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October 19, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. RAYMOND K. PRICE, JR.

VIA: MR. JON M. HUNTSMAN
(Staff Secretary)

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: Preparation of Recommended
Presidential "One-Liner"

There was an incident at the Southwest Gate this morning involving Congressman Hays of Ohio. I will not go into detail here in that I mentioned most of the facts to you and the others at the 10:00 a.m. meeting today in Bob Haldeman's office -- but the point, as I am sure you will recall, is that Hays went away madder than a hornet and threatening to devote the remainder of the day to bringing about a defeat for the Administration on the Mansfield Amendment. There was little that we could do but that didn't mean that we shouldn't at least try to placate the Congressman. MacGregor and Timmons suggested a quick letter to Hays -- written by Quimby or possibly the Deputy Assistant Director of the EPS, Vince Mroz. I decided, however, to talk to Rowley -- and while doing so, suggested that he go personally to Hays' office and smooth things over to the best of his ability. It seemed to me that this would flatter Hays even more than a letter.

To cut short what is turning into a long story, let me add simply that Rowley went to the Hill, saw Hays and put forth a good bit of charm in expressing apologies for the inconvenience to Hays ... and the Secret Service's determination to put a stop to these kinds of embarrassing occurrences. Before he finished, the Congressman had settled down considerably and even let him (Rowley) know that he wasn't really going to vote against us on the Mansfield Amendment.

I would suggest a brief Presidential note of thanks to Rowley, along these lines:

Dear Jim:

Mr. Butterfield told me briefly this morning about the Wayne Hays incident, and I want you to know how much I appreciate your

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going personally to the Hill and handling things in the direct and very professional way that you did.

Sincerely,

Richard Nixon

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MEMORANDUM FOR: MISS GERTRUDE T. BROWN
Security Assistant

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: Security Clearances

I have talked to Director Shultz, Mr. Dean and others concerning the October 8th White House Press Office announcement of appointments to membership on the National Commission on Productivity for Messrs. Frank Fitzsimmons, Lane Kirkland, Governor Arch Moore and Edward Dwyer ... none of whom had been cleared in the normal fashion through our office or that of Mr. Kingsley. Unfortunately (for the system), we appear to be locked into moving ahead in the direction of Director Shultz's initiatives. Therefore, I am authorizing you, by this memorandum, to issue the clearances on all four of the aforementioned persons right away -- and to notify Mr. Kingsley and Mr. Melencamp of your actions.

Meanwhile, you should initiate an updating of the investigation results on file for Fitzsimmons, Kirkland and Moore and complete^a full-field FBI investigation of Mr. Dwyer.

I am returning herewith the quick "derog" summaries you prepared for me on Kirkland, Fitzsimmons and Moore. A copy has gone only to Mr. Haldeman.

Thank you.

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CONFIDENTIAL

October 19, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. H. R. HALDEMAN

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: Improvement of Security Measures
During Trips Away From Washington

This is just a quick note to tell you that I will have a report for you soon on the subject of document, telephone and other security measures during Presidential trips away from Washington. I am meeting with Secret Service and Military Aides Office representatives tomorrow morning at 10:00.

October 19, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. REX SCOUTEN
Chief Usher

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: Purchase of '66 Wines

Please proceed with the purchase of two cases of regular-size bottles of Lafite Rothschild at the sale price of \$189.95 per case ... and two cases each of small bottles of Margeaux, Haut Brion and Lafite Rothschild at the best price you can find within the next 2-3 weeks.

Thank you.

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October 19, 1971

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MEMORANDUM FOR: MISS GERTRUDE T. BROWN
Security Assistant

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: Clearances for Pay Board Candidates

You may consider Messrs. Meany, Fitzsimmons, Abel, Woodcock and F. Smith cleared for purposes of their candidacy to membership on the recently created Pay Board.

Thank you.

CONFIDENTIAL

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October 19, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. RAYMOND K. PRICE, JR.
VIA: MR. JON M. HUNTSMAN
(Staff Secretary)
FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD
SUBJECT: Preparation of Recommended
Presidential "One-Liner"

On September 14th John Price delivered an excellent speech before the Long Island Association of Commerce and Industry. A copy is attached hereto.

I would recommend a short complimentary note to Price -- from the President, or perhaps more appropriately from Mr. Haldeman -- along these lines:

Dear John:

I want to compliment you on the speech you delivered in mid-September before the Long Island Association of Commerce and Industry. I had an opportunity to read a copy of the text over the weekend and found it to be excellent -- something of which your old mentor, Pat Moynihan, would be especially proud.

Attachment

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October 19, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. LILBURN E. BOGGS
Assistant Director
Protective Forces
U. S. Secret Service

SUBJECT: Special Use of Presidential
Limousine No. 739

The purpose of this note is to confirm the message passed to Agent Keiser earlier in the day -- that Presidential limousine no. 739 should be made available to President Tito and his motorcade at Houston and Des Moines. (It is my understanding that a similar limousine will be used by Tito during his Long Beach and Los Angeles visits.)

Alexander P. Butterfield
Deputy Assistant to the President

cc: Mr. Robert H. Taylor
Special Agent in Charge
Presidential Protective Division
U. S. Secret Service

October 19, 1971

Dear Chief Drescher:

Many thanks for your fine report of October 19th concerning Officers Tutka and Kane. You handled the matter especially well.

Sincerely,

Alexander P. Butterfield
Deputy Assistant to the President

Deputy Chief Earl L. Drescher

Acting Commanding Officer
Executive Protective Service
The White House
Washington, DC

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October 18, 1971

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MEMORANDUM FOR: MISS GERTRUDE T. BROWN
Security Assistant

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: Reappointment of Mr. Russ Arrington

Mr. Russ Arrington has been approved for reappointment to the
Advisory Committee for Intergovernmental Relations.

Please inform Mr. Kingsley ... and, as a courtesy, Mr. Art Sohmer
in the Vice President's office.

Thank you.

Attachment

CONFIDENTIAL

October 18, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. MICHAEL B. SMITH
FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD
SUBJECT: Preparation of Presidential
Condolence Letter

If you have not done so already, you may want to prepare a Presidential condolence letter to Senator Bob Packwood, whose sister, Patricia Richardson (Mrs. Campbell Richardson), was killed in an automobile accident in Oregon this past Friday night. In addition to her husband, she left three children, ages 11, 9 and 5.

More detailed information can be obtained from Bill Timmons and/or John Nidecker.

Thank you.

cc: Miss Eliska Hasek

October 18, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. MICHAEL B. SMITH
FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD
SUBJECT: Preparation of Presidential
Condolence Letter

It has just been brought to my attention that Senator Jack Miller's father died -- either last night or this morning. Evidently, the father lived in Wood River, Nebraska, for the funeral is to be held there on Wednesday morning at St. Mary's Catholic Church. I would expect, however, that if you are going to send a letter to Senator Miller, you would want to send it to his local address ... which is:

5417 Kirkwood Drive, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20016

Many thanks.

cc: Miss Eliska A. Hasek :

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October 15, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MRS. JEANNE W. DAVIS
Staff Secretary, National Security Council

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: Interpreter for the President's Meetings
with President Tito

The President would like Mr. Alexander Akalovsky to serve as interpreter during the Tito visit to Washington, D.C.

*copy to
Chen
10/18/71*

October 15, 1971

PERSONAL/CONFIDENTIAL

MEMORANDUM FOR: BRIG. GENERAL A. M. HAIG
FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD
SUBJECT: Trips by Dr. Kissinger

Al:

Bob will no doubt talk to Henry about this matter, but regardless, I thought you should be alerted.

With reference to the newspiece marked on the attached extract from today's News Summary, it would be well for you to determine in advance of Henry's trips, henceforth, whether the business is to be billed as official or political -- and of course, from that determination, who will pay for the transportation, DOD or the RNC?

You and I know better than most others what fantastic news stories can generate nationwide from a single reporter's inquiry about the details of the travels of Administration officials. This is one which we should put on track now.

Attachment

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MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 15, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. CLARK MAC GREGOR
MR. WILLIAM E. TIMMONS

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: Agenda for GOP Leadership
Meeting, October 19th

The President approved the agenda which you proposed for the GOP Leadership Meeting on October 19th ... with only a few slight changes. Rather than his talking for 15 minutes about the Soviet trip (agenda item no. 1), he will talk for 10 minutes and ask the Secretary of State (who will be in town that day) to supplement his remarks with an additional 10 minutes of his own. The Supreme Court nominations can be discussed from 8:20 until 8:30 -- the new Economic Plan from 8:30 until 8:40 -- the Senate Report from 8:40 until 8:50 -- and the House Report from 8:50 until 9:00.

I am attaching the corrected copy of the draft agenda you forwarded to my office.

Attachment

cc: Mr. David N. Parker

October 15, 1971
9:30 a.m.

MEMORANDUM FOR: CHIEF LAURENCE B. QUIMBY
Executive Protective Service

SUBJECT: Instruction for EPS Personnel

Please ensure that henceforth the telephones at all EPS posts within the White House-OEOB complex are used for official purposes only, and that the conversations are held in low to reasonably moderate tones and limited in duration to those few seconds required to conduct security business.

Alexander P. Butterfield
Deputy Assistant to the President

October 15, 1971

9:00 a.m.

MEMORANDUM FOR: CHIEF LAURENCE B. QUIMBY
Executive Protective Service

SUBJECT: Alleged Impropriety of EPS Guard(s)

The EPS guard on duty in front of the President's Oval Office between 8:15 and 9:00 a.m. on October 14th spoke so loudly on the telephone that he interrupted the meeting in session in the Roosevelt Room and caused some considerable inconvenience to those who were in attendance. Because the same thing happened again this morning -- during approximately the same period of time -- I have every reason to believe that at least some of the phone calls made were of a personal nature.

Please investigate this matter -- the two instances cited -- and report back to me your findings as well as the remedial action to be taken. I should think at least a severe reprimand appropriate where the cause of the indiscretion is found to be poor judgment.

Thank you.

Alexander P. Butterfield
Deputy Assistant to the President

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October 15, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. MICHAEL B. SMITH
FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD
SUBJECT: Preparation of Presidential Letter
of Congratulations

Please prepare for the President's signature a short congratulatory note to George G. Seibels, Jr., recently reelected Republican Mayor of Birmingham, Alabama. You should base the text of the letter on information from the attached sheet and coordinate the final product with Mr. Bob Brown.

Attachment

cc: Mr. Robert J. Brown

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October 14, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. DAVID N. PARKER
FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD
SUBJECT: The Erin Dinner

As I mentioned to you earlier this afternoon, the National Security Council Staff Secretary announced in our Gandhi dinner planning meeting this morning that there was a better than 50-50 chance that Prime Minister Erin would not be able to accept the invitation to come to the United States in mid-November. She (Jeanne Davis) has just called to confirm the fact that the Erin events, tentatively scheduled, will have to be cancelled in that the Prime Minister has made his declination official.

(If for some reason we do not want the two ambassadorial dinners to be scheduled after the first of the year, please let me know so that I, in turn, can get word to the NSC. Tentative planning of those events indicates that they will be held sometime during the first two months of the new year. Although we have an especially heavy social calendar between now and Christmas, we can, if we must, hold the ambassadorial dinners -- or at least one of them -- in December.)

October 14, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. DAVID N. PARKER

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: Scheduling of the November White House
Worship Service

The Residence staff and Lucy Winchester have requested that we do not schedule the November White House Worship Service on the 7th of the month. It is my understanding that the Red Room will be open on or about November 4th, and that the weekend of November 6th and 7th is to be set aside for the closing of the Green Room for a similar type of renovation.

I would appreciate your notifying me once a Worship Service date has been confirmed.

Thank you.

Cdr

October 14, 1971
3:30 p.m.

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. RAYMOND K. PRICE, JR.
FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD
SUBJECT: Presidential "One-Liner to Secretary Laird

Please prepare a Presidential "one-liner" to Secretary Laird based on his remarks of support as reported on page three of the attached News Summary. I would appreciate your forwarding the letter through the Staff Secretary, if at all possible, before the close of business today.

Thank you.

Attachment

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 14, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. GEORGE P. SHULTZ
MR. PETER M. FLANIGAN
MR. CHARLES W. COLSON
MR. HARRY S. DENT
MR. GEORGE T. BELL

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: Presidential Telephone Call

The President called Frank Fitzsimmons on October 13th.

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 14, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. CLARK MAC GREGOR
MR. WILLIAM E. TIMMONS
MR. CHARLES W. COLSON

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: Presidential Phone Call to
Congressman Ancher Nelson

I believe I told you recently that the President didn't call Congressman Ancher Nelson on his birthday -- October 11th. That was correct; however, he did put through a call to the Congressman on October 13th ... presumably to express birthday greetings.

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October 13, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. MARK GOODE
FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD
SUBJECT: Request for Photographs
of the President's Residence

Your request to photograph the President's Residence (one exterior shot and one of the Lincoln Bedroom) is approved.

Please coordinate details with Mr. Rex Scouten, Chief Usher.

Thank you,

cc: Mr. Rex Scouten

Cdr

October 13, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. DAVID N. PARKER
FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD
SUBJECT: Request for the President's Time

All of the attachments to this memorandum pertain to a request by Mr. Paul W. Mowrey for the President to receive on behalf of the Smithsonian Institution a completely restored and repainted original World War I (1917) Liberty Truck ... owned at the moment by the Waukesha Motor Company. I am not sure how Ron Ziegler got into the act, but perhaps you can check with him prior to dispatching a reply from the Appointments Office to Mr. Mowrey.

Many thanks.

Attachment

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October 13, 1971

PERSONAL

Dear Mr. Secretary:

The President would like you to serve
as his official representative at the Friday
afternoon memorial service for Dean Acheson.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Alexander P. Butterfield
Deputy Assistant to the President

Honorable William P. Rogers
Secretary of State
Washington, D.C. 20520

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MEMORANDUM FOR: MISS ROSE MARY WOODS

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: Additional Persons to be Invited
to the Tito Dinner

The following persons should be added to the guest list (as indicated below) for the White House social function on the evening of October 28:

Honorable and Mrs. Robert Brown (White House Staff) --
Dinner Guest List -- for "a number of very important reasons",
not relayed to me specifically.

Mrs. Harry F. Haldeman, Sr. -- Dinner Guest List ... but not
to appear on published copy -- only on the President's copy.

Honorable and Mrs. Frederick V. Malek (White House Staff) --
Dinner Guest List if space permits; After Dinner Guest List otherwise.

Honorable Helen D. Bentley (Administrator, U.S. Maritime
Administration ... of Yugoslavian descent) -- Dinner Guest
List or After Dinner Guest, whichever you think appropriate.

Honorable Mitchell Melich (Solicitor, Department of the Interior
... and of Yugoslavian descent) -- Dinner Guest List or After
Dinner Guest List, whichever you think appropriate.

Thank you.

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October 13, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: DR. DAVID C. HOOPES

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: General Walters' Entry Problem

When I ask for facts concerning a case such as this one, I want everything which might in any way pertain. Specifically, I want to know the name of the EPS guard on duty at the Southwest Gate at the time of this admittedly minor (but significant enough to have had repercussions) incident -- the reason why "a new man" cannot allow a cleared person to enter as quickly as an "EPS veteran" -- precisely what it was about General Walters identification card that caused the guard to question his identity -- the length of the delay (if it was not, in fact, 15 minutes) -- etc. If you have to call General Walters in Paris to clarify and/or verify ... do not hesitate to do so.

We will never remedy the faults in our system if we do not make every effort to get to the bottom of each incident that is brought to our attention. Please move on this investigation quickly before everyone forgets everything.

October 13, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR:

GEORGE SHULTZ
PETER FLANIGAN
CHUCK COLSON
HARRY DENT
GEORGE BELL

FROM:

ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT:

Presidential Telephone Call

This is just a short note to tell you that the President placed a telephone call to George Meany (yesterday) about 1:30 p.m.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

AGENDA

CABINET MEETING

Tuesday, October 12, 1971

4:30 - 5:15 p.m.

- I. REMARKS BY THE PRESIDENT

- II. STATUS REPORT ON PHASE II
OF THE PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC
PROGRAM

Honorable George P. Shultz
Director, Office of Management
and Budget

TO BE IN ATTENDANCE

(At Cabinet Table)

(Unable to Attend)

The President

--

Secretary Rogers

Under Secretary Volcker *Walker*

Secretary Laird

Attorney General Mitchell

Secretary Morton

Secretary Hardin

Secretary Stans

Secretary Hodgson

Secretary Richardson

Secretary Romney

Secretary Volpe

--

Director Shultz

Counsellor Finch

Counsellor Rumsfeld

Ambassador Bush

(The Vice President - Turkey)

(Sec Connally - Dallas, Texas)

(Amb Kennedy - S. Korea)

Staff

Mr. Haldeman

Mr. Ehrlichman

Dr. Kissinger

Mr. Flanigan

Mr. MacGregor

Mr. Timmons

Mr. Peterson

Mr. Klein

Dr. Weber

Mr. R. Price

Mr. Ziegler

Mr. Butterfield

Mr. Brown

Others

Sen. Dole, Chmn, RNC

Dr. McCracken, Chmn, CEA

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 12, 1971

The following persons from outside the White House-OEOB complex will be attending a Cabinet Meeting in the Cabinet Room at 4:30 p.m. today:

Secretary Rogers (State)
Under Secretary Volcker (Treasury)
Secretary Laird (Defense)
Attorney General Mitchell (Justice)
Secretary Morton (Interior)
Secretary Hardin (Agriculture)
Secretary Stans (Commerce)
Secretary Hodgson (Labor)
Secretary Richardson (HEW)
Secretary Romney (HUD)
Secretary Volpe (Transportation)
Ambassador Bush (United Nations)
Senator Dole (RNC)

Please ensure their immediate access.

Thank you.


Alexander P. Butterfield

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October 11, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: DR. HENRY A. KISSINGER
FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD
SUBJECT: Presidential Request

The President asks that you give a moment's attention to the attached letter ... and to his comments thereon.

Thank you.

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October 11, 1971

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MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. JOHN D. EHRLICHMAN
FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD
SUBJECT: LIFE Magazine Poll (FYI Only)

The President could scarcely have been more astounded by a piece of news than he was this morning when he read of the LIFE magazine poll of 65 "academic experts" who ranked Earl Warren among the 12 great Justices of the total of 98 in the Supreme Court's history. He was equally taken aback by the report that Justice Brennan had been placed in the "near great" category.

His comments of surprise and bewilderment were directed to you.

CONFIDENTIAL

October 11, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: HON. EMIL MOSBACHER, JR.
Chief of Protocol
Department of State

SUBJECT: Visit of His Excellency Josip Broz Tito

Please forward to the President, through me, a very brief version of the itinerary now planned for President Tito during his late October-early November visit to the United States.

Thank you.

Alexander P. Butterfield
Deputy Assistant to the President

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October 11, 1971

Dear Pat:

The President was pleased to read in his weekend News Summary of your gumption in unhesitatingly standing and charging the UN Secretariat with factual errors in its report on world social conditions.

He sends his warmest regards.

Sincerely,

Alexander P. Butterfield
Deputy Assistant to the President

Dr. Daniel P. Moynihan
57 Francis Avenue
Cambridge, Massachusetts 02138

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October 11, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. CLARK MAC GREGOR
FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD
SUBJECT: Presidential Request

The President would like you to let Senator Margaret Chase Smith know how much he appreciates her writing the letter (of October 4th) to Dick Poff.

Thank you.

cc: Mr. William E. Timmons

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October 8, 1971

Dear Sergeant Somin:

This is just a short note to tell you that the President was made aware of your quick and efficient actions Tuesday afternoon in helping to avert what might well have developed into a serious fire in the White House West Wing.

He said your performance was a credit to the Executive Protective Service and asked me to convey his personal compliments.

Sincerely,

Alexander P. Butterfield
Deputy Assistant to the President

Sergeant Lawrence E. Somin
Executive Protective Service
The White House
Washington, D.C.

bcc: Mr. Vincent Mroz
SAIC, EPS
Chief Laurence B. Quimby
EPS

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October 8, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. MICHAEL B. SMITH
FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD
SUBJECT: Preparation of Presidential Note

Please prepare a short Presidential note to Reverend Dr. Leon Sullivan. The text should be developed from the information on the attached sheet ... and coordinated with Mr. Bob Brown.

Thank you.

Attachment

cc: Mr. Robert J. Brown

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October 8, 1971

Dear Carol:

I received just this morning your letter of October 4th, and hasten to tell you that Ray Price is the staff member in charge of reviewing data on candidates for special awards ... including the Medal of Freedom. (Ray, as you will recall, supervises our speech writing department.) Whereas we cannot give you the specific criteria for "qualification" for the various awards, we will be most happy, of course, to give very careful consideration to whatever background material you can pull together on Mr. Hugh Fullerton. Just send it to Ray here at the White House and he and his group will take it from there.

It was a pleasant surprise hearing from you, Carol. I guess I hadn't even realized that you were in Paris. If you have a free moment sometime, write again and let me know what you are doing at the Embassy and how you are enjoying that part of the world. There was a time when I was practically a citizen over there -- not in Paris alone, but all over Western Europe ... with my home base in Munich. I would guess that during that time (1951-55) I traveled throughout the Continent as much if not more than anyone. And needless to say, I loved it. I was back in the area in the late spring of 1967, but didn't get a chance to cover much ground (!!)

Again, thanks for the note and the information on Mr. Fullerton.

Sincerely,

Alexander P. Butterfield
Deputy Assistant to the President

Miss Carol B. Reavis
Embassy of the United States of America
Paris, France

bcc: Raymond K. Price, Jr.

October 8, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: HON. KENNETH E. BE LIEU
Under Secretary of the Army
Department of Defense

SUBJECT: Procurement and Retention of Officers

Ken:

Because procurement and retention of officers is always important, I thought you might be interested in the attached report which analyzes the problem as it pertains to the Army Technical Services. It was written by a friend of mine, Dick de Neufville, who was the White House Fellow assigned to MacNamara in the first year of the White House Fellows program. It just might be worthwhile for someone on the Army staff to look it over and provide an updating.

Alexander P. Butterfield
Deputy Assistant to the President

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October 8, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: HON. EMIL MOSBACHER, JR.
Chief of Protocol
Department of State

SUBJECT: Gifts for His Excellency Josip Broz Tito,
President of the Socialist Federal Republic
of Yugoslavia and Mrs. Broz

The President has approved your recommendations for gifts
to be presented to President Tito and Mrs. Broz.

Alexander P. Butterfield
Deputy Assistant to the President

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 7, 1971

The following persons from outside the White House - OEOB complex will be attending a special briefing today at 5:30 p.m. in the Roosevelt Room:

Attorney General Mitchell (Justice)
Secretary Richardson (HEW)
Secretary Morton or Asst. Secretary Richard S. Bodnan (Interior)
Secretary Volpe (Transportation)
Under Secretary U. Alexis Johnson (State)
Assistant Secretary Robert C. Moot (Defense)
Deputy Assistant Secretary Martin F. Herz (State)

Please ensure their immediate access.

Thank you.

Lauri Lidley
for
Alexander P. Butterfield

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October 7, 1971

Bob:

Here are three "one-liners" to lower echelon staff and support personnel -- all dated yesterday and ready for signature if this is the kind of thing you had in mind. Incidentally, neither Huntsman, Hoopes nor I recall having discussed the subject of Presidential one-liners at our meeting some 10 days ago with Larry and Bruce. We did, however, discuss the program which called for our being alert to special actions and achievements by staff and support personnel which may warrant a phone call or note from you. Howsomever and notwithstanding ... I believe that both programs are on track now.

Chen

October 6, 1971

Dear Noble:

It has been a source of great satisfaction for me to see and hear of the superb way in which you have taken over from Bill Hopkins. That particular job, with its many responsibilities in the support area, is not an easy one, I know; yet you are performing magnificently. Keep it up.

With my best wishes.

Sincerely,

Mr. Noble M. Melencamp
The White House
Washington, D. C.

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October 6, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. H. R. HALDEMAN
FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD
SUBJECT: Alleged Misuse of White House
Limousine Service

The following facts pertain to your recent query, passed to me via Higby-gram, concerning Jon Huntsman's use of a White House limousine on the evening of his return from Salt Lake City:

- Jon and his wife arrived at Washington National Airport, not Dulles International Airport.
- It could well be said that he was on official business in that he felt it necessary to come from the airport to his West Wing office to make a check on the status of things which he had left for Hoopes to do. (He remained in his office working for at least 30 minutes before proceeding to his residence in his own automobile.)
- When he called for the car initially, he was conscious of the Presidential Party's return to Washington at approximately the same hour. This being the case, he made it clear to the Garage dispatcher that if a car was not available for his use, and not waiting outside of the airport terminal, he would gladly hire a cab for his trip to the White House.

October 6, 1971

Dear Petty Officer Villaranda:

Thanks to your alert thinking yesterday, what most certainly would have been a serious fire in the West Wing was prevented. Your quickly notifying the Executive Protective Service and taking the lead in extinguishing the blaze that enveloped the hall closet and surrounding area merits the praise of all of us.

You have my personal admiration and best wishes.

Sincerely,

SDI Vincente Villaranda, USN
The White House
Washington, D.C.

RN:APB:ts

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 6, 1971

PERSONAL

MEMORANDUM FOR: MEMBERS OF THE CABINET

SUBJECT: Cabinet Meeting, October 12

There will be a meeting of the President's Cabinet next Tuesday, October 12th. The 1-hour session will begin promptly at 4:30 p.m.

Alexander P. Butterfield
Alexander P. Butterfield

Deputy Assistant to the President

PERSONAL

Adm

October 5, 1971
9:00 a.m.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Here are a few additional facts concerning Dudley Swim:

- 1) He contributed \$25,000 in 1968. Just recently he told Huntsman that he wants to give \$100,000 more ... "right now". He is adamant about wanting to give the money directly to you, but of course he will deal through Kalmbach. Under no circumstances will he turn the money over to the RNC or the Citizens Committee.
- 2) Jon Huntsman was Dudley's executive assistant some ten years ago. He is very close to Swim and even now serves as Swim's preferred point of contact in the White House.

Alex

Caro

October 5, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. LEONARD GARMENT

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: Possible Establishment of a Fund to Endow
Awards for Achievements of Greatness
in American Living

The President met with Dudley Swim (Chairman of National Airlines, Inc. ... and other things) this afternoon at 3:00 p.m. Peter Flanigan and Jon Huntsman sat in during the relatively short courtesy call. During the discussion Swim mentioned the establishment of a fund to endow awards for achievements of greatness in American living, especially for the creation of music and art. The attached sheet bears the details of his plan; however, you may want to check into precisely what was said with Flanigan or Huntsman.

The President would like very much to have by the end of the week your opinion and comments on this matter.

Thank you.

Attachment

cc: Mr. Peter M. Flanigan
Mr. Jon M. Huntsman

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 5, 1971

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MEMORANDUM FOR: DR. HENRY A. KISSINGER
MR. DWIGHT L. CHAPIN

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: The President's Meetings with Tito

The President believes that he should hold his second meeting with Tito on the last day that Tito is here in Washington, i.e. Saturday, October 30. Therefore, we should take action now to schedule the Vice President's meeting with the Yugoslav President on the 29th ... and the President's final meeting with him on the following day.

Thank you.

cc: Mr. David N. Parker

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MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. MICHAEL B. SMITH
FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTTERFIELD
SUBJECT: Preparation of Two Short Presidential Letters

Please prepare two very short (2-3 lines each) letters -- one to Noble Melencamp for the purpose outlined on the attached Recommended Telephone Call sheet, and one to Petty Officer First Class (SD1) Vincente Villaranda, who is assigned to the White House Staff Mess. Villaranda is responsible for extinguishing the blaze in the Staff Mess linen closet at mid-afternoon today. As he came out of the galley section and started up the steps toward the drivers' waiting room, he noticed smoke coming from the linen closet only a few feet away. He opened the door and discovered that the closet and the coats and other clothing hanging there were in flames. He ran back to the galley, grabbed the portable fire extinguisher from the wall, returned to the linen closet and began putting out the fire. Simultaneously, he called to the West Basement guard for assistance. His clear thinking and quick actions may well have prevented the West Wing turning into a full-blown inferno. (If you need more information on this matter, you can consult with Ron Jackson.)

Forward both completed letters directly to me before the close of business tomorrow, October 6th.

Thank you.

Attachment

cc: Mr. Raymond K. Price, Jr.

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MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 5, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MISS ROSE MARY WOODS
MRS. LUCY A. WINCHESTER

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: After Dinner Guests for the White House
Social Event on October 28th

The President has agreed to our proposal that he and Mrs. Nixon invite some 80-100 (but no more) people to join the Tito dinner guests for entertainment and dancing afterwards.

cc: Hon. Emil Mosbacher, Jr.
Department of State
Mr. Charles W. Colson
Mrs. Constance Stuart
Mrs. Jeanne Davis, NSC

RECOMMENDED TELEPHONE CALL

TO: Mr. Noble M. Melencamp

RECOMMENDED BY: Alex Butterfield

PURPOSE: To give Noble a pat on the back for stepping so ably into the shoes of Bill Hopkins.

BACKGROUND: Unnecessary

TALKING POINTS:

1. While at Key Biscayne this weekend, the President mentioned our entire administrative system at the White House and the fact that you seem to be so ably filling the shoes of Bill Hopkins.
2. I know that there must have been a great deal of difficulty for you at first -- relinquishing the mail and letter writing responsibilities you had and, at the same time, familiarizing yourself with all of the other facets of the total support function.
3. I know how pleased Huntsman and Butterfield are and I just wanted you to know that your good work and your consistent willingness to comply have not gone unnoticed by the President or others of us on the staff.

October 5, 1971

Chen

October 5, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. MICHAEL B. SMITH
FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD
SUBJECT: Preparation of Short Presidential Letter

Please prepare a short Presidential note of thanks to Representative H. R. Gross (R-Iowa) ... basing the text on the information provided on the attached Recommended Telephone Call sheet.

You should coordinate this action with Mr. Dick Cook.

Thank you.

Attachment

cc: Mr. William E. Timmons
Mr. Richard Cook

Cham

October 5, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. DAVID N. PARKER
FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD
SUBJECT: Proposed Brief Meeting with the President
for Senior Secret Service Officials

Dave:

As you may know, the U.S. Secret Service insignia (or badge) changed in design some 6-8 months ago ... and it's somewhat traditional for badge no. 1 to be presented by the Service to the incumbent President. Therefore, I am asking that you propose, in one of your near future weekly Presidential schedule drafts a 5-minute (stand-up) meeting with the President for Director Rowley, the three Assistant Directors (one of whom is Boggs), Bob Taylor ... and possibly Gene Rossides, the Assistant Secretary of the Treasury (Enforcement and Operations).

I believe this same group was in the Oval Office sometime early in 1969 -- when badge no. 1 of the old design was presented to the President.

If you need more information, and I am sure you will, please contact Pat Boggs at Secret Service headquarters.

Thank you.

October 5, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MRS. LUCY A. WINCHESTER
FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD
SUBJECT: Additional Guests to be Invited to the
October 10th Worship Service

Please invite Mr. Desmond Barker and his wife to the Worship Service this coming Sunday. He is a Special Assistant to the President on Mr. Colson's staff.

Thank you.

Cham

RECOMMENDED TELEPHONE CALL

TO: Miss Diane Tankoos

RECOMMENDED BY: Alex Butterfield

PURPOSE: To thank her for her voluntary assistance in Rose Woods' office during the full month that Rose has been ill.

BACKGROUND: Although Diane is no longer on the White House staff, she voluntarily left her State Department office every day, Monday through Friday (and some Saturdays), from September 7th until October 2nd in order to give support to Rose Woods' office and carry on the work which had to be done at this end of the line.

TALKING POINTS:

1. I just wanted to tell you how aware the President has been -- all of us for that matter -- of your volunteering to help Rose at this end of the line every day throughout the past month.
2. There is no question that your coming to the White House each day has cut into your own time, and for that reason your efforts are all the more appreciated.
3. How are you coming along in your French courses at State?

October 5, 1971

Chris

October 5, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. RAYMOND K. PRICE, JR.
FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD
SUBJECT: Certificate of Appreciation
for Mrs. Ella Rose

As you know by now, the President followed your recommendation of September 30th and placed a telephone call to Mrs. Ella Rose, Oak Knoll's Gray Lady of 21 years of service on her 83rd birthday, October 4th. I would like to see to it that she receives, in addition, an appropriate certificate of appreciation.

Thank you.

cc: Mr. Ronald L. Ziegler
Mr. Stephen B. Bull

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 5, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. WILLIAM E. TIMMONS
MR. CHARLES W. COLSON
MR. RONALD L. ZIEGLER
MR. DWIGHT L. CHAPIN
MR. EGIL KROGH

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: Telephone Call to Congressman Passman
(at Drug Abuse Seminar)

As recommended by Mr. Timmons, the President did make the telephone call on October 4th to Congressman Passman in Monroe, Louisiana.

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 4, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MISS GERTRUDE T. BROWN
Security Assistant

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: Invalidation and Return of White House Pass

Please see to it that the White House pass of Miss Jayne Harlowe is invalidated and returned to her.

It is my understanding that Miss Harlowe turned in her pass on October 1st and that it is being held now by Mrs. Stanley on Al Wong's staff.

Thank you.

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 4, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MISS ROSE MARY WOODS

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: Invitation to a Major White House Social
Event for Chuck Connors

As you may know, Chuck Connors (of "Rifleman" fame) called while we were last at San Clemente and asked if the President might like to join him for 9 or 18 holes of golf. The President was unable to do so at the time -- or even to see Connors before the actor departed for the shooting of a film in Lebanon. However, it was decided then that because Connors has always been a good friend and loyal supporter we should ask him and his wife to a State dinner "sometime soon".

Perhaps the Tito Dinner on October 28th would be the appropriate occasion.

cc: Mr. Charles W. Colson
Mr. Henry C. Cashen, II

Chen

October 4, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MISS ROSE MARY WOODS

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: Guest List for the State Dinner Honoring
 His Excellency Josip Broz Tito,
 President of the Socialist Federal Republic
 of Yugoslavia and Mrs. Broz

We had our early planning meeting on the Tito dinner in Lucy Winchester's office this morning ... and discovered that lo and behold we are further ahead in all areas relative to the planning process than we've ever been before. Thus, the object now is to keep the ball rolling by getting the invitations ordered (which Lucy is doing now) and getting the guest list finalized so that the invitations can be mailed no later than the end of this week.

We should plan now for an after dinner group, although I've not yet checked this particular item with the President. As you may recall, we left last season just after the decision had been made to reinstitute the inviting of this additional group of some 80 to 100 persons. I feel fairly certain that the President will not have changed his mind.

Many thanks.

cc: Mr. Charles W. Colson

Chen

RECOMMENDED TELEPHONE CALL

TO:

Mrs. Billie Jean King
U. S. top woman tennis player

Mrs. King will be in a press conference in
New York (Phillip Morris hqs.) on Monday,
October 4th - 3:15-3:45 p.m. Tele: (212)679-1800

RECOMMENDED BY:

Herbert G. Klein and Henry Cashen

PURPOSE:

To congratulate Mrs. King on her outstanding
achievement.

BACKGROUND:

Billie Jean King won the Virginia Slims -
Thunderbird tennis tournament on October 3rd
and became the first woman athlete in history
to earn \$100,000 in a single year.

Mrs. King defeated Rosemary Casals in the final
match, 7-5, 6-1. Mrs. King's official earnings
reached \$102,600. First place in the tournament
was worth \$4,000.

Mrs. King is a member of the President's Council
on Physical Fitness and Sports. She voted for
President Nixon in 1968.

Her mother and father live in Long Beach. Her
brother, Randy, is a professional baseball player;
pitches with San Francisco Giants.

She's been quoted as saying that Rev. Billy Graham
has been a "great inspiration" to her.

TALKING POINTS:

- 1) I want to congratulate you on your outstanding
achievement.
- 2) Your competitiveness has set a great example
for all Americans -- especially for the younger
generation. It is that fighting spirit, striving
to do just a little better, that has made this
country what it is.

October 4, 1971

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

October 4, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: DR. HENRY A. KISSINGER
MR. RONALD L. ZIEGLER
MR. DWIGHT L. CHAPIN

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: Press Plan for the State Dinner Honoring
the President of Yugoslavia

Before I discuss with the President the press plan for the Tito dinner on October 28th, I would appreciate your comments and opinions with regard to this particular item. Please write them in longhand on this memorandum, if you desire. I need only a feel for what you think would be appropriate on that occasion.

Many thanks.

October 4, 1971

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MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. DWIGHT L. CHAPIN

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: The Tito Dinner on October 28th

Here are some bits and pieces of information which fell out of our meeting in Lucy Winchester's office concerning the coming White House dinner honoring Tito:

- It will be a white tie affair ... the Yugoslavs having agreed to this already. (Evidently the attire one wears on various occasions in Communist countries depends much on individual preference. Tito, of course, has always been a bit of an independent, whereas Ceausescu felt it would be most improper for him to wear anything but business suit attire at a social function regardless of the degree of the occasion's formality.)
- There will be interpreters present. At the moment we do not know how many or to whom they will be assigned.
- There will probably be an after dinner group, but I will check this item with the President. As you may recall, we left last season just after the decision had been made to reinstitute the practice of inviting 80 to 100 extra persons to arrive just prior to the beginning of the entertainment. I will ask the President also about his preference for a receiving line for this "late group".
- The correct title for Tito and his wife is as follows --
His Excellency Josip Broz Tito, President of the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia and Mrs. Broz.

One more thing: I will need from you, as soon as you have the information, the time scheduled for the October 28th arrival ceremony and the time scheduled for the Tito meeting with the President on the 29th (i. e. the second meeting). Incidentally, there will not be the regular Chief of State

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cannon salute for Tito as he leaves this second meeting with the President because on the following day, October 30th, the Yugoslavia President is scheduled to meet with the Vice President in the Map Room. It is upon his departure from the White House grounds after that meeting that the formal salute will be rendered.

cc: Brig. General J. D. Hughes
Mr. Stephen B. Bull
Mr. David N. Parker

CONFIDENTIAL

October 4, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. ROBERT H. TAYLOR
Special Agent in Charge
Presidential Protective Division
U. S. Secret Service

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: Requirement for Intelligence Information

I would appreciate your rounding up from the various intelligence sources an appraisal of what the situation might be in the vicinity of the White House on the evening of October 28th, just prior to and during the State dinner honoring President Tito of Yugoslavia. We will be interested in knowing as much in advance as possible if you expect immigrant groups and others around the White House that night and to what degree you believe they might heckle arriving and departing guests.

If your estimate of the situation amounts to anything at all, we may want to start thinking now about closing off a portion of Pennsylvania Avenue that night.

Please try to get back to me on this within the week.

Thank you.

Chen

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MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. CLARK MAC GREGOR

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: Presidential Letter to Wilbur Mills
on Revenue Sharing

The President has okayed your holding up delivery of his recent letter to Wilbur Mills until immediately following the House vote on the Waldie Resolution of Disapproval.

CONFIDENTIAL

Clon

October 1, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. CLEMENT CONGER
FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD
SUBJECT: Use of the Roosevelt Room for
Whitney Museum Representative

I'm sorry that it has taken me so long to respond to your September 23rd request for about an hour's use of the Roosevelt Room on either October 6th, 7th or 11th. You may proceed with your plans, of course. Please ask your secretary to arrange a time with either Beverly Kaye or Terry Decker in the Appointments Office.

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MEMORANDUM FOR: MISS GERTRUDE T. BROWN
Security Assistant

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: Issuance of Permanent White House
Pass to Mr. Cresencio Fortin

Please issue a permanent White House pass to Mr. Cresencio Fortin who becomes a GSA employee at the White House on this date.

You may want to check my facts with Messrs. Al Wong and Charles Rotchford, but it is my understanding that Mr. Fortin, formerly a chief steward with our Staff Mess, will be serving as a substitute in and around the offices of the President and the Vice President for Domingo Quicho and Peter Novicio. I am told, too, that there has been a recent full-field background investigation of Mr. Fortin, and that it is on file with TSD.

Thank you.

CONFIDENTIAL

October 1, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR:

MISS GERTRUDE BROWN

FROM:

ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT:

Issuance of Permanent White
House Pass to Sandra Kiely

Miss Sandra Kiely is employed in the OEOB - in the office of Mr. Pat Buchanan. Please exchange her permanent OEOB pass for a permanent White House pass.

Thank you.

Chen

October 1, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR:

MR. H. R. HALDEMAN

FROM:

ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT:

Status Report on Project to
Locate the Painting Presented
to the President by Nikita
Khrushchev

As I believe you know, there are a number of people who would just as soon say now that the missing "Khrushchev painting" is lost ... the First Lady among them. But others are persevering, and it seems to me that we should not give up all hope until the last searcher comes back empty-handed.

Loie Gaunt is the person really on top of this project. She has in her files, and in her mind, the compilation of pertinent bits and pieces of information from Rex Scouten, Mrs. Nixon, Rose Mary Woods, Brig. General Hughes, Lt. General Cushman, people who served at the Soviet Embassy during the year in which the gift was given, some people who worked in and around the President's Senate Office ... and others.

We can only wait for awhile longer and hope that some significant clues are uncovered - or better yet, the painting itself.

Chen

October 1, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: DR. HENRY A. KISSINGER
FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD
SUBJECT: Preparation of Letter to C. L. Sulzberger

Please have your staff prepare for your signature, or for the signature of Brigadier General Haig, a response to Cy Sulzberger's August 19th letter to the President (copy attached).

Your writer may want to work from the following very hastily put together text:

Dear Cy (or Mr. Sulzberger):

The President asked me to respond to your thoughtful letter of August 19th -- the one in which you conveyed President Sunay's personal views on his government's decision to ban the growing of poppies in Turkey. It goes without saying that we regard that decision as a most statesmanlike action and we hope that in the long run the example will be followed by other producing nations.

It was particularly satisfying to know that in your view President Sunay is wholeheartedly behind the program, and that he has fairly solid support for his position.

With every good wish,

Sincerely,

Attachment

Chen

October 1, 1971

MEMORANDUM FOR: MRS. LUCY A. WINCHESTER
FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD
SUBJECT: The October 10th Worship Service

We have reviewed once again the problems involved in obtaining at this late date a Catholic priest to officiate at the October 10th Worship Service in place of Dr. Trueblood ... and a final decision has been made to forego the predominantly Italian-Catholic event in recognition of Columbus Day and remain on our present course.

We should move quickly now with the development of an appropriate guest list.

Thank you.

cc: Mr. Charles W. Colson
Miss Rose Mary Woods
Mrs. Deborah M. Sloan

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MEMORANDUM FOR: MISS GERTRUDE T. BROWN
Security Assistant

FROM: ALEXANDER P. BUTTERFIELD

SUBJECT: Preliminary Investigation of
Mr. Frederic Rheinstein

Please have the FBI conduct a preliminary, confidential investigation of Mr. Frederic Rheinstein, a television and motion picture producer and director who resides currently at 4906 Encino Avenue, Encino, California. Mr. Rheinstein was born in New York City on November 5, 1927. I have already spoken to Bob Haynes about this matter, but to make absolutely clear what we want here, let me pass on to you what I told him: I want more than "name check" information ... yet not at all as much material as is provided by a full-field background check. The FBI investigators should look into Mr. Rheinstein's credit record, his business associations (dating back to their beginning), etc. They should not under any circumstances interview anyone in connection with this project.

I am attaching some biographical information which will undoubtedly be of some assistance to the agents.

Attachment

CONFIDENTIAL

October 1, 1971

Dear Mr. Motley:

The purpose of this long overdue note is to thank you for your interesting letter of February 12th concerning the Alaskan Command ... and to tell you that a copy was sent immediately to the NSC staff. Of course, as you know, the Alaskan Command was not abolished, and it is my understanding that at no time during the reviews of the Panel's recommendations was it in jeopardy.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,

Alexander P. Butterfield
Deputy Assistant to the President

Mr. Langhorne A. Motley
429 D Street, Suite 310
Anchorage, Alaska 99501