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48	22	05/11/1960	Memo	Memo form Carol Dawson to Bob Haldeman. RE: Contacts in Syracuse and Buffalo. 1 pg.
48	22	05/17-18/1960	Memo	Contact list for New York. 2 pgs. Duplicate not scanned. Attached to previous.
48	22	05/03/1960	Memo	Preliminary schedule revision two for Richard Nixon in New York for May 17-18, 1960. 2 pgs.
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48	22	05/13/1960	Letter	Letter from Doug Johnson to Bob Haldeman about information for the New York trip. 2 pgs.
48	22	n.d.	Memo	Fact sheet for the Religious Emphasis Day in Syracuse and Onondaga County. 2 pgs. Attached to previous.
48	22	05/22/1960	Other Document	Syracuse and Onondaga County Religious Day Program. 3 pgs. Attached to two previous documents.

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Buffalo - Edwin Manning.....WAS 4780 x 317 (b) PAR 4842 (r)
WAS 8044 (night)
Bob Powis....." BED 2840 (r)

Syracuse - Edmund Daley.....GR 47511 x 159 (b) OR 28725 (r)
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BUFFALO :

Senator Walter Mahoney.....CLE 6100
(Aide - John Sullivan) MOH 6821 GRA 2622 (r)

County Chairman - Senator John Cooke....MOH 8700 (Buffalo)
MOH 1145 (Priv.) "
XF 79891 (b) (Alden) REG 8423 (r)
(TC Buffalo - 716 + 21 +)

Party Secretary - Kevin Cox MOH 9554 W17061

TABER DINNER: Larry di Senzo, A.A. -D.C...CA 43-121 x 2006

Auburn County Chairman, Robert E. White...35-395 (b) 39-361 (r)

Dinner Chairman - Everett Dungey.....24-107 (b) 24-402 (r)

NATIONAL SALES EXECUTIVES :

Robert Cooper, P.R.YU 69-300 (N.Y.C.) MU 2-7464 (r)

Elmer Lux (Buffalo).....GAR 5-334 (res.) Ft. Erie, Ontario
MOH 4-811 (service) Canada - 199

Hotel Statler - Thurston, Manager MOH 1000
Ed Murphy - Sales Mgr.
Frank Becht - Banquet
Mandis, Res. Mgr.....

Robert Case, YR Erie County.....MOH 2611 (b) TAY 5340 (r)

SYRACUSE :

Herald-Journal - Alexander F. Jones, Exec. Ed. ...HA 2-0211 GI 6-0600 (r)

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(Aide in Syracuse - Doug Johnson.....GR 64-281)

County Chairman - Mr. Traister.....HA 2-5297 (b) OL 2-3002 (r)
P.R. Man - Bogardus.....NE 7-3121 76585

Press Club Pres.- Richard J. Hanlon, 165 Wolcott Avenue
Office - Hotel Onondaga

Hotel Syracuse - Mr. Wilder, Manager....HA-25121
Don Williams, Asst. Mgr.

Cars - Stewart Ballard - Auto Club
College Richard Sullivan - HO 33457/31361

VOLUNTEERS:

Dick Michaels, Buffalo.....MOH 0542, 6447 (b) IDL 5861 (r)

Ray Blair, Syracuse - Marine Midland Trust GR 47441 OL 63685
Jim Owens GR 64294 = OV 28450

May 11, 1960

Memo: To: Bob Haldeman From: Carol Dawson

Re: Contacts in Syracuse and Buffalo

1. The College contact in Syracuse is Richard Sullivan, who successfully engineered Nixon's nomination by the Syracuse Republican mock convention. As you can well imagine, the opposition from Rockefeller forces was imposing.

I have spoken with Richard, and he still has a lot of the materials, plus the organization, from the convention campaign. He will see that there are lots of students, and a band, if possible, on hand to meet the Vice President's plane.

You can get in touch with him at HO 3-3451 or HO 3-1381. I have found it is better to call him after 10 pm since he apparently works at night.

2. In Buffalo your contact is Edward Mattar, an active YR who has been quietly drumming up collegiate Nixon support since last fall, and is a student at the University of Buffalo. I have spoken with him a few times on this, and he is sure he will have a car caravan of 25 or so cars with coeds, signs, etc., to meet Nixon at the airport. He is also publicizing the affair at the Hotel Lafayette so that you should have even more students there.

You can contact Mattar at GARfield 4019 in Buffalo, or through the University switchboard during the day, since he teaches there part-time. (He is a graduate student.)

In Syracuse, Sullivan has been in touch with Traister, but assures me he can get things organized without too much help.

In Buffalo, Mattar is on good terms with Bob Casey, Erie Co. YR Chairman. Other good Nixon names I have for that area are: Mrs. Gay Hogg, Vice Pres. of New York YR's; John Klocke; and William Adams. These have been recommended by Diarmuid O'Scannlain.

NEW YORK - May 17th, 18th

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SYRACUSE (Cont.):

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Office - Hotel Onondaga

Hotel Syracuse - Mr. Wilder, Manager....HA-25121
Don Williams, Asst. Mgr.

VOLUNTEERS:

Dick Michaels, Buffalo..... MOE 0542, 6447 (b) IDL 5861 (r)

NEW YORK - May 17, 18

Preliminary Schedule - Revision #2
for RM Approval

5/3/60
H. R.H.
C/S

TUESDAY, May 17th

- 2:00 P.M. Lv. D. C. via United Charter for Syracuse
(Cong. John Taber to accompany - on plane)?
- 4:30 Arr. Syracuse Airport
- AIRPORT GREETINGS
Large public crowd
- 5:00 PRESS MEETING - At airport
- 5:30 Lv. Airport by Motorcade for Auburn
(Cong. Taber to ride w/ RM) ?
- 6:30 Arr. Auburn Inn - to Suite
- 7:00 Lv. Suite for ballroom
- JOHN TABER TESTIMONIAL DINNER
(Approx. 1,000 - plans for program not set yet)
- 9:30 Lv. Auburn by motorcade for Syracuse
- 10:30 Arr. Syracuse - Hotel Syracuse - to Suite
(MEETING - CASEY JONES ?)
- OVERNIGHT IN SYRACUSE

WEDNESDAY, May 18th

- 8:30 A.M. BREAKFAST - SYRACUSE PRESS CLUB
- 9:00 - Q & A from floor
- 10:00 Return to Suite
- 1 HOUR RESERVED FOR STAFF WORK
- 11:00 Lv. Hotel by car for airport
- 11:30 Arr. Airport - take off for Buffalo
- 12:15 Arr. Buffalo Airport
- AIRPORT GREETINGS
Large public crowd

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New York - May 17, 1960
Preliminary Schedule - Revision # 2
for RH Approval

12:40 Lv. Airport by motorcade for Hotel

1:00 Arr. Statler Hotel - to Suite
1-1/4 HOURS RESERVED FOR STAFF WORK

2:15 Lv. Suite for private dining room
PARTY WORKERS RECEPTION

4:00 To Suite
2-1/2 HOURS RESERVED FOR STAFF WORK

6:30 RECEPTION - W.S.E. (In progress since 6:00 - Approx. 250)

7:15 Head Table in to dinner
NATIONAL SALES EXECUTIVES' DINNER
(Approx. 1600)
8:45 Program begins
9:00 RH Speaks
9:30 End

9:45 Lv. Hotel by car for airport

10:15 Arr. Airport - take off for D. C.

NEW YORK - May 17, 18

Preliminary Schedule - Revision # 3
for RN Approval

TUESDAY, May 17th

~~2:00~~ P.M. Lv. D. C. via United Charter for Syracuse
~~3:30~~ 3:00 (Cong. John Taber to accompany - on plane)?

~~4:30~~ 5:00 Arr. Syracuse Airport
5:30

AIRPORT GREETINGS
Large public crowd

~~5:00~~ ~~PRESS MEETING - At airport~~

~~5:30~~ 5:45 Lv. Airport by Motorcade for Auburn
~~6:00~~ (Cong. Taber to ride w/ RN) &

~~6:30~~ 6:30 Arr. Auburn Inn - to Suite *Press Meeting*
~~6:45~~ 6:45 - to RN Suite
~~7:15~~ 7:15

~~7:30~~ Lv. Suite for ballroom

JOHN TABER TESTIMONIAL DINNER (7:00)
(Approx. 1,000 - plans for program not set yet)

~~9:30~~ 10:00 (approx) Lv. Auburn by motorcade for Syracuse

~~10:30~~ 10:45 (approx) Arr. Syracuse - Hotel Syracuse - to Suite

~~(MEETING - CASEY JONES -)~~

OVERNIGHT IN SYRACUSE

WEDNESDAY, May 18th

~~8:00~~ 8:30 A.M. BREAKFAST - *Casey Jones +* SYRACUSE PRESS CLUB

~~9:00~~ 9:30 - Q & A from floor

~~9:30~~ 10:00 Return to Suite

~~10:00~~ 10:45 HOUR RESERVED FOR STAFF WORK

~~11:00~~ 11:00 Lv. Hotel by car for airport

~~11:30~~ 10:45 Arr. Airport - take off for Buffalo

~~12:15~~ 11:30 Arr. Buffalo Airport

AIRPORT GREETINGS
Large public crowd

8:30 PM to Women's reception
at Onondaga Hotel

9:30 return to suite

New York - May 17, 1968

Preliminary Schedule - Revision # 2
for RN Approval

11:45
12:00 Lv. Airport by motorcade for Hotel ^{Lafayette} (see below)

12:00-12:45 Arr. ^{Lafayette} Hotel - to Suite Ballroom

~~1-1/4 HOURS RESERVED FOR STAFF WORK~~

~~2:15 Lv. Suite for private dining room~~

PARTY WORKERS RECEPTION

4:00 To Suite ^{Stettin} - private

3:00 Press meeting 3:45 return to suite to Sheraton

~~2-1/2 HOURS RESERVED FOR STAFF WORK~~

6:30 ^{6:45} RECEPTION - N.S.E. (In progress since 6:00 - Approx. 250)

Georgan Room

7:15 Head Table in to dinner

NATIONAL SALES EXECUTIVES' DINNER
(Approx. 1600)

8:45 Program begins

9:00 RN Speaks

9:30 End

9:45 Lv. Hotel by car for airport

10:15 Arr. Airport - take off for D. C.

1:00 *arr DCA*

4:00 Greet AME Zion Conference Sheraton
4:30 return to Stettin to suite
4:45 arr Stettin - to suite

TRAVELING PRESS FOR NEW YORK TRIP - May 17-18, 1960

Lew Warren	Buffalo Courier Express
Paul Martin	Gannett
Jack Bell	Associated Press
Al Otten	Wall Street Journal
Alan Emory	Watertown (NY) Times
Earl Maso	New York Herald Tribune
Cecil Holland	Washington Star
Bert Meyers	Time-Life
Dick Lyons	Washington Post
Herb Kaplow	NBC News

Press That Will Pick Party Up at Syracuse And Accompany Through Buffalo

(This group is making own airline arrangements but we are handling hotel space car travel.)

Jack Meddoff	Buffalo Evening News
Warren Weaver	New York Times (Albany)
Charles Bartlett	Chattanooga Times
Harold Hutchings	Chicago Tribune
Stafford Derby	Christian Science Monitor

(Weaver and Derby want hotel rooms in Buffalo for Wed. night - May 17)

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CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
WASHINGTON, D. C.

May 13, 1960

Mr. Robert Holdeman
Office of the Vice President
Senate Office Building
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Bob:

I hope this reaches you before you leave for Syracuse. It might give you an opportunity to brief the Vice President.

1. An eleven year old Mattydale (suburb of Syracuse) girl wrote a letter to the Congressman expressing her deep interest in the Vice President. She explained that she was tremendously interested in him and hoped it might be possible for her to meet him. She is an eighth grade student.

Mr. Riehlman proposes to take her to the airport with him and, hopefully, he will have an opportunity to have her shake hands with the Vice President. This is not a major event, but it does seem to have some good publicity value both before and after the reception, as we expect some mileage for Mr. Riehlman with your approval and help.

2. On Sunday, May 22nd, a major community effort is taking place in Syracuse and Onondaga County. It is under the heading of USO-Armed Forces Religious Emphasis Day. The point is that it is a day-long observance to bring together the military and civilian communities through worship and fellowship. (The Syracuse area has in excess of 6,000 members of the Armed Forces, and an additional 6,000-8,000 area men and women are in the Armed Forces elsewhere.)

All of the military services and all religious denominations and a great number of community leaders have joined to make this a substantial community function.

The thought has been expressed that if it was possible for the Vice President to refer to this at anytime during his stay here it would be most helpful and highly publicizable. The request for a television studio visit was to get the Vice President on tape for this message which was proposed for telecast to the War Memorial audience on Sunday, May 22, at which time between 8,000-10,000 persons will gather for the highlight event of Religious Emphasis Day. While we know this can't happen, perhaps there is some allusion which can be made to the event.

continued . . .

Most of the ducks for the reception seem to be in order, and I look forward to seeing you during your two days here.

Kindest personal regards,


Doug Johnson

DJ/pb

Fact Sheet

RELIGIOUS EMPHASIS DAY
IN SYRACUSE AND ONONDAGA COUNTY

What is it?

Religious Emphasis Day is a day-long observance designed to bring together the military and civilian communities through joint worship and social fellowship.

Why?

The uniform is seldom worn by service men and women during off-duty hours. Because of this, area residents do not fully realize the large number of military families who are sharing in their community life and who contribute to the economy and growth of the Syracuse Metropolitan Area.

By attending, in uniform, the Religious Emphasis Day events, members of the Armed Forces will furnish vivid evidence not only of their presence, but also of their interest and participation in the community, its programs and institutions.

At the same time, residents of Syracuse and Onondaga County will have an opportunity to welcome the military families, and to offer them hospitality and fellowship.

When?

Religious Emphasis Day in Syracuse and Onondaga County will be held on Sunday, May 22, 1960. This date was selected because it is the day after Armed Forces Day, and it precedes Memorial Day.

Who is sponsoring the program?

The USO of Syracuse and Onondaga County is sponsoring the event in cooperation with the Protestant, Catholic and Jewish faiths, and the military commands in the area.

Stewart F. Hancock, attorney, is chairman of the over-all program. Co-chairmen are Leonard P. Markert, industrialist, and Asher S. Markson, retailer. (A complete list of committees is attached.)

What is the program?

Briefly, the day's schedule will include morning worship services, followed by social programs and home hospitality hours, an afternoon program of appropriate entertainment at the War Memorial Auditorium, and an informal Open House at the USO Lounge. (A more detailed program is attached.)

RELIGIOUS EMPHASIS DAY PROGRAM

Sunday, May 22, 1960

Religious Program

- Jewish - Program and lox and bagle breakfast sponsored by the Brotherhood at Temple Society of Concord.
- Protestant - Military personnel who normally attend services at Hancock Field and personnel who are stationed at the AFIT unit at Syracuse University are being urged to attend 11:00 a.m. service at the First Baptist Church. Arrangements are being made for a hospitality hour at the church following the service. All other servicemen are urged to attend the church of their choice in uniform.
- Catholic - All servicemen are urged to attend the church of their choice in uniform. Letter will be sent by Diocese to all pastors asking their "warm support" of program.

Home Hospitality

Churches are being encouraged to arrange Home Hospitality for servicemen and/or hospitality hours at the churches.

Memorial Program

- 3:00 p.m. - War Memorial Auditorium
Director - Gordon Alderman
Attendance - Military personnel and citizens. Admittance to be by free tickets distributed through the churches and the military.

Open House

USO Lounge, 108 North Salina Street

RELIGIOUS EMPHASIS DAY COMMITTEE

General Chairman	Stewart F. Hancock
Co-Chairmen	Leonard P. Markert Asher S. Markson
Vice Chairman	John T. McCarty
Co-ordinator	Irving G. Berman
USO Chairman	Ernest M. Cummings
Military Liaison	Lt. Col. Dale Jensen Capt. A. J. Del Signore Chaplain John M. Walsh Sgt. Ron Schott
Religious Committee	
Chairman	Charles A. Chappell
Co-chairman	Frank T. Wood, Jr.
Catholic Representatives	
USO	John T. Smith, Jr.
Clergy	Msgr. Daniel Lawler Chaplain J. M. Walsh
Hancock Field	Capt. J. Mattson
AFIT	A/3c Doug Griffen
Protestant Representatives	
USO	Rev. Ernest Crouse
Clergy	Rev. Arnold Westcott Chaplain E. Robinson
Hancock Field	Major Glen Goddard
AFIT	A/3c C. L. Brock

Religious Committee continued -

Jewish Representatives

USO	A. Edward Markson
Clergy	Dr. Jesse Ross
Hancock Field	Capt. E. M. Abramson

Program Committee

Chairman	E. R. Vadeboncoeur
Co-chairman	F. W. Judkins
Memorial Program	Murray Bernthal
Show Director	Gordon Alderman
Show Arrangements	William B. Stark
Hostess Participation	
Senior	Miss Marian Donovan
Junior	Miss Clara Delledera
Open House	Jack Wilder
	H. L. Senior

Transportation

Chairman	Albert O. Halstead
Hancock Field Liaison	Major H. Seyvertson

Public Relations

Chairman	Doug Johnson
	John Meixell
Hancock Field Liaison	Lt. Col. Courtland D. Sawtelle