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Ministers Leadership Conf., Chicago, IL			Projected House & Senate Recess			

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Democratic National Convention, Staple Center, Los Angeles, CA					POTUS/MEG B-Days	
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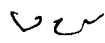
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