren Christopher for White House Chief of Staff.

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INSIDE WASHINGTON

Panel: Charles Krauthammer, Juan
Panel: Gordon Peterson. Panel: Charles Krauthammer, Juan
Nina Totenberg, Carl Rowan.

Panel: It's a classic situation that we've seen in other
where the two main candidates unload on each other and the
s, the third candidate that everybody ignores sneaks in.

campaign:

Panel: Let me tell you a really interesting thing. Andy
[phonetic] from Times-Mirror said that in their most recent
s people think that George Bush is not getting as much air
as Bill Clinton. Statistically that's not true. He's getting
air time than Bill Clinton. What that means is that people
basically tuned him out. They're not listening. They don't
im, they don't hear him. He's not there for them.

Panel: The other half of that, though, is that people are
ing into what George Bush says about the media. This bumper
er business about "Annoy the Press, Elect George Bush" really
elling.

Panel: I don't see the [polls] narrowing, and I'd look -- and I've
every campaign that the Bush camp has pulled out -- and they
n't been able to make any of them work. In fact, most of the
gs they try have backfired on them.

the campaign, the third debate and Clinton's no-middle-class-
pledge:

Panel: I think that in that instance I think that Bill Clinton
step into the trap, and it's the old trap that George Bush had
en in about don't read my lips. And it's been a big
appointment around town to a lot of people who are his most
aunch supporters.

Krauthammer: It's a real irony that Perot's resurrection is really
e of the last legacies of the Bush Administration, because he's
e one who insisted on including Perot in these debates. And if
e had been out of these debates he would never have risen in the
olls.

Rowan: Clinton probably would have been better off not making that
ledge, but we ought to make it clear what he said. They were
asking how he's going to pay for all these programs that he's
suggesting. He says that if he can bring them about only by
raising taxes on the middle class he will not do it. He will slow
down the programs or cut other spending. So if you look at it in
the context of what he really said, it's a reasonable comment.

Krauthammer: But then you wonder what he's running on, because after all his numbers don't add up. There is nobody responsible who will tell you that taxing the top 2 percent of the population and socking it to foreign companies is in any way going to pay for even a major part of his promises on domestic stuff, which means he's not going to implement his domestic programs.

Totenberg: The President hit his stride [this week], but the fact is that brought him up to par. He was so below par before. He was like a man who was suffering from a terrible emotional ailment or physical ailment, and now he's finally acting the way he ought to have been acting for weeks.

Krauthammer: But you know it always happens at the end of losing campaigns.

Williams: The real deal inside the White House right now is a lot of finger pointing between Baker, Teeter, Darman -- a lot of people looking right now to place blame for a losing campaign. A lot of nervousness. And you'll notice that Richard Nixon this week was reported in the New York Times as saying this is the worst campaign he's ever seen. He can't understand why Bush has run such a bad campaign.

On Perot's charges the President gave Iraq the green light to invade Kuwait:

Totenberg: This stuff on Iraq, you can see that the Bush Administration had the wrong policy in trying to make contact and make a good guy out of Iraq. But it's not malevolent. We weren't encouraging them to invade Kuwait. They made a mistake, and I think that Perot really fails to make his point here because the Administration came out, as far as I can tell, with lots of pieces of paper that it has turned over.

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SCHEDULE OF THE PRESIDENT

Monday, October 26, 1992

Billings

Billings,
Montana

9:00 am	The President departs Billings en route Denver, Colorado	
		(TAB A -- Trip Schedule)
10:45 am	Arrives Colorado Convention Center for Address to ACE Hardware Semi-Annual Convention and Exhibit	Denver, Colorado
	(Demarest)	(TAB B)
12:25 pm	Departs Denver en route Albuquerque, New Mexico	
		(TAB E -- Trip Schedule)
2:15 pm	Arrives Albuquerque Civic Plaza for Albuquerque Welcome	Albuquerque, New Mexico
	(Kaufman)	(TAB F)
3:15 pm	Departs Albuquerque en route Des Moines, Iowa	
		(TAB I -- Trip Schedule)
6:25 pm	Arrives Iowa Republican Headquarters for Interview with David Frost	Des Moines, Iowa
	(Smith)	(TAB J)
7:20 pm	Arrives Embassy Suites on the River Hotel	

RON Des Moines

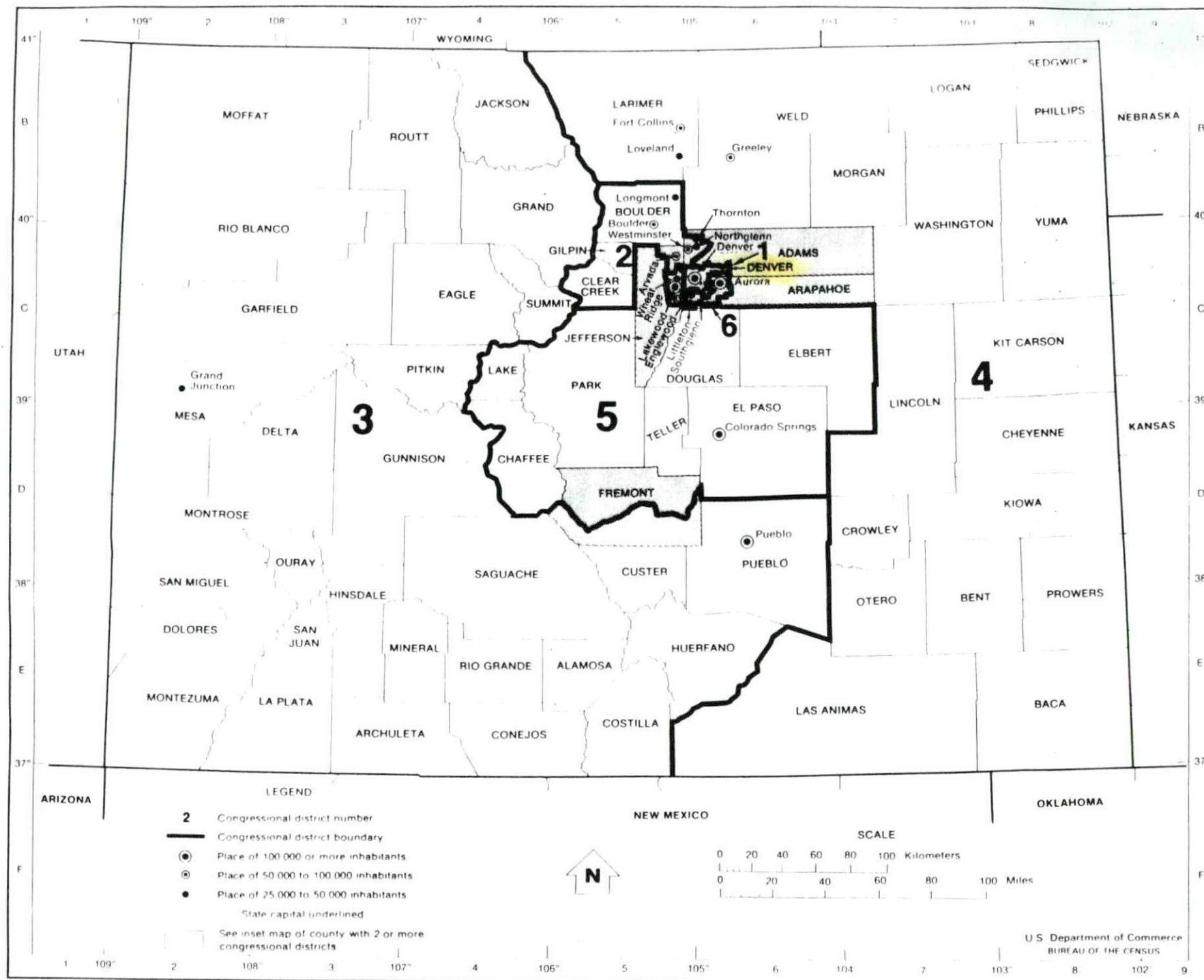
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UNP 10/25/92
5:00 pm



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

VISIT OF THE PRESIDENT

TO

DENVER, COLORADO

OCTOBER 26, 1992

EVENT: Address ACE Hardware Semi-Annual Convention and Exhibit

DATE: Monday, October 26, 1992

TIME: 10:56 am - 11:20 am

LOCATION: Colorado Convention Center

ATTENDEES: 3,000

PRESS: Open

SCENARIO: THE PRESIDENT arrives Colorado Convention Center and is met by: Mr. Rich Laskowski, Chairman of the Board, ACE Hardware; Mr. Roger Peterson, President and Chief Executive Officer, ACE Hardware; and Mr. David Hodnick, Executive Vice President, ACE Hardware. Following Greetings, THE PRESIDENT proceeds to Holding Room. THE PRESIDENT arrives Holding Room and holds briefly. THE PRESIDENT departs Holding Room and proceeds to Off-Stage Announcement Area. THE PRESIDENT arrives Off-Stage Announcement Area and holds briefly. (NOTE: Mr. Roger Peterson joins THE PRESIDENT at this time. Remaining Dais participants are already on Stage at this time.) THE PRESIDENT, accompanied by Mr. Roger Peterson, is announced onto Stage, proceeds to Seat and is Seated (Enter Stage Left). THE PRESIDENT is introduced for Remarks by Mr. Roger Peterson. THE PRESIDENT makes Remarks. (NOTE: A Teleprompter will be used.) THE PRESIDENT concludes Remarks and remains Standing. (NOTE: THE PRESIDENT will be presented with an ACE Hardware jacket and hat by Mr. Roger Peterson at this time.) Following Gift Presentation, THE PRESIDENT departs Stage and proceeds to Holding Room (Exit Stage Right). THE PRESIDENT arrives Holding Room for Private Time. (PRIVATE TIME: 30 MINUTES) THE PRESIDENT departs Holding Room and boards Motorcade. THE PRESIDENT departs Colorado Convention Center en route Stapleton International Airport.

The backdrop is blue pipe and drape with a red banner reading, "ACE Hardware Welcomes President Bush." The press platform is located straight on at 70 feet.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
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SCHEDULE OF THE PRESIDENT
FOR
DENVER, COLORADO
OCTOBER 26, 1992

EVENTS:

Address ACE Hardware Semi-Annual Convention and Exhibit

DRESS:

Men - Business Suit
Women - Day Dress

CONTACT:

Office of Presidential Advance
John G. Keller, Jr. - 202/456-7565

Trip Coordinator
Peggy Hazelrigg - 202/456-7565

Denver, Colorado Signal - 202/757-2100

ADVANCE:

Brad Blakeman	- LEAD	Robert McDowell	- SITE
Teresa Wiedel	- PRESS	Tom Roche	- SITE
(b)(7)(C)(b)(7)(e)(b)(7)(f)	- USSS	Dan McCardell	- PRESS
Wayne Justice	- MIL. AIDE		
Mike Curry	- WHCA		
Ken Costello	- AFI		

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Cloudy/Mid 50's

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SCHEDULE OF THE PRESIDENT

FOR

DENVER, COLORADO

OCTOBER 26, 1992

10:15 am
(M.S.T.)

THE PRESIDENT arrives Stapleton International Airport, Denver, Colorado and boards Motorcade.

NOTE: Open Arrival

Met by:

The Honorable Hank Brown
U.S. Senate

The Honorable Wayne Allard
U.S. Representative

The Honorable Joel Hefley
U.S. Representative

The Honorable Dan Schaefer
U.S. Representative

Mr. Bruce Benson
Colorado GOP Chairman

Mr. Brian Day
Candidate, U.S. Representative, 2nd District

Mr. Raymond Diaz Aragon
Candidate, U.S. Representative, 1st District

Mr. Terry Considine
Candidate, U.S. Senate

Mr. Dan Corsentino
Pueblo County Sheriff

Ms. Sherry Alexander
Colorado Bush/Quayle

Ms. Gloria Gonzales Roemer
Colorado Bush/Quayle Chairman

Mr. Ken Chlouber
Colorado Bush/Quayle Chairman

Mr. Ed Jones
Colorado Bush/Quayle Chairman

Ms. Kristin French
Colorado Bush/Quayle

Daily Point of Light Greeters:

Dr. Robert Williams
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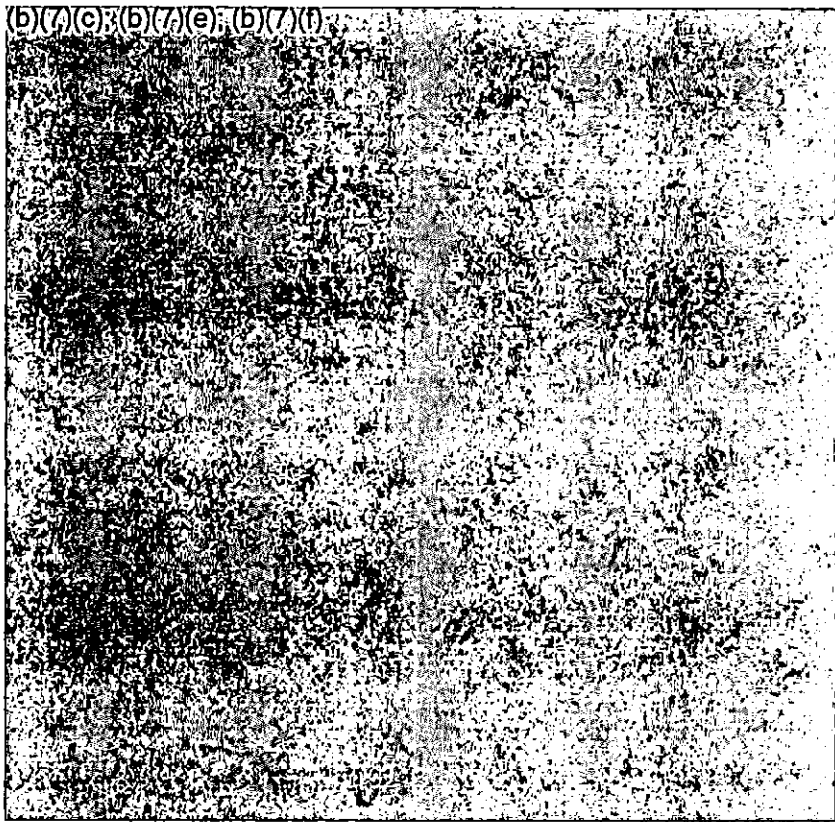
Dr. Dwayne Claassen
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10:25 am

THE PRESIDENT departs Stapleton International
Airport en route Colorado Convention Center.

MOTORCADE ASSIGNMENTS:

(b)(7)(C)(b)(7)(D)(b)(7)(F)



(b)(7)(c); (b)(7)(e); (b)(7)(f)



(Drive Time: 20 Minutes)

GUEST AND STAFF INSTRUCTIONS:

Upon arrival at Colorado Convention Center, Guests and Staff will be escorted to Staff Viewing Area or Holding Rooms.

Please board Motorcade no later than 11:50 am for transport to Stapleton International Airport.

10:45 am

THE PRESIDENT arrives Colorado Convention Center and proceeds to Holding Room.

Met by:

Mr. Rich Laskowski
Chairman of the Board, ACE Hardware

Mr. Roger Peterson
President and Chief Executive Officer, ACE
Hardware

Mr. David Hodnick
Executive Vice President, ACE Hardware

10:50 am

THE PRESIDENT arrives Holding Room and holds briefly.

10:53 am THE PRESIDENT departs Holding Room and proceeds to Off-Stage Announcement Area.

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NOTE: Mr. Roger Peterson joins THE PRESIDENT at this time. Remaining Dais participants are already on Stage at this time.

EVENT: ADDRESS ACE HARDWARE SEMI-ANNUAL CONVENTION AND EXHIBIT

OPEN PRESS

OFF-STAGE ANNOUNCEMENT

REMARKS

TELEPROMPTER

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10:58 am THE PRESIDENT is introduced for Remarks by Mr. Roger Peterson.

11:00 am THE PRESIDENT makes Remarks.

11:20 am THE PRESIDENT concludes Remarks, departs Stage and proceeds to Holding Room.

NOTE: THE PRESIDENT will be presented with an ACE Hardware jacket and hat by Mr. Roger Peterson at this time.

11:25 am THE PRESIDENT arrives Holding Room for Private Time.

(PRIVATE TIME: 30 MINUTES)

11:55 am THE PRESIDENT departs Holding Room and boards Motorcade.

12:00 pm THE PRESIDENT departs Colorado Convention Center en route Stapleton International Airport.

MOTORCADE ASSIGNMENTS:

Same as on Arrival.

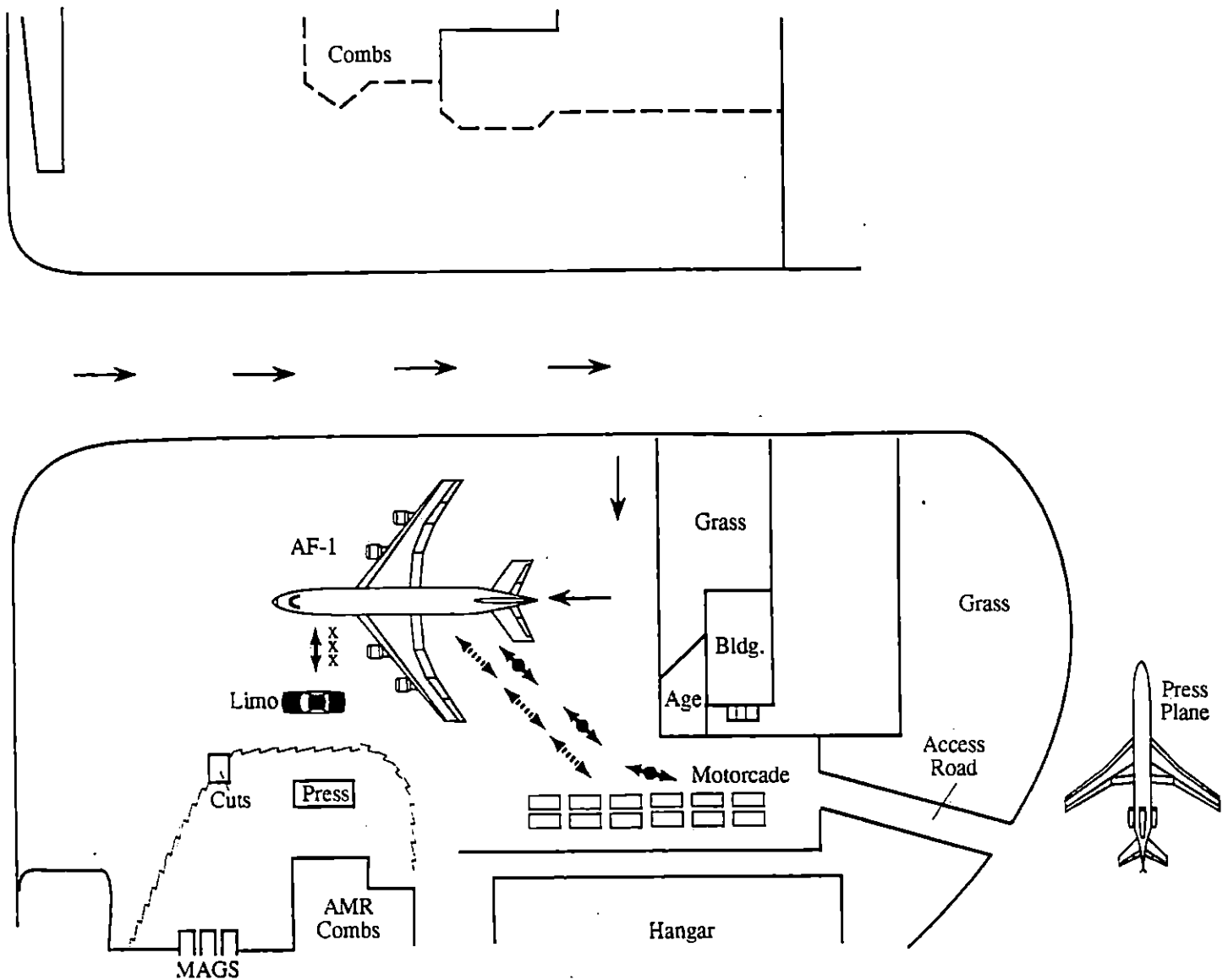
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12:20 pm THE PRESIDENT arrives Stapleton International Airport and boards Air Force One.

12:25 pm THE PRESIDENT departs Denver, Colorado
(M.S.T.) en route Albuquerque, New Mexico.

(Flying Time: 1 Hour 25 Minutes)
(Interchange: Yes)
(Time Change: None)
(Food Service: Lunch)

TAB A
DENVER, COLORADO
Denver Stapleton International
Arrival / Departure Diagram
Monday, October 26, 1992



KEY:

- THE PRESIDENT
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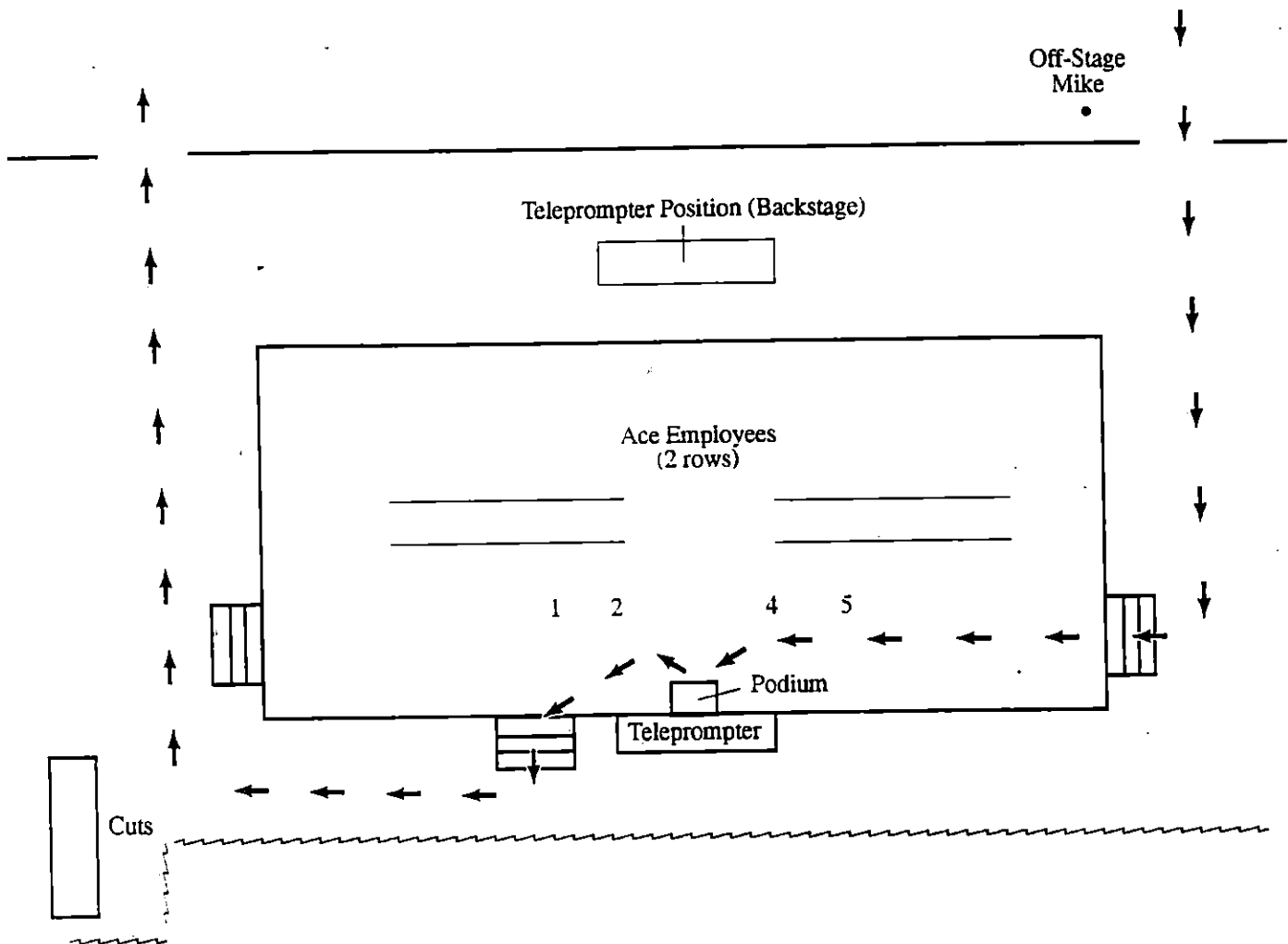
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TAB C
DENVER, COLORADO
Ace Hardware Semi-Annual Convention
Dais Diagram
Monday, October 26, 1992



1. THE PRESIDENT
2. Mr. Roger Peterson, President and CEO Ace Hardware Corp.
3. Mr. David Hodnick, Executive Vice President Ace Hardware Corp.
4. Mr. Richard Laskowski, Chairman of the Board Ace Hardware Corp.

KEY:	
→	THE PRESIDENT
•→	GUESTS / STAFF
---→	PRESS POOL
X	GREETERS

DENVER, COLORADO

Monday, October 26, 1992

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11:55 am Dep. Holding Room and boards
Motorcade

12:00 pm Dep. Colorado Convention Center
en route Stapleton International
Airport

12:20 pm Arr. Stapleton International
Airport and boards Air Force One

12:25 pm Dep. Denver, Colorado
(M.S.T.) en route Albuquerque, New Mexico

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

October 23, 1992

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

THROUGH: HENSON MOORE *Tu Sm*
FROM: BOBBIE KILBERG *BK*
MARK FRANTZ *MF*
SUBJECT: COLORADO (Denver)

I. RECENT CORRESPONDENCE

Governor Roy Romer asked you to sign H.R. 2194, the Federal Facility Compliance Act of 1992 (you signed it on October 6th).

Conejos County Commissioner John Marquez urged you to sign H.R. 429, the water bill.

II. DISCUSSION

A. Unemployment Rates

	<i>Statewide</i>	<i>City of Denver</i>
August 1992	5.5%	5.5%
July 1992	6.0%	5.9%
August 1991	4.1%	4.0%

B. New Denver Airport/United Airlines

Work at Denver's new international airport has been brisk and the \$3.1 billion project is roughly half complete.

United Airlines, which is already Denver's largest carrier, has announced construction of a \$246 million facility at the new airport. The Labor Department estimates that the project will provide over 3,000 jobs.

C. Denver's Annual Columbus Day Parade

Denver's annual Columbus Day Parade was canceled at the last minute this year because approximately 1,000 members and supporters of the American Indian Movement were preparing to halt the parade through civil disobedience.

D. Education/America 2000

Colorado was the first state to become actively involved in "America 2000" and you participated in the State's kick-off ceremonies at Grand Junction on June 17, 1991. Despite that enthusiastic beginning, statewide efforts have begun to waver. Governor Romer recently transferred staff from the Colorado 2000 effort to the "Kids First" ballot initiative (see below).

"Kids First"

On the November ballot as a state constitutional amendment, the "Kids First" plan would raise the state sales tax from 3 to 4 percent with all proceeds going directly to public school funding. Governor Romer is supporting this initiative with every available means.

Education Vouchers

Also on the November ballot is a measure that would provide parents with up to \$2500 for each child to attend any school they wish, including private and religious schools. Please note that Governor Romer has been very quiet in his opposition to this measure.

The Colorado Springs Gazette Telegraph, the Rocky Mountain News, and the Pueblo Chieftain have editorially endorsed the education voucher initiative. The Denver Post has not, and probably will not, endorse the measure.

Please note that Colorado's 1991 teacher of the year, Kevin Irvine, has been very active on behalf of the voucher initiative and has incurred the wrath of the teachers union for that support.

COLORADO BRIEFING
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E. "Weed and Seed"/Drugs

Denver is one of the original sixteen Federal "Weed and Seed" cities.

Crack cocaine distribution by organized gangs is one of the primary drug enforcement problems in metropolitan Denver. Denver police report that well over half of the city's crack market is controlled by the Los Angeles based "Crips" and "Bloods" and roaming Jamaican posses.

Federal anti-drug grants to Colorado

FY 1993 \$22.3 million

FY 1989 \$10.8 million

* an increase of 106 percent

F. NAFTA/Exports

Colorado's exports totaled 2.7 billion in 1991. Trade to our NAFTA partners was as follows:

Canada

1991 \$490 million

1987 \$237 million

* an increase of 106 percent

Mexico

1991 \$90 million

1987 \$69 million

* an increase of 30 percent

Colorado's exports to Canada and Mexico support 15,400 jobs throughout the state.

G. Rocky Flats Plant

On October 2, 1992 Secretary Watkins announced plans to expand the Wind Test site at Rocky Flats to become a world class research and development center that will be open to both government and private industry researchers.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 23, 1992

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: RONALD C. KAUFMAN ⁽²⁰¹¹⁾
DEPUTY ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT
FOR POLITICAL AFFAIRS

SUBJECT: COLORADO POLITICAL BRIEFING

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT VISIT

The President will travel to Denver, Colorado. Denver is located in the 1st Congressional District represented by Democrat Pat Schroeder. The Republican challenger is 27 year old student Raymond Diaz Aragon.

POLITICAL HOT POINTS

A Denver ABC channel 9 (margin of error 4.6%) poll released on September 29:

Clinton	46%
Bush	39%
Perot	2%
Undecided	13%

The Rocky Mountain News, the largest paper in Colorado has endorsed the President along with Republican Senate candidate Terry Considine.

Bush/Quayle '92 purchased a study dated August 27 and 28, fielded by Hill Research Consultants. In a poll of 500 registered voters President Bush was found to be ahead of Bill Clinton in Colorado by 1 point, 44% to 43%.

Governor Clinton was in Pueblo on Wednesday, October 21 --- 3,000 people (150 Bush supporters) attended his rally. Clinton made fun of the comments Republican Senate candidate Terry Considine was misquoted as saying. "The administration has a thousand faults. George Bush is going to be our Jimmy Carter. He has not been an effective President," Rocky Mountain News, 10/21/92.

Clinton was in Denver on September 17 where he drew a crowd of 12,000 - 15,000 people. The local press was very favorable.

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Recent and up coming Bush/Quayle surrogates:

Secretary Kemp	-	September 28
Vice President	-	September 28
Bill Bennett	-	October 8
Secretary Franklin	-	October 13
P.X. Kelley	-	October 14
Senator Simpson	-	October 23
Governor Weld	-	October 25
Ambassador Hills	-	October 26
Secretary Sullivan	-	October 27

Colorado is the only state with a School Choice Initiative on the ballot in November.

The November ballot will also include an initiative to raise the state's sales tax 1% with the money going to education. Governor **Roemer (D)** supports the initiative. The State GOP has no public stand on the issue but are saying that most Republicans are opposed to the measure.

Rocky Flats, a Department of Energy nuclear weapons plant in Denver, was under investigation by the U.S. Attorney for criminal violations of an environmental statute. The U.S. Attorney found no evidence of wrong doing, however some members of the Grand Jury want to press charges and have leaked this to the media. There is now talk of an alleged coverup at the facility.

There is much concern over the shrinking defense industry and what impact it will have on the economy in Colorado. Recently there have been cuts at Martin Marietta. Rocky Flats, which makes triggers for nuclear weapons and currently employs 6,000 people, is slated for closure along with Lowry Air Force Base, which employees approximately 4,700.

Denver is the headquarters for many cable companies including TCI Cable, Jones Cable Company and United Artists. These companies all vehemently opposed the cable bill because it calls for more regulation of cable.

The Rocky Mountain Arsenal Legislation which the President is expected to sign would transfer jurisdiction of the Rocky Mountain Arsenal to the Department of the Interior (Fish and Wildlife Service) for the establishment of a national wildlife refuge upon completion of cleanup of the site by the Department of the Army. The Arsenal, located less than 10 miles from downtown Denver, will provide 16,500 acres of open space in a metropolitan area. This legislation is the result of over a year of careful negotiations with local community groups, the EPA, the Army and the State of Colorado.

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1992 POLITICAL OUTLOOK

Bush-Quayle received 67% of the vote in the March 3rd Presidential primary, while **Pat Buchanan** received 30% of the vote.

The **Bush-Quayle** ticket won the state of Colorado 53% to 45% in the 1988 Presidential election. Colorado will have eight electoral votes in 1992.

Colorado's voter registration is evenly split between Republicans 37% and Democrats 36% with Independents making up 27%.

1992 CONGRESSIONAL OUTLOOK

1992 U.S. Senate Campaign

Senator **Hank Brown** (R) took over former Senator **Bill Armstrong's** seat by defeating Democrat **Josie Heath** 57% to 43% in the 1990 election. **Brown**, up for re-election in 1996 is a fiscal conservative with moderate views and is a strong supporter of the President.

Tim Wirth, the freshman Democratic senator, announced on April 7 his retirement at the conclusion of this term. The unexpected announcement generated a rush of Democrat candidates to fill the seat. Congressman **Ben Nighthorse Campbell** (CD 03), the only American Indian in Congress won the August 11 primary beating out former Governor **Richard Lamm**, and former Boulder County Commissioner/1990 Democratic Senate nominee **Josie Heath**, 46%, 36%, and 18% respectively.

Campbell will face Republican nominee former State Senator and one of many Bush/Quayle '88 Co-Chairs, **Terry Considine**. **Considine** was the only GOP candidate to receive over 30% of the vote at the state Republican convention, eliminating the need for a primary.

The latest poll done by KMFH-TV conducted 9/18-20 by Political/Media Research with a margin of error of +/- 3.5%:

Campbell	50%	Considine	43%
		Undecided	7%

Campbell has received political heat for accepting PAC contributions which he claims are perfectly justified and has also been criticized by different groups on environmental issues, mostly pertaining to water policies.

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Terry Considine is campaigning on grassroots issues such as term limitations and lower taxes. He sponsored and had passed Colorado's term limitation law in 1990. **Considine** has taken a strict anti-abortion position, and is seen by some as too closely identified with the extremely conservative movement.

It was disclosed that federal banking regulators have disqualified a firm partially owned by **Considine** from managing distressed thrift properties, after uncovering that **Considine**-related partnerships had defaulted on loans from savings and loans, most notably the Silverado Savings and Loan. In a press conference outside of the **Considine** headquarters, Colorado Democratic Party Chairman Howard Gelt called on **Considine** to quit the race.

Considine has defended his involvement saying his partnership assumed the bad loans from Silverado and actually ended up saving Silverado money. It has also been noted that banking regulators condoned the take over of the bad loans. Recently, many stories have been written saying **Considine** did nothing wrong with his dealing with Silverado.

U.S. House Outlook

Redistricting did not affect the number of Colorado's congressional districts. Currently, three of the six districts are held by Republicans and three are held by the Democrats.

In CD 01, Democrat incumbent **Pat Schroeder** is facing a 27-year-old student, **Raymond Diaz Aragon (R)**, who is running in order to write a paper. He is not being taken seriously by either side.

In CD 02, incumbent Democrat **David Scaggs** is somewhat vulnerable after bouncing 57 checks at the House Bank. He will face Pastor **Bryan Day** of Foothills Community Church who beat **Sharon Klusman**, a businesswoman and GOP activist in the August primary.

In CD 03, **Ben Nighthorse Campbell**, the incumbent Democrat, is now running for the U.S. Senate. The third district was slightly redrawn, leaving only a 11,900 Democratic voter edge. This district should be very competitive. Lt. Governor **Mike Callahan** is running on the Democrat's side. The Republican candidate is **Scott McInnis**, the Majority Leader of the State House. **McInnis** is a strong candidate with an equally strong staff behind him. Recent polling shows this race as a dead heat. This race has been targeted by the NRCC.

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In CD 04, freshman incumbent Republican **Wayne Allard** is facing Democrat **Tom Redder**, a lawyer and first-time state representative. Although **Redder** has many ties to national Democratic leaders, this should be a safe seat for the Republicans.

In CD 05, incumbent Republican **Joel Hefley**, who has served in Congress since 1986, is facing "token opponent" **Charles Oriez**. **Hefley** is very popular and is expected to win.

In CD 06, **Dan Schaefer**, the incumbent Republican, has served in the U.S. House of Representatives since 1983. His opponent is a virtual unknown, **Tom Kolbe**. **Schaefer**, like **Hefley**, is very popular in his district and should have no trouble winning the election.

STATEWIDE OUTLOOK

GOVERNOR

In 1990, Governor **Roy Romer** (D) was re-elected in a highly contested race, defeating opponent **John Andrews** with 64% of the vote. The next gubernatorial race is in 1994.

In a meeting between the President and the National Governors Association at the White House, Governor **Romer** tried to discredit the President's new budget proposals. The Governor's unorthodox behavior backfired with the public, but some believe it was a step forward for the Governor in Democratic circles.

PARTY / CAMPAIGN ACTIVITY

The Bush/Quayle headquarters is located in Denver.

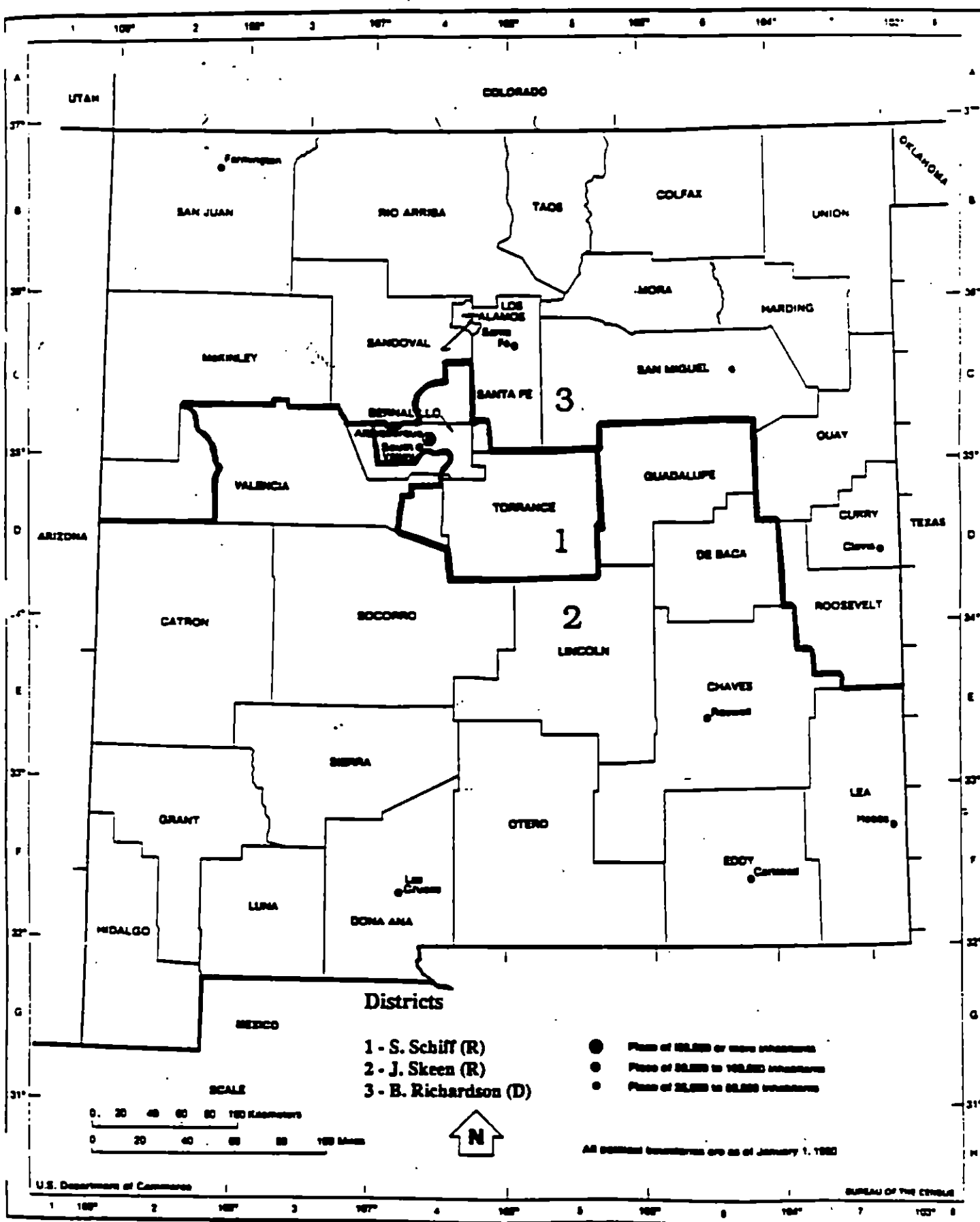
Hugh Hatcher, former Special Assistant to the Commissioner of the IRS, is the Victory '92 Chairman.

Victory '92 volunteer phone banks are in operation in five counties with 90 phones operating.

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Republican Leadership

Ken Chlouber	Bush/Quayle Chairman
Ed Jones	Bush/Quayle Chairman
Gloria Gonzales Roemer	Bush/Quayle Chairman
Bruce Benson	GOP State Chairman
Bill Daniels	Bush/Quayle Finance Chairman
Jim Nicholson	National Committeeman
Mary Dambman	National Committeewoman
Hank Brown	U.S. Senator
Wayne Allard	U.S. Congressman
Dan Schaefer	U.S. Congressman
Joel Hefley	U.S. Congressman
Bill Armstrong	Former U.S. Senator
Ted Strickland	State Senate Majority Leader
Chuck Berry	Speaker of the State House
Scott McInnis	State House Majority Leader



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

VISIT OF THE PRESIDENT

TO

ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO

OCTOBER 26, 1992

EVENT: Albuquerque Welcome

DATE: Monday, October 26, 1992

TIME: 2:26 pm - 2:50 pm

LOCATION: Albuquerque Civic Plaza

ATTENDEES: 4500

PRESS: Open

SCENARIO: THE PRESIDENT arrives Albuquerque Civic Plaza and proceeds to Holding Room. THE PRESIDENT arrives Holding Room and holds briefly. THE PRESIDENT departs Holding Room and proceeds to Off-Stage Area. THE PRESIDENT arrives Off-Stage Area and holds briefly. (NOTE: Dais participants and the Ricky Scaggs Band will already be on stage at this time.) THE PRESIDENT is announced onto Stage by Mr. Ricky Scaggs, Entertainer, and remains Standing (Enter Stage Right). THE PRESIDENT is introduced for Remarks by The Honorable Pete Domenici, U.S. Senator. THE PRESIDENT makes Remarks. THE PRESIDENT concludes Remarks, departs Stage and boards Motorcade (Exit Stage Left). THE PRESIDENT departs Albuquerque Civic Plaza en route Kirtland Air Force Base.

The Backdrop will be the Ricky Scaggs Band and children seated around a fountain. There will be a banner, reading "Albuquerque wants President Bush. Truth, Honor, Character." The Press Platform is located straight-on at 70 feet.

Withdrawal/Redaction Sheet

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WASHINGTON

SCHEDULE OF THE PRESIDENT
FOR
ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO
OCTOBER 26, 1992

EVENTS:

Albuquerque Welcome

DRESS:

Men - Business Suit
Women - Day Dress

CONTACT:

Office of Presidential Advance
John G. Keller, Jr. - 202/456-7565

Trip Coordinator
Shirley Huang - 202/456-7565

Albuquerque, New Mexico,
Signal - 202/757-2106

ADVANCE:

Jack Bobbit	- LEAD	Bob Athey	- SITE
Denise Duncel	- PRESS	Bill Turner	- SITE
(b)(7)(c);(b)(7)(e);(b)(7)(f)	- USSS	Bob Krebs	- SITE
John Wissler	- MIL. AIDE	Kathryn Burton	- PRESS
Dave Jetkiewicz	- WHCA		
Gary Webb	- AFI		

WEATHER:

Partly Cloudy/Mid 60's

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SCHEDULE OF THE PRESIDENT

FOR

ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO

OCTOBER 26, 1992

1:50 pm
(M.S.T.)

THE PRESIDENT arrives Kirtland Air Force Base,
Albuquerque, New Mexico and boards Motorcade.

Met by:

Brigadier General and Mrs. James Higham (Nancy)
Base Commander, Kirtland Air Force Base

The Honorable Pete Domenici
U.S. Senator

The Honorable Steve Schiff
U.S. Representative, 1st Congressional District

The Honorable Joe Skeen
U.S. Representative, 2nd Congressional District

The Honorable Garrey Carruthers
Former Governor of New Mexico

The Honorable Tom Balock
Former Governor of New Mexico

Mr. John Lattaudio
GOP Chairman, New Mexico State

Mr. Edward Lujan
Former GOP State Chairman

Mr. Greg Bemis
Candidate, U.S. Representative, 3rd Congressional
District

Mrs. Shirley Leslie
Former National Committeewoman, New Mexico

Mr. Hoyt Pattison
Co-Chairman, Bush/Quayle '92

Mr. Aubrey Cookman
Honorary Chairman, Bush/Quayle '92

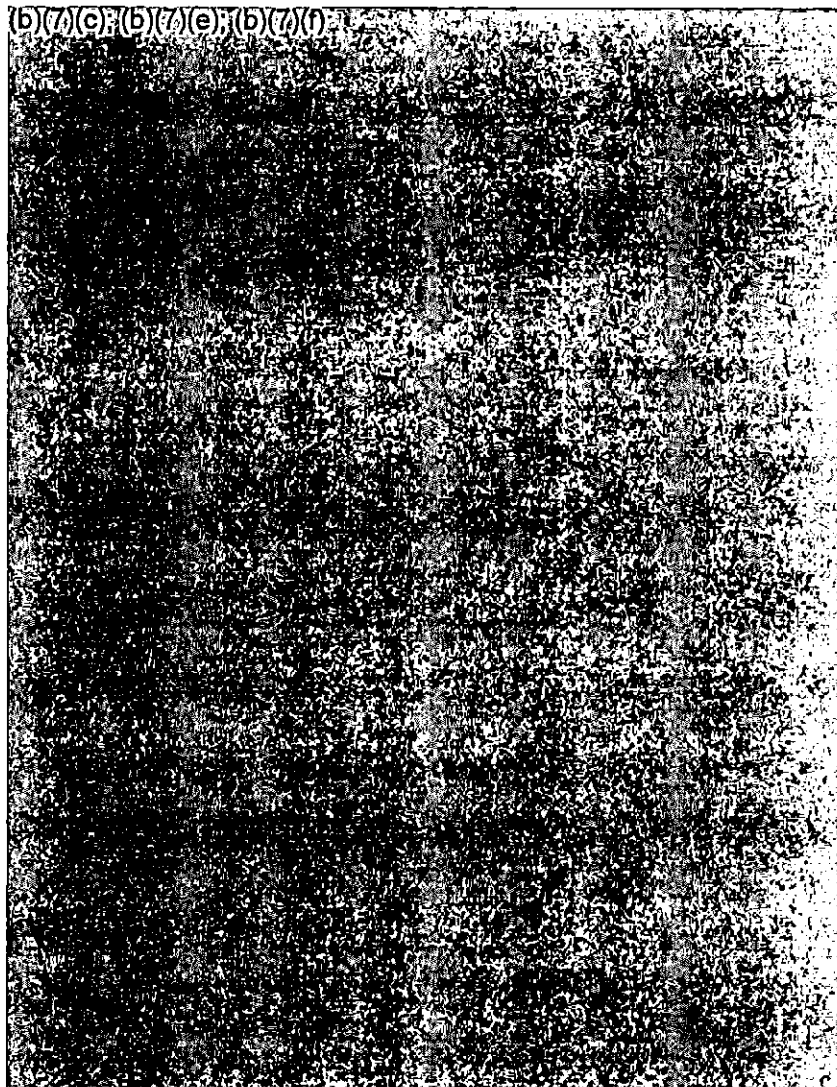
Mr. Frank Bond
Supporter, Bush/Quayle '92

Mr. Benny Gallegos
Supporter, Bush/Quayle '92

2:00 pm

THE PRESIDENT departs Kirtland Air Force Base
en route Albuquerque Civic Plaza.

MOTORCADE ASSIGNMENTS:



(b)(7)(C);(b)(7)(e);(b)(7)(f)

(Drive Time: 15 Minutes)

GUEST AND STAFF INSTRUCTIONS:

Upon arrival at Albuquerque Civic Plaza, Guests and Staff will be escorted to Staff Viewing Area.

Please board Motorcade no later than 2:45 pm for transport to Kirtland Air Force Base.

2:15 pm THE PRESIDENT arrives Albuquerque Civic Plaza and proceeds to Holding Room.

2:18 pm THE PRESIDENT arrives Holding Room and holds briefly.

2:20 pm THE PRESIDENT departs Holding Room and proceeds to Off-Stage Area.

2:23 pm THE PRESIDENT arrives Off-Stage Area and holds briefly.

NOTE: Dais participants and the Ricky Scaggs Band will already be on stage at this time.

EVENT: ALBUQUERQUE WELCOME

OPEN PRESS

ON-STAGE ANNOUNCEMENT

REMARKS

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2:30 pm THE PRESIDENT makes Remarks.

2:50 pm THE PRESIDENT concludes Remarks, departs Stage and boards Motorcade.

2:55 pm THE PRESIDENT departs Albuquerque Civic Plaza en route Kirtland Air Force Base.

MOTORCADE ASSIGNMENTS:

Same as on Arrival.

(Drive Time: 15 Minutes)

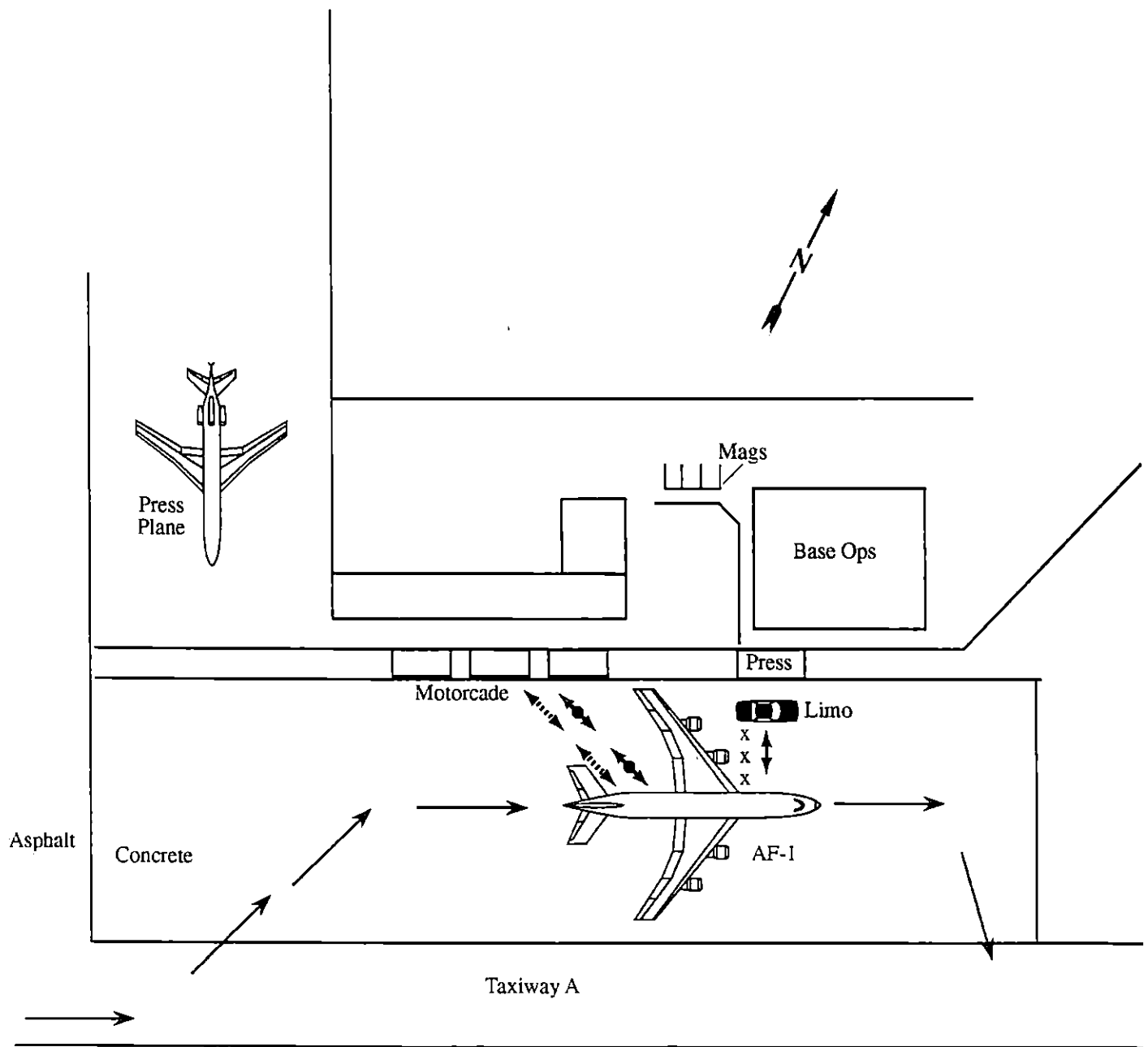
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3:15 pm
(M.S.T.)

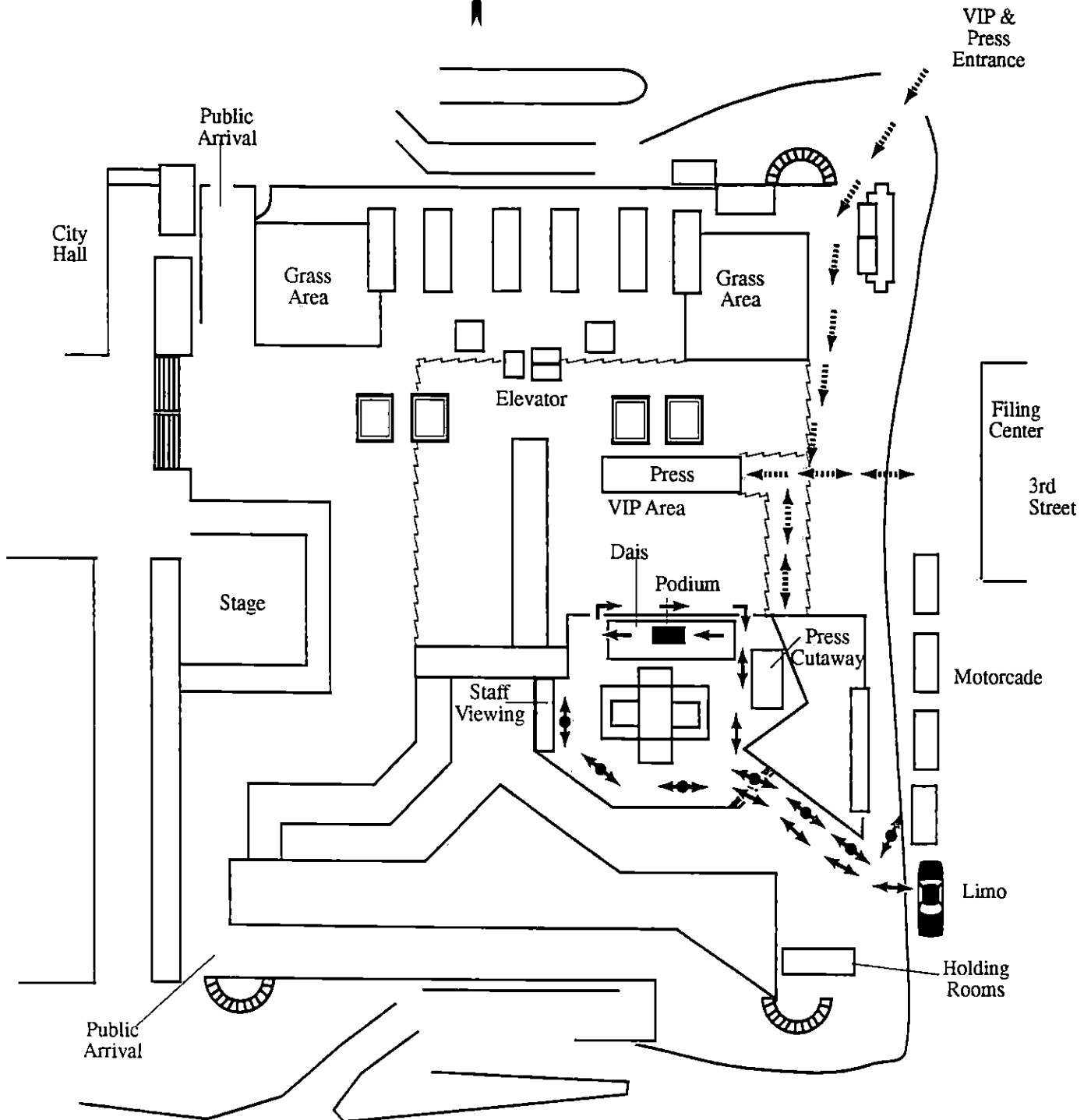
THE PRESIDENT departs Albuquerque, New Mexico en
route Des Moines, Iowa.

(Flying Time: 1 Hour 50 Minutes)
(Interchange: No)
(Time Change: Ahead 1 Hour)
(Food Service: Hot Snacks)

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 ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO
 Kirtland Air Force Base
 Arrival/Departure Diagram
 Monday, October 26, 1992



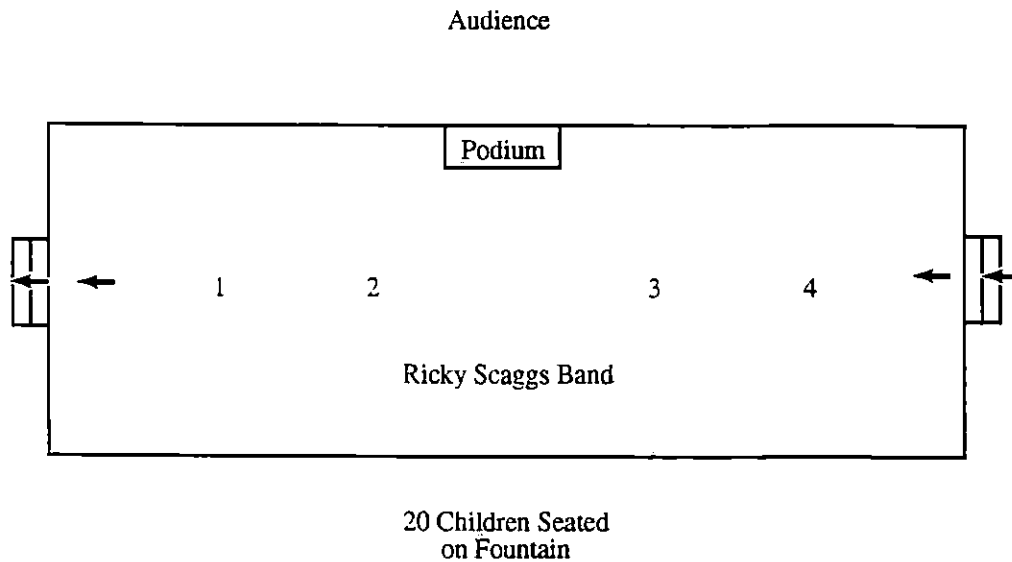
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ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO
Albuquerque Civic Plaza
Albuquerque Welcome
Overview Diagram
Monday, October 26, 1992



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→ THE PRESIDENT

TAB C
ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO
Albuquerque Civic Plaza
Albuquerque Welcome
Monday, October 26, 1992



1. Congressman Steve Schiff
2. Congressman Joe Skeen
3. THE PRESIDENT
4. Senator Pete Domenici

KEY:

→ THE PRESIDENT

ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO

OCTOBER 26, 1992

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(M.S.T.) Albuquerque, New Mexico and boards
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(M.S.T) route Des Moines, Iowa

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 24, 1992

ALBUQUERQUE WELCOME

DATE: Monday, October 26, 1992

TIME: 2:25 p.m.

LOCATION: Pacific Plaza
Albuquerque, New Mexico

FROM: Ronald C. Kaufman *RCF*

I. PURPOSE

To greet and thank supporters of your re-election effort and define the differences between you and Bill Clinton.

II. BACKGROUND

Those in attendance are local elected Republicans, local Bush/Quayle leaders and local Victory '92 leaders from Albuquerque and surrounding communities.

This rally will give you an opportunity to spell out the differences between you and Bill Clinton to the citizens of New Mexico.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President
Senator Pete Domenici
Approximately 4,000 supporters.

IV. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

See Advance Office schedule for details.

V. PRESS PLAN

Open.

VI. REMARKS

Provided by the Office of Speechwriting.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

October 23, 1992

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

THROUGH: W. HENSON MOORE *BK for HM*
FROM: BOBBIE KILBERG *BK*
HELEN R. MOBLEY *HRM*
SUBJECT: NEW MEXICO (ALBUQUERQUE)

I. Discussion

A. Economy

1. Unemployment Figures

Statewide (not seasonally adjusted)

August 1992	6.8
July 1992	7.2
August 1991	6.4

Albuquerque (not seasonally adjusted)

August 1992	5.1
July 1992	5.1
August 1991	5.0

2. Other Points

New Mexico economic forecasts are not very strong due to substantial dependence on federal defense spending.

B. Exports/NAFTA

New Mexico's exports to Canada and Mexico ranked second and fourth, respectively of all markets in 1990. Manufactured exports accounted for 77 percent of New Mexico's \$56 million in exports to Canada and Mexico in 1991 and supported an estimated 2,700 jobs.

Mexico

1991	\$18 million
1987	\$ 9 million

Canada

1991	\$38 million
1987	\$22 million

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New Mexico's leading exports are electric and electronic equipment, computers and industrial machinery, chemicals, crops and transportation equipment.

State officials anticipate that significant opportunities for export of New Mexico coal into Mexico may soon arise as a result of the North American Free Trade Agreement.

C. New Mexico Rural Development Council

New Mexico is one of 16 states forming a Rural Development Council (RDC) with \$125,000 in federal and local funding under a program announced by you in 1989. Approximately 75 federal, state, local and tribal government representatives met last month to begin organizing the Council which will focus on removing impediments to economic growth in outlying areas of the State.

D. Plant Openings

General Mills Foods has opened a cereal plant in Albuquerque within the last year. The plant employs 130 people today with a projected number of 300 employees when fully operational.

Southwest Airlines announced this month that it will be building a 22,000 square foot Reservation Center at the Airport in Albuquerque. The center will have 465 employees including 400 local and 165 transfers.

E. Plant Closings and Layoffs

Honeywell Defense Avionics Systems Division in Albuquerque announced in June that it will be cutting 200-300 jobs due to defense cutbacks and market trends.

Siemens Transmission Systems Inc., the State's 12th largest manufacturer, announced it will be closing its Albuquerque plant next year to consolidate operations in Florida. About 300 employees are expected to be laid off.

F. Key Federal Grants in New Mexico

Program	Amount
Dept. of Labor employment and training programs for Native Americans (14 grants)	\$2,631,522
Older Americans Act	\$ 430,143
Home Education Livelihood Program	\$ 654,939
1992 Summer Youth Employment & Training Program	\$3,250,000

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G. Federal Drug Grants to New Mexico

FY 1992	\$9.7 million*
FY 1989	\$5.8 million
* an increase of 65 percent	

H. AMERICA 2000/EDUCATION

New Mexico has adopted the AMERICA 2000 goals with eleven communities organized to date. Over the past year, Governor King has held regional Goals conferences throughout the state.

A year-round school pilot program in 26 of the 110 Albuquerque public schools has resulted in improved student achievement. Though the concept is supported by the school board, the community is divided and the state school superintendent, Alan Morgan, has decided not to approve a plan to convert all schools to a year-round schedule by 1995 because of this division in community sentiment. He is now considering implementation of the program on a cluster-by-cluster basis.

A small, rural school in Clayton is the first school in the State to open its doors to any student residing in New Mexico. About 35 new students have enrolled in the program.

I. Indian Gaming

There are currently seven Pueblos or Tribes that operate gaming establishments in New Mexico. These operations are all Class II Bingo and are split between those operations that are Tribally managed and those operated by a management company. Several of the operations have proven very profitable with an estimated gross annual revenue of \$21 million. The tribal profits are used to supplement a variety of community programs.

Five Tribes have submitted Compacts to allow Class III Gaming (parimutuel betting and Las Vegas style gambling such as Black Jack and poker) but none have been signed. The filing of two lawsuits by Tribes within the State has resulted in the suspension of negotiations with all Tribes. The Tribes have asserted that the State has failed to negotiate in good faith, and the State has asserted an 11th Amendment privilege and requested dismissal of the suits.

J. Surface Transportation Funding

FY 1992 apportionment	\$175.8 million
FY 1991 apportionment	\$101.4 million

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As of September 9, 1992 \$166 million of 95% of the FY 1992 funding had been obligated by the State.

Please note that New Mexico also received an extra \$.5 million in obligation authority on August 3rd as part of the Federal Highway Administration's annual August redistribution.

K. ENERGY RESOURCES

New Mexico's four major extractive industries are natural gas, coal, oil and uranium. Per capita energy production in the State is five times the national average and energy production companies are major employers. New Mexico ranks fourth in natural gas production and second in onshore reserves. In 1990, the State ranked seventh nationally in crude oil production and fourth in reported recoverable coal reserves (low-sulfur).

To promote its coal industry, New Mexico is aggressively marketing its low-sulfur coal to Eastern states, seeking to attract coal-based alternative fuel research projects to New Mexico, and encouraging clean coal technology applications.

L. WASTE ISOLATION PILOT PLANT (WIPP)

The Waste Isolation Pilot Plant (WIPP) Project is the most controversial issue in New Mexico. WIPP is located in southeastern New Mexico in a bedded salt formation 2,150 feet below the surface. WIPP is the first-of-its-kind research and development facility for demonstrating the safety of geologic disposal of defense transuranic (TRU) waste. There is a growing amount of defense TRU waste in temporary, above-ground storage in ten states. WIPP is designed for the disposal of TRU waste resulting from nuclear weapons production and dismantlement and site cleanup.

The first shipment of waste from Idaho and California under a Test Phase was to have begun by the end of 1991 but a lawsuit was filed by the State in October 1991, challenging the legality of the Interior Department's administrative land-withdrawal and WIPP's interim status under the Resources Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA). In January 1992, the U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia issued a permanent injunction prohibiting shipments of waste to WIPP. The Court's action was appealed but the permanent injunction remains in place and a legislative land withdrawal is needed in order for WIPP to begin the Test Phase with TRU waste.

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Before adjourning, Congress passed a land withdrawal bill, S. 1671, that is acceptable to the Department of Energy and that contains substantial federal assistance monies to New Mexico for WIPP implementation. S. 1671 is at the White House but has not yet been staffed nor presented to you for signature.

M. SANDIA NATIONAL LABORATORY/REACTOR COOLING WATER DISCHARGE

The mission of the Sandia National Laboratory in Albuquerque (SNLA) is to conduct fundamental and applied research and development activities necessary for the U.S. to maintain a lead position in nuclear weapons development and engineering, field and lab testing, and energy research and development.

A major issue has arisen with the City of Albuquerque over SNLA's proposal to discharge approximately 50,000 gallons of experimental reactor cooling water into the city sewer system. The question of whether the city should regulate discharges of wastewater containing radioactive elements has become a political issue. The City Attorney has issued an opinion that the City is without authority to regulate such discharges but the issue continues to receive prominent attention from the local media.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 24, 1992

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: RONALD C. KAUFMAN, JR.
DEPUTY ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT
FOR POLITICAL AFFAIRS

SUBJECT: NEW MEXICO POLITICAL BRIEFING

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT VISIT

The President will travel to Albuquerque which is located in the 1st Congressional District where incumbent Republican **Steven Schiff** is being challenged by Democrat **Robert Aragon**.

POLITICAL HOT POINTS

The latest statewide poll was conducted by Research & Polling Inc. for the Albuquerque Journal from October 13 to 16. Taken among 925 registered voters (margin of error +/-3%) it found:

President Bush:	30%
Bill Clinton:	42%
Ross Perot:	9%
undecided:	18%

A previous statewide poll was conducted by PMR between September 26 and 27. With a margin of error of +/- 3.5%, it found:

President Bush:	30%
Bill Clinton:	38%
Ross Perot:	13%

One of the main problems facing the state is job-related. The young people who attend school in New Mexico are unable to stay there after graduation because there are so few jobs. Many are forced to leave for other areas such as Denver, Phoenix, and Houston. A pro-jobs legislature is desperately needed to halt this exodus of graduates. Since many of the existing jobs in New Mexico are defense-related, the "peace dividend" does not bode well for this state's employment figures.

The economy in New Mexico is relatively stable due to the high number of government employees in the state. One in every four New Mexicans is employed by the government (state and federal) and the state is currently ranked fourth in the nation in per capita government jobs.

Education is an important issue in New Mexico. Because of the bloated bureaucracy at the State Department of Education, much of the appropriated money does not reach the public schools.

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Due to the beautiful, unspoiled New Mexico landscape, the people of this state are very environmentally conscious. The local press is also attuned to environmental issues. Thus, there is much controversy surrounding the Waste Isolation Pilot Project (WIPP), a program that may make part of New Mexico a nuclear dump site. Though WIPP would be very beneficial financially to New Mexico, perceived environmental dangers have created strong opposition in some camps.

There is a tendency for environmental issues in New Mexico to become racial issues because of the relatively large Indian and Hispanic populations in the state. The traditional argument has been that New Mexico is selected as a nuclear dump site because of the government's lack of concern for Indians and Hispanics.

An amendment to the state constitution was passed in 1986 that will allow several future statewide officeholders to hold consecutive terms. The Governor, Secretary of State, State Auditor, State Treasurer, Commissioner of Public Lands and the Attorney General will be able to seek consecutive terms beginning in 1994.

1992 PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY

The Bush-Quayle ticket carried New Mexico by a 53 percent to 47 percent margin in the 1988 presidential election.

In the 1992 presidential primary, the President received over 63 percent of the popular vote and all 25 delegates, shutting out challenger Pat Buchanan.

In the Democrat primary, Bill Clinton tallied over 55 percent, Jerry Brown received nearly 18 percent, Paul Tsongas received 6.5 percent, and over 20 percent went to "uncommitted."

CONGRESSIONAL OUTLOOK

REAPPORTIONMENT UPDATE

The final plan for reapportionment in New Mexico was completed in September of 1991. Republicans running for U.S. House seats fared better than their counterparts in the state legislature. Some Republican seats were diluted, however, Democrat Congressman Bill Richardson's district was also weakened. Incumbents were not significantly affected.

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U.S. HOUSE

CD 1

Incumbent Congressman **Steve Schiff** ran unopposed in the Republican primary. **Schiff** will now face Democrat **Robert Aragon**, the cousin of the New Mexico Senate President. **Aragon** defeated two primary opponents, including millionaire **James Nance**, a member of the state's Horse Racing Commission.

Schiff will have all of Albuquerque in his new district, which marginally increased in Democrat registration. Republicans believe **Schiff** should retain the seat, but it will be difficult. **Diana Daggett** will serve as the general consultant, as well as finance director, for the **Schiff** re-election.

CD 2

Republican incumbent **Joe Skeen** did not face opposition in his Republican primary. **Skeen** will face **Dan Sosa**, the former Chief Justice of the New Mexico Supreme Court, who won the Democrat primary after defeating two other primary challengers with 46% of the vote. This race promises to be more difficult than the contest in CD 1, although **Skeen's** favorable ratings at last count were around 90%.

CD 3

Democrat incumbent **Bill Richardson** ran unopposed in his Democrat primary. He will face **Greg Bemis, Jr.** who also ran unopposed in his primary election. Republicans hope that **Richardson's** incumbent advantage will be reduced by the fact that he lied about bouncing checks and was eventually caught.

The area that makes up CD 3 now includes more of the east side of New Mexico which tends to be more conservative. It is an area that is ethnically diverse and poverty-stricken.

STATEWIDE OUTLOOK

Democrats carved the State Senate districts to give them four to six more seats and designed the House districts for the same take. The current balance is 49 Democrat seats to 21 Republican seats in the State House, and 26 Democrat seats to 16 Republican seats in the State Senate.

After analyzing New Mexico's redistricting plan, the U.S. Justice Department asked that the legislature alter the boundaries in only two State Senate districts.

NEW MEXICO POLITICAL BRIEFING
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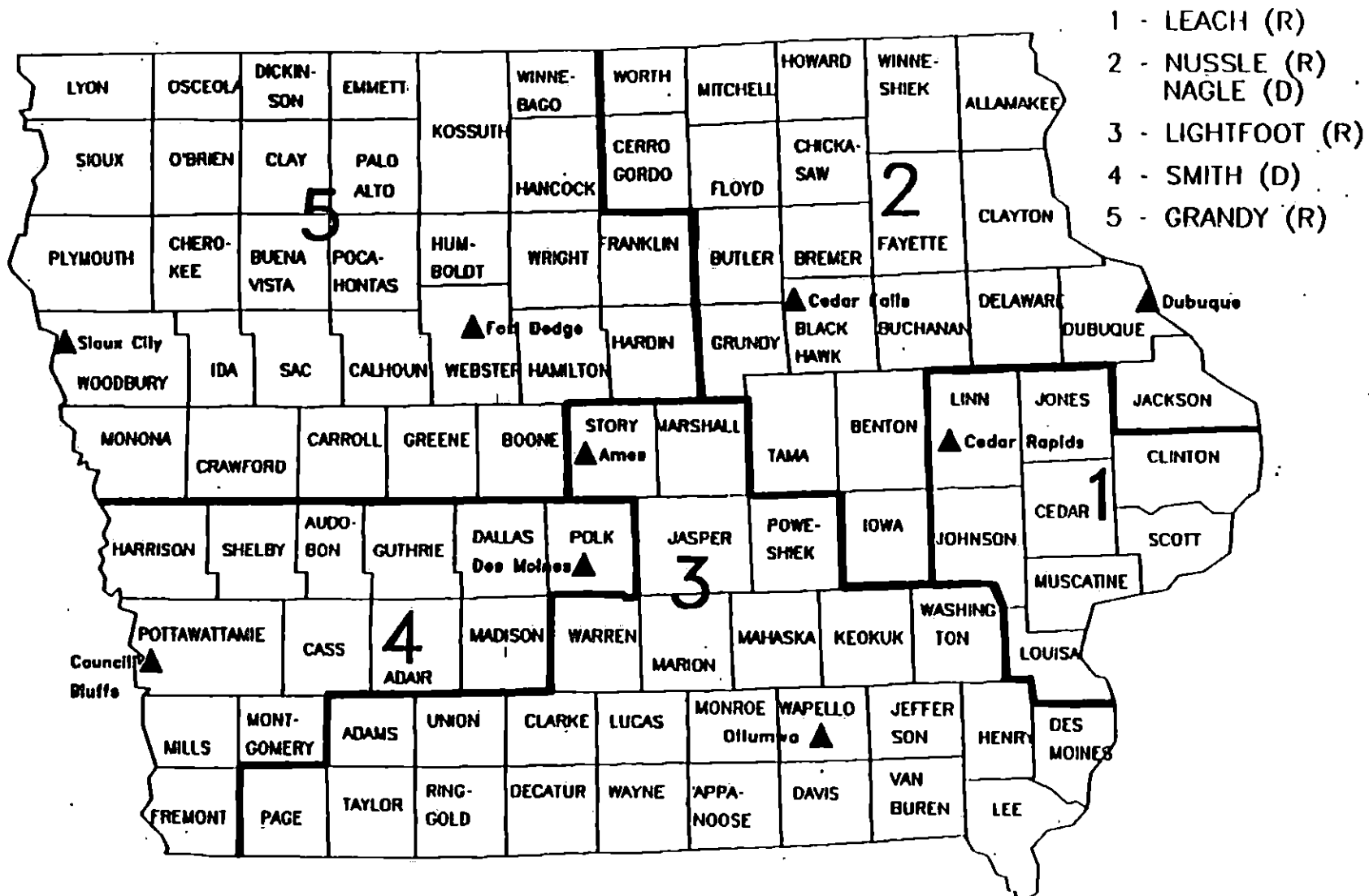
PARTY CAMPAIGN ACTIVITY

New Mexico Republicans held their state convention on June 13. **Phelps Anderson** and **Laree Perez** were elected National Committeeman and National Committeewoman, respectively.

Senator **Pete Domenici** will serve as the 1992 **Bush-Quayle** Chairman for New Mexico. Congressman **Steve Schiff**, Congressman **Joe Skeen**, and **Aubrey Cookman** serve as Honorary Chairmen. The Honorary Co-Chairmen are former Governor **Garrey Carruthers**, **Edward Lujan**, and State Chairman **John Lattaudio**. Serving as campaign Vice Chairmen are Senate G.O.P. Leader **Les Houston**, House G.O.P. Leader **Richard Cheney**, National Committeeman **Phelps Anderson**, and former National Committeewoman **Shirley Leslie**.

On July 7, **Mrs. Quayle** hosted fundraisers in Las Cruces, Ruidoso, and Santa Fe. The state Party raised about \$20,000 from the events.

1992 CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS - IOWA



Filing Deadline: March 13

Primary Date: June 2

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

VISIT OF THE PRESIDENT
TO
DES MOINES, IOWA
OCTOBER 26 - 27, 1992

EVENT: Taped Interview with David Frost

DATE: Monday, October 26, 1992

TIME: 6:25 pm - 7:15 pm

LOCATION: Iowa Republican Headquarters

ATTENDEES: 1

PRESS: Closed

SCENARIO: THE PRESIDENT arrives Iowa Republican Headquarters and is met by: Mr. Richard Schwarm, Chairman, Iowa GOP. Following Greetings, THE PRESIDENT proceeds to Holding Room. THE PRESIDENT arrives Holding Room and holds briefly. THE PRESIDENT departs Holding Room and proceeds to Work Room. THE PRESIDENT arrives Work Room and is met by: Mr. David Frost, Television Interviewer. Following Greetings, THE PRESIDENT is Seated and begins participation in Interview. THE PRESIDENT concludes participation in Interview, departs Work Room and boards Motorcade. THE PRESIDENT departs Iowa Republican Headquarters en route Embassy Suites on the River Hotel.

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TO
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OCTOBER 26 - 27, 1992

EVENT: TODAY Show Interview
DATE: Tuesday, October 27, 1992
TIME: 6:35 am - 7:45 am
LOCATION: State Capitol Building
ATTENDEES: 1
PRESS: Closed

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

VISIT OF THE PRESIDENT

TO

DES MOINES, IOWA

OCTOBER 26 - 27, 1992

EVENT: Des Moines Welcome/"Ask George Bush"

DATE: Tuesday, October 27, 1992

TIME: 8:55 am - 10:10 am

LOCATION: Des Moines Convention Center

ATTENDEES: 2,000

PRESS: Open

SCENARIO: THE PRESIDENT arrives Des Moines Convention Center and is met by: Mr. Bill Beard, General Manager, Des Moines Convention Center. Following Greetings, THE PRESIDENT proceeds to Holding Room. THE PRESIDENT arrives Holding Room and holds briefly. THE PRESIDENT departs Holding Room and proceeds to Off-Stage Area. THE PRESIDENT arrives Off-Stage Area and holds briefly. THE PRESIDENT is announced into Exhibit Hall 206 by The Honorable Terry E. Branstad, Governor of Iowa. THE PRESIDENT arrives Stage and is Seated. THE PRESIDENT begins participation in "Ask George Bush". THE PRESIDENT concludes participation in "Ask George Bush", departs Exhibit Hall 206 and proceeds to Holding Room. THE PRESIDENT arrives Holding Room for Private Time. (PRIVATE TIME: 20 MINUTES) THE PRESIDENT departs Holding Room and boards Motorcade. THE PRESIDENT departs Des Moines Convention Center en route Des Moines International Airport.

The backdrop is people seated at ground level and in three sets of bleachers, one directly behind THE PRESIDENT and two flanking him. Two banners flank THE PRESIDENT; one reading, "Iowa Trusts President Bush."

The press platform is located straight-on at 70 feet.

Withdrawal/Redaction Sheet

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Document No. and Type	Subject/Title of Document	Date	Restriction	Class.
06. Schedule	Schedule of the President Re: Des Moines, Iowa [FOIA exemptions redacted] (1 pp.)	10/26/92	(b)(7)(c); (b)(7)(e); (b)(7)(f)	

Collection:

Record Group: Bush Presidential Records

Office: Office of the President

Series: Daily Files

Subseries:

WHORM Cat.:

File Location: Monday, October 26, 1992 [1]

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

SCHEDULE OF THE PRESIDENT

FOR

DES MOINES, IOWA

OCTOBER 26 - 27, 1992

EVENTS:

Taped Interview with David Frost
TODAY Show Interview
Des Moines Welcome/"Ask George Bush"

DRESS:

Men - Business Suit
Women - Day Dress

CONTACTS:

Presidential Advance Office
John G. Keller, Jr. - 202/456-7565

Trip Coordinator
Anne Mincy - 202/456-7565

Des Moines, Iowa Signal - 515/283-2255
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ADVANCE:

Lyn G. Kennelly	- LEAD	Brad Edgar	- SITE
Kelley Gannon	- PRESS	David Pasquesi	- SITE
(b)(7)(c)(b)(7)(e)(b)(7)(f)	- USSS	Heather Herring	- HOTEL
Michelle Johnson	- MIL. AIDE		
Mitch Ross	- WHCA		
Walt Tomczak	- AF1		

WEATHER:

Mostly Sunny/High 50's

Withdrawal/Redaction Sheet

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07. Schedule	Schedule of the President Re: Des Moines, Iowa [FOIA exemptions redacted] (12 pp.)	10/26/92	(b)(7)(c); (b)(7)(e); (b)(7)(f)	

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Office: Office of the President
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SCHEDULE OF THE PRESIDENT

FOR

DES MOINES, IOWA

OCTOBER 26 - 27, 1992

Monday, October 26, 1992

6:05 pm
(C.S.T.)

THE PRESIDENT arrives Des Moines International Airport, Des Moines, Iowa and boards Motorcade.

Met by:

The Honorable and Mrs. Terry E. Branstad (Chris)
Governor of Iowa

Colonel Timothy J. Griffith
Iowa Air National Guard

The Honorable Joy Corning
Lieutenant Governor of Iowa

The Honorable Charles Grassley
U.S. Senator

The Honorable Jim Ross Lightfoot
U.S. Representative, 3rd Congressional District

The Honorable Jim Leach
U.S. Representative, 1st Congressional District

The Honorable Gwen Boeke
National Committeewoman, Iowa GOP

The Honorable Steve Roberts
National Committeeman, Iowa GOP

Mr. George Wittgraf
Co-Chairman, Iowa Bush/Quayle '92

Mr. Richard Schwarm
Chairman, Iowa GOP

Ms. Mary Boote
Co-Chair, Farmers for Bush/Quayle '92

Mr. Marvin Pomerantz
Finance Chairman, Bush/Quayle '92

Mr. John Ruon
Chairman, GOP Victory '92

Ms. Mary Louise Smith
Former Iowa GOP National Committeewoman

Ms. Charlotte Mohr
Chairwoman, Scott County Bush/Quayle '92

Mr. Ralph Brown
General Counsel, Iowa GOP

Mr. John McDonald
Former Iowa National GOP Committeeman

Daily Point of Light Greeters:

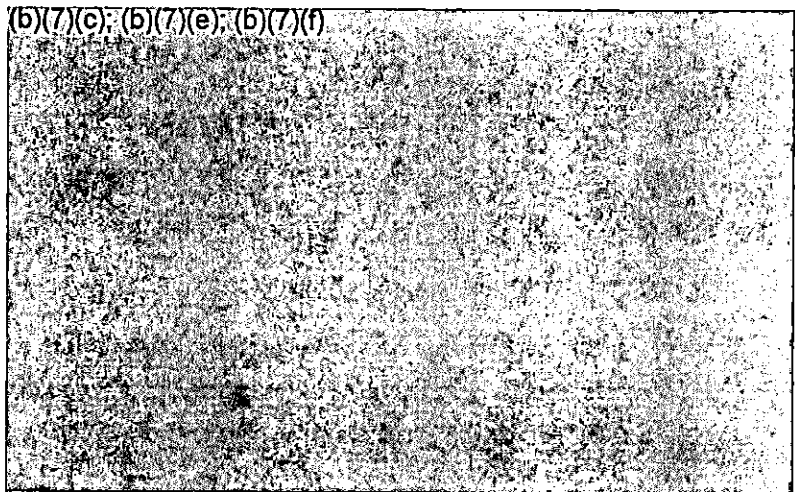
Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bales (Bonnie) and Six
Young Children
Executive Director and Volunteer, Good Samaritan
Urban Ministries, and 930th Daily Point of
Light

6:15 pm

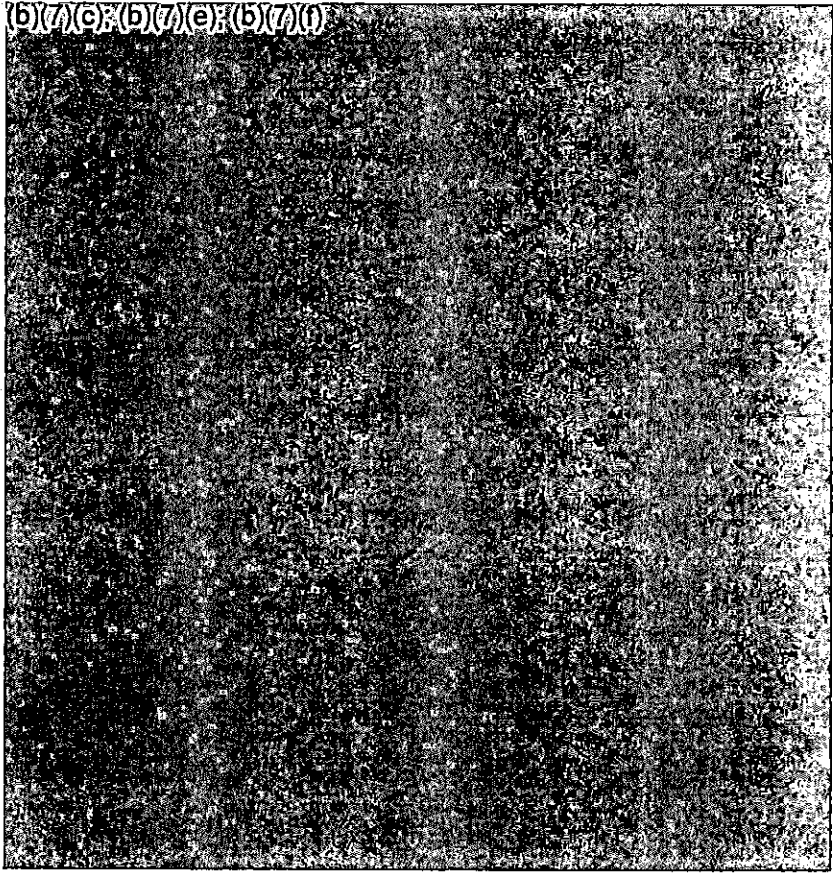
THE PRESIDENT departs Air National Guard Ramp, Des
Moines International Airport en route Iowa
Republican Headquarters.

MOTORCADE ASSIGNMENTS:

(b)(7)(c); (b)(7)(e); (b)(7)(f)



(b)(7)(C)(b)(7)(E)(b)(7)(F)



(Drive Time: 10 Minutes)

GUEST AND STAFF INSTRUCTIONS:

Upon arrival at Iowa Republican Headquarters, Guests and Staff will be escorted to Staff Viewing Area/Holding Room.

Please board Motorcade no later than 7:05 pm for transport to Embassy Suites on the River Hotel.

6:25 pm

THE PRESIDENT arrives Iowa Republican Headquarters and proceeds to Holding Room.

Met by:

Mr. Richard Schwarm
Chairman, Iowa GOP

6:30 pm THE PRESIDENT arrives Holding Room and holds briefly.

6:35 pm THE PRESIDENT departs Holding Room and proceeds to Work Room.

EVENT: TAPED INTERVIEW WITH DAVID FROST

CLOSED PRESS

6:40 pm THE PRESIDENT arrives Work Room, is Seated and begins participation in Interview.

Met by:

Mr. David Frost
Television Interviewer

7:10 pm THE PRESIDENT concludes participation in Interview, departs Work Room and boards Motorcade.

7:15 pm THE PRESIDENT departs Iowa Republican Headquarters en route Embassy Suites on the River Hotel.

MOTORCADE ASSIGNMENTS:

Same as on Arrival.

(Drive Time: 5 Minutes)

GUEST AND STAFF INSTRUCTIONS:

Upon arrival at Embassy Suites on the River Hotel, Guests and Staff should proceed to 7th Floor Elevator Lobby for Room Assignments and Keys.

7:20 pm

THE PRESIDENT arrives Embassy Suites on the River Hotel and proceeds to Suite.

Met by:

Mr. Mike Heffling
General Manager, Embassy Suites on the River Hotel

Mrs. Rose Mary Shira
Sales Manager, Embassy Suites on the River Hotel

7:25 pm

THE PRESIDENT arrives Suite for RON.

RON Des Moines, Iowa

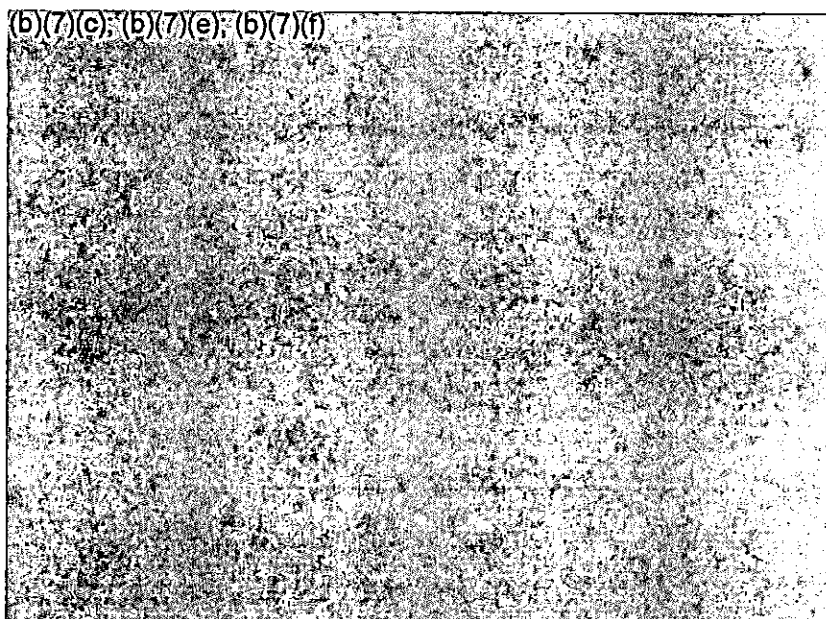
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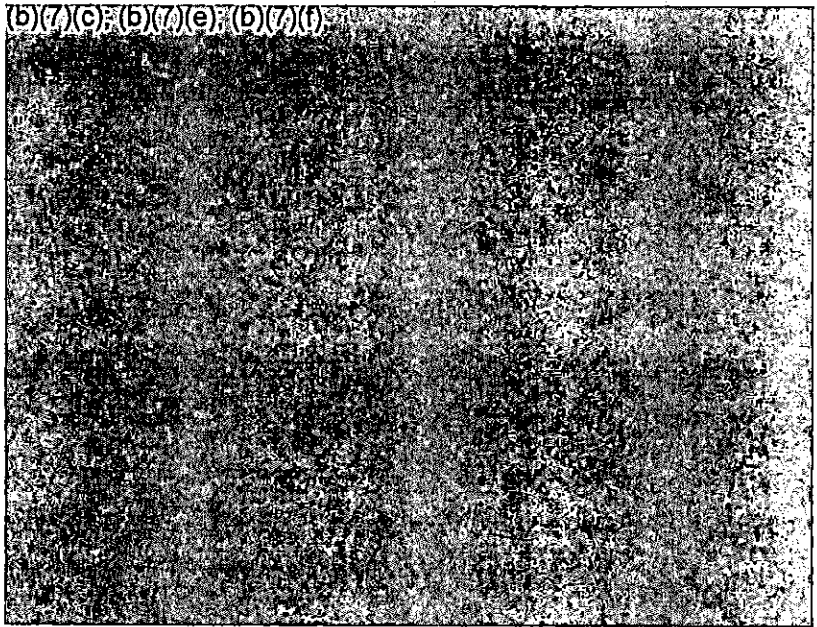
- 7:00 am Baggage Call. Please place all unlocked baggage outside your room at this time.
- 6:20 am Guests and Staff accompanying THE PRESIDENT to TODAY Show to Interview should board Motorcade at this time for transport to State Capitol.
- 8:40 am Guests and Staff not accompanying THE PRESIDENT to TODAY Show Interview should board Motorcade at this time for transport to Des Moines Convention Center.

6:30 am THE PRESIDENT departs Embassy Suites on the River Hotel en route State Capitol.

MOTORCADE ASSIGNMENTS:



(b)(7)(C)(b)(7)(E)(b)(7)(F)



(Drive Time: 5 Minutes)

GUEST AND STAFF INSTRUCTIONS:

Upon arrival at State Capitol, Guests and Staff will be escorted to Staff Viewing Area and/or Holding Room.

Please board Motorcade no later than 7:30 am for transport to Embassy Suites on the River Hotel.

6:35 am THE PRESIDENT arrives State Capitol and proceeds to Holding Room.

6:40 am THE PRESIDENT arrives Holding Room for Private Time.

(PRIVATE TIME: 12 MINUTES)

6:52 am THE PRESIDENT departs Holding Room and proceeds to Law Library Lobby.

6:55 am THE PRESIDENT arrives Law Library Lobby and holds briefly.

NOTE: THE PRESIDENT will be wired with a lavalier microphone at this time.

6:57 am THE PRESIDENT proceeds Law Library and is Seated.

Met by:

Mr. Bryant Gumbel
NBC TODAY Show Host

EVENT: TODAY SHOW INTERVIEW

CLOSED PRESS

LIVE TELEVISION COVERAGE

7:00 am THE PRESIDENT begins participation in Interview.

7:30 am THE PRESIDENT concludes participation in Interview, departs Law Library and proceeds to Holding Room.

7:35 am THE PRESIDENT arrives Holding Room and holds briefly.

7:40 am THE PRESIDENT departs Holding Room and boards Motorcade.

7:45 am THE PRESIDENT departs State Capitol en route Embassy Suites on the River Hotel.

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MOTORCADE ASSIGNMENTS:

Same as on Arrival.

(Drive Time: 5 Minutes)

7:50 am THE PRESIDENT arrives Embassy Suites on the River Hotel and proceeds to Suite.

7:55 am THE PRESIDENT arrives Suite for Private Time.

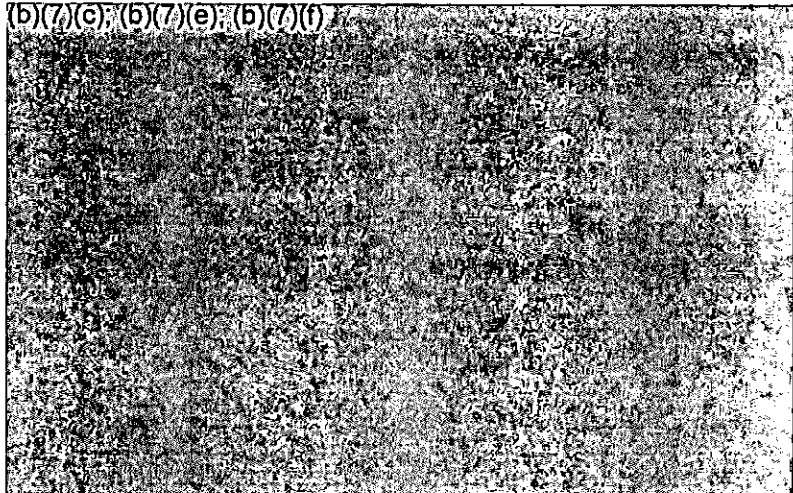
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8:45 am THE PRESIDENT departs Suite and boards Motorcade.

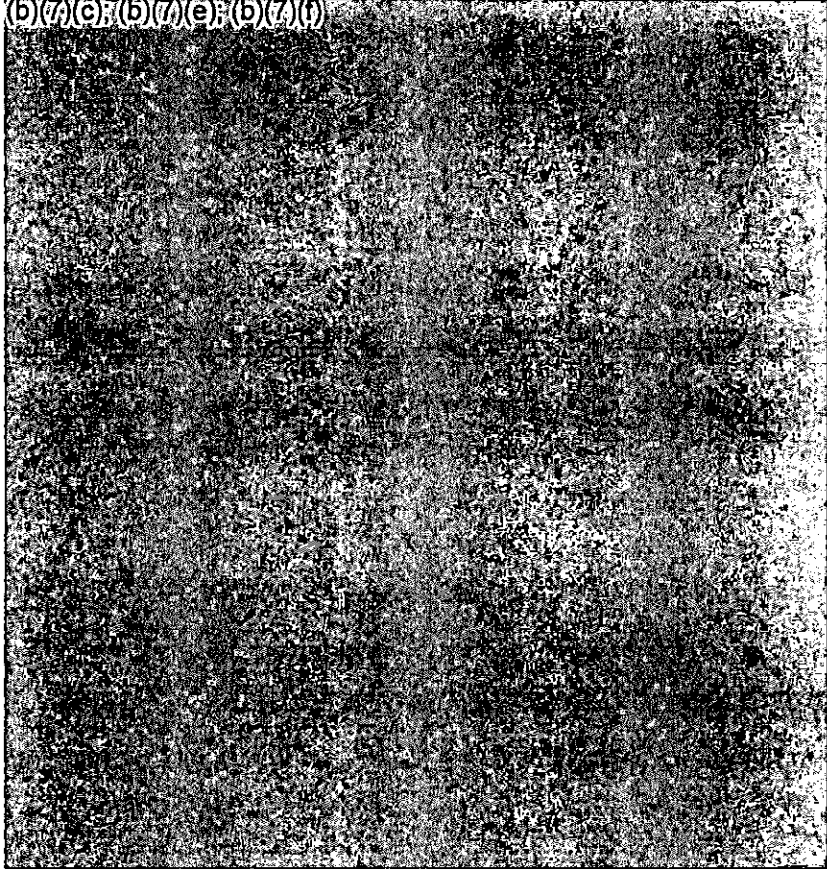
8:50 am THE PRESIDENT departs Embassy Suites on the River Hotel en route Des Moines Convention Center.

MOTORCADE ASSIGNMENTS:

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(Drive Time: 5 Minutes)

GUEST AND STAFF INSTRUCTIONS:

Upon arrival at Des Moines Convention Center, Guests and Staff will be escorted to Staff Viewing Area/Holding Room.

Please board Motorcade no later than 10:00 am for transport to Des Moines International Airport.

8:55 am

THE PRESIDENT arrives Des Moines Convention Center and proceeds to Holding Room.

Met by:

Mr. Bill Beard
General Manager, Des Moines Convention Center

8:56 am THE PRESIDENT arrives Holding Room and holds briefly.

8:58 am THE PRESIDENT departs Holding Room and proceeds to Off-Stage Area.

8:59 am THE PRESIDENT arrives Off-Stage Area and holds briefly.

EVENT: DES MOINES WELCOME/"ASK GEORGE BUSH"

OPEN PRESS

ON-STAGE ANNOUNCEMENT

REMARKS

9:00 am THE PRESIDENT is announced into Exhibit Hall 206 by The Honorable Terry E. Branstad, Governor of Iowa.

9:01 am THE PRESIDENT arrives Stage, is Seated and begins participation in "Ask George Bush."

9:40 am THE PRESIDENT concludes participation in "Ask George Bush," departs Exhibit Hall 206 and proceeds to Holding Room.

9:45 am THE PRESIDENT arrives Holding Room for Private Time.

(PRIVATE TIME: 20 MINUTES)

10:05 am THE PRESIDENT departs Holding Room and boards Motorcade.

10:10 am THE PRESIDENT departs Des Moines Convention Center en route Air National Guard Ramp, Des Moines International Airport.

MOTORCADE ASSIGNMENTS:

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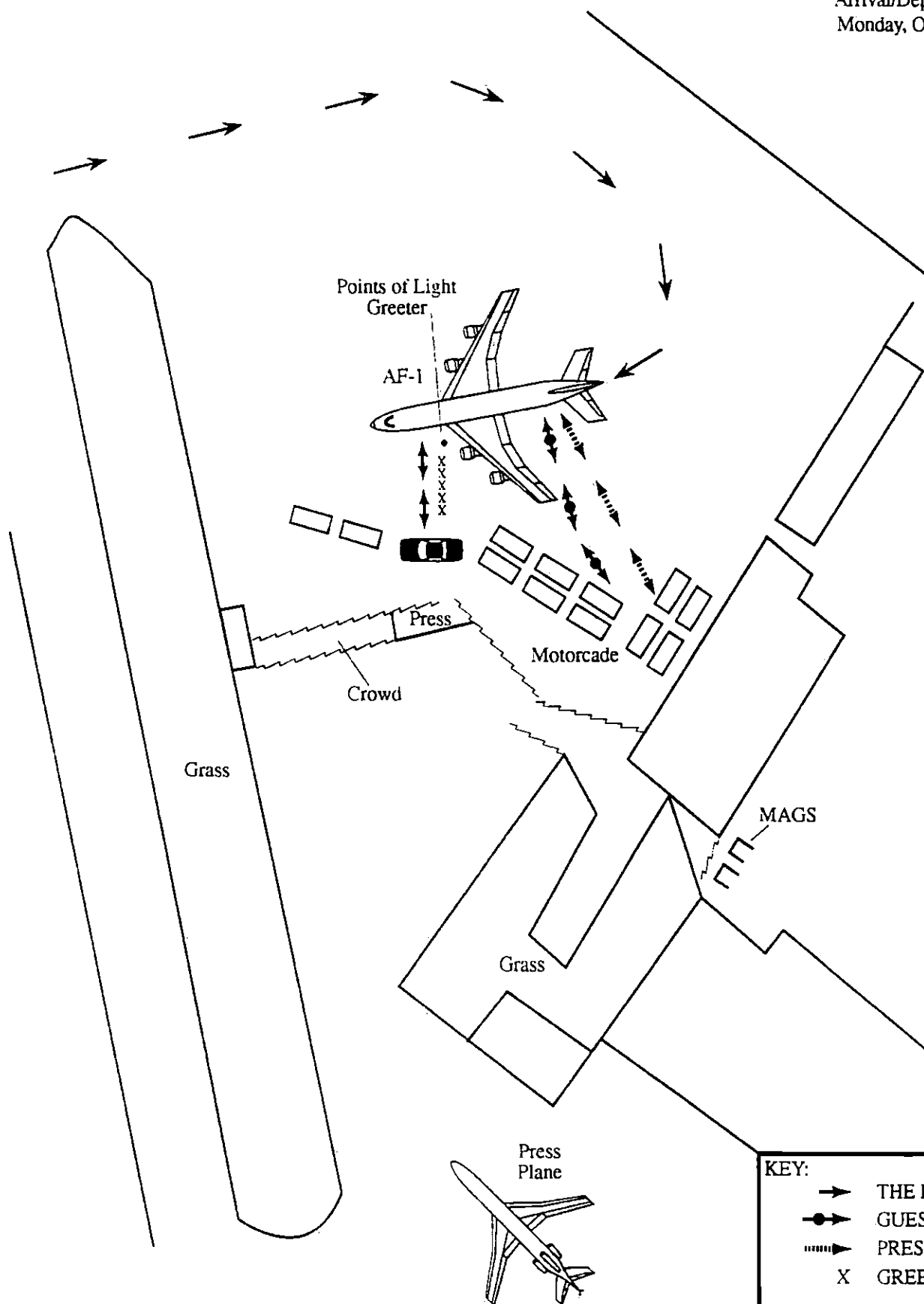
(Drive Time: 10 Minutes)

10:20 am THE PRESIDENT arrives Des Moines International Airport and boards Air Force One.

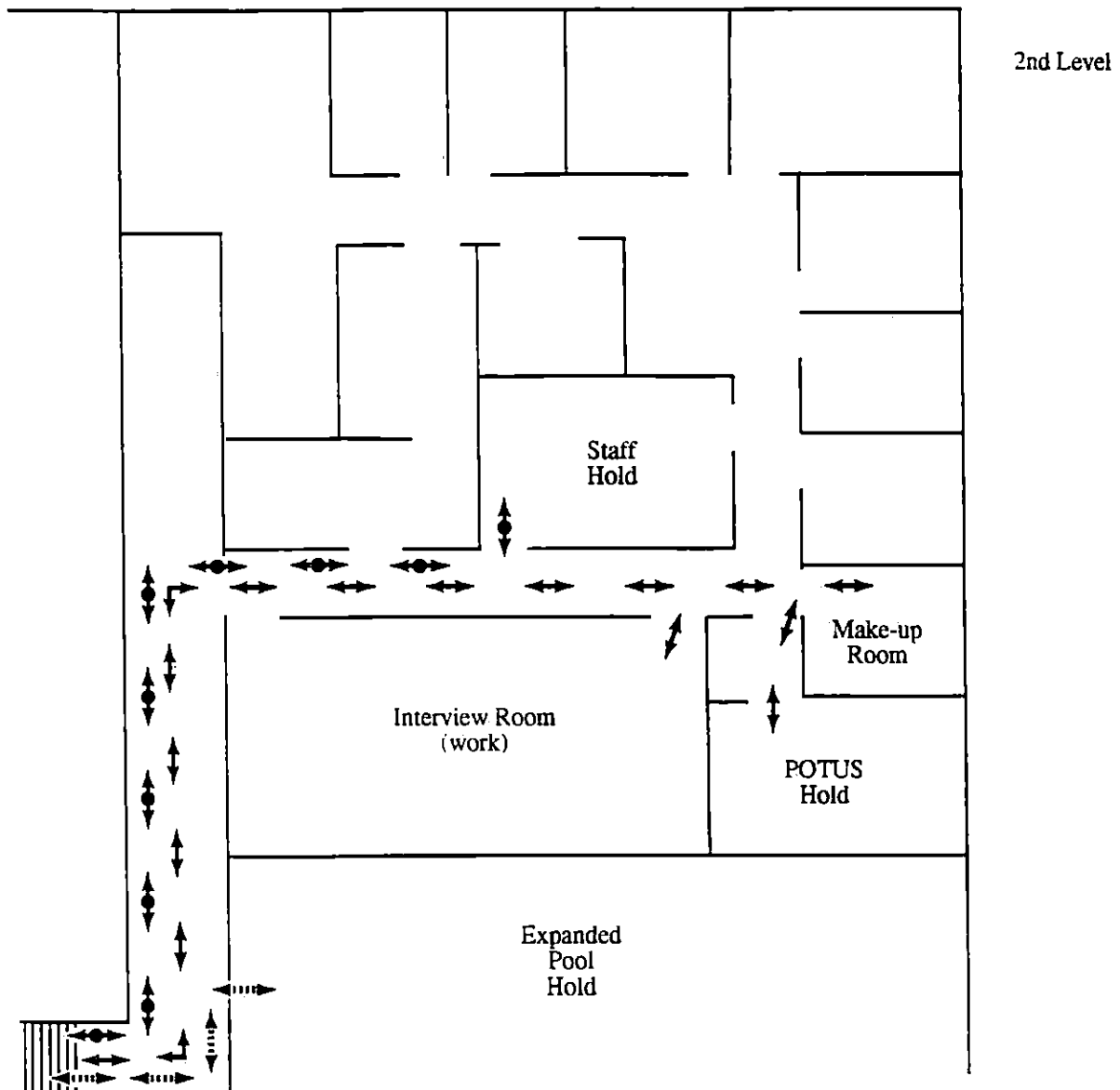
10:25 am THE PRESIDENT departs Des Moines, Iowa en route
(C.S.T.) Ft. Campbell, Kentucky.

(Flying Time: 1 Hour 15 Minutes)
(Interchange: No)
(Time Change: None)
(Food Service: Lunch)

TAB A
 DES MOINES, IOWA
 Air National Guard Ramp
 International Airport
 Arrival/Departure Diagram
 Monday, October 26, 1992



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●→	GUESTS / STAFF
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X	GREETERS



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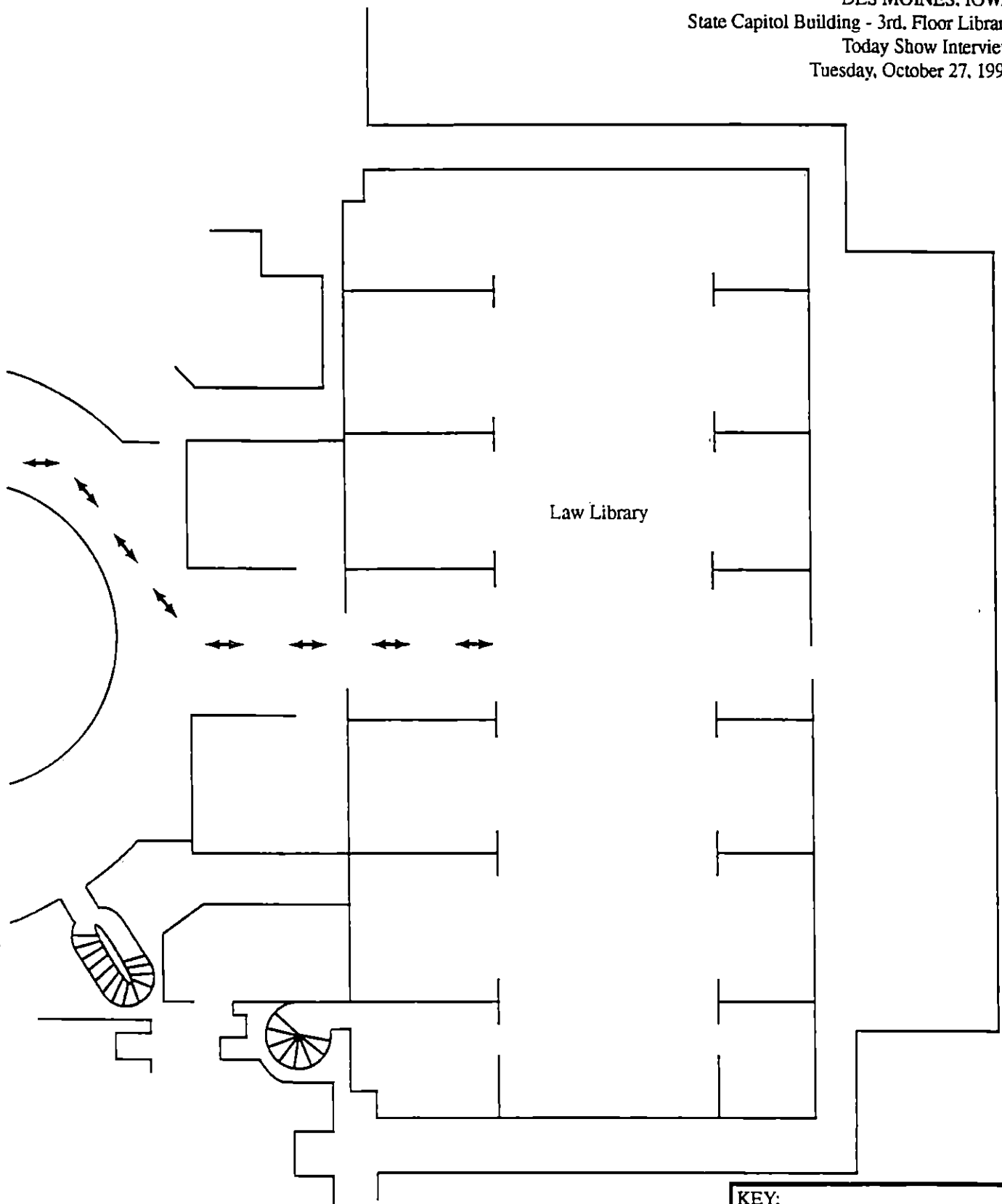
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- GUESTS / STAFF
- > PRESS POOL

State Capitol Building - 3rd. Floor Senate Chambers
Today Show Interview
Tuesday, October 27, 1992

The diagram is a floor plan of the 3rd floor of the State Capitol Building. It features a large semi-circular Senate Chamber on the left, a central corridor, and several holding areas on the right. Arrows indicate the movement of people, including the President and the interview party. The labels include: 3rd. Floor, POTUS Hold, Senior Staff Hold, Staff Hold, Make-Up Room, To Law Library, and Rotunda.

→ THE PRESIDENT
●→ GUESTS / STAFF

TAB D
DES MOINES, IOWA
State Capitol Building - 3rd. Floor Library
Today Show Interview
Tuesday, October 27, 1992



KEY:
→ THE PRESIDENT

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WHITE HOUSE ROOM LIST

DES MOINES, IOWA

FOR

OCTOBER 26 - 27, 1992

<u>OFFICE</u>	<u>HOTEL</u>	<u>ROOM</u>	<u>DROP</u>
Staff Office	Embassy Suites	705	33-220
Senior Staff Office	Embassy Suites	834	33-271
Senior Staff Office	Embassy Suites	833	33-281
USSS Command Post	Embassy Suites	524	33-238
WHCA Office	Embassy Suites	601	33-240
WHCA Comm. Center	Embassy Suites	602	33-242
Press Advance Office	Embassy Suites	707	33-224
Motorpool Dispatch	Embassy Suites	221	33-399
Security Room	Embassy Suites	823	33-308
Press Office	Fort Des Moines	316-18	33-228
Filing Center	Fort Des Moines	Indep. Hall	33-225

<u>LAST NAME</u>	<u>FIRST</u>	<u>HOTEL</u>	<u>ROOM</u>	<u>DROP</u>
ALLEN	Willie	Embassy Suites	716	
BAKER	James	Embassy Suites	811	33-312
BARLETT	Scott	Embassy Suites	731	
BATES	David	Embassy Suites	812	
BAUTISTA	Manolito	Embassy Suites	816	
BIDDLE	Susan	Embassy Suites	827	
BRADY	Phil	Embassy Suites	801	
BROWN	Terry	Embassy Suites	710	
BUSCH	Michael	Embassy Suites	720	
CARPENTER	Dave	Embassy Suites	717	
CLARKE	Torie	Embassy Suites	809	
COFFEY	David	Embassy Suites	735	
DEGUZMAN	Ariel	Embassy Suites	815	
DRAKE	Mary	Fort Des Moines	615	
EDGAR	Brad	Embassy Suites	704	
ELKINS	Brenda	Embassy Suites	715	
ENRIGHT	John	Embassy Suites	523	
FARISH	Bill	Embassy Suites	820	33-325
FELTIS	Will	Embassy Suites	730	
FITZWATER	Marlin	Embassy Suites	729	33-332
GANNON	Kelley	Embassy Suites	708	
GRANT	Mike	Embassy Suites	823	
HAWES	Thomas	Embassy Suites	835	

<u>LAST NAME</u>	<u>FIRST</u>	<u>HOTEL</u>	<u>ROOM</u>	<u>DROP</u>
HERRICK	John	Embassy Suites	831	
HERRING	Heather	Embassy Suites	826	
HOREL	Ann	Fort Des Moines	616	
HOWE	Adm.	Embassy Suites	829	33-315
HYDE	Kristin	Fort Des Moines	606	
JOHNSON	Michelle	Embassy Suites	817	33-381
KAUFMAN	Ron	Embassy Suites	805	
KELLER	John	Embassy Suites	711	
KENNELLY	Lyn	Embassy Suites	802	
LEANDER	Susan	Fort Des Moines	617	
LEE	Burton	Embassy Suites	821	
MANER	Andy	Fort Des Moines	607	
MARTIN	Christina	Embassy Suites	803	
MATALIN	Mary	Embassy Suites	808	
MCRANEY	Gerald	Embassy Suites	701	
MCSWEENEY	John	Fort Des Moines	612	33-216
MELILLO	Laura	Fort Des Moines	608	
MILLER	Rich	Embassy Suites	719	33-360
OTT	Chris	Embassy Suites	830	
PARHAM	Laura	Fort Des Moines	609	
PASQUESI	David	Embassy Suites	709	
PROVOST	Steven	Embassy Suites	807	
ROSA	Marco	Embassy Suites	815	
ROSS	Mitch	Embassy Suites	224	
SINISCALCHI	K.	Embassy Suites	822	
SMITH	Dorrance	Embassy Suites	832	
SMITH	Judy	Fort Des Moines	610	
SPRIGS	Danny	Embassy Suites	824	
SUNTUM	Peggy	Fort Des Moines	618	
THOMPSON	Beth	Embassy Suites	806	
TOMZAK	Walt	Embassy Suites	605	
TUTWILER	Margaret	Embassy Suites	810	
VALDEZ	David	Embassy Suites	728	
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WALSH	Sean	Fort Des Moines	611	
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YOUNG	Phil	Embassy Suites	712	
ZAMARIA	Rose	Embassy Suites	814	

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 23, 1992

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

THROUGH:

HENSON MOORE

BK for HM

FROM:

BOBBIE KILBERG

BK

HIROSHI WALD

HW

SUBJECT:

IOWA

I. RECENT CORRESPONDENCE

On September 21, Governor Terry Branstad wrote regarding the extensive flood damage suffered in nine counties. He urged you to take immediate action on his formal application for disaster declaration. On October 2, you issued this declaration.

II. KEY STATE ISSUES

A. Unemployment Rates (not seasonally adjusted)

	<i>Statewide</i>	<i>Des Moines</i>
August 1992	3.6 percent	4.0 percent
July 1992	4.2 percent	3.6 percent
August 1991	4.6 percent	4.0 percent

B. Drug Arrest

Iowa's state GOP political director, Will Lynch, was arrested Friday on cocaine and assault charges. Early AP wire reports indicate that police were called to his home on a domestic disturbance call. Lynch was subsequently arrested, charged and released after posting bond.

C. Ethanol/Agriculture

The state is the second largest producer of ethanol in the nation and your October 1 ethanol decision has been very popular. 91 percent of the state's land is devoted to 115,369 farms. The state's primary crop is corn and, under current ethanol production levels, is a \$700 million industry.

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D. Exports/NAFTA

Iowa's exports rose 5.4 percent to \$2.7 billion in 1990, up 48 percent from their 1987 levels. Iowa's trade to our NAFTA partners follows:

Canada

1991	\$743 million
1990	\$940 million

* A decrease of 21 percent

Mexico

1991	\$108 million
1987	\$94 million

* An increase of 15 percent

Iowa's exports to Canada and Mexico support an estimated 26,000 jobs throughout the state.

E. Healthcare Project

Deputy Insurance Commissioner Daniel Winegarden was appointed to run a 2-year, \$680,000 healthcare project that attempts to reform the state's healthcare system. The Governor has directed Winegarden to find a private sector plan that provides broad access to healthcare without government control.

F. Education

- ▶ **School Funding:** Public schools will receive a smaller increase in state aid due to higher pay for state workers and a 16 percent growth in the Medicaid Program. Additionally, the school spending formula has been eliminated, forcing schools to compete with other groups for its share of the state budget.
- ▶ **Open Enrollment:** A four-year-old Open Enrollment Law allows families to choose their school district, tuition free. At least 7,500 students are participating in the program this fall.
- ▶ **State University Fee Increase:** The State Board of Regents voted in favor of a 5 percent in-state tuition increase and a 7.5 percent increase for out-of-state students. The Regents felt the fee increase was necessary to maintain the quality of education.

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- ▶ **AMERICA 2000:** Secretary Alexander joined Governor Branstad and members of the New Iowa Schools Development Corporation in Des Moines on October 21, 1991 to kickoff IOWA 2000. The New Iowa Schools Development Corporation is coordinating the state's AMERICA 2000 efforts, but has had difficulty finding funds for its efforts.

G. Lead in Drinking Water

On October 20, EPA released a study of lead and copper levels in drinking water; 130 of the nation's 660 large public water systems exceed the lead "action levels" of 15 parts per billion (ppb) established by regulations pursuant to the Safe Drinking Water Act. Des Moines is listed with a level of 21 ppb, exceeding the established action level. EPA will require the use of corrosion control measures which will alleviate 90% of the problem within 5 to 6 years.

H. Crime/Drugs

- ▶ **Des Moines Police Chief, William Moulder:** Has credited the Bush Administration's strong consistent support of law enforcement and criminal sanctions as a reason for the city's progress against the spread of illegal drugs.
- ▶ **Chief substances of abuse in Des Moines:** Crack cocaine, marijuana and methamphetamines

I. Federal Grants

- ▶ **Drug Grants (Justice, HHS and Education)**

1993 \$16 million
1989 \$8.2 million
* A 96 percent increase

- ▶ **Labor Grants**

<i>Migrant and seasonal worker grants</i>	\$1.5 million
<i>JTPA dislocated worker grants</i>	\$1.7 million

- ▶ **HHS Grants**

<i>Healthy Start</i>	\$2.8 million
<i>Head Start</i>	\$16 million
<i>AIDS Grants</i>	\$1.2 million
<i>Ryan White C.A.R.E.</i>	\$353,140

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

October 23, 1992

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: RONALD C. KAUFMAN *(initials)*
DEPUTY ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT
FOR POLITICAL AFFAIRS

SUBJECT: IOWA POLITICAL BRIEFING

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT VISIT

The President will travel to Des Moines, Iowa. Des Moines is located in the 4th Congressional District. Incumbent Democrat Neal Smith is being challenged by Republican attorney Paul Lunde.

POLITICAL HOT POINTS

Governor Clinton will be in Des Moines on Saturday, October 24 for a rally and also a closed meeting with organized labor at the Iowa State Fair Grounds. Clinton will speak by satellite to labor organizations around the country for get out the vote purposes.

Bill Clinton was in Indianola, on September 27. He was joined by Iowa Senator Tom Harkin, (Indianola is the city where Tom Harkin announced he was running for President). Clinton drew a crowd of around 4,000 - 5,000 people. Clinton/Gore also traveled through eastern Iowa on one of their bus tours earlier this summer.

Hillary Clinton was in Des Moines last Friday to attend the Democrat's Jefferson/Jackson Day Dinner.

The latest public poll by the Des Moines Register, conducted 10/4-9, +/- 3,4%:

Clinton	44%
Bush	38%
Perot	8%
Undecided	10%

Internal polling done by Grassley for Senate show the following:

	<u>NOW</u>	<u>Last week</u>
Clinton	38.9%	40.0%
Bush	32.5%	31.0%
Perot	13%	9.5%

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The President's recent announcement to grant a one-pound waiver of Reid Vapor Pressure requirements for gasoline blended with ethanol in northern U.S. cities will benefit Iowa a great deal.

The jobless rate in Iowa is at 3.6% which is less than 1/2 the national rate. The Des Moines Register reports that the Midwest is pulling out of the recession faster than most of the United States.

Governor **Terry Branstad** had a tough legislative session due to the state's severe budget problems. One of Branstad's toughest critics this year was Republican State Auditor **Richard Johnson**, who claims the Governor was using questionable bookkeeping to balance the state's budget.

1992 POLITICAL OUTLOOK

The Iowa Presidential Caucuses were held on February 10, 1992, with the **Bush/Quayle** ticket unopposed. The President picked up all 23 delegates.

The **Bush/Quayle** ticket lost the state of Iowa in 1988 with 44% of the vote. Iowa lost one of its Congressional Districts after reapportionment in 1990 leaving it with seven electoral votes in 1992.

1992 CONGRESSIONAL OUTLOOK

1992 U.S. Senate Campaign

Incumbent Republican Senator **Charles Grassley** is taking nothing for granted in his re-election effort. His challenger is state Senator **Jean Lloyd-Jones**.

Earlier this year **Jean Lloyd-Jones** travelled to Washington, D.C. to raise money meanwhile missing 39 votes back in the state Senate. Senator **Grassley** with a 99.9% voting record in the Senate is making this an issue in the campaign.

A Des Moines Register poll conducted 9/8-15 with a margin of error of +/- 3.5%.

Grassley	63%
Lloyd-Jones	31%

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U.S. Congress

In CD 1, incumbent Republican Congressman **Jim Leach** has a solid seat and will face businessman **Jon Zonneveld** in November.

In CD 2, a new district has been formed out of CD 3 and CD 2 because of reapportionment. The new district pits two incumbents against each other, first term Republican **Jim Nussle** will face third term Democrat **Dave Nagle**. The two candidates are ideological opposites. **Nussle** is a conservative who argues against taxes and wants to reduce spending, while **Nagle** emphasizes economic change and tax fairness. Congressman **Nussle** has received national coverage for his work in forcing the Congressional Bank scandal into the public light.

Congressman **Nagle** is very popular with his work on the proposed new interstate, "Avenue of the Saints", which would link St. Paul, Minnesota with St. Louis, Missouri -- passing through eastern Iowa. He may have trouble explaining 6 bounced checks at the House Bank after declaring he did not have an account there, which was he later revised to have only written 12 checks altogether. A recent Des Moines Register poll puts **Nussle** 6 points ahead of **Nagle**.

In CD 3, incumbent Republican Congressman **Jim Lightfoot** is in a very tough race. Redistricting has changed his district taking part of the old 1st District and combining it with his old 5th District. This has produced a 20,000 voter registration deficit. Congressman **Lightfoot** has over 60 bounced checks totaling more than \$8,000. His Democrat challenger is state Secretary of State, **Elaine Baxter**. Recently a poll showed **Lightfoot** down by 14%.

In CD 4, incumbent Democrat Congressman **Neal Smith** will face Republican attorney **Paul Lunde**. This is a safe seat for the Democrats.

In CD 5, incumbent Republican Congressman **Fred Grandy** has no opposition.

STATEWIDE OUTLOOK

Governor

Governor Terry Branstad (R) and Senator Tom Harkin (D) were both elected in 1990 and will not be up for re-election until 1994 and 1996 respectively.

Legislature

Iowa Republican were very successful at increasing their numbers in the legislature in 1990 and there is a good chance the GOP may be able to gain a majority in either the House or the Senate in 1992.

PARTY / CAMPAIGN ACTIVITY

Phone banks have been step up in almost every county in Iowa.

The GOP has initiated an absentee ballot program.

KEY REPUBLICAN LEADERS

Governor Terry Branstad
George Wittgraf
Richard Schwarm

Stephen Roberts
Gwen Boeke
Charles Grassley
Fred Grandy
Jim Leach
Jim Lightfoot
Joy Corning
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Last Week in Congress

Congress last week finally sent to the White House several bills that President Bush may veto. But congressional leaders held on to the massive tax bill (HR 11) until Friday — long enough that Bush need not take any action on it before the election.

Several other controversial bills — including a Western water project bill (HR 429), the housing authorization bill (HR 5334) and a measure that would overturn an administration ban on abortions at overseas military hospitals (S 3144) — were sent to the White House early enough to force a final action on the measures before the election. At press time Friday, no White House action on any of the bills had been reported.

The delay in sending the tax bill to the White House was arranged by congressional Democrats in hopes that Bush would sign the bill after the election.

The bill would establish 50 enterprise zones to stimulate growth in impoverished areas and includes number of tax breaks, such as a restoration of tax-deductible Individual Retirement Accounts and a repeal of a luxury tax.

But it also includes a number of tax increases that administration officials said would violate Bush's "no new taxes" pledge.

It was cleared Oct. 8, but Democrats decided to delay transmitting it to the White House in hopes that Bush would sign it after the election. A president has 10 days — not including Sundays — after receiving a bill to either sign or veto it. Bush can wait until after the election to decide the fate of any bill sent to him on or after Oct. 22.

Democrats and some Republicans held out hope that without the election pressure, Bush would sign the measure. Guy Vander Jagt, R-Mich., said that he thought Bush might sign it because it included a number of tax cuts.

Vice President Dan Quayle said on Friday that he does not believe Bush will

sign the bill. Sen. Hank Brown, R-Colo., says that it should be vetoed, "because it is clearly a tax increase of large proportions."

Rep. Fred Grandy, R-Iowa, said that the decision to delay the bill indicates Democrats are trying to avoid risks so close to the election. "They probably figure there could be a possible political liability for them," he said.

While Democrats chose not to press the president's hand before the election on the tax bill, other measures were sent in time to force a Bush decision before Nov. 3.

The housing, water and military abortion bills were all sent Oct. 20 — meaning Bush will have to sign or veto them by Oct. 31, just three days before the election.

The abortion measure is the only one that is sure to be vetoed. Bush has remained mum about the water bill, which would authorize funding for numerous federal water projects and establish a new federal water policy in Western states. Vice President Quayle has said that he thought Bush would veto the bill.

Of the three, the housing measure, which authorizes federal programs for fiscal 1993-94, is the most likely to be signed, notwithstanding the objections of Jack F. Kemp, secretary of Housing and Urban Development. He wanted it to reverse changes to a federal home loan program included in the fiscal 1993 spending bill for HUD (HR 5679 — PL 102-389), but it could be signed anyway.

HOUSE ADMINISTRATOR named by Foley, Michel.

After months of delay, House leaders on Friday were finally able to name a House administrator, a new position created after the House bank and House Post Office scandals.

Retired Lt. Gen. Leonard P. Wishart III, will oversee almost all House internal operations, including payroll, postal operations, the House restaurant system

and the network of office computers.

In a joint statement, Speaker Thomas S. Foley, D-Wash., and Minority Leader Robert H. Michel, R-Ill., said that Wishart "will bring to this new position the level of expertise required by the standards that were set by the House."

In the aftermath of the internal scandals, the House voted 269-81 in April to create a new administrator's position and to overhaul the way the House runs its internal operations.

Although leaders said at the time that the position would be filled within three months, Foley and Michel were unable to agree on a candidate until Friday.

GOVERNMENT WASTE pegged at \$310 billion over last 12 years.

The federal government has wasted \$310 billion since 1980, according to a report released last week by the House Government Operations Committee.

"Government waste ranges from the petty to the serious to the absurd," said panel Chairman John Conyers Jr., D-Mich.

Conyers said one of the most egregious examples of waste uncovered by the panel was a weapons plant contractor who used taxpayer dollars to purchase a custom-made grandfather clock, wood inlaid staircase, wine press, liquor still and special coins and medals.

The bulk of the money is not wasted as much as it goes uncollected, according to the report. For example, the Internal Revenue Service is owed \$125 billion in back taxes. "Until now there has never been a comprehensive congressional review of the size and extent of serious management problems across the executive branch," said Conyers.

BULLET TAX pushed by Moynihan to deter violence.

Taxes might be used more creatively to combat firearm violence, doctors said at a Senate hearing last Friday on a proposal to impose a 1,000 percent tax on three types of bullets used in handguns.

The proposal, introduced in the 102nd Congress (S 3373), by Sen. Daniel Patrick Moynihan, D-N.Y., would also create a new National Institutes of Health center devoted to study gun-related deaths and ways to control them.

A panel of doctors endorsed the plan, pointing to success in public health

Notice to Subscribers

This will be the only issue of the *Monitor* you will receive this week.

The next issue will be dated and delivered on Monday, Nov. 2. That issue will preview the Nov. 3 presidential and congressional elections, highlighting key races and listing members who are virtually assured of election.

campaigns against smoking and automobile deaths.

Dr. Robert McAfee, an American Medical Association board member, said violence, including use of guns, "has reached epidemic proportions."

Moynihan's bill would have set the excise tax on 9 mm and .25- and .32-caliber bullets at 1,000 percent, except for sales to government.

Physicians said the cost of treating gunshot victims is nearly \$1 billion a year.

Moynihan plans to reintroduce the bill when the 103rd Congress convenes next year.

INDEPENDENT COUNSEL requested for Iraq probe.

Senate Judiciary Committee Democrats last week formally asked Attorney General William P. Barr to name an independent counsel to investigate the Bush administration's handling of illegal loans to Iraq.

In doing so, the lawmakers rejected Barr's decision Oct. 16 to appoint U.S. District Judge Frederick B. Lacey as a special investigator under his control.

"We believe that you should seek appointment of an independent counsel to investigate the possible obstruction of justice that may have occurred by officials of the Justice Department, FBI and CIA," said the Democrats' letter to Barr.

The Atlanta branch of Banco Nazionale del Lavoro, an Italian bank, made \$5.5 billion in illegal loans to Iraq during the mid-1980s.

Barr has 30 days to respond to the congressional request.

BREAST CANCER drug worth the risks, NIH tells panel.

An official of the National Institutes of Health (NIH) defended its planned use of the drug tamoxifen on thousands of healthy women before a House Government Operations subcommittee last week, saying that the drug's potential to prevent breast cancer outweighed other risks.

NIH is about to begin a study of 16,000 healthy women to determine if tamoxifen will decrease the likelihood of breast cancer. But the drug has risks: some claim it may cause cancer of the uterus, blood clots and birth defects.

"It is important to keep in mind the dimensions of these potential benefits," Peter Greenwald, director of cancer prevention and control at NIH, told the Human Resources and Governmental Relations Subcommittee.

The women being used in the study are volunteers who are healthy but who are believed to be at risk for breast cancer.

Greenwald said that women screened were informed of the potential risks, but one woman who was tested said the in-

formation was not adequate.

Sybil Fainberg said that after the NIH informational briefing for prospective volunteers, "I went away feeling that I was not provided with enough information to make an informed decision on whether to participate in the study."

HOUSE MAILINGS way up, says National Taxpayers Union.

Mass mailing by House members to their districts is way up in this election year, the National Taxpayers Union said last week.

According to the group, in the first eight months of 1992 House members sent 195 million pieces of mail at a cost of \$29.7 million. That is a 40 percent increase over 1991, which was not an election year.

David Keating, president of the National Taxpayers Union, called the mailing "self-promoting propaganda" and said they give incumbents a huge advantage over their challengers. "Excessive use of the frank is undermining the fairness of elections by subsidizing incumbents," he said.

Les Aspin, D-Wis., defended the mailings as proper. "Members of Congress are obligated to keep the folks at

home informed about the work of Congress, and mail is the most effective way to do this," he said.

U.S. DRUG prices are 32% higher than Canada's, says GAO.

U.S. consumers pay 32 percent more for prescription drugs than their Canadian counterparts, according to a General Accounting Office (GAO) study released last week.

"Once again, the United States is behind the rest of the world in providing affordable health care to our people," said Rep. Henry A. Waxman, D-Calif., who requested the study.

GAO, the investigative arm of Congress, surveyed the prices of 121 drugs most frequently prescribed. U.S. prices were almost always higher. According to the study, the drugs were cheaper in Canada because of bulk purchases of drugs by the government and regulations that limit increases in prices.

"Canada has found ways to control prescription drug prices," said Waxman, chairman of the House Energy and Commerce panel's Health Subcommittee. "So have most other countries. It is time for the United States to get on the bandwagon." ■

Meetings & Events Scheduled

Meetings & Events Today

BANK FAILURES

Senate Banking Committee

The full committee (Chairman Riegle, D-Mich.) will hold a hearing on the expectation that a large number of banks will be closed during the month of December because they will be unable to meet strict new capital-holding requirements mandated by new federal banking laws.

10am SD-538 Dirksen Bldg. October 26

Witnesses scheduled: John P. LaWare - member, Federal Reserve Board of Governors; Andrew Hove - acting chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corp.; Stephen Steinbrink - acting comptroller of the currency

HOW TO FOLLOW BUDGET & APPROPRIATIONS DECISIONS

Congressional Quarterly will sponsor a seminar on how to monitor congressional appropriations and budget decisions.

9am to 4pm, Washington Marriott, 1221 22nd St. N.W. October 26 & 27

Note: There is a \$695 charge for this event. For information and reservations call Vincent Bryant at 202-887-8620 (or toll-free: 1-800-432-2250, ext. 620)

Senate Committee Future Listings

★ U.S. EXPORT CONTROL POLICY

Senate Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee (Chairman Riegle, D-Mich.) will hold a hearing on the U.S. export control policy toward Iraq, prior to the 1990 invasion of Kuwait.

10am SD-538 Dirksen Bldg. October 27

Witnesses scheduled:

PANEL: Rep. Gonzalez, D-Texas

PANEL: Gen. Brent Scowcroft - National Security Advisor (tentative); Robert Mosbacher - former secretary of Commerce (tentative); Dennis Kloske - former under secretary of Commerce for export administration (tentative)

PANEL: Gary Milhollin - director, Wisconsin Project on Nuclear Arms Control; Henry M. Rowan - chairman, Inductotherm Industries, Inc.; David Kay - secretary general, The Uranium Institute; Kenneth R. Timmerman - publisher, Middle East Defense News

KOREAN WAR POWs & MIAs

Senate POW/MIA Affairs Committee (Chairman Kerry, D-Mass.) will hold hearings on missing servicemen from the Korean War and allegations that some American service men were held prisoner by the Soviet Union.

9:30am SH-216 Hart Bldg. November 10 & 11

Senate continued...**House Committees****Future Listings**★ **WOMEN'S HEALTH TESTING**

Health and the Environment Subcommittee (Chairman Waxman, D-Calif.) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will hold a hearing on a general accounting office report on the extent to which women are included in clinical trials on the safety and efficacy of pharmaceuticals.

9:45am 2123 Rayburn Bldg. October 29

Field Hearings**FREEDOM OF RELIGION**

Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee (Chairman Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold field hearings on proposed amendments to the American Indian Religious Freedom Act of 1978 (P.L. 95-341).

Los Angeles, Calif. November 12

Albuquerque, New Mexico November 13

Other Events**Future Listings****ELECTION AND THE BUDGET**

National Economists Club will sponsor a luncheon meeting to hear Joseph Minarik, executive director for policy and chief economist of the House Budget Committee discuss "An Election Update on the Federal Budget."

Noon to 1:30pm, Montpelier dining room, Library of Congress Madison Bldg., 101 Independence Ave. S.E. October 27

Contact: 703-532-9048

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$10 for members and \$15 for non-members. For reservations call the number listed above. Deadline for reservations is noon the day before the luncheon is scheduled.

**HEALTH INDUSTRY
PAYMENT POLICIES**

Health Industry Manufacturers Association will sponsor a conference on "Payment Policies in Transition: Making Changes Work for You."

Ramada Renaissance Techworld October 28

Contact: Catherine Cahill at 202-434-7249 or Steve Speil at 202-434-7248

Congressional highlight

12:45pm: Luncheon - The Politics of Health Care Reform

David Abernethy (professional staff) and Charles Kahn III (minority counsel) - House Ways and Means Health Subcommittee

**ABOVEGROUND STORAGE
TANK REGULATION**

Morton International will sponsor a seminar on aboveground storage tanks and secondary containment, focusing on the problem of leaks and spills from aboveground storage tanks and the need for legislation to regulate

aboveground storage tanks.

8:45am to Noon, Hyatt Regency Hotel Capitol Hill October 28

Contact: Jane Ostrander at 312-807-3329 or Mary Blazevich at 202-638-3730

Note: There is no charge for this event, but reservations are required. To reserve a space call 1-800-257-9596.

TRANSIT POLICY

Women's Transportation Seminar will sponsor panel discussion on the implementation of the 1991 surface transportation act, focusing on the changes it will bring to the public transportation community and what effect it will have on federal transportation transit policy.

11:30am, Bellevue Hotel, 15 E St. N.W. October 28

Contact: Catherine Connor at 202-637-8150

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$17 for members and \$22 for non-members. For reservations send a check, made payable to Women's Transportation Seminar, to:

Catherine Connor
Parsons Brinckerhoff
555 13th St. N.W.
Suite 460 W
Washington, D.C. 20004

JAPAN'S WORLD ROLE

Economic Strategy Institute will sponsor a lecture on "Japan's Emerging World Role" by Edward Lincoln, senior fellow at the Brookings Institution.

Noon to 1pm, 1100 Connecticut Ave. N.W., Suite 1300 October 28

Contact: 202-728-0993

**WOMEN'S ENERGY COUNCIL
ANNUAL MEETING**

Women's Council on Energy and Environment will hold its annual meeting. National Institutes of Health Director Bernadine Healy will be the honoree and speaker.

6pm to 8pm (program begins at 6:30pm) SH-216 Hart Bldg. October 29

Contact: Jill Schaefer at 202-293-1775

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$25 for members and \$35 for non-members. For reservations send a check, made payable to WCEE, to:

WCEE
P.O. Box 33211
Washington, D.C. 20033

★ **RELIGIOUS RIGHT &
THE 103rd CONGRESS**

Greater Washington Area Chapter of the Ripon Society will sponsor a talk by Alan Crawford, author of *Thunder on the Right*, who will discuss "The Radical Religious Right's Agenda for the 103rd Congress — An End to Hope for a Republican Majority."

12:30pm 1416 Longworth Bldg. October 30

Contact: 202-546-1292

★ **CANDIDATE POLICIES
ON TRADE**

Washington International Trade Association will sponsor a luncheon panel discussion on the trade policies of President Bush and Governor Clinton. Clinton will be represented by Dr. Paula Stern, former chair of the U.S. International Trade Commission. The Bush representative will be announced.

12:30pm to 2pm National Press Club, 524 14th St., N.W. November 2

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$30 for members in advance and \$35 at the door and for guests. For reservations send a check, made payable to WITA, to:

Washington International Trade Association
2025 I St. N.W.
Suite 822
Washington, D.C. 20006

★ **ELECTION REVIEW**

American League of Lobbyists will sponsor a post-election analytical briefing.

5pm to 7pm National Press Club, 524 14th St., N.W. November 4

Contact: Patti Jo Baber at 703-960-3011

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$30 for members and \$40 for non-members. For reservations send a check, made payable to ALL, to:

American League of Lobbyists
P.O. Box 30005
Alexandria, Va.
22310

Deadline is November 2

★ **LOBBYING &
LEGISLATIVE PRACTICE**

Continuing Legal Education Division of Georgetown University Law Center will sponsor a seminar on lobbying and legislative practice.

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Other continued. . .

Georgetown University Law Center, 600 New Jersey Ave. N.W. **November 5 & 6**

Contact: 202-408-0990

Note: There is a charge for this event \$395. For more information call the number listed above.

★ ELECTION WRAP-UP

PACs, Politics, Grassroots Task Force of Women in Government Relations will sponsor a luncheon meeting to hear a panel of experts discuss the 1992 elections.

Noon, Washington Court Hotel, **November 5**

Contact: Kelly Slone at 202-223-4016 or Susan Smith at 202-463-8880

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$35 for members, \$40 for guests and \$45 for non-members. For reservations send a check, made payable to WGR, to:

Women in Government Relations
1325 Massachusetts Ave. N.W.
Suite 510

Washington D.C. 20005-4171

Deadline is October 29

BANKING & ECONOMIC ISSUES

National Economists Club will sponsor a luncheon meeting to hear W. Lee Hoskins, president and CEO of Huntington National Bank, discuss "Issues in Banking and Economics."

Noon to 1:30pm, Montpelier dining room, Library of Congress Madison Bldg., 101 Independence Ave. S.E. **November 5**

Contact: 703-532-9048

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$10 for members and \$15 for non-members. For reservations call the number listed above. Deadline for reservations is noon the day before the luncheon is scheduled.

★ EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION

Banking and Finance Task Force of Women in Government Relations will sponsor a luncheon forum on "Executive Compensation: Accounting and Disclosure of Executive Stock Options."

Noon, National Democratic Club, 30 Ivy St. S.E. **November 10**

Contact: Lisa Dinackus at 202-434-9276

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$30 for members, \$40 for guests and \$45 for non-members. For reservations send a check, made payable to WGR, to:

Women in Government Relations
1325 Massachusetts Ave. N.W.
Suite 510

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Agenda:

8:55am: Opening speaker - John White, former director of issues for Perot presidential campaign and former deputy director of Office of Management and Budget.

9:25am: Budget Performance Measures: Good, Bad or Ugly?" - Joe Wholey, director of Washington Public Affairs Cents of the University of Southern California

10:35am: WORKSHOPS

- a) Performance Measures: Can They Be Done?
- b) The Defense Experience with Downsizing
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11:25: WORKSHOPS

- d) The Future Links Between the Federal Budget and Government Accounting
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1:20pm: Proposed Balanced Budget Amendment to the Constitution - Robert Bork

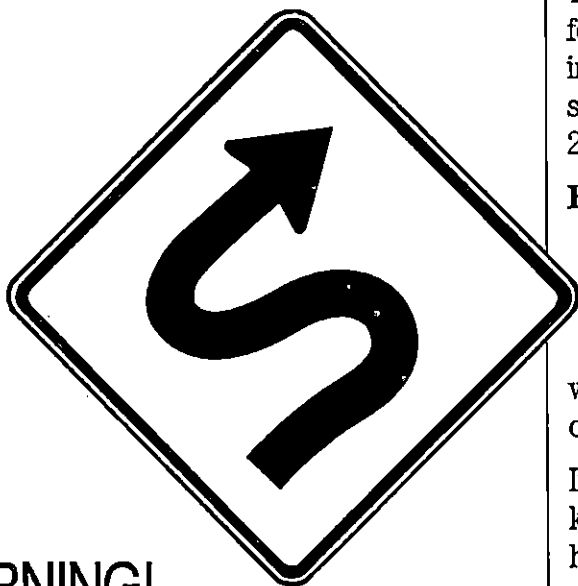
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- g) Balanced Budget Requirements: The Experience in the States
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3:35pm: KEYNOTE

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