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cannot learn or plan for them, take back the streets. And the police chief, who do evil. The word "evil" is a reference to... Well, we've all... sophisticated arguing... into empty... But the... You see, close up and... crime, and... of right... you will. And... that cannot... between right... itself.

writing, arithmetic, and respect in the schools of this country. And while we're at it, I might add, respect for the teachers who give their lives to help educate these wonderful kids.

What I've called the Thousand Points of Light, that galaxy of individuals and institutions who live not just for themselves but also to serve others, is really what we're talking about here today. Each day at the White House, I announce now a daily Point of Light, an individual or group working to rid our communities of drugs or homelessness or hunger or illiteracy, loneliness—so many other problems. And nowhere in America is there a group more deserving than today's Presidential Point of Light, a bright star in our nationwide battle: the Acres Homes War on Drugs. And thank you, thank all of you for demonstrating that each point of light counts; each point can mean one life changed, one life saved. But we need thousands, thousands in every city and every neighborhood. And if anyone wants to know just how bright that light can be when a thousand points come together, look around you; look at the home of strong hearts, clear minds, and indomitable will; look at the people of Winzer Park.

Thank you for this warm greeting on this December day. God bless you all. I hope every one of you have a wonderful, Merry Christmas. God bless you, and God bless the United States of America. Thank you very much.

Note: The President spoke at 2:10 p.m. in Andrew Winzer Park. In his remarks, he referred to Erma Scales and Thelma La-Strap, chairwoman and secretary of the Acres Homes War on Drugs Committee, respectively. These remarks were not received in time for inclusion in last week's issue.

Remarks at a Fundraising Dinner for Senator Phil Gramm in Houston, Texas December 7, 1989

Thank you, Phil. I'll admit it: These days I'm a little nervous when I give a speech on December 7th—Pearl Harbor Day, I think. [Laughter]

To our dear friend Wendy Gramm and the Secretary of the Treasury, Nick Brady, and to Dr. Bill Bennett, who's waging the fight against narcotics for our country; to Chairman Atwater, the able chairman of the Republican National Committee; and to our able State leaders, Fred Meyer and Penny Butler, Tom Loeffler, pleased to be with you all. And of course, it's a great pleasure to see my friend Lee Greenwood again and Chuck Norris, with whom I campaigned. We campaigned with both of them, and so many other celebrities here tonight.

And I want to say a special hello to the members of our terrific Republican Texas congressional delegation. To them, I would simply say, My condolences for going from one House of Pain to another. You know, the only thing better than being introduced by Phil Gramm is hearing Phil Gramm being introduced by Moses. [Laughter]

And Chuck, it's a great pleasure to see you again, "Long John Silver"—and that'll be a tremendous success, I know.

But it's always good to come home to Texas. And actually, I'm happy to say that Houston was just selected as the site for the next economic summit. In 1990, the world's economic superpowers will all convene here. I thought I'd show off my hometown. And I hope you don't mind, but it's going to be a tremendous meeting here.

As you know, I've just returned from what many have called a saltwater summit with Mikhail Gorbachev. Others have called it the schmooze cruise. And as usual, reality is somewhere in the middle. Our meeting was a positive, productive, hopeful step toward a new American-Soviet relationship. Our talks ranged widely and offered a glimpse of what all of us have hoped for, for these 40 years: a more stable, more peaceful world. With the support of the American people and with the solidarity of the alliance, the promise of a new world of freedom is within our reach. May it be fulfilled in our lifetime.

I offered a number of ideas to Chairman Gorbachev. And I suggested that we work to complete a trade agreement, which would lead, then, to most favored nation status for the Soviet Union by the time I meet with him next year, at the end of

June, here in the United States. I proposed that we work to sign a new treaty in 1990 to dramatically reduce conventional forces in Europe. You're aware of our proposal where we take out 30,000 troops and the Soviets close to 200,000. And I suggested we accelerate the START [strategic arms reduction talks] process and speed the ban on chemical weapons.

Now, tensions have been reduced. But there was one area where we differed, one area where I had to speak firmly and frankly, and that was on Central America. There can be no misunderstanding here. Whatever the Sandinistas have told the Soviet Union, we know for fact-certain that arms are going from Nicaragua into El Salvador. And we also know that Fidel Castro continues to export revolution not just into El Salvador but into other countries as well. Such activities in Nicaragua and Cuba weigh heavily on U.S.-Soviet relations. And we want to be the first hemisphere, our hemisphere, free of that burden. We want this to be the first hemisphere made up of entirely free, democratic countries. And we support freedom everywhere.

Just last week, democracy was challenged in the Philippines. And we stood with President Aquino then, and we continue to stand with her and with democracy now. We must not let the democratic process be overthrown by revolution and by military takeover.

I really feel in my heart that the meeting with Mikhail Gorbachev was a success, a chance to improve an important relationship. But tonight, Malta somehow seems far away. It's great to be home among so many old friends, here at the Superbowl of political fundraisers, and to have a chance to say a few words about a very close friend, one of the best friends that Texas has ever had, Senator Phil Gramm.

I've known Phil for a lot of years, and I know that when a problem needs attention—when good policy needs to be created, or misguided policy needs to be changed—Phil is always the first one out of the blocks. Willing to take the political risk for the public good, he brings courage to Capitol Hill. And there's no better evidence for that than the story of how Phil got his start as a Republican.

You heard it mostly from Chuck Heston a minute ago. In 1983, you know, Phil was a Democratic Congressman, justifiably proud of his work on the 1981 budget—rebuilding national defense, reordering government priorities. He risked a lot to push that budget through, and because of that, he was stripped of his seat by the liberal Democrats controlling the process there on the House Budget Committee. So, he changed parties, and in a real profile in courage, he resigned from Congress to allow the people of his district to judge him and his actions. And he won reelection on Lincoln's Birthday, as the first Republican Congressman in the history of the 6th District of Texas. And because of his views and his strong principles, he appealed to Republicans and Democrats then, just as he does now. We were glad to have him. And America was lucky to get him back.

And let me tell you how personally I feel. We were even luckier to have Senator Phil Gramm when, last winter, my administration set out to make new progress on a number of fronts: education, the environment, the fight against drugs and crime, and a balanced budget. And we made progress, and Phil Gramm has been with me, consulting, leading—he's been with us every step of the way.

Because education is the path to a brighter American future, we convened the first education summit in American history. We called for greater choice and increased accountability while promoting and rewarding excellence. Phil Gramm understands the value of good education. He cosponsored our Educational Excellence Act.

We've also worked hard to preserve all of the facets of our precious environment. We've proposed the first reforms to the Clean Air Act in over a decade, working to balance economic growth with environmental protection. And Phil understands that balance, and he's helped us craft economically efficient market incentives for our clean air proposal. Here in Texas, he's been a leader in the Federal and State program to preserve Galveston Bay. He's supported legislation for an international treaty banning offshore dumping in the gulf. And he's worked to clean up the Rio Grande River.

Phil Gramm is making sure the great State of Texas preserves what's hers.

But we must preserve another precious resource: our children. There is no greater threat to the health of the American mind and the American family than the poison of illegal drugs. So, our administration is working to win the fight against drugs. I've saluted Bill Bennett for his courageous work, and I want to say this: Phil Gramm understands that fight. He's been on the front line from day one. He was there as Bill Bennett crafted our widely accepted National Drug Strategy to toughen enforcement, limit supply, and shut down demand. But it will be a long war, and that's another reason that we, you and I, need Phil Gramm in Washington.

In many ways, our fight has been delayed unnecessarily. You see, I sent a tough, strong crime package to the Members of Congress last June. Our Texas congressional delegation supports it. Our distinguished Senator, Phil Gramm, supports it. But we need action on that package. We need action now. And I hope that Congress, when they come back, will pass this critical legislation early in the next session to take back America's streets. We owe it to the young people of this country.

We'll also need Phil for another tough fight. This administration is committed to get that deficit down, committed to a balanced budget, and Phil Gramm understands how to balance a budget. He's fought budget-busting irresponsibility by creating landmark budget-balancing legislation, the Gramm-Rudman-Hollings legislation, by helping us fend off tax increases, and by encouraging the kind of incentives that continue to create an average of over 200,000 new jobs a month—every month—for the last 84 months of this recordbreaking peacetime economic expansion. You see, Phil understands prosperity. He helps create it every day that he's working in the United States Senate.

The Senate needs him because, as you know, this man is very smart. Last spring, when I was flying with Phil on Air Force One on my way to going to the Aggie commencement address—[cheering]—I see he's brought along the reserves—he offered to trade his A&M tie for my basic, elitist, ivy-league striped tie. I thought that was a

pretty shrewd trade on my part until later, when I found out that Phil went off to the Tarrant County Republican Women's Club and sold off my tie for a thousand dollars. [Laughter] With that kind of savvy in Washington, there is no doubt that we'll be able to balance the budget.

Just the other night, I was reading a Christmas story to a couple of grandkids. And when they asked me who the Three Wise Men were, I said, of course, Gramm, Rudman, and Hollings. [Laughter] I'm not so sure about that third wise man.

Thanks to that landmark legislation, in 3 of the last 4 years, government has actually gotten smaller compared to the private sector of our economy: the deficit as a share of gross national product has been cut roughly in half. The discipline that this legislation imposes on Congress is absolutely crucial to our long-term efforts to balance the Federal budget deficit. And I know that Washington will never find a stronger advocate for a disciplined, balanced budget than the Senator from Texas, Phil Gramm.

You know, there's a story that Phil's half-brother tells that when Phil was a little guy, he started a neighborhood army of a half a dozen kids. One day, the smallest of the group ran crying to Mrs. Gramm. The other boys were corporals or captains, and they were working this young private pretty hard. When Phil's mother called in Colonel Gramm and told him to fix the situation immediately, Phil said, "Yes, Ma'am," turned around, promoted the private to second lieutenant, and promoted himself to major general. [Laughter]

Like I said, he's smart, a smart man—a man who understands power and how to use it to improve education and the environment, to win the fight against drugs and to balance the budget. But even more important, Phil Gramm knows how to empower other Americans—all Americans. "The largest beneficiary of a program for economic freedom," he said recently, "is not the person who already has a piece of the pie but the person who wants the opportunity to get one."

I need and Texas demands and America deserves his bold, courageous leadership, to make the right things happen on Capitol Hill. He's a Senator who knows what it

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means to serve his constituents and his country, and every day he's in the Senate, he serves them ably, compassionately, and well.

It's my pleasure and it's Barbara's pleasure to have been with you here tonight. Thank you. God bless you, and God bless the United States of America. Thank you very, very much.

Note: The President spoke at 8:09 p.m. in Astro Hall at the Houston Astrodome. In his remarks, he referred to Phil Gramm's wife, Wendy Gramm; William J. Bennett, Director of National Drug Control Policy; Fred Meyer, Texas Republican Party chairman; Penny Butler, Republican national committeewoman from Texas; former Representative Tom Loeffler; country music singer Lee Greenwood; actors Chuck Norris and Charlton Heston. These remarks were not received in time for inclusion in last week's issue.

Statement on the First Anniversary of the Armenian Earthquake

December 8, 1989

A year ago yesterday, December 7, 1988, a massive earthquake devastated the Soviet Republic of Armenia, claiming more than 25,000 lives and leaving half a million homeless. It was a tragedy whose scars will be visible for decades and of a magnitude that no country could handle alone.

Together with many other nations, the United States responded immediately with an expression of sympathy and offer of assistance, which was readily accepted. The next day a U.S. team of governmental and private sector specialists were on hand in Soviet Armenia. Private American organizations such as Project Hope and Americares, along with the Armenian community in the United States, have played an important role in this sustained relief effort.

It is an encouraging sign of the times that this outpouring of American help was reciprocated by offers of Soviet help in the aftermath of the San Francisco earthquake. As we look to a new era in U.S.-Soviet rela-

tions, we can take hope from these examples of humanitarian cooperation between our two countries.

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Remarks at a Fundraising Luncheon for Senatorial Candidate Hank Brown in Denver, Colorado

December 8, 1989

Thank you, Hank Brown. And my respects and thanks to our distinguished Senator from Colorado, Senator Bill Armstrong. I want to thank the Eagle Ridge Elementary Choir over there—they were really good, really wonderful—and also to brag on having with me and to thank our Drug Czar Bill Bennett, the Director of the National Drug Control Policy, who is with me here from Washington. Lee Atwater, our national chairman, Republican National Committee—doing an outstanding job. Congressmen Joel Hefley and Dan Schaefer—and they are doing a wonderful job for your State. I wish we had an entire delegation like them, I'll tell you. And to Bruce Benson, our chairman, and Judy Hughes, my old friend, the president of the National Federation of Republican Women. Of course, it's always a treat to see our son Neil and Sharon. And Pierce managed to get in there, sitting over there. And I also want to say hello to Charlton Heston, who came out here today from Houston last night, a real trooper, a true patriot. Having him here today is just wonderful. And of course, I really came out to salute the next Senator from Colorado, Hank Brown.

He wanted a big crowd today, so his campaign tried to get "Ralphie the Buffalo" from C.U.'s football team. And when he couldn't make it, they asked for C.U.'s Houston Trio, the three H-Men. And as you can see, they're not here either. And you got me instead. I'm from Houston. That's the only thing I've got in common with those football players.

But before I go any further, I'd like to just say a few words about one of the finest men that we do have in Washington, and

I'm talking of the best principled Republican the Congress now in the missed by most of all thank you.

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Penna; actor Burt Lancaster 1913, New York City; President James K. Polk 1795, Mary County, Tenn.

Quotation of the day:

"I have endured a great deal of ridicule without much malice; and have received a great deal of kindness, not quite free from ridicule."
—Abraham Lincoln, November 2, 1863

—NOVEMBER 3—

Zodiac sign for the day: Scorpio, the scorpion.

Zodiac birthstone for the day: Opal, tourmaline.

The day in history:

1783—In first U.S. demobilization, Continental Army was discharged by Congress at end of American Revolutionary War.

1903—Panama Independence Day marks proclamation of freedom from Colombia.

1961—U Thant was elected Acting Secretary General of the United Nations.

1964—Lyndon B. Johnson won U.S. Presidential election over Barry Goldwater by largest popular vote plurality in history.

The day's birthdays:

Newspaperman-poet William Cullen Bryant 1794, Cummington, Mass.; writer André Malraux 1901, Paris; explorer Vilhjalmur Stefansson 1879, Arnes, Canada; newspaperman James Reston 1909, Clydebank, Scotland; publisher Karl Baedeker 1801, Essen, Germany; Texas pioneer Stephen Austin 1793, Wythe County, Va.

Quotation of the day:

"I have sworn eternal opposition to slavery and by the blessing of God I will never turn back . . . I can die at my post but I cannot desert it."—Elijah P. Lovejoy, November 3, 1837

—NOVEMBER 4—

Zodiac sign for the day: Scorpio, the scorpion.

Zodiac birthstone for the day: Opal, tourmaline.

The day in history:

1842—Mary Todd married Abraham Lincoln in Springfield, Ill.

1879—Will Rogers Day marks cowboy humorist's birth in Oologah, Oklahoma.

1946—UNESCO, United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, was established.
1956—U.S.S.R. troops entered Czechoslovakia, beginning Communist regime.

The day's birthdays:

Humorist Will Rogers 1879, Moore, Okla.;
Walter Cronkite 1916, St. Louis, Mo.

Quotation of the day:

"Back in 1910 . . . I had called me names . . . and I called him were worse. . . . It was a very joyous campaign."

Zodiac sign for the day: Scorpio, the scorpion.

Zodiac birthstone for the day: Opal, tourmaline.

The day in history:

1605—Guy Fawkes Day commemorates failed Gunpowder Plot in Parliament.

1895—First U.S. automobile was sold in Rochester, N.Y.

1940—Franklin D. Roosevelt was elected to third term as President.

1956—British and French troops were occupying Sinai Peninsula.
November 7.

The day's birthdays:

Writer Ida M. Tarbell 1872, Andover, Mass.;
singer Roy Rogers 1903, North Adams, Mass.;
Haute, Ind.

Quotation of the day:

"The Old World and the New World are as long as we do not try to jump over ours."—C.

Zodiac sign for the day: Scorpio, the scorpion.

Zodiac birthstone for the day: Opal, tourmaline.

There can only be one path out of the current morass in Poland, and that is for the military regime to stand up to its own statements of principle, even in the face of severe outside pressure from the Soviet Union; to lift martial law; release Lech Walesa and his colleagues now languishing in prison; and begin again the search for social peace through the arduous but real process of dialog and reconciliation with the Church and Solidarity.

I join with my countrymen, including millions of Americans whose roots are in Poland, in praying for an early return to a path of moderation and personal freedom in Poland.

Thanks for listening. I'll be back next week. Let Poland be Poland. God bless you.

Note: The President spoke at 9:06 a.m. from Rancho del Cielo, his ranch near Santa Barbara, Calif.

Remarks at a Rally for Texas Republican Candidates in Irving October 11, 1982

The President. Thank you very much, Jim. Reverend clergy, the officials of our party, our national committeewoman, the others who are here on the platform, and I want to say my thank you to the Apache Belles for that wonderful performance. I'm just sorry that with the geography, more of you couldn't have a clearer view of them.

It's great to be—incidentally, you know every once in a while, someone asks you why you campaign. Well, I just thought as I came walking down here between those two lines of those lovely young ladies, why not? [*Laughter*]

But it's great to be back in these parts, where the Texas spirit is every bit as big as your wide open sky. Now, if you think I'm just a visitor saying that for possible political profit, let me point out I could have said "our wide open sky," because it was just about 25 years ago that I was commissioned an honorary citizen of the Lone Star State. So, you have to believe me when I say Texas is number one in hospitality, and a lot of other things, also.

You probably know that story about the young fellow that once asked a stranger if he was from Texas, and the kid's father kind of took him in hand and he said, "Son, I want you always to remember one thing: If a man comes from Texas, he'll tell you without being asked"—[*laughter*]"—and if he doesn't come from Texas, there's no need to embarrass him." [*Laughter*]

But I want to say a few words about your

Texas stars that we need to help us finish the job that we began less than 2 years ago. In 1980, we pledged to work for policies that would strengthen the values crucial to a strong, successful country. You know what they are, because here in Texas words like self-reliance, personal initiative, opportunity and, yes, as Jim said, love of family and neighborhood, and patriotism, and belief in God, describe everyday facts of life.

There's a man here whose philosophy and voting record reflect a life-long commitment to those bedrock values that made America great. He loves this State. He has put together a strong campaign. He has closed a big gap in a hurry. I believe in him, and with your all-out support, Jim Collins can and will be the next elected Senator from the State of Texas.

And I have to say this: Jim's opponent talks like a Texan, but when he's back in Washington, he doesn't vote like one. Wouldn't it be great if John Tower, who does such a fine job for Texas, could work with a colleague, his fellow Senator, who reinforces his vote, instead of with someone who cancels it out?

We're hoping, too, that you will go all out for your excellent House candidates. We need them in Washington. And let me say a few words about your leader who's out campaigning and couldn't be here. He's going to have a debate, and he told me that some place in the debate he was going to find a place to say, "There you go again." [*Laugh-*

This year the Democrats are trying to put one over on the voters of Texas. You don't need to be a Nolan Ryan fan to know a curve ball when you see one. ///

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REMARKS BY THE PRESIDENT
AT CLAYTON WILLIAMS FOR GOVERNOR FUNDRAISER

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Dallas, Texas

12:35 P.M. CDT

THE PRESIDENT: Thank you all very much. Thank you so very much, Claytie, for those generous and very kind words. And, of course, my special thanks to all of you for that warm welcome. Let me just simply say it is great to be back home again. And it's always a pleasure for me to set my silver foot back on Texas soil. (Laughter and applause.) Uh-huh. (Laughter.)

It is, as Claytie said, an honor to share this podium up here with so many of Texas' leading lights: my mentor in a way in Texas politics, my dear friend, John Tower, over here. Governor Bill Clements, former business partner and great Governor of this state, and Rita, I'm just so glad to see you all. Texas will long remember, I believe, your courage and your commitment to our great state. So thank you, sir, for your leadership. (Applause.)

And on the end down here, another well-known to Dallas, Bill Moss, who is giving of his time as, you might say, one of our main points of light, heading the President's Drug Advisory Council, and doing a first-class job in the battle against drugs. Bill, I'm glad you're with us today. (Applause.)

And, of course, I'm delighted to be here to show my support for my friend from Midland -- my old stomping grounds -- the next governor of this great state -- Claytie Williams, Claytie, you've got to win it. You've got to win. (Applause.)

And when I finish up here, I'm going to be going to a reception for Texas' next lieutenant governor, Rob Mosbacher. What a team they will make in Austin. (Applause.) And I believe they're going to do it. (Applause.)

And, of course, Barbara asked me to give Modesta a hug -- glad to see you. Glad to see -- Claytie, glad to see your great mom here. She shared with me a story about Clayton and his father: the time little Claytie -- if you can picture it -- (laughter) -- went to break his first bronco. The horse broke free and began to buck. Claytie's dad rushed in to separate the horse and his son and did all he could to keep this wild horse in front of him and Claytie right behind him. That's when Claytie said, "Daddy, if you won't run, get out of the way for someone who will." And here he is. (Laughter.)

But he's always run hard. Those of us who have followed his career in business, watched him in this election -- Modesta told me exactly how many months and days and minutes it's been since they've been on the campaign trail. He runs hard. And today, he's running to win. His victory will be a triumph for the old-fashioned virtues that made Texas what it is -- and the new spirit of enterprise that will take this state forward into the '90s. (Applause.)

He's a Texan, born and bred. Steady. Strong. Calls

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them as he sees them. Straightforward. A tireless advocate for every hard-working Texan.

And I've watched the issues unfold. He's tough on crime. He knows that the handcuffs belong on the criminals and not on the cops and the courts committed to uphold the law. (Applause.) This position that he has staked out -- this position meshes perfectly with the no-nonsense anticrime package that I sent to the United States Congress -- almost a year and a half ago. So let me take advantage of you all to put a little heat on the Congress to act now and make life a little bit tougher on the criminals.

Clayton is ready to wage a statewide war on drugs. And we in Washington want to be at his side every step of the way. (Applause.) And again, our positions mesh perfectly -- with our National Drug Strategy that has resulted -- and I can report this accurately -- our National Drug Strategy has resulted in significant progress on the nationwide war on drugs. Claytie knows that the best way to win this war is to stop drug use before it begins. That means education; that means drug awareness. And he knows from a painful personal experience when it's time for compassion, time to help drug users battle back, break free from addiction and rejoin society. And he knows when it's time to draw the line for drug kingpins, who deal death right on our street corners. And he does, as I do, support the ultimate penalty -- the death penalty for those drug kingpins. (Applause.)

He is a friend to the Texas taxpayer; champion for fiscal integrity and fiscal sanity; for a government that is lean and limited. I know he'll fight for that when he gets to Austin.

With Claytie there, businessmen and women will have another governor who knows what it means to meet a payroll. He knows what it means to start with nothing more than a dream and build a business from the ground up. The secret to his success as a businessman is plain, old-fashioned hard work. I can guarantee that, as governor, no one will work harder for the state of Texas than Clayton Williams. (Applause.)

We had a chance to talk about this on the way down on Air Force One, and I agree with Clayton that what the states need is not more programs mandated, directed from Washington, D.C., but more confidence and trust in people and in the power of the local communities. After all, Texas doesn't just have problems, Texas and Texans have the solutions.

The single most important factor for what the future will hold here in Texas, and across the entire country is economic growth. That's why I want to speak to you for just a minute about the work that remains to be done back in Washington to reach final agreement on the federal budget.

I pushed hard, as you all know, for a bipartisan budget agreement. Not because it was the best plan ever, but because it was the best plan possible that would get the federal deficit down by \$500 billion over five years -- real significant enforcement provisions.

And I am grateful -- very grateful -- to Senator Phil Gramm, who couldn't be with us today, and also to your Congressman, Steve Bartlett, for their strong leadership and their support. And I will continue to press hard for a budget that fulfills the spirit of that bipartisan plan and proves to the American people once and for all that we can deal with this budget deficit.

Now, let me speak from my own experience. I'm -- I hate to confess -- 66. And that's a time in life when you begin to spend as much time thinking of the next generations as you do of your own. And our children deserve to inherit more than an avalanche of unpaid bills mounting up year after year. (Applause.)

Let me share with -- we get some amazing mail at the

White House. But let me share with you a letter sent to me at the White House from a little girl named Courtney. No last name; no return address -- and it's short and it's simple. She says: "Dear Mr. President: I don't want to owe when I grow up." "I don't want to owe when I grow up."

Well, I would say to Courtney, since I can't write her back: I got your letter, and I'm going to do my level best to make sure that the Democrat-controlled United States Congress gets that message. We owe it to these kids that they not be mortgaged over and over again. (Applause.)

Time is short. The meter's ticking up there. Four days from now, on October 19th, the clock on all these procedural things runs out. And the American people have every right to expect more from their elected representative. Congress has a responsibility. And if this is the best that the system can do, then it's time to build a better budget system. (Applause.)

One of the problems is that much of the political debate on the budget has been based on that inside the Washington, D.C. Beltway jargon. And the jargon just hides the basic issues.

Let me try to simplify it. America must have a real and significant deficit reduction budget to get the economy moving. And that deficit reduction will bring down interest rates on home purchases and car loans and help create new jobs. You heard the testimony of the Chairman of the Federal Reserve Board about the budget agreement we worked out with the leadership. He said those interest rates will come down. And that will help in creating new jobs. And to get these results, the budget cannot be smoke or mirrors or phony estimates -- business as usual -- can't be that. It must be real, it's got to be enforceable, and it's got to have incentives for growth.

And as always, the real problem has been the unwillingness in Congress to vote for holding down spending. (Applause.) I'm sure you're confused -- the House now doing what they should, trying to come up with their agreement and the Senate now working it's will. And one thing that appeals to me about the current Senate package is that it holds the line on income tax rates. One of my biggest fears has always been that the Congress will continue to pay for its spending habits by raising income taxes on everybody. And, in fact, the budget summit has moved us in the right direction and has brought us now to the final countdown week.

In the next five days, Congress has the chance, and in my view, Congress has an obligation to act once and for all. (Applause.) And lest there be any doubt, let me make clear to Congress just how serious I am about meeting that Friday deadline. Thirty-seven times -- John Tower will remember some of these -- in the last 10 years, Congress has missed its own budget deadline. Twice now this year, I've signed emergency legislation to add more time to the clock. Well, this Friday, times up. The American people deserve more than this stop-gap government.

And I'm confident now that Congress can meet this deadline, can complete its vital work, and pass the sound budget that puts this nation on the path to a long-term economic growth.

Getting that deficit under control is essential -- not just from the standpoint of the American economy, but as I look at the big picture, I'd say especially now, with the challenge that we face in the Persian Gulf.

We all know the grave economic consequences of Iraq's occupation of Kuwait. But as serious as these consequences may be, what is ultimately at stake is far more than a matter of economics or oil.

What is at stake is whether the nations of the world can take a common stand against aggression or whether Iraq's aggression will go unanswered. Whether we will live in a world governed by the rule of law or by the law of the jungle.

And that is why America and the world cannot allow this outlaw act to stand. That is why Saddam Hussein will fail. (Applause.)

Every day now, new word filters out about the gastly atrocities perpetrated by Saddam's forces. Eyewitness accounts of the cruel and senseless suffering endured by the people of Kuwait; of a systematic assault on the soul of a nation. Summary executions, routine torture. Under the forces of Iraqi occupation, we are told that mere possession of the Kuwaiti flag or a photograph of the Kuwait's Amir are crimes punishable by death.

And last month at the White House, I met with the Amir of Kuwait. And I heard horrible tales: newborn babies thrown out of incubators and the incubators then shipped off to Baghdad. Dialysis patients ripped from their machines and those machines then, too, sent off to Baghdad. The story of two young kids passing out leaflets: Iraqi troops rounded up their parents and made them watch while those two kids were shot to death -- executed before their eyes.

Hitler revisited. But remember, when Hitler's war ended, there were the Nuremburg Trials.

America will not stand aside. The world will not allow the strong to swallow up the weak. Not a day goes by that we don't think of the young men and women of our Armed Forces, side by side out there in the sands of Saudi Arabia. Today, with those young men and women in mind, let me just add one final note. Right now, our servicemen and women are teaching all of us a lesson about what it means to love liberty, as they prove once more to all the world that America means freedom. So as November 6th draws near, I urge every Texan to do what some of those kids are doing by absentee ballot -- get out and vote. We must never take democracy for granted.

Once again, I am delighted to be here. I can't tell you what a pleasure it is to be out of Washington. (Laughter and applause.) And it is always nice to come home, but it's a special pleasure to come home to support somebody I believe in, somebody who will be our next governor -- Clayton Williams.

Thank you all very much. Now, go out and work, and vote, and get this man elected to the governorship. (Applause.) Thank you very much. (Applause.)

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TO: JENNIFER GROSSMAN

FROM: KEVIN BRANNON

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UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF
COMMERCE

James G. Thompson

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M E M O

TO: Jennifer Grossman
FROM: Kevin Brannon
Senator Phil Gramm
DATE: October 20, 1990
RE: Hugh Shine Congressional Race

Following is a brief profile of the Texas 11th Congressional District race between Hugh Shine and Chet Edwards.

The District: The 11th congressional district includes McLennan, Falls, Coryell, Bosque, Brown, Bell, Milam, Hamilton, Lampasas, San Saba and Mills counties as well as parts of Williamson and Burnet counties. Incumbent Congressman Marvin Leath, who has served the district since 1978, is not seeking reelection. The District has not elected a Republican Congressman since Reconstruction.

11th Congressional District Voting Statistics:

The Republican Vote totals in selected races are as follows:

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| 1988: | Bush | 58% | Dukakis | 42% |
| 1986: | Clements | 57% | White | 43% |
| 1984: | Reagan | 67% | Mondale | 33% |
| 1984: | Gramm | 61% | Doggett | 39% |

The Republican Party primary turnout from 1982 to 1990 grew by over 600 percent, as shown below:

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|------|--------|
| 1990 | 33,704 |
| 1988 | 31,735 |
| 1986 | 17,492 |
| 1984 | 11,012 |
| 1982 | 5,081 |

The main economic pillars of the 11th CD are Ft. Hood in Killeen (the largest military installation in the free world), Baylor University in Waco (the largest Baptist-affiliated university in the world with approximately 10,000 students), numerous manufacturing concerns concentrated in Waco, Temple, and Brownwood, and farms and ranches in the outlying rural areas.

The Candidate: Hugh Shine, a 37 year old Temple stockbroker, has served in the Texas House since 1986. Hugh was raised in rural Navasota. He was awarded a full Army ROTC scholarship to attend Sam Houston State University in Huntsville where he received a business degree.

Beginning in 1980 Shine was a sales representative with Pfizer Laboratories for three years. In January of 1983, he joined Dean Witter where he is currently employed as an investment broker. Shine has 16 years of military service, with six years of active duty in the U.S. Army and ten years with the Texas Army National Guard.

Shine was the first Republican to win an election in Bell County when he was elected to the Texas House District 53 seat in 1986. He was unopposed in his re-election bid in 1988.

Shine currently serves on the Corrections Committee and as Vice Chairman of the Labor and Employment Relations Committee. Shine co-sponsored the Workers Compensation bill recently signed into law, led a fight on the House floor for drug testing in the work place, and spearheaded unemployment insurance reform.

Prior to his service as a state legislator, Shine was a Temple city commissioner and Mayor Pro-Tem from 1984-1986.

In 1987 President Reagan appointed Shine to the Inter-Governmental Advisory Council on Education. Shine spearheaded a state-wide conference on Education in Texas in 1988 interfacing private industry and education.

Hugh was awarded Outstanding Young Person of Temple of 1985-1986 by the Temple Jaycees. He is a member of the American Legion, Conservative Coalition of the Texas Legislature, and the Reserve Officers Association.

The Opposition: Chet Edwards, 38, has served in the Texas Senate since 1983. Born in Corpus Christi, he earned his BBA from Texas A&M in 1974 where he was the recipient of the Earl Rudder Outstanding Student Award. In 1981, he earned his MBA from Harvard University.

He served as a Legislative and District Assistant to Rep. Olin "Tiger" Teague from 1974 - 1977. He has also worked for Dallas developer Trammel Crow.

Chet was an unsuccessful candidate at age 25 for the Democratic Party nomination for the 6th Congressional District seat being vacated by Teague. Edwards finished third by 185 votes, despite a late endorsement by Teague. The second place finisher - and eventual winner - was then Dr. Phil Gramm.

He has been named "One of Three Outstanding Freshman Legislators" by Texas Business Magazine (1983); "Legislator of the Year" by Common Cause (1985); and received the "White Hat Award" from the Texas Farmers Union (1989.)

Edwards was one of several senators to accept a \$10,000 check with a blank payee line from East Texas businessman Bo Pilgrim on the

floor of the Texas Senate. Edwards deposited the check in his campaign account. When this story broke, it was portrayed in the media as an example of corruption in the Texas legislature. Edwards returned the money when the story broke.

Edward's Senate District included the Waco area, and he recently moved there to run for the seat. Although he now claims that Waco has been his "second home," the fact remains that the long-time Duncanville resident (who has been referred to on the Senator floor as "the Senator from Dallas") has made contributions each year to the Dallas Democratic Party organization, not to the Waco-area Democratic organization.

Edwards was one of three senators to switch his vote to pass the pro-business workman's compensation bill which he had previously voted against and which had been previously been defeated in the Senate. Texas AFL-CIO President Joe Gunn commented: "In short, Senator Chet Edwards sold out the working people of Texas . . . for a chance to grab a few headlines, a chance to further his own personal political goals and aspirations." (UPI, 12/11/89)

Highlights and Background on race:

- Summer, 1989 State Senator Chet Edwards declares his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Lt. Governor.
- October 21 Edwards appears at the 14th Annual Gay & Lesbian Caucus dinner in Houston. He pays \$350 to sponsor a table at the banquet. He accepts the Harvey Milk award on behalf of ultra-liberal State Legislator Debra Danburg.
- October The following week, Edward's picture appears in "This Week in Texas", a gay magazine with offices in Houston and Dallas.
- December 1 Congressman Marvin Leath announces that he will retire from his 11th CD seat at the end of this term.
- December Edwards, trailing badly in the polls against Bob Bullock, withdraws from the Lt. Governor's race.
- December 19 State Rep. Hugh Shine announces his candidacy for the 11th CD Republican nomination.
- December Chet Edwards moves from Duncanville (outside the 11th CD) to Waco.
- December 29 Edwards announces for the 11th Congressional District Democratic nomination.

- January Dropping a bombshell on Central Texas, the Secretary of Defense announces that the 2nd Armored Division at Ft. Hood will be deactivated as a result of pressure to trim the defense budget. When fully implemented, the decision would mean the loss of 12,000 military and civilian jobs on the area economy.
- For the remainder of the race, Edwards will hammer Shine, Bush, and the Republicans for this decision.
- February Edwards announces his "endorsement" for a seat on the House Armed Services Committee from U.S. House Speaker Tom Foley.
- March 13 Shine garners 41.9% of the vote in a three-way primary to win a run-off spot against former Waco Mayor Jim Mathis.
- March 14 Defeated Republican candidate David Sibley endorses Jim Mathis.
- April 10 By carrying over 80% of his home county, Shine wins the Republican nomination with 60.6% of the vote.
- May 2 Vice President Dan Quayle visits Waco for two high-dollar receptions and a rally with Shine.
- Quayle's visit was marred by allegations that a member of his advance team sexually assaulted a Baylor University freshman. The woman later announced that she would not file charges in connection with the incident.
- May 29 With former rivals David Sibley and Jim Mathis in attendance, Rep. Shine is endorsed by Senator Phil Gramm. During the following three months, Senator Gramm will visit every county in the district to endorse Shine.
- June The Shine campaign releases a poll by Tarrance & Associates which shows that Shine leads Edwards 46% to 43%.
- June 14 The Department of the Army announces formal approval of the plan to deactivate the 2nd Armored Division at Ft. Hood. Edwards blames the Bush Administration. Shine announces a plan for working to save the 2nd AD, including targeting troops being sent home from Europe for relocation at Ft. Hood.
- July 6 U.S. Senator Lloyd Bentsen visits Waco to endorse Edwards and attend a fundraiser for him.

- July 12 Shine announces at Ft. Hood that he has secured a seat on the House Armed Services Committee if he is elected to Congress.
- July 13 In a surprising and unanticipated setback, Edwards receives the endorsement of the Texas Farm Bureau. This is in spite of Shine having a 91% rating from the organization (based on his legislative voting record) compared to 54% for Edwards.
- July The Shine campaign learns of Edwards attendance at the gay banquet and begins to quietly circulate the material from the magazine.
- August 2 Apparently getting wind of the rumors on the street, Chet Edwards decides to take the offensive and calls a press conference. He claims that Shine is responsible for a mass mailing that implies that Edwards is a gay lifestyle sympathizer. He urges Shine to "stop his gutter politics".
- Shine is not available for comment. Shine campaign manager Kelley Rogers denies any involvement in the mailing but attacks Edwards for pandering for gay support during his bid for Lt. Governor.
- August 3 Edwards calls for dismissal of Shine's campaign manager, claiming that he lied about his involvement in the controversy.
- Shine calls his own press conference to deny his campaign's involvement in the matter. He accuses Edwards of trying to divert attention from the real issue of pandering for gay support.
- August The Shine campaign begins to run radio ads which attack Edward's attendance at the gay & lesbian banquet and questioning his commitment to traditional family values.
- August The Edwards campaign responds with radio ads which attack Shine's credibility and his negative campaigning.
- August Iraq invades Kuwait. Shine, a reserve Navy Aviator, receives a flurry of good publicity during the coming weeks concerning the possibility of him being called up to serve in the Middle East.
- August The University of Arkansas announces that it will leave the Southwest Conference and defect to the Southeastern Conference following the 1991 football season. During the next week, it is widely reported that Texas A&M and the University of Texas will soon

defect to either the PAC-10 or the Southeastern Conference. These reports note that without A&M and UT, the Southwest Conference would most likely disband.

These reports cause great concern in Waco, since Baylor University is a private school that would suffer greatly without the Southwest Conference affiliation.

- August 17 Edwards, a Texas A&M graduate, calls a press conference to announce that he will fight the departure of Texas A&M and the University of Texas from the Southwest Conference. He begins to work with Baylor University Football Coach Grant Teaff.
- August 24 Texas A&M and UT announce that they will not leave the conference.
- September 8 Television commercials begin to air in which Edwards is endorsed by Baylor University Football Coach Grant Teaff. This endorsement is considered a major coup, as Teaff is very respected and admired in the Waco community and this is his first political endorsement.
- September 17 In his opening remarks at a candidate forum, Edwards asks Shine to sign an agreement to curtail negative campaigning for the remainder of the campaign. Shine refuses.
- September 18 Stating that Shine has "placed his entire future on gutter politics", retiring Congressman Marvin Leath endorses Edwards in a tour throughout the district.
- October 20 Shine and Edwards will participate in a live television debate. The debate will air on the top-rated station in the media market.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 29, 1990

MEMORANDUM FOR CHRISS WINSTON
RELEVANT SPEECHWRITERS
RELEVANT RESEARCHERS

FROM: JENNIFER GROSSMAN

SUBJECT: DEAD CAT MATERIAL

EXAMPLES OF CONGRESSIONAL SELF-SPENDING

- 1) U.S. News notes that Congress has recently voted itself a pay raise that now puts them in the very tax bracket that--under the new budget--is set to decrease by 2%.
- 2) \$375,000 for a facelift for the House beauty parlor.
- 3) \$250,000 to study the best placement for T.V. lights on the Senate floor.

McNally suggests: "It's going to take more than a beauty parlor facelift and a change in lighting to hide the ugly truth from the American people..."

- 4) \$20 million dollars for Congress' own private art collection budgeted in a recent "urgent, dire, emergency" supplemental spending bill.

EXAMPLES OF CONGRESSIONAL SILLY-SPENDING

- 1) More pork tucked into last-minute legislation: Nineteen million dollars to study the methane emissions from the flatulence of cows and other barnyard animals (didn't know whether or not to put this one under self-spending or not).
- 2) Congress wants \$10 million to study magnetic levitation
- 3) Lawmakers also want funds for a new program for World War II veterans to help them readjust to civilian life "45 years after the war."

- 4) In appropriations for Agriculture and Rural Development, the House added \$250,000 for research on methods to improve the texture of sweet potatoes--an idea proposed by an industry group.
- 5) Supplemental Appropriations (For FY 1990; Passed 5/25/90): By a vote of 246-160 (R 32-130; D 214-30), the House agreed to a Senate amendment to force a federal agency that is supposed to do ocean research to procure a fish farm in Arkansas.
- 6) Congressional appropriations would give The Corporation for Public Broadcasting (despite its propensity for supporting only politically left-of-center programming), \$259,565,000.
- 7) Three-quarters of a million dollars to buy an 80-ton ferry for Samoa budgeted in the recent "urgent, dire, emergency" supplemental spending bill.

DEMOCRAT/CONGRESS JOKES

- 1) The Democrat-controlled Congress is so screwed up--- last I heard it was getting obscene phone calls-- collect!!!
- 2) I don't want to be too tough on the Democrats, so in the spirit of conciliation I'll repeat the proposal of that great Republican Chauncey Depew, "We will make a bargain with the Democrats. If they stop telling lies about Republicans, we'll stop telling the truth about them."
- 3) Some naysayers claim there's no difference between the Democrats and the Republicans; as I see it the difference is very clear. ~~The Democrats want bigger government, bigger social programs, and if their unwillingness to cut spending is any indication, bigger deficits...~~ They seem to follow the thinking of the famous American entrepreneur who once said, "I like thinking big. If you're going to be thinking anyway, you might as well think big." Well, that man was Donald Trump...and we all know what happened to him.
- 4) The Democrats in Congress have been selling the country the Great American Rip-Off. Well, after election day there's going to be another American Rip-Off--that'll be the sound of hundreds of Democrat bumper stickers being removed.
- 5) "The Democratic Party is like a man riding backward in a carriage. It never sees a thing until it has gone by." (Attributed to Benjamin F. Butler, c. 1870)

- 6) Adapted from Will Rogers for Congress: "What the Congress needs is dirtier fingernails and cleaner minds."
- 7) Well, my friends, you can fool some of the people all of the time. They're the ones who vote the straight Democratic ticket.
- 8) ~~I saw an interesting bumper sticker on the limousine of a congressional Democrat. It said: DRIVE CAREFULLY. WE NEED EVERY TAXPAYER WE CAN GET.~~
- 9) In Congress, a trouble shooter would need a machine gun.
- 10) They say you profit by your mistakes. In that case, the Democrats in Congress have had one helluva year!
- 11) ~~A Democratic politician reminds me of Will Rogers. He never met a tax he didn't hike.~~
- 12) ~~I can remember when the liberal Democrat's favorite exercise was jogging up the street. Now it's running down the government.~~

LINES/QUOTES

- 1) When it comes to fighting taxes, the Democrats are sworn pacifists. But when it comes to attacking your wallet, they're the toughest hawks around.
- 2) ~~Congress reminds me of a butcher shop--the Republicans keep trimming off the fat; but the Democrats keep stuffing in the pork.~~
- 3) Come election day, America's going to wrap their voting returns in a road map.
- 4) A little history and a blow to the "House of Lords":

The people of this country are fed up, and they're fired with the same kind of American indignation that, over two centuries ago, prompted young rebels to dump 90,000 pounds of english tea into the Boston Harbor. That act later led John Adams to write: "The dye is cast: the people have passed the river and cutt (sic) away the bridge." On that day, our forebearers sent a clear message to the English monarchy. This November, 217 years later, another ruling dynasty is going to receive a strong message from the people of

America...and on that day they're going going to vote Republican!!"

- 5) "The selfishness of the members of Congress is incredible...They are just about driving me nuts."
(Dwight D. Eisenhower)
- 6) "When it comes down to the relations of any President with a Congress controlled by the opposite party, I just say this: it is no bed of roses." (ibid.)

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TO: JENNIFER GROSSMAN FAX 202-456-6218

FROM: JOHN FLETCHER FAX 817-751-7660

SUBJECT: INFORMATION ON WACO FOR PRESIDENTIAL VISIT

INFORMATION ON CANDIDATES:

Republican gubernatorial nominee Clayton Williams graduated from Texas A&M in College Station, TX (90 miles away).

Democrat gubernatorial nominee Ann Richards graduated from Baylor University in Waco.

Republican congress nominee Hugh Shine is currently a member of Texas legislature. He graduated from Sam Houston State University in Huntsville, TX. Had 6 years active military service in US Army 1974-80, is currently a Major in National Guard.

Democrat congress nominee Chet Edwards graduated from Texas A&M, attended Harvard for graduate school. He is Texas state senator from this district. He originally began to run for Lieutenant Governor in Texas, and changed races when Marvin Leath decided not to run for re-election for Congress. Edwards moved from Duncanville (suburb of Dallas) to Waco to run for this office. Edwards has no military service experience. Edwards' move to Waco is a major issue in the campaign, as is his lack of military service. Edwards has secured the endorsement of Baylor University head football coach Grant Teaff, who has done TV commercials for him.

INFORMATION ON EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS:

Home of Baylor University, largest Baptist university in the world. On the campus of Baylor is the Armstrong-Browning Library, with the world's largest collection of the works and personal effects of Robert Browning and Elizabeth Barret Browning. Known as Baylor Bears. The symbol at athletic events is "the claw", people hold up right hand in claw position.

Home of McLennan Community College, an aggressive community institution with wide diversity of programs including a successful nursing program. Also traditionally one of the best junior college athletic programs in America, with baseball and basketball. Known as MCC Highlanders.

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Texas State Technical Institute (TSTI) is the airport where we met you on your visit, and where the President will land. This is the former James Connally Air Force Base, which was closed about 20 years ago. At that time the closing devastated the local economy. The State of Texas created the TSTI system which was devised to provide technical training for the work force in a vocational setting. Waco has been successful in attracting industries to the site, which features an 8,500 foot runway. Now such industries as Chrysler Technologies Airborne Systems (with 1,500 employees) are located around the perimeter of the base, and aviation has become one of Waco's largest industries. The President spoke several months about this as an example of a community turning a potential disaster into a major economic success.

INFORMATION ON ATTRACTIONS AND LOCAL INTERESTS:

Cameron Park in Waco is the largest municipal park in Texas. It will soon be the home of our new zoo, one of the few natural barrier zoos in America.

Lake Waco is the largest man-made lake within a city limits in Texas, with 60 miles of shore line.

Waco has a very active and successful Adopt-A-School program, which allows local businesses to work directly with local schools in the Waco Independent School District. The program exposes students to adults in the business community who offer their time and expertise to provide role models and work on specific projects with the schools.

Small Business Development Center at McLennan Community College benefits residents of McLennan County (the county where Waco is located) and five surrounding counties. It provides facilities and training for start up and existing businesses through the Small Business Incubator. It allows a number of businesses to operate under a single roof with affordable rents, sharing services and equipment, and having equal access to a wide range of professional, technical and financial programs.

Keep Waco Beautiful is an outstanding example of a local community organization that benefits the community. Just two years ago the organization won a grant in statewide competition and received \$175,000 in landscaping to beautify a local state highway. Saturday, Nov. 17, is a city-wide clean up day, sponsored by Keep Waco Beautiful.

JENNIFER GROSSMAN---PAGE 3

Texas Ranger Hall of Fame is located at Fort Fisher, on Interstate 35 at the Brazos River. It is a tribute to this great Texas law enforcement organization, with historic memorabilia and an exciting audio/visual presentation. Since Clayton Williams is big on law enforcement, this could be an appropriate reference point.

Suspension Bridge that crosses the Brazos River was built in 1870 by John A. Roebling, who also built the Brooklyn Bridge. It is 474 feet long, and was designed for cattlemen to drive their stock across the Brazos. It was originally a toll bridge.

Waco is the birthplace of Dr Pepper, which remains the most popular soft drink in the city. Waco traditionally is awarded the "highest per capita award" from Dr Pepper, signifying that the average Wacoan drinks more Dr Pepper in a year than anyone in another city. Dr Pepper is highly involved in the community, and this is shown by the construction of the Dr Pepper Museum in downtown Waco, which should be open in spring of 1991. This is a cooperative effort of Dr Pepper and the local business community.

INTERESTING EVENTS IN IMMEDIATE FUTURE:

Baylor Homecoming will be this weekend (Nov. 9-10), as Baylor plays Arkansas in football on Saturday afternoon.

Baylor Homecoming Parade will be on Saturday morning, Nov. 9. This is the largest collegiate homecoming parade in America.

Comedian Bill Cosby will be in concert at Baylor's Ferrell Special Events Center on Saturday night, Nov. 10, as part of Homecoming.

Also enclosed are information sheets on Waco industrial employment, places to go/things to see in Waco, and education in Waco.

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CONFIDENTIAL - SECURITY INFORMATION

M E M O

TO: Jennifer Grossman
The White House

FROM: Kevin Brannon
U. S. Senator Phil Gramm

DATE: October 20, 1990

RE: Background on Waco area for President's Speech

As we discussed, there is a famous state song entitled "Deep in the Heart of Texas", and the Waco/Central Texas area is often referred to as the "Heart of Texas". I could see the President stating in his opening remarks, "It's great to back on Texas soil here in Waco, Deep in the heart of Texas."

Also in the song are the words "the stars shine bright, Deep in the Heart of Texas". Since our congressional candidate is Hugh Shine, the President might comment, "the stars do shine bright here, Deep in the Heart of Texas, and one of our brightest stars is our next great congressman, Hugh Shine."

Waco is also the home of Baylor University. President Reagan visited the Baylor campus during the fall of 1988. The school song is "That Good Ole Baylor Line", and the campus mascot is a bear. The President should be familiar with a hand motion that Baylor students may use if they are in the audience. Whereas the University of Texas has the "Hook 'em" sign, and Texas A&M has the "Gig 'em" sign, Baylor students raise their right hands to simulate a bear paw.

The convention center is located on the banks of the Brazos River, which runs from West Texas to the Gulf of Mexico. I have no specific ideas here, but you may be able to work in some kind of political analogy using the Brazos River.

Waco is home to the Texas Ranger Hall of Fame, which is a tribute to the famed law enforcement organization. Since gubernatorial candidate Clayton Williams has made the war on crime and drugs his top campaign priority, the President could note that it is appropriate that he is in Waco with a crimefighter like Clayton Williams.

As a reminder, President Bush mentioned Texas State Technical Institute (TSTI, where he will land) in a speech last year. The speech focused on how the Waco community responded to the closing of James Connally Air Force Base. Instead of lamenting the loss, Waco used the facility to develop a major education and economic development complex. President Bush might comment that he was pleased to be able to see TSTI first-hand and that he was impressed with the facility.

Ft. Hood is located thirty miles from Waco. The largest military post in the free-world, it is the single most important economic asset in the district. In January, the Secretary of Defense announced that the 2nd Armored Division located at Ft. Hood will be deactivated as a result of pressure to trim the defense budget. When fully implemented, the decision would mean the loss of 12,000 military and civilian jobs on the area economy. Throughout the campaign, Hugh Shine's congressional opponent Chet Edwards has criticized Shine, President Bush, and the Republicans for this decision.

Please call me at 214/528-9680 with any questions.

SHINE

U.S. CONGRESS



"We need Hugh Shine in Congress. He will represent your views and values and has the experience to make a difference in Washington. He is a family man, a businessman, and a dedicated public servant. His military experience has better prepared him to fight for Ft. Hood.

Rarely do we get an opportunity to elect a man of Hugh Shine's character and ability. The choice could not be clearer. I urge Central Texans to send Hugh Shine to Congress.

U.S. Senator Phil Gramm

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HUGH D. SHINE

U.S. CONGRESS

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HUGH SHINE . . .

Community & Church Leader

- Temple Rotary, Temple Jaycees
- Temple, Belton, Killeen Chambers of Commerce
- Member, Immanuel Baptist Church
- High School Sunday School Director for 10 years
- Married, father of two daughters

Military Experience

- U.S. Army Veteran, 1974-1980
- Texas National Guard, Major, Army Advisor, 1980 - Present
- Served at Fort Hood

Business Experience

- Businessman, Account Executive, Dean Witter

Legislative Experience

- State Representative, Vice Chairman Labor & Employment Committee, Corrections Committee
- Texas Conservative Coalition Member
- Appointed by President Reagan to Presidential Council, Inter-Governmental Advisory Council on Education, reappointed by President Bush

Local Government Experience

- Former Temple City Commissioner, Mayor Pro-Tem
- Co-Chairman, George Bush for President Steering Committee

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ELECT HUGH D. SHINE

U.S. Congress

11th Congressional District

October, 1990

Shine Wins Support of Business Groups

Waco - State Representative Hugh Shine, the Republican nominee for Congress in the 11th Congressional District, won the endorsement of two key small-business organizations.

Both the National Federation of Independent Business (NFIB) and the Waco chapter of the Texas Association of Business announced their support of Shine.

Aubrey Conner, outgoing President of the Waco Texas Association of Business and Billy Johnson, incoming President of the Waco Texas Association of Business, were on hand to personally back Shine.

NFIB is the nations premier small-

business association with 42,000 members in Texas.

"I am gratified that the two most important small-business groups in Central Texas have looked at my record of creating jobs, growth and opportunity and decided to throw their support behind my campaign," Shine said.

Shine noted that when the NFIB has rated the candidates on small-business votes in the legislature, he was rated at 100%, "while Chet Edward's rating was a miserable 10%."

Shine contrasted his support by Central Texas members of groups like NFIB

and the Texas Association of Business with Edward's support from groups with little in common with the people and interests in Central Texas.

Shine said that according to Edward's Federal Election Commission (FEC) reports that 92.6% of his campaign funds come from outside the district, while Shine has received 76% of his support from people who live in the district.

"47.4% of Edward's campaign money has come from PACs and \$48,825 came from labor-unions from places like Washington, Detroit and Cleveland," Shine noted.



Shine Leading The Race For Congress!!

Two recent polls show State Representative Hugh Shine leading Chester Edwards of Duncanville in the race for 11th District Congressman.

Shine was shown to be leading the race district wide by a 46 - 43% margin among voters.

Most impressive was the move on the second ballot question when people considered facts about Edwards record and character. The second ballot showed Shine moving further ahead of Edwards by a margin of 57 - 39%.

A separate poll conducted in Bell County showed Shine with an unbelievable blowout of 75 - 16%. This just further illustrates the strength of Shine's base. In Bell County, Shine received over 70% of the vote in the primary and over 80% of the vote in the run-off.

Shine Leading In Fundraising

The march to victory continues for Hugh Shine in fundraising. Federal Election reports show Shine outraised his opponent by a significant margin. Shine raised \$119,000 compared to Edwards' \$106,000.

What was truly amazing was where the money came from. 76% of Hugh's money came from the 11th Congressional district. By contrast only 7.4% of Edwards' money came from the district. This further illustrates that Chet has no

support within the 11th Congressional district.

"I am overwhelmed that over 75% of my money is coming from the people of the 11th Congressional district. I appreciate the peoples' commitment.

"Edwards will be taking in thousands of dollars from every liberal group imaginable. I know I must depend on the people of Central Texas to help fund my campaign.

"I hope I can continue to count on the support of Central Texas. It will take a lot of money to match Edwards' liberal dollars, but I know with the help of Central Texas we will meet this challenge and turn back the liberal assault," Shine said.

MAJOR SOURCES OF CONTRIBUTIONS FOR THE JULY 15TH QUARTERLY REPORT

| Source of Contributions | EDWARDS | SHINE |
|---|-------------|---------------|
| Individual Contributors From Within the District | \$ 7,900 7% | \$ 91,960 76% |
| All PACS | 57,896 54% | 15,950 14% |
| Union PACS | 19,300 18% | ----- |
| Totals for this period | \$ 106,366 | \$ 119,331 |

VFW-PAC

WASHINGTON, D.C. -- The Veterans of Foreign Wars Political Action Committee (VFW PAC) today announced its endorsement of Hugh D. Shine of Temple in his bid for U.S. Representative for the ELEVENTH Congressional District of Texas.

John Stang, Chairman of the VFW PAC Board of Directors said, "the purpose of the VFW PAC is to support congressional candidates who support veterans' issues and a strong national defense with Peace through Strength. After careful examination of Mr. Shine's position on these issues, the VFW-PAC is confident that he is the right choice."

The VFW PAC began operations in 1979. Today, it is one of more than 4,000 Political Action Committees registered with the Federal Election Commission.

This is not a VFW endorsement. The VFW Political Action Committee Inc., is separate from the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Funds to political candidates come from private contributions voluntarily made by VFW members and employees.



HUGH SHINE ...ONE OF US

Dear Fellow Central Texans,

Over the last 9 months, my wife Debbie and I have traveled the roads in Central Texas that have carried us to the people. They have given us a strong message ... we want a Congressman for Central Texas from Central Texas.

We have a battle going on. The liberals are coming in to try to buy our Congressional seat. The liberals are pouring thousands of dollars into the race to buy it for Edwards. That's O.K. I know Central Texas will stand with me.

The bottom line is that we are electing a Team for Central Texas. One team is Sen. Phil Gramm, Hugh Shine, and Clayton Williams... the other Hugh Parmer, Chet Edwards, and Ann Richards. How clear the choice is!! Conservative vs. Liberal - Strong Defense vs. Military Cut Backs - Family Values vs. ?? - Yes, the right

team is the Gramm-Shine-Williams team.

As your Congressman you may count on me to work for a balanced budget amendment, a line item veto for the President, and a strong National defense. Above all, you may know that I will

represent your views and values.

You can count on me to be firm in my convictions. I believe we have enough professional politicians in Washington who bend their views and values. It is time we have someone stand up for us.



Hugh Shine with wife Debbie and daughters Amber and Kelli

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Hugh D. Shine
for Congress
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Mark Perlestein for The New York Times

Flinging mud back at Texas candidates, citizens sent video parodies of political races to a public station in Dallas. "Candidates From Hell" poked fun at Ann Richards and Clayton Williams, candidates for governor.

Voters' Revenge for TV Ad Nauseam

By RANDALL ROTHENBERG

Special to The New York Times

DALLAS, Nov. 1 — What sweet revenge it was!

A man dressed as the devil, wearing a 10-gallon hat and calling himself "Satan Williams," cavorted in a field, telling television viewers, "Women's rights, ha! That's a contradiction in terms."

Two students from a high school in Godley, just southwest of Fort Worth, pretended to be Ann Richards and Clayton Williams, the candidates for governor, by dressing in diapers and tossing mud balls. "Remember," a young woman told the viewers, "M-U-D spelled backwards is D-U-M."

They were on television Wednesday night, along with dozens of other citizens taking their turn at political advertising, slinging mud right back at the two candidates for governor. It was a political variation on "America's Funniest Home Videos" called "Voters's Revenge," broadcast on KERA Channel 13, the public television station here.

The parodies were crude, but so is Texas politics this year. Ms. Richards, a Democrat who is State Treasurer, and Mr. Williams, a Republican businessman, have spent \$32 million in one of the nation's bitterest and most advertising-filled campaigns.

But they are not the only ones advertising. There are 15 other statewide offices at stake, so turning on a television set here is inviting an assault by a deadening weapon. Many of the political advertisements seem parodies themselves.

Press the "on" button, and there is John Sharp, a candidate for state comptroller, affirming his goal of ridding the Texas schools of useless apparatchiks. "If the education bureaucrats don't like it, they can get out of here," he draws, pointing to a door marked "Education Bureaucrats."

Emboldened by the real commercials and finding themselves with time to fill when the candidates for governor refused to debate at the station, KERA began broadcasting invitations in mid-September for viewers to send in videotaped responses to the Texas television campaign.

"We asked them to send skits, commentaries, ads — anything, as long as it was zany and imaginative," said Suzanne Dooley, the producer of "Voters's Revenge." By Oct. 15, 19 groups or individuals had responded, enough for an entire show at 6:30 P.M. on Halloween night, a time slot usually reserved for "World of Survival" and other animal shows.

'Debate From Hell'

Ms. Richards took her share of knocks. One woman portrayed her by donning a white fright wig and arguing with a second horned Satan Williams, in a segment labeled "A Debate From Hell."

But most of the parody videotapes were squarely aimed at Mr. Williams. A Dallas-area bluegrass trio, the Tenner Shoe River Boys, offered a musical biography of the Republican, to the tune of the theme song from "The Beverly Hillbillies." One stanza ran:

*Now he's in the runnin' with a lady
Democrat*

Says, 'I'll be a gentleman and always tip my hat'

Tries to pass hisself off as a sensitive dude

But out from his mouth comes a bubblin' crude."

With public opinion polls calling the race a dead heat, the ridicule of the Republican may say more about public television's viewers than anything else. Yet those involved with the show say that Mr. Williams is simply a more inviting target.

A Morbid Fascination

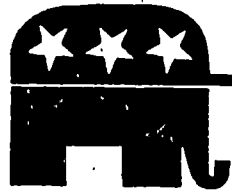
"There's a morbid fascination with his campaign," said Ruth Pennebaker, who wrote the "Voters's Revenge" script. "It's like passing a wreck on the highway, and folks are craning their necks to see it."

Mr. Williams has offended female voters by telling reporters that to beat Ms. Richards, he would "head her and hoof her and drag her through the dirt," and by admitting that as a youth, he had been "serviced" by Mexican prostitutes.

One parodist, Irwin Arnstein, went after Mr. Williams for that one. Wearing a seven-gallon hat and smoking a cigar to play Mr. Williams, the video humorist maintained, "I wanna service this great state and all its people for a long, long time."

As proof that the parodies were not partisan, Greg Jackson, one of the satirists and a member of the bluegrass trio, even said he was planning to vote for Mr. Williams. "Clayton's a buffoon," he said, "but at least he's our bylfoon."

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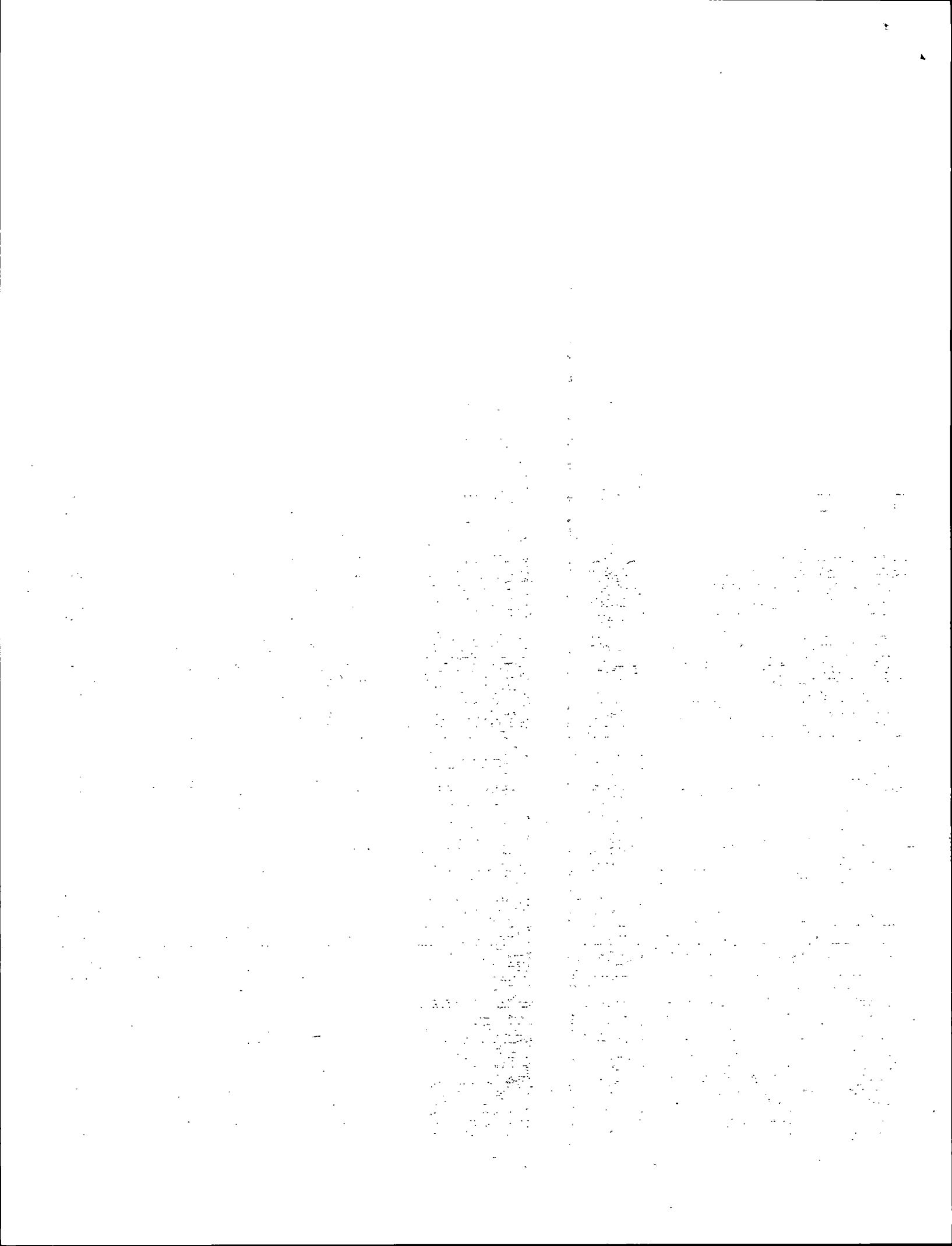
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Schneider's Seat Leans To Dems, While GOP May Take Rep. Leath's

Texas 11

Incumbent: **Marvin Leath** (D), retiring
Outlook: Leans Republican

Republicans have a chance to pick up this Waco-centered district, which boll weevil Leath has represented for 12 years. State Rep. **Hugh Shine** (R), 37, is hitting state Sen. **Chet Edwards** (D), 38, on a number of volatile issues, most notably the Democrat's attendance at a 1989 dinner honoring the late Rep. Mickey Leland (D-Texas) that was sponsored by a gay and lesbian group.

Edwards has also been criticized as a carpetbagger; his state Senate district includes part of the 11th Congressional district, but up until deciding to run for Congress, he lived outside the district.

Edwards was a candidate for lieutenant governor before he got into the 11th district House race — another point Shine likes to stress.

Both candidates are well funded and have relied heavily on VIP endorsements. Edwards received campaign help from Reps. Kika de la Garza (D-Texas), Les Aspin (D-Wis), and Sonny Montgomery (D-Miss), Sen. Lloyd Bentsen (D-Texas), and, of course, Leath, while Shine has the

active backing of Sen. Phil Gramm (R-Texas). With Gramm and gubernatorial candidate Clayton Williams (R) looking strong at the top of the ticket, Shine holds a slight edge.



State Rep. Hugh Shine (above) is probably the GOP's best hope for picking up a Democratic seat. He's running in the conservative Texas district of retiring Rep. Marvin Leath (D), and both parties are bringing out the big guns.

tory relief, the legislation passed Congress with substantial support.

The bill repeals the requirement that the duration of any first-sale contract for new Outer Continental Shelf natural gas be at least 15 years. The bill also repeals a requirement that producers of certain decontrolled natural gas offer their present purchaser a right of first refusal when the producer received another offer for the gas. Repeal of the contract duration and right-of-first-refusal requirements will increase the flexibility of natural gas producers and purchasers to enter into agreement that accurately reflect market conditions. It will also benefit consumers by increasing the responsiveness of interstate gas prices to a more competitive market. The enactment of H.R. 2701 represents another step in the administration's effort to eliminate counterproductive regulation of the economy by the Federal Government.

Remarks at a Republican Party Rally in Waco, Texas

September 22, 1988

The President. Thank you, Governor, and thank you, Dr. Reynolds, and Congressman Boulter. And I thank all of you very much. And a special thanks for that great music to the Baylor University Golden Wave Band. It is great to be back in the Lone Star State. And it's great to come to the home of the unbeaten Baylor Bears and your big buddy, Zach. But after hearing that greeting you gave me, it just makes me want to say, "Sic 'em, Bears."

You know, now with this reception that you've given me, I have to say that once upon a time being a Republican in this area of the country felt a little bit like being Gary Cooper in "High Noon,"—[laughter]—outnumbered in a big way. Well, all that, as they say, is history—or should I say ancient history, which at my age is a subject that I'm regarded as an expert in. [Laughter] Today Texas has a team that it can depend on to defend our basic values and keep America strong: Bill Clements, Phil Gramm, Kent Hance, and the next Senator from the

State of Texas and a Baylor graduate, Beau Boulter.

And let me take just a moment to talk about the positive achievements of the past 8 years. We have a robust, growing economy, with low inflation. Young people starting out can look forward to jobs and opportunity, a secure future to start a family. And more people are at work today than ever before in the history of the United States of America. Now, you know, I hear that number being given, and then some people say, Well, we've got a bigger population than we had before. No, that isn't the way it figures. Everybody in the United States, male and female, from age 16 on up, are considered to be the potential employment pool. So, that means all of you—and I doubt if there are any of you that are less than 16. But today 62.7 percent, almost two-thirds of that entire pool, is employed in the United States; and it's the greatest percentage in the history of this country.

We're beginning to turn around the decades-long decline in education by returning to basics and demanding nothing less than excellence. We're restoring our judicial system by appointing serious-minded judges who respect the Constitution and America's traditional values. We've rekindled an ancient pride, a noble patriotism that loves America and would extend our blessings to the world. We've given our men and women in uniform the kind of pay, the kind of weapons, and the kind of respect they deserve. And it's a proud thing once again to wear the uniform of the United States. And because of all that, our nation is again respected in the world. Our Armed Forces are strong, and America is at peace.

What more can we say than that the parents of a child born today can look forward to the 21st century with hope and optimism that their child will know the brightest future the world has ever seen? And let me say something to each one of you here today: That bright future is also yours. It is your birthright as Americans, and what we've seen in the last 8 years is only the beginning.

America has traveled such a remarkable distance in the last 8 years that the memory has faded of the economic and foreign policy crises that we faced when Vice Presi-

dent Bush and I took office. This year the liberals are singing the same old tune they were singing way back then, and it sure isn't "Don't Worry, Be Happy."

Now, if you want to remember how things really were just a few years back, think of the year 1979. Now, I know you were quite young in '79. But in that 1 year, Iran, Nicaragua, and Grenada were all lost. Iran fell to the Ayatollah. Nicaragua and Grenada were taken by the Communists. In that 1 year, our Embassy in Iran was seized not once but twice. Our Ambassador to Afghanistan was assassinated by gunmen, and that country invaded by Soviet troops. Add to that the economic crisis at home. That was just 9 years ago, and we're still paying for it today. That was the year 1979. Don't we have the right to ask the American people: If the liberals return to power, what happens in 1989?

Well, that's how things were abroad. At home they were just as bad. Inflation and economic stagnation gave our economy a one-two punch that had America's families on the ropes. Between 1977 and 1981, the afterinflation income of the typical American family fell by almost 7 percent. And then George Bush and I rode into town and locked up inflation. [Laughter] And since then the American family's real income has risen by more than 10 percent.

Of course, the liberals hope you'll forget why we were able to turn the economy around. Their message is: You can take prosperity for granted; it's time for a change, so take a chance on us. [Laughter] Well, that's sort of like someone telling you that you've stored up all the ice cream you could want, so now it's time to unplug the freezer. [Laughter] But whether it's a well-stocked freezer or our progrowth economic policies, you can't unplug what's working and expect things to stay the same, and that's what they're trying to do.

I don't think I have to tell you that these days some liberals are using our words and phrases, terms like "community," "family," and "values." But while the words are the same, the meanings are different. For example, as part of their so-called profamily agenda, they propose Federal child care assistance. Last week I told an audience in Washington that under this liberal proposal if you want assistance and you also want to

leave your child with his or her grandmother that day, the grandmother will have to be licensed by the Federal Government. Well, after I spoke, a reporter called one of the liberal congressional staffers behind that bill and asked if it was true that grandmothers would have to get Federal licenses to take care of their own grandchildren. And the reply came: Yes, of course it's true. After all—and here's the quote—"How else can you design a program that receives Federal funds?" By the way, our party has proposed an innovative plan to help families in need of child care assistance. For every child under four, a working family's taxes would go down by up to \$1,000—plain and simple. This will allow parents to choose among a variety of options if they need child care assistance, including what experts as well as common sense tells us is the best option of all: by making it easier for the mother to stay home. And there's all the difference between us and them. When the liberals say "family," they mean "Big Brother in Washington." [Laughter] When we say "family," we mean honor "thy father and mother."

I don't think I have to tell you that lowering taxes rather than raising spending is not something the liberals understand. One thing they hate to do is to let tax dollars out on furlough. [Laughter] When they get their paws on the budget, government guzzles tax money faster than Zach drinks his Dr. Pepper. [Laughter]

You know, I have an example of the difference between our two philosophies. I remember when I was Governor of California. Now, I came into office—and it was the first fiscal year—and found that in violation of the constitution the State was already carrying a great deficit. And just before the end of the first fiscal year that I was there, my finance director came to me and said, "We're going to have a surplus." And he thought and told me that he thought that since I hadn't been able to do anything in the nature of spending money because of that deficit that maybe now I had some pet program I was waiting to put into place and that I should announce that before the legislature found out. The legislature was dominated by the Democratic Party. And I said, "I do have a plan: Let's give it back to

the people." And he said, "Well, that's never been done." [Laughter] And I said, "Well, they never had an actor up here before either." Well, I went public and made the announcement that we had a plan by way of the State income tax to give this money, all of it, back to the taxpayers. And shortly thereafter, a liberal senator from the other party stormed into my office, pounded my desk, and he said, "I consider giving that money back to the people an unnecessary expenditure of public funds." [Laughter] Well, there again is the difference, as I say, between our two philosophies. To them, everything belongs to the Government. To us, everything belongs to the people.

But, as I said, in area after area this year, the liberals have tried to hide their philosophy behind our words. When they say "opportunity," they mean "subsidies." When they say "closing the deficit," they mean "raising taxes." When they say "strong defense," they mean "cut defense spending." No wonder their favorite machine is the snowblower.

Now long ago I vetoed a defense authorization bill that Congress sent to me and that embodied much of what the liberals want to do to our nation's defenses. But lately some liberal leaders have seen what was happening to them in the polls and have had a deathbed conversion. They'd have you believe that they're born-again General George Pattons. [Laughter] But if we go the way they want to go, our defenses will run out of gas in no time.

For example, the liberals are proclaiming loudly that they're for the new Trident missile and the Stealth bomber. But then they whisper that they're also for delaying deployment of both systems pending the outcome of arms talks, which could drag on for years while the Soviets could be deploying new systems of their own. They shout loudly that they're for maintaining the effectiveness of the land-based leg of our strategic triad. But they're against the only modern missile systems that will be available for years to come, and would like to see an end to the flight testing needed to develop new systems. And they're against the B-1 bomber. They're against our strategic defense against ballistic missiles. And they would wipe out two carrier battle

groups. In fact, what they plan for the Navy is so bad that by the time they get through Michael may have to row the boat ashore. [Laughter]

But at this time, when nightly television pictures of the destruction of U.S. and Soviet missiles under our INF treaty tell us that our policy of peace through strength is truly working, you tell me, yes or no: Is this any time to return to the liberal policies of the past?

Audience. No!

The President. You didn't surprise me a bit. [Laughter] Well, the sad truth is that when the liberals refuse even to whisper the "L" word and insist that "this election is not about ideology; it's about competence" they're just acknowledging that where they want to take America, America doesn't want to go. But the one issue, the only issue, that will matter on Inauguration Day is the issue of direction. Will we reelect peace and prosperity, or will we pay "Truth or Consequences" with trenchcoat liberals?

Now, you know, I have to tell you I'm a former Democrat. But I think you know what I mean when I raise questions about the distinction between the rank-and-file Democrats—many of whom I hope are here—and the liberal leadership of that party in Washington, a liberal leadership that has turned a once proud party of hope and affirmation into one dominated by strident liberalism and negativism. They have made the party of "yes" the party of "no"—"no" to the school prayer amendment, the Pledge of Allegiance, and the right to life, "no" to the death penalty and to judges who care not just about criminals but about the victims of crime, "no" to our raid on Qadhafi's Libya and our rescue mission in Grenada, and "no" to the foreign policy of strength and purpose that has told the truth about communism and helped bring the first signs of change to the Soviet Union in decades. And to my way of thinking, that's too many no's—too many no's to you and me and the American people and what we want done in Washington.

What 1988 is about is America's future. Yes, we're proud of our record of the longest peacetime economic expansion in American history and over 17½ million new jobs. And when, from the TV screen, you see

and hear somebody say, Well, but all of those jobs, or most of them, were real down-at-the-bottom jobs, low income, and so forth and so on—no, almost two-thirds of the 17½ million are in the pay scale above the median income.

Now, it's very good, but it still isn't good enough for us. We want more: more growth, more opportunity, more jobs. And we intend to ensure this kind of economic prosperity right through the nineties and into the next century by guaranteeing the Federal Government can never again spend and tax the American people into another economic nightmare.

Let me give you an example of what I mean. Some of you may remember that last January I went up to Capitol Hill for the State of the Union Address. I talked about some of the problems caused by the liberal leadership in the Congress, who were all there to hear it. I mentioned that in 7 years of 91 appropriations bills scheduled to arrive on my desk by the beginning of the fiscal year only 9 made it on time. Last year, of the 13 appropriations bills due by October 1st, none of them made it. Instead, we had 4 continuing resolutions lasting 41 days the first time, then 36 more days, then 2 days, and 3 days, respectively. And then along came that behemoth, the continuing resolution containing all the appropriations. You have to sign it or close down the Government. It was 1,057 pages long. It weighed 14 pounds and was 2 months late. Even Congress didn't know what was in it. [Laughter] They passed it and sent it to me so late that I had just a few hours—yes, a few hours, not days, hours—to sign or shut down the Government. Well, this time, I did sign. But then as I said in my State of the Union Address, next time they do that, I won't.

Well, today Congress and our administration are working to keep that from happening again. I want to receive by the beginning of the next fiscal year, October 1st, all the Government's appropriation bills for the coming year—ones that I can sign. Our administration will pull out all the stops on our end to see to it that this happens. And I happen to think there's a good chance it will happen. And if so, it'll be the first time that the Nation's business has been finished on time since 1948.

Well, the next President deserves better than this. The American people deserve better. The liberals have been in control of both Houses of Congress for 46 of the last 56 years. And this is what it's come to: My friends, it's time for a change. It's time to have a Congress that stands up and pays attention to the American people and their agenda, not to the agenda of the liberal special interest in Washington. And a great way to start is by sending more Republicans to the House of Representatives and Beau Boulter to the United States Senate.

And there's one last issue, yes, more important than even all the other crucial matters we've already discussed. Ladies and gentlemen, just a few years ago, I wonder how many of us could really have believed then that so many of our fondest hopes and dreams for America could come true? And of all those things that have happened, how many of us could have imagined 8 or even 4 years ago that one day a President of the United States would have an opportunity to stand, as I did a few months ago, there in the Lenin Hills at a podium at Moscow State University and tell the young people of the Soviet Union about the wonder and glory of human freedom? I was well-received. But I was amazed later to discover not all the student body could fit into their auditorium, so they had seen that all who did were members of the Young Communist League. And yet they seem to respond pretty good to talking about individual freedom.

But with the beginnings of change we've seen in the Eastern bloc and with the development of concepts like the SDI that destroys weapons, not people, it's just possible that we have a chance now to end the two great nightmares of this century and give our children a future free of both totalitarianism and nuclear terror. Now, we found out what works in foreign policy. We've demonstrated time and again that candid rhetoric, a strong defense, and tough diplomacy bring peace. What a great moment we have before us, and, oh, how future generations will dishonor us if now, in a moment of sudden folly, we throw it all away. And this is what is now at stake. We must hold to this moment of hope, and we

must be allowed to complete that which we have begun.

And when I say "we," I mean, "you." You can determine the future of our nation and the world. That is what America means: a nation that is in your own hands. Think of how different you are and how much more privileged than so many of those Soviet college students that I addressed. Unless they get into and rise in the Communist party—and few ever do—they have little or no voice in how their nation is run. Not you. Not if you vote. There's no more precious right in the world. So, take the world, take history in your hands this November, and join us in our crusade for a bright and shining future for this bright and shining city on a hill we call America.

I just want to point out to you one thing. All of you between the ages of 18 and 24 now constitute the biggest voting bloc in the country. But surprisingly, you have the lowest voting percentage of any age group in the country. So, what I'm asking you today is not only pledge yourselves that you're going to register if you haven't—it isn't all that difficult—and then you're going to vote, but also be missionaries. Buttonhole others that may not have thought the same as you and tell them that you in that youthful age group can determine the future of the United States by how you cast your votes and the fact that you do cast votes. The late Will Rogers many years ago said: "The people in public office are no better and no worse than the people who send them there. But they're all better than those who don't vote at all." So, get out there and register and vote.

So, yes, some say that it is time for a change. Well, let me just remind you: We are the change. We started it 8 years ago, and we're going to continue it if you do the right thing at the polls on November 8th. And I think George Bush explained it correctly at the convention when he said, People that tell you you should change horses in the middle of the stream—well, don't change to one that's going the opposite direction.

Now, I'm supposed to say a thank-you and get off of here right now, but I am—my people just—they're in terror of me because I have a new hobby. I collect stories that I can prove are told by the Russian people

among themselves and that kind of show the attitudes to their government. And I've been collecting them. And I'm going to leave you with one that I told to General Secretary Gorbachev.

This story, they have it, is that an American and a Russian were arguing about their two countries. And the American said, "Look, I can go into the Oval Office. I can pound the President's desk and say, 'Mr. President, I don't like the way you're running our country.'" And the Russian said, "I can do that." The American said, "You can?" He said, "Yes. I can go into the Kremlin to the General Secretary's office. I can pound his desk and say, 'Mr. General Secretary, I don't like the way President Reagan's running his country.'" [Laughter]

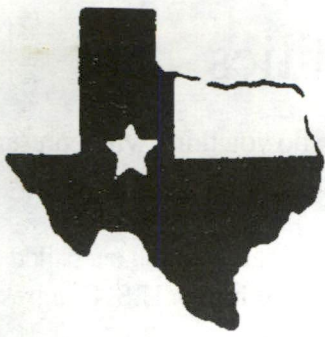
Thank you all. God bless you all.

Note: The President spoke at 12:07 p.m. in Paul Meyer Arena at Baylor University's Ferrell Special Events Center. In his opening remarks, he referred to Gov. William Clements and Herbert H. Reynolds, president of the university. The President also referred to Zach, the Baylor Bear.

Remarks to Employees of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration at the Johnson Space Center in Houston, Texas

September 22, 1988

The President. Thank you, Jim, and thank all of you very much. It's a great pleasure to be here at NASA's Johnson Space Center, to be here with the men and women who are leading America upward in her climb to the stars. It's important to remember that it is not some impersonal technology that puts our astronauts in space. It's the dedication and expertise of thousands of men and women of vision, people like you who see no limits, only possibilities. The truth is, our space program doesn't invest in machines; it invests in people. And you don't only launch rockets, you launch dreams. This is the age of technology, but technology is only a tool. Ladies and gentlemen, you are the space program, and America is proud of you.



ELECT HUGH D. SHINE

U.S. Congress

11th Congressional District

October, 1990

SHINE SUPPORTS LIMITATION OF TERMS

Hugh Shine believes in limiting terms of Congressmen and Senators to 12 years.

Hugh Shine is a businessman, a family man, and a homeowner in the 11th Congressional District.

Hugh's liberal opponent is a professional politician.

Hugh's liberal opponent believes people should be allowed to stay in Congress as long as the lobbyists, the big Eastern unions, and the political manipulators give their permission.

Once a politician is bought and paid

for, the insiders don't want to break in a new boy. So they leave him there for 20 or 30 years.

Whose interests do we think those life-time politicians are representing? Ours? Or the interests of the people who provide the big campaign contributions, the vacations, and the little favors for their friends?

Hugh Shine says it's time to break the back of the political insiders in Washington.

Hugh Shine says it's important for men and women to represent the people who sent them to Washington.

Hugh's liberal opponent will quickly take his place at the trough where the life-time politicians line up to get their paychecks from the special interests.

Do we want someone who wants to serve us in Washington?

Or, do we want someone who wants to be a servant to the political operators in Washington?

The choice is clear. We want a man who lives here. Who works here. Whose family is here.

BALANCED BUDGET / LINE ITEM VETO

Hugh Shine supports a Balanced Budget Amendment. Hugh Shine also supports the line item veto for the President.

The current budget process does not work. President Bush has called for an overhaul of the system.

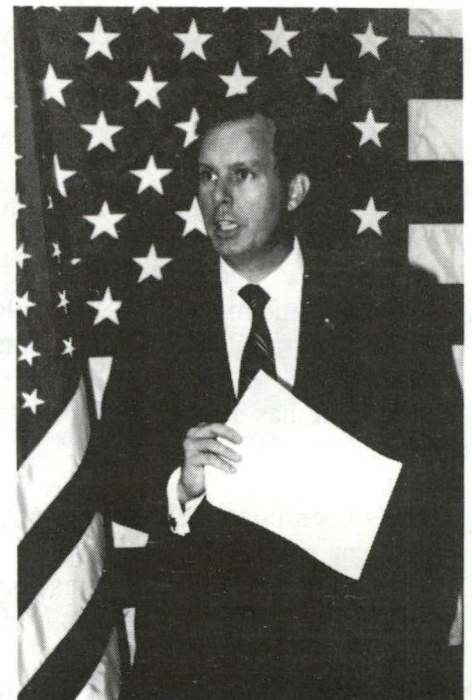
We must give President Bush an ally in the Congress when it comes to getting the liberal deficits under control.

Hugh's opponent will toe the liberal line when it comes to the budget process. Hugh's opponent will vote for higher

taxes, higher spending, and higher deficits.

Hugh's opponent will also toe the liberal line when it comes to protecting the big Eastern unions' stranglehold on the budget process by not supporting a line item veto for the President.

Don't be fooled by campaign rhetoric. Only one candidate in the race for U.S. Congress will be on guard protecting working, taxpaying citizens against new, and expanded liberal programs.



Quality Education -- Not Partisan Politics

Hugh Shine believes every child deserves a quality education. President Reagan appointed Hugh Shine to be a member of the Presidents' Intergovernmental Advisory Council on Education. President Bush re-appointed Hugh Shine to the same post.

Hugh Shine has worked to bring together educators, parents and students to help provide an environment which will give our children the best chance of learning from our teachers.

In the Texas Legislature, Hugh Shine co-sponsored the bi-partisan plan which would have provided funds for a good educational system across the State, without homeowners being taxed to death.

Hugh's liberal opponent chose the path that was the product of the unions, the lobbyists, and the special interests. It was so unfair to students and parents that the courts have ruled it unconstitutional.

That's the difference between Hugh Shine and his opponent: Hugh looks for solutions which will help the people who are involved in the situation. His liberal opponent looks for schemes which meet the approval of the lobbyists and sharp insiders.

Which man do you think will represent your interests?

For a better education for all our children, vote for Hugh Shine for U.S. Congress.



Hugh with wife Debbie and daughters Amber and Kelli

LIVING HERE VS. JUST STAYING HERE

Hugh Shine lives in Central Texas.

Hugh Shine has lived in Central Texas for 13 years.

Hugh Shine owns a house in Central Texas.

Hugh Shine and his wife, Debbie, plan to raise their family in Central Texas.

Hugh Shine has a business in Central Texas.

Hugh's liberal opponent has rented an apartment solely for the purpose of running for the 11th Congressional District seat.

That's pretty much the working definition of a carpetbagger.

In fact, Hugh's opponent, Chet Edwards has moved just about anywhere he thought it would serve his personal political ambitions.

Hugh's opponent tells us he is from here and understands us.

He went to Harvard University in Massachusetts to learn all about us.

He learned enough to endorse Michael Dukakis for President.

He lived in Washington, D.C. to learn about our problems.

He moved to Texas to run against Phil Gramm.

He moved to Dallas to run for the State Senate.

He indicated he might move to Austin to run for Lt. Governor.

When he announced for Congress, Chet Edwards wasn't even registered to vote for himself in this district!

For one candidate in this race Central Texas is home. That candidate is Hugh Shine.

For the other candidate Central Texas is just a month-to-month lease.

Which candidate do you think will be interested in your future?

EDWARDS SELLS OUT ON THE FLOOR OF THE SENATE

Hugh Shine believes an elected official should be held to the highest possible standards of conduct.

His liberal opponent apparently believes elected officials have the right to be above the law.

Last year a well-known lobbyist placed a check on the desk of each State Senator.

Right on the Senate floor.

These checks were blank where it said: "Pay to the Order of" - so any Senator who was inclined to take that check would simply write in his name.

These checks were in the amount of \$10,000. That's ten thousand dollars.

Chet Edwards accepted his check. He wrote his name on the line. Deposited it. And was obviously prepared to spend the money.

The District Attorney began to ask questions about the possible criminal aspects of the case. The press began to question the ethics of anyone who had taken one of those checks.

After he saw how the political and legal

winds were blowing, Chet Edwards had to make restitution and return the money to the lobbyist.

One man in this race thinks he should represent the best morals and the highest ethical standards of the community.

That man is Hugh Shine.

The other thinks like most professional politicians do: Anything is all right if you can get away with it.

Which type of man do you want to be your Congressman?

EDWARDS: THE ELDERLY MUST PAY MEDICAL BILLS WITH THEIR HOMES

Chet Edwards wrote the law which allowed the State of Texas to seize the homes of medicaid recipients to pay their medical bills.

That is so hard to believe, you may have to read it again.

Chet Edwards wrote the law which allowed the State of Texas to seize the

homes of medicaid recipients to pay their medical bills.

The bill was so harsh, and so cold, and so insensitive to the needs of senior citizens in Central Texas, it was repealed before it could ever take effect.

Chet Edwards was perfectly willing to put the demands of the lobbyists and insiders in Austin ahead of the needs of

common, decent people.

That's the difference between the two men running for Congress this year.

Hugh Shine lives here, works here, knows folks here, and thinks that what the people need is more important than what the special interests demand.

One man has pledged to stand up to the special interests.

That man is Hugh Shine.

The other has already demonstrated he will pander to the special interests. He's their boy. They know it, and Chet knows it.

No one should be forced to choose between their home and their health.

Make sure that Chet Edwards and his cronies get that message.

Vote for the man who will defend the rights of Senior Citizens, not sell them to the highest bidder.



MILITARY EXPERIENCE ... EITHER YOU HAVE IT ... OR YOU DON'T



Hugh Shine served six years on active military duty. Including a tour as a platoon leader in the demilitarized zone in South Korea.

Hugh Shine has been an active member of the Texas National Guard for the past 10 years. He is a helicopter pilot and has flown drug interdiction missions as part of the effort to bring that horrible problem under control.

Hugh Shine has been stationed at Fort Hood. Hugh Shine trains at Fort Hood.

Hugh's liberal opponent has never served a day in the military.

Hugh's record is one of answering his country's call. His opponent's record is one of deferment after deferment.

Now that he wants to be your Congressman, Hugh's opponent is telling us he has turned his back on his Harvard anti-military pals. He is telling us he really wants to represent the interests of military personnel, military families, and veterans.

The record shows that only one candidate in this race stepped across the line and put on the uniform. That candidate is Hugh Shine.

The record shows the other candidate hid behind a student deferment.

Which candidate do you think cares about our military?

Which man do you think best represents our military? Which candidate do you think best understands our military?

The answer to all those questions is Hugh Shine, Major, Texas Army National Guard..



Elect
HUGH D. SHINE
U.S. Congress

Dear Friend:

We are coming to the end of this long and strenuous campaign. We will be successful. We will be representing you in the Congress of the United States on next January 3.

I need your help, two more times.

I need you to help me get my message out. As you can see from the rest of this flier there are many significant issues which separate me from my opponent.

If all comes down to this: I live here. I work here. My family is here.

My opponent has never lived here. In fact he wasn't even registered to vote here until after he announced he was running for Congress!

You know and I know that Chet Edwards is very smooth. Maybe too smooth.

He represents all the big city values, the Eastern ethics, and the obscure morals that so many of us in Central Texas dislike. But he is running ads and making announcements saying he is a "conservative."

He is not a conservative. He never has been. He never will be.

So, here is my first request: Make sure your friends, family and neighbors know the kind of man Chet Edwards is and what kind of man Hugh Shine is. Ask them to consider carefully the information which is available about this campaign before they make up their minds.

Here is my second request: Vote. Vote for Hugh Shine. Get every single person you can to vote for Hugh Shine.

Please don't let "someone else" do it. As a personal favor to me, make a pledge to yourself that you will vote and you'll get five other people to the polls to vote for Hugh Shine.

Together we can help make life in Central Texas the kind of life we want for ourselves and our families.

Thank you and God Bless You,


Hugh

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THE BRAZOS BALLROOM

With a spectacular view overlooking the historic downtown Suspension Bridge, the Brazos Ballroom is complete with elegant chandelier and parquet flooring.

BOSQUE THEATER

Ideal for business meetings and presentations requiring sophisticated audio-visual capabilities, 172 tiered seats, rear screen projection and a 6 unit slide projection system with dissolve capabilities, wireless microphones and a 30 foot screen.

WACO CONVENTION CENTER

On the banks of Lake Brazos, the Waco Convention Center complex is within six blocks of 1,000 first class hotel rooms. A complete list of accommodations is available upon request.

TRANSPORTATION

Waco Regional Airport is a 15 minute drive from the Convention Center.

Exit 335B (University Parks Drive) from I-35. Drive west on University Parks drive. Follow the river to the Suspension Bridge. The Convention Center is on the next corner, University Parks Drive and Washington Avenue, in the heart of downtown Waco.

FACILITY

The Center's 119,000 square feet of exhibit and meeting space includes two general assembly/exhibit halls totaling 47,000 square feet. Moveable partitions in virtually every room assure flexibility in room size.

Complete handicapped accessibility is available throughout the Waco Convention Center Complex.

The Convention and Visitors Bureau is housed in the Convention Center, assuring you full service and one-stop to plan your turnkey meeting or convention.

- Ensure maximum attendance at Waco's most central location between Dallas/Ft. Worth and Austin on I-35, a convenient drive for the majority of your participants.
- Our service orientation ensures the success of your event. A Convention Service Representative will meet with you to finalize your plans and be on hand throughout your meeting. Texas hospitality is extended by the Waco Welcome Corps in staffing an informational booth with suggestions for restaurants, directions, maps, and brochures.



The Earle-Harrison House



The Bosque Theater



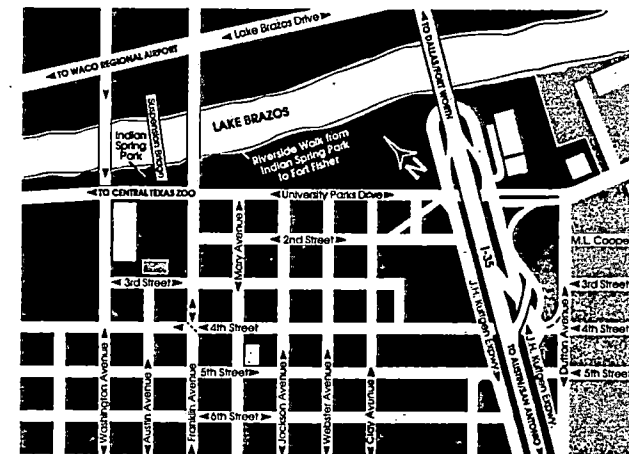
The Brazos Ballroom

SPECIAL SERVICES

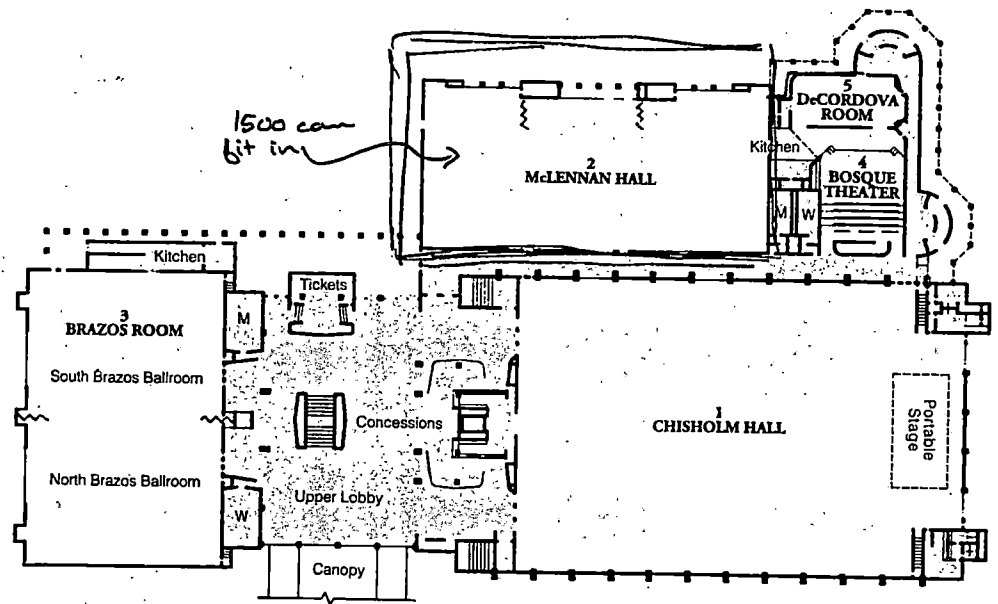
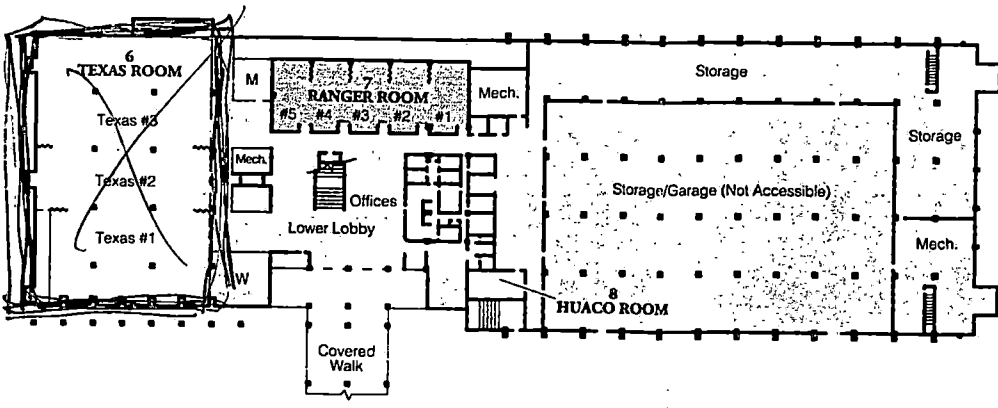
- For larger groups, we offer free shuttle buses between hotels, free registration assistance, free computerized name tags, and free housing assistance. Of course, spouse tours, children's activities and tours, and general convention planning assistance are always available.
- Your delegates will enjoy Waco's reasonable prices and many amenities. Hotel rates are consistently below big city prices, and we have ample free parking adjacent to the Convention Center. Waco's many restaurants range from the elegant to the prosaic. A wide range of caterers are also available. Two shopping malls and unique specialty boutiques guarantee a varied shopping experience.
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- In-house light catering is available with beer and wine service, or select from a list of approved caterers.



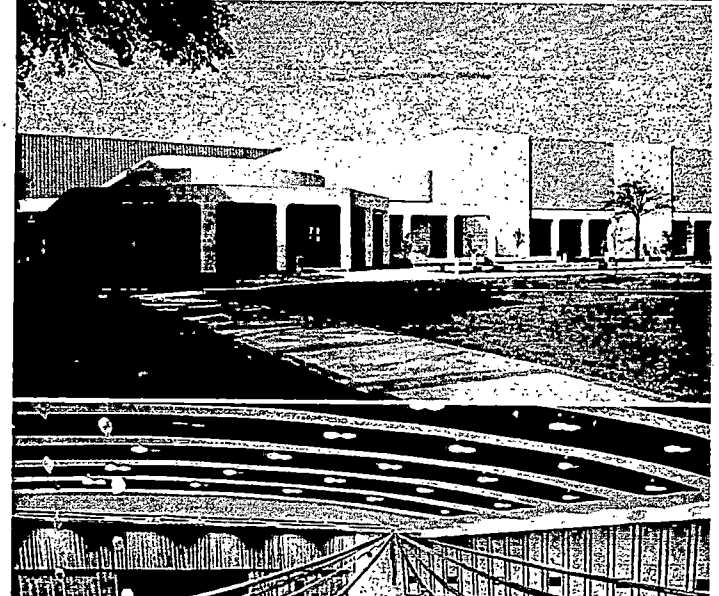
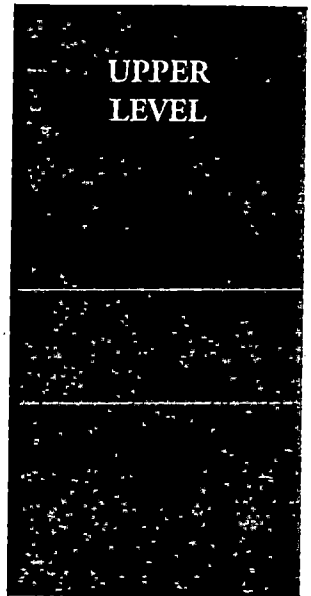
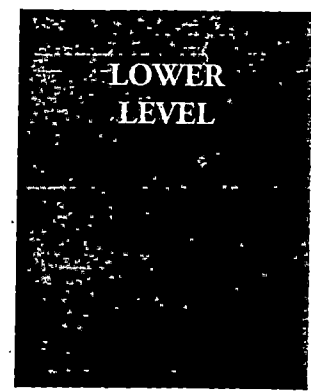
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| Dr. Pepper Museum | Sirecker Museum |
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| Waco Tourist Information Center | Marlin Museum of Art |
| Gov. Bill & Mrs. Vera Daniel | University Gallery |
| Historic Village | Baylor Information Center |



| | Dimensions | Usable Footage | Theater Style | Banquet Style | Classroom Style |
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| 1 CHISHOLM HALL | 150' X 203' | 32,000sf | 4,000 | 2200 | 1200 |
| 2 McLENNAN HALL | 180' x 84' | 15,000sf | 1400 | 1000 | 750 |
| 3 BRAZOS ROOM | 100' X 150' | 15,000sf | 1400 | 1000 | 750 |
| Brazos North | 100' x 75' | 7,500sf | 700 | 400 | 325 |
| Brazos South | 100' x 75' | 7,500sf | 700 | 400 | 325 |
| 4 BOSQUE THEATER | Fixed Seating | 2,500sf | 172 | N/A | N/A |
| 5 DeCORDOVA ROOM | 56' x 20' | 1,160sf | 120 | 50 | 40 |
| 6 TEXAS ROOM | 86' x 137' | 11,752sf | 800 | 800 | 500 |
| Texas #1 | 80' x 48' | 3,840sf | 250 | 200 | 175 |
| Texas #2 | 86' x 30' | 2,580sf | 175 | 125 | 100 |
| Texas #3 | 86' x 62' | 5,332sf | 350 | 300 | 230 |
| 7 RANGER ROOM | 100' x 32' | 3,200sf | 300 | 175 | 100 |
| Ranger #1 | 20' x 32' | 640sf | 50 | N/A | 32 |
| Ranger #2 | 20' x 32' | 640sf | 50 | N/A | 32 |
| Ranger #3 | 20' x 32' | 640sf | 50 | N/A | 32 |
| Ranger #4 | 20' x 32' | 640sf | 50 | N/A | 32 |
| Ranger #5 | 20' x 32' | 640sf | 50 | N/A | 32 |
| 8 HUACO ROOM | 20' x 50' | 684sf | 125 | 55 | 40 |



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