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COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

Robert F. Kennedy

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January 6, 1969

Mr. Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the President-Elect
Federal Building Number 7
17th and H Streets, N.W.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Bryce:

Thank you for your nice letter of December 24. I was more than happy to note that Ken Belieu will be liaison to the Senate. I have known him for many years and greatly respect him. I am sure he will do an excellent job.

I was very happy to learn of your appointment and I do look forward to seeing you during your next spare moment when you are on the Hill.

Kind personal regards.

Sincerely yours,

Tom Dodd
THOMAS J. DODD

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT

Richard M. Nixon

WASHINGTON, D.C.

December 24, 1968

Honorable Thomas J. Dodd
United States Senate
Washington, D. C. 20510

Dear Senator Dodd:

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Hope to see you soon.

Sincerely,

Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the
President-Elect

BNH:ph

BNH STAFF
WOOLLEY

January 2, 1969

Honorable Bob Dole, Senator-Elect
United States Senate
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Bob:

Thanks very much for your December 17 letter recommending Mr. Jack Woolley for a Congressional liaison position in the new Administration.

I'm pleased to know of your commendation and will certainly try to work something out so that Jack can participate in the Administration. Your enthusiastic salute means a great deal.

With warm regard.

Sincerely,

Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the
President-Elect

BNH/sr

bcc: Peter Flanigan

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT

Richard M. Nixon

WASHINGTON, D.C.

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United States House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20510

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Assistant to the
President-Elect

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BOB DOLE
Member of Congress
FIRST DISTRICT OF KANSAS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20515



*Thought this might be
of interest to you...*

Dryer --

*Viken is a good
Democrat --*

Bob

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December 21, 1968

Honorable Melvin Laird
Room 2246 Rayburn House Office Bldg.
Washington, D.C.

STRONGLY SUPPORT APPOINTMENT OF PAUL C. AIKEN AS SECRETARY OF
THE ARMY. AN OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL AND, INCIDENTALLY, A KANSAN.
WOULD BE PLEASED TO VISIT WITH YOU IN DETAIL AT YOUR CONVENIENCE.

BOB DOLE
Member of Congress

DEC 31 1968



MEMORANDUM

December 19, 1968

TO: PETER FLANIGAN
FROM: BRYCE HARLOW

On December 18 Senator-Elect Dole of Kansas called to endorse Palmby for Under Secretary of Agriculture. Dole reported that the Farm Bureau (Jim Dean) thinks Palmby is okay. So do: The NFO, Farmers Union, the Private Trade, and cooperatives.

I have previously reported a spectrum of Senators and Congressmen who support this appointment.

BNH+
Flanagan

December 18, 1968

Honorable Bob Dole
United States
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Bob:

Thanks very much for your salute to Bob Bauman of December 13. I'm delighted to know of your high regard and respect for Bob, who is highly esteemed in these parts, and I've put your comments in the proper hands hereabouts (and am keeping them firmly in my mind) along with the numerous other testimonials Bob has received.

With warm regard,

Sincerely,

Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the
President-Elect

BNH:ph

DECEMBER 10, 1968

RN COMPLETED TELEPHONE CALL TO SENATOR-ELECT BOB DÓLE.

DECEMBER ⁹~~10~~, 1968

UNCOMPLETED CALL TO SEN.-ELECT BOB DOLE BUT NOT ORIGINATED BY RN.

DOLE, Robert (U.S. Senator)

December 8, 1968

BNH spoke via telephone with Senator-Elect Dole in Kansas. Dole placed the call

January 13, 1969

Honorable Peter H. Dominick
United States Senate
Washington, D. C. 20510

Dear Pete:

I am taking the liberty of acknowledging your letter of December 23rd to the President-Elect recommending William D. Brewer for position of Deputy Postmaster General.

I've forwarded Don's name along with evidence of your interest to both New York and our new Postmaster General.

I apologize for the delay in this acknowledgment, but between N. Y. and D. C. and no permanent headquarters as yet, we are not always in prompt receipt (or dispatch) of our mail.

Sincerely,

Kenneth E. BeLieu
Deputy Assistant

KEB:da

BCC:

Mr. Flanigan
Sec.-Des. Blount

File

ER H. DOMINICK
COLORADO

COMMITTEES:
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ARMED SERVICES
SELECT COMMITTEE ON
SMALL BUSINESS

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

December 23, 1968

JAN 3 1968

Honorable Richard M. Nixon
President-Elect of the United States
450 Park Avenue
New York, New York 10022

Dear Dick:

I am delighted that you have selected a Postmaster General who is determined to give the American people the improvements in their postal service for which they have been paying. He shall certainly have my support.

In meeting the tremendous challenge he faces in the Department, however, Postmaster General Blount will need the help of a capable and experienced team to bring about the improvement and reforms which are necessary.

I would like to recommend for consideration a very able and experienced former member of the Postal Service who established an excellent record as Regional Operations Director in the Denver Region under Postmaster General Arthur Summerfield. William D. Brewer is currently the president of a very successful business in Colorado and would be an excellent choice for Deputy Postmaster General. I strongly endorse Don Brewer for this post and hope that you may give him favorable consideration.

Best personal regards.

Sincerely,



Peter H. Dominick
United States Senator

PHD:mer

January 3, 1969

Honorable Peter H. Dominick
United States Senate
Washington, D. C. 20510

Dear Peter:

Mr. Nixon warmly appreciated your letter of December 19th urging consideration of Mr. Thomas G. Egan for advancement in the new Administration.

We welcome your recommendation, and I can assure you that it will be most carefully considered. Your enthusiastic salute means a great deal.

With warm regard,

Sincerely,

Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the
President-Elect

BNH:jt

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT

Richard M. Nixon

WASHINGTON, D.C.

December 24, 1968

Honorable Peter H. Dominick
United States Senate
Washington, D. C. 20510

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Sincerely,

Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the
President-Elect

BNH:ph

December 13, 1968

Honorable Peter H. Dominick
United States Senate
Washington, D. C. 20510

Dear Peter:

Your letter of November 29, addressed to President-Elect Richard Nixon and for Mr. Peter Flanigan's attention, is acknowledged with appreciation.

Mr. Nixon was well aware of Mr. Hamil's excellent background in agriculture and service to farm-related organizations. Mr. Hamil received active and thoughtful consideration for the position of Secretary of Agriculture.

With warm best wishes, I am

Sincerely,

Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the
President-Elect

BNH:kmb

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United States Senate

COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

December 11, 1968

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Mr. Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the President-Elect
450 Park Avenue
New York, New York 10022

Dear Bryce:

Thank you for your letter of November 29, concerning the application of Mr. William J. Holman, who is interested in serving at the United Nations.

I appreciate your interest in making his resume available to the appropriate people and in keeping me advised.

Best personal regards.

Sincerely,

Pete

Peter H. Dominick
United States Senator

PHD:er

November 29, 1968

Honorable Peter H. Dominick
United States Senate
Washington, D. C. 20510

Dear Peter:

I appreciate your interest in -the application of Mr. William J. Holman, who is interested in obtaining a position with the new Administration, and especially in serving at the United Nations.

In the hope his qualifications and experience will receive the thorough and close consideration to which they are entitled, I have made his letter and resume available to those in the transition complex more directly involved with Mr. Nixon in this area. I am sure Mr. Holman's interest will be carefully weighed.

With warm regard,

Sincerely,

Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the
President-Elect

BNH:ph

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United States Senate

COMMITTEE ON
THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

December 2, 1968

Mr. Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the President-elect
c/o The Pierre Hotel
New York, New York

Dear Bryce:

Thank you very much for your wire of November 21st.
We are very happy to get the instructions, and we will be
sending our recommendations on in the near future.

Best personal regards.

Sincerely,



Peter H. Dominick
United States Senator

PHD:kcb

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT

Richard M. Nixon

WASHINGTON, D.C.

December 24, 1968

Honorable Harold D. Donohue
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Mr. Donohue:

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Assistant to the
President-Elect

BCH:ph

WM. JENNINGS BRYAN DORN
THIRD DISTRICT, SOUTH CAROLINA

HOME ADDRESS:
R.F.D. NO. 1, GREENWOOD, S.C.

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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

January 4, 1969

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Honorable Richard Nixon
President-elect
726 Jackson Place
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Nixon:

You are cordially invited to attend a reception, sponsored by the South Carolina Delegation, honoring Senator and Mrs. Strom Thurmond in the Armed Services Committee Room of the House, Room 2120, Rayburn Building, on Wednesday, January 8, at 4:30 p.m.

We hope you will be able to attend.

With warmest regards and best wishes,
I am

Sincerely,



Wm. Jennings Bryan Dorn
Secretary
South Carolina Delegation

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

January 4, 1969

Honorable Bryce N. Harlow
Office of the President-Elect
Richard M. Nixon
Washington, D.C.

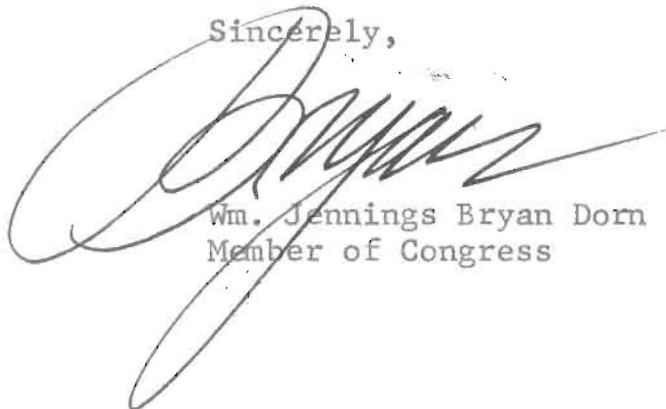
Dear Bryce:

Your letter of December 24 is deeply appreciated.
Delighted to have your Washington address and will be
in touch with you.

Very pleased that Ken Belieu and Bill Timmons will
be your Deputy Assistants for Congressional Relations.
They are both outstanding men and I look forward to working
with them and with you. We are very pleased that you will
be in Washington with President Nixon at the White House.

Millie joins me in warm regards.

Sincerely,



Wm. Jennings Bryan Dorn
Member of Congress

D/fs

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT

Richard M. Nixon

WASHINGTON, D.C.

January 12, 1969

*Jennings
Ramsey*

Honorable Wm. Jennings Bryan Dorn
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Bryan:

Thanks very much for your ringing endorsement of Mr. James R. D. Anderson. Your letter of January 7, 1969 is an impressive salute, and it will be very influential in all considerations.

I warmly appreciate your letting me know of your strong backing for Mr. Anderson. Your salute to him means a great deal.

Cordially,

Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the
President-Elect

BNH:kmb

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT

RICHARD M. NIXON

WASHINGTON, D. C.

December 24, 1968

Honorable W. J. Bryan Dorn
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Bryan:

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HONORABLE RICHARD M NIXON, PRESIDENT ELECT

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CONGRATULATIONS. YOU WILL HAVE MY COOPERATION AND BEST WISHES

ALWAYS. SINCERELY

WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN DORN MEMBER OF CONGRESS

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT

RICHARD M. NIXON

WASHINGTON, D. C.

December 24, 1968

Honorable John Dowdy
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Mr. Dowdy:

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Assistant to the
President-Elect

BNH:kb

THOMAS N. DOWNING
1ST DISTRICT, VIRGINIA
NEWPORT NEWS, VIRGINIA
E. M. TINY HUTTON
ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

COMMITTEES:
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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives

Washington, D.C. 20515

January 6, 1969

Mr. Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the President-Elect
Office of the President-Elect
Richard M. Nixon
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Harlow:

Thank you so much for writing to
tell me that you have set up shop in the
Transition headquarters, Federal Building
#7, corner of 17th and H Streets, N. W.,
Washington, D. C.

I certainly appreciate your telling
me that Ken BeLieu and Bill Timmons will
operate from the temporary Washington
office.

With every good wish, I am

Sincerely,



Thomas N. Downing

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT

RICHARD M. NIXON

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Honorable Thomas N. Downing
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

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December 9, 1968

Flanagan

Honorable Thomas N. Downing
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Mr. Downing:

Your high regard for Congressman Rogers Morton, whom you strongly endorse for Secretary of the Interior, is actively shared not only by Mr. Nixon but by all of us here who have known him both as a Congressman and as a loyal and highly effective participant in the Nixon cause.

I can most sincerely assure you that Rog's remarkable abilities and your own feelings in this matter have had most careful attention.

With cordial regard,

Sincerely,

Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the
President-Elect

BNH:ph

December 9, 1968

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Honorable Thomas N. Downing
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Mr. Downing:

President-Elect Nixon has asked me to reply to your December 3 letter suggesting Mr. J. E. Eller for consideration as a participant in the new Administration.

As you know, Mr. Nixon is committed to recruiting the best possible talent for the new Administration, and in this light, Mr. Eller's background and qualifications certainly will be considered. We are grateful for your thoughtfulness in advising us of Mr. Eller's capabilities, and I can assure you every consideration will be given to him.

I look forward to working with you in the 91st Congress.

Sincerely,

Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the
President-Elect

BNH:ph

January 6, 1969

Honorable Thaddeus J. Dulski, Chairman
Committee on Post Office and Civil Service
U. S. House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Mr. Chairman:

President-Elect Nixon greatly appreciates your December 12 letter in behalf of Dr. Leo Packer, in which you emphasized his competence to head the Bureau for Research and Engineering in the Post Office Department.

Certainly, such an endorsement from you means a great deal to Mr. Nixon and all of us, and it will receive very careful attention.

With cordial regards,

Sincerely,

Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the
President-Elect

BNH/sr

bcc: John Whitaker
Secretary-Designate Blount

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House of Representatives, U.S.

COMMITTEE ON
POST OFFICE AND CIVIL SERVICE

Washington, D.C. 20515

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December 12, 1968.

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Honorable Richard M. Nixon,
President-Elect,
Pierre Hotel,
61st Street and Fifth Avenue,
New York, New York, 10021.

Dear Mr. Nixon:

In the announcement of your Cabinet selections last evening, I was heartened by your comment that our postal operation needs to be modernized and updated.

This is precisely what our Post Office and Civil Service Committee has been aiming for, and I feel an excellent start was made in 1966 with the creation by Congress of a new Bureau for Research and Engineering in the Post Office Department.

Named as the first head of this new Bureau was ~~Dr. Leo S. Packer~~, who came from a key research and engineering role at Xerox Corporation, and previously held a top-level research post with Cornell Aeronautical Laboratories in Buffalo, New York. In the relatively short period Dr. Packer has been in the Department he has done an outstanding job of mustering a massive technological effort to deal with the postal crisis. The Members of my Committee, both Democratic and Republican, would concur with this observation.

Since this is a relatively new area for the Department, and an immensely important one, I cannot over-emphasize the value of the experience Dr. Packer has had in this post. His professional and leadership background before assuming this position was an impressive one, and has served him well in his duties and responsibilities as Assistant Postmaster General for Research and Engineering.

I would, therefore, strongly recommend that you consider retaining this capable and experienced man in this capacity. It is of paramount importance that we proceed without interruption in developing the best possible equipment and facilities to handle the steadily climbing volume of mail.

I have spoken with Dr. Packer and he would agree to serving in your administration in this position.

With kind regards, I remain

Respectfully yours,


T. J. DULSKI
Chairman

cc: Honorable Winton M. Blount
Postmaster General Designate
79 Commerce Street
Montgomery, Alabama



OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT

Richard M. Nixon

WASHINGTON, D.C.

December 24, 1968

Honorable Thaddeus J. Dulski
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

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Sincerely,

Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the
President-Elect

BNH:kb

December 14, 1968

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Congrats
Harlow:kmb

Dear Mr. Dulski:

Due to the mass of mail which swamped my office after election, this is the first opportunity I have had to extend my thanks to you for your congratulatory wire. I deeply appreciate the sentiment of your telegram.

I look forward to the opportunity of working with you in the 91st Congress. I am confident that, once we get to Washington, we shall be able to set up a productive and efficient Executive-Congressional team with the result that all of us want: good government for our country.

Mrs. Nixon joins me in sending our very best wishes for Christmas and the New Year.

Sincerely,

Richard Nixon

Honorable T. J. Dulski
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

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HONORABLE RICHARD M NIXON, 75 DLR

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PRESIDENT ELECT 450 PARK AVENUE NYK

CONGRATULATIONS UPON YOUR ELECTION TO THE PRESIDENCY. AS CHAICMAN
OF THE HOUSE POST OFFICE AND CIVIP SERVICE COMMITTEE, I LOOK
FORWARD TO COORDINATING WITH YOU ON MANY ISDCS IN THE NEXT
CONGRESS AND I WANT TO ASSURE YOU AT THIS TIME OF MY FULL COOPERATIMN
IN WORKING FOR THE BEST INTEREST OF THE POSTAL SYSTEM AND THE
FEDERAL CIVIL SERVICE.

ALTHOUGH WE MAY DIFFER POLITICALLY, YOU WILLBE MY PRESIDENT
AND IT IS ESSENTIAL FOR THE BETTERMENT OF OUR PEOPLE THAT WE
WORK TOGETHER.

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December 13, 1968

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Honorable Thaddeus J. Dulski, Chairman
Committee on Post Office and
Civil Service
U. S. House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Mr. Dulski:

Thank you for your message of congratulations in your letter of December 4, in which you also recommend the appointment of Mr. George M. Moore as the next Deputy Postmaster General. I look forward to working with you in the upcoming 91st.

Mr. Moore's name will be placed together with your letter before the appropriate people for consideration.

Thank you very much for your interest in formation of a sound Administration and a strong relationship between the Congress and the Executive.

Cordially,

Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the
President-Elect

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December 28, 1968

Honorable John J. Duncan
Member of Congress
U. S. House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear John:

This acknowledges with appreciation your letter of December 18th addressed to Mr. Bryce Harlow and referring a letter from your constituent Reverend Michael D. Bolus.

Bryce has joined President-Elect Nixon in Florida for the Holidays where they hope to combine work with a brief vacation. Therefore, I am taking the liberty of placing your good letter and Reverend Bolus' correspondence before those individuals who, during this transition period, are responsible to the President-Elect for reviewing applicants for positions in the new Administration.

I know that your constituent will receive active and thoughtful consideration.

With best personal regards, I remain

Sincerely,

William E. Timmons
Deputy Assistant

WET:jst

Blind Copy to: Mr. Herb Klein, Dir. of Communications
with attachment 450 Park Ave.
New York, N. Y.

NOTE: Herb: Could you acknowledge receipt of this communication to Reverend Bolus with a copy to Congressman Duncan? Thanks-BT

JOHN J. DUNCAN
2D DISTRICT, TENNESSEE

1528 LONGWORTH HOUSE OFFICE BLDG.
PHONE: 225-5435

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

December 18, 1968

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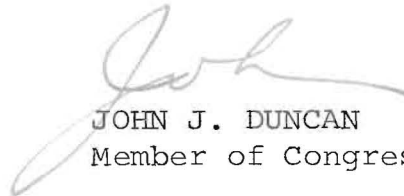
Honorable Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the President-Elect
Hotel Pierre
450 Park Avenue
New York, New York 10022

Dear Mr. Harlow:

Attached hereto is a letter I received from
Reverend Michael D. Bolus of Knoxville. The sub-
ject matter of this letter has apparently been
called to your attention by Senator Baker.

An acknowledgement of this communication
will be appreciated.

Very truly yours,


JOHN J. DUNCAN
Member of Congress

JJD:jh

Enclosure

Inskip Presbyterian Church

607 CEDAR LANE

KNOXVILLE, TENNESSEE 37912

PHONE: 688-2601

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JOHN J. DUNCAN

MICHAEL D. BOLUS, PASTOR

FRITZ C. METLER, CLERK OF SESSION

December 15, 1968

Congressman John J. Duncan
1528 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Congressman Duncan:

Recently, I have written letters to President Nixon and Senator Baker with reference to finding an appropriate place to serve within the new administration. I have received a nice letter from Senator Baker, and now am writing you to seek both your help and guidance in this matter.

The area of service wherein I want to serve is that of coordination and communication. There is a deep conviction within me that the exchange of ideas is terribly important to any administration. I want to serve my country and my party somewhere in such a capacity, within the various areas of the administration, between the administration and other areas of government, or between the administration and the people.

As I have previously shared with the Senator and President Nixon, this is a decision reached after much soul searching; however, I am keeping this matter strictly confidential at the present time, as I do not want to cause any undue care on the part of my congregation or my family. In the event things do progress to the point of having a definite opportunity of service within the administration, I would then seek the most advantageous moment and manner to reveal my decision to those so closely a part of my life here at the Inskip church.

Biographically, I am thirty two years old, having been born in Omaha, Nebraska, July 25, 1936. I grew up in Johnson City, where I attended the public schools and graduated in 1959 from East Tennessee State University. After working for about a year in business, I attended a year in the graduate division of Columbia Bible College, Columbia, South Carolina. After this year, I married my dear wife, the former Elizabeth Swartwout of Yonkers, New York. We soon moved to Decatur, Georgia, where I enrolled as a candidate for the ministry at Columbia Seminary. Prior to coming here as pastor of Inskip church, I served (during seminary) a pastorate in Tuscaloosa, Alabama, and (since seminary) a pastorate in Acworth, Georgia.

As I sought to make clear to President Nixon and Senator Baker, I do not consider myself a "frustrated" minister. Rather, this conviction came to me and I just have not been able to get away from it, that I should pursue with seriousness the desire to serve in the Nixon administration.

I went by your Knoxville office several days ago, and spoke to Ed Bailey about the possibility of speaking to you while here in town but things just haven't worked out. Hence, this letter rather than the personal visit, which I hope will reach you soon in your busy schedule.

Sincerely,


Michael Bolus

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT

RICHARD M. NIXON

WASHINGTON, D. C.

December 24, 1968

Honorable John J. Duncan
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Mr. Duncan:

I have now set up shop in the Transition headquarters, Federal Building #7, corner of 17th and H Streets, N. W., Washington, D.C. While it will be necessary for me to divide my time between the Capital and New York until January 20, my associates -- Ken Belieu and Bill Timmons, both "Deputy Assistants for Congressional Relations" -- will operate from the temporary Washington office. Ken will be concentrating on Senate matters, and Bill on House matters. Please call on them if they can be helpful in any way during this governmental hiatus.

The D. C. office switchboard is 395-2000 and the New York number is (212) 421-3100.

Hope to see you soon.

Sincerely,

Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the
President-Elect

BNH:kb

December 18, 1968

Honorable John G. Duncan
United States
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear John:

Our good friend - now the President-Elect - has asked me to express his deep appreciation for bringing to his personal attention the pictures taken by your young constituent, Harlan Hambright. Mr. Nixon was happy to autograph the picture, and I am sending it back with this letter.

All of us hope you will convey to Mr. Hambright our thanks for his support and hard work for the Republican Party; in the picture he took of our new leader, he did a great job.

With warm regard,

Sincerely,

Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the
President-Elect

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JOHN J. DUNCAN
2D DISTRICT, TENNESSEE
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4520 LONGWORTH HOUSE OFFICE BLDG.
PHONE: 225-5435

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

December 2, 1968

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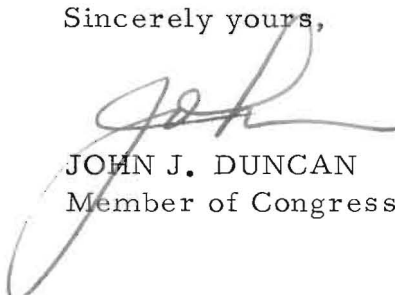
Honorable Richard M. Nixon
Hotel Pierre
East 49th Street
New York, New York 10017

Dear Dick:

I hesitate to call upon you for a personal matter when I know how busy you are at this time.

The attached photographs were taken by a young Republican from a very prominent Republican family when you were in Knoxville during the campaign. He has requested that I have you autograph one of the pictures. His name is Harlan Hambright, and your granting of his request will be greatly appreciated by me as well as Harlan.

Sincerely yours,


JOHN J. DUNCAN
Member of Congress

JJD:ku

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JOHN J. DUNCAN
2D DISTRICT, TENNESSEE

1528 LONGWORTH HOUSE OFFICE BLDG.
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December 11, 1968

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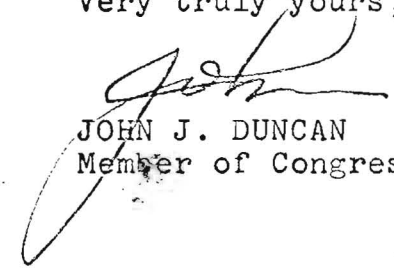
Honorable Richard M. Nixon
President-Elect
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Nixon:

I understand that you have been extended an invitation to speak to the Tennessee Bar Association Convention in Gatlinburg, Tennessee, next June.

I am a member of the Tennessee Bar Association, and for this and many other reasons I would appreciate it very much if you would give this invitation your most serious consideration.

Very truly yours,


JOHN J. DUNCAN
Member of Congress

JJD/pd

January 14, 1969

Honorable John J. Duncan
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Mr. Duncan:

Hemming *Romney*
Thanks very much for your ringing endorsements of Messrs. Carroll G. Oakes and George V. Snowden. Your letters of December 18, 1968 and January 7, 1969 are an impressive salute, and they will be very influential in all considerations.

I warmly appreciate your letting me know of your strong backing of Messrs. Oakes and Snowden. Your salute to them means a great deal.

Cordially,

Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the
President-Elect

December 9, 1968

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Honorable John J. Duncan
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear John:

Our President-Elect has asked me to respond to your letter of December 4, expressing your opposition to the retention of Mr. William J. Driver as Administrator of the Veterans Administration.

These high positions are, as you know, being considered by Mr. Nixon very deliberately, and your views will form a part of all discussions. It is thoughtful of you to bring to our attention certain practices of the VA under Mr. Driver's leadership, and I can assure you all these factors will be carefully weighed.

I look forward to working with you in the 91st Congress and hope to see you ere long.

With warm regard,

Sincerely,

Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the
President-Elect

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT

Richard M. Nixon

WASHINGTON, D.C.

December 24, 1968

Honorable Florence P. Dwyer
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Mrs. Dwyer:

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Sincerely,

Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the
President-Elect

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November 27, 1968

Honorable Florence P. Dwyer
Member of Congress
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, D.C.

Dear Congresswoman Dwyer:

For the next several weeks President-Elect Nixon will be firming up programs to be proposed to Congress by the new Republican Administration.

Mr. Nixon is much aware of your long Congressional experience and your leadership as our party's senior member on the Committee on Government Operations. He is very hopeful that you will offer suggestions for inclusion in the program of the new Administration and that your recommendations can be made available by mid-December. If you would supply these suggestions to me, I will see that they receive the priority attention that the President-Elect has directed.

With cordial regard.

Sincerely,

Bryce N. Harlow
Assistant to the President-Elect

November 22, 1968

Dear Florence:

I warmly appreciate your congratulations and good wishes, and I certainly reciprocate those sentiments to you.

Now our nation has a new Administration. We are going to work cooperatively and, I anticipate, very constructively with the 91st Congress. From its start I am hopeful that all of us will be able to come together in the interest of good government and a better America.

With cordial regards,

Sincerely,

The Honorable Florence P. Dwyer
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C.



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
WASHINGTON, D. C.

FLORENCE P. DWYER
TWELFTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT
NEW JERSEY

November 15, 1968

Dear President Elect Nixon:

Please accept my sincere congratulations on your election to the Presidency of the United States. Your victory is well deserved and must give to you and your lovely family a feeling of great satisfaction.

It will be wonderful having you as the Republican President in the White House and I look forward to cooperating with you in the 91st Congress.

With every good wish for the future,

Sincerely,

Florence P. Dwyer
FLORENCE P. DWYER
Member of Congress

Dear Florence

President Elect Richard M. Nixon
Hotel Pierre
New York, New York