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## SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The papers of Oveta Culp Hobby relating to her 1952 political campaign materials and as first Secretary of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare are divided into eight series.

The first series consists of press releases, newsletters, speeches, clippings, editorials, correspondence, campaign booklets, tear sheets and political sections of the Houston Post and other Texas newspapers, a scrapbook, memoranda, and other materials concerning General Eisenhower's 1952 presidential campaign and Mrs. Hobby's participation in it through the "Democrats for Eisenhower" and "Citizens for Eisenhower" organizations. This series is arranged alphabetically by title of folder, with the series is arranged alphabetically by title of folder, with the Houston Post tear sheets arranged chronologically at the end.

The second series consists of the personal files of Oveta Culp Hobby for the Period 1953 through July, 1955. It is primarily personal correspondence but also includes information relating to the following groups: Republican National Committee, National Federation of Republican Women, the New York University Hall of Fame, and the Southern Newspaper Publisher's Association. There is a reading file for the period, 1953-55. Other material associated with the correspondence, such as memoranda, clippings, scripts (one for a Helen Keller documentary), news releases, and greeting cards, is also included. Most of the photographs (136) were transferred to the photo collection. The subject content is both personal (acknowledgments of letters, gifts, engagements and letters concerning Mrs. Hobby's resignation from HEW) and political (information regarding various Republican clubs and, particularly, women in politics). Arrangement in this series is alphabetical by either subject or individual of group corresponding. Within the reading file the arrangement is chronological.

The third series consists of Mrs. Hobby's files as Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare, 1953-55. It is divided into several subseries according to the office or agency concerned (Department, Secretary-Immediate Office, Assistant Secretary for Program Analysis, Assistant Secretary for Federal-State Relations, Special Institutions, Departmental Council, Food and Drug Administration, Office of Education, Office of Vocational Rehabilitation, Public Health Service, and Social Security Administration) and whether the correspondence was with other government departments, agencies, or commissions or with non-government groups or individuals. There is also a subseries of materials from the Harlan L.P. Wendell files, probably background information for speeches. Included are copies of official correspondence, articles, editorials, budget estimates, printed copies of acts of Congress and the Congressional Record, newsletters and press releases, memos, reports on legislation, delegations of authority, messages from the Secretary, personnel records, agenda and other materials related to the White House Conference on Education (1954-55), invitations accepted and declined, etc.

Subject matter in this series corresponds to the agency, office or commission concerned in the subseries. Some of the major topics are: administration and appropriations, reorganization, aging, migratory labor, Freedmen's and St. Elizabeth's Hospitals, Gallaudet College and Howard University, problems handled by the Food and Drug Administration, education, vocational rehabilitation, air pollution, health statistics and advisory councils, hospitals, water resources,

the Salk Vaccine, Social Security, children and youth, various charities and foundations. Arrangement within each of the subseries mentioned above is alphabetical according to folder title.

The fourth series consists of a 3x5 index cards of speeches, testimony, and press conferences arranged in two alphabetical sequences, one filing by organization, the other by subject. Each entry gives the occasion, date, place and general topic of a particular speech testimony, or press conference.

The fifth series is a speech file containing notes, correspondence, background information, drafts, reading copies and press releases related to Mrs. Hobby's speeches, 1952-55, with the greater part concerning facets of Mrs. Hobby's role as Secretary of HEW. These speeches are arranged in three subseries: (1) a chronological file of all speeches and related materials; (2) a chronological file of speeches, other copies of which are found in the first subseries; and (3) speeches, organized by subject, which were formerly bound into books for 1953 and 1954, and chronological speeches for 1955 which were also bound ordinarily.

The sixth series deals with press conferences. It consists mainly of anticipated questions and answers made up in preparation for specific press conferences, although there are also drafts of statements to be made, press releases, clippings and related correspondence included. One ring notebook (now in folders) contained transcripts of six press conferences. Important subjects covered are education, the Salk Vaccine, and Social Security, though there are questions covering the whole field of health, education and welfare. The arrangement here is chronological except in cases where a binder covering a long period of time was separated into several folders, causing some overlapping.

The seventh series covers the activities of the HEW Department before various Congressional Committees. It is mainly information gathered in preparation for appearances: copies of bills, statistics, charts, texts of statements, and some correspondence and memos. Some of the committees for which testimony was prepared are: both Senate and House Appropriations Committees, House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee, Senate Judiciary Committee investigating Juvenile Delinquency, House Committee on Education and Labor, Senate Committee on Labor and Public Welfare, and Senate Committee on Finance. Subject content is approximately the same as in the Press conferences. This series is divided into two subseries: (1) folders containing information related to particular appearances, arranged chronologically, (2) background books, progress reports, fact sheets etc. for general information purposes, also arranged chronologically by date of compilation or issuance.

The final series consists of approximately 140 scrapbooks containing newspaper clippings dealing with Mrs. Hobby's official and unofficial activities. Most of the scrapbooks cover the period 1953-55, although some date from 1941 and the latest is dated 1960. The clippings were taken by a clipping service from a large number of U.S. newspapers, so there is considerable duplication of subject content and articles. Most actions, statements or appearances of Mrs. Hobby are covered, some of the most notable being her affiliation with the WACs, her appointment to the Cabinet, actions as Secretary of HEW and eventual resignation, and the Salk Vaccine controversy. There are also many articles dealing with her personal charm and abilities.

These scrapbooks are placed in archives boxes and arranged chronologically, with the exception of the last three boxes which make up a subseries. The arrangement within this subseries is chronological; where there is overlapping of dates, a scrapbook is filed under the first date appearing.

Mrs. Oveta Culp Hobby was born January 19, 1905 in Killeen, Texas. She served as Parliamentarian for the Texas House of Representatives from 1926 to 1931 with incomplete terms in 1939 and 1941. In 1931 she married William P. Hobby, a former Governor of Texas. In the same year she joined the Houston Post as research editor, where she served successively as literary editor, assistant editor, vice-president, executive vice-president, editor, publisher, and president (1955--). She served as chief of the Women's Interest Section of the War Department Bureau of Public Relations, 1941-42, was appointed director of the Women's Auxiliary Army Corps in 1942, then was commissioned as a Colonel, A. U. S., and served as director of the WACs from 1943-45. She was Federal Security Administrator in 1953 until her appointment to cabinet status as Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare, 1953-55. She has served on numerous government and charitable committees and has written a parliamentary law textbook, and a syndicated column by the same title.

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Wednesday, April 28, 1954-Washington-Pres. Comm. on Employ. of Phy. Handicapped, Speech at opening of exposition and Parade of Progress -Departmental Auditorium

April 29, 1954-Assistants from Senate Offices, the Capitol, Washington, DC

April 29, 1954-Radio Address Reviewing Administration's Proposals in Education

Saturday, May 1, 1954-Washington, DC Washington Pilgrimage-Hotel Statler, 6:30 p.m. Dinner-5 minutes of comment Presidential Room

Wednesday, May 5, 1954-10:30 a.m. Opening Session Joint Conf. Natl. Adv. Council on St. and Local Action and Interdept. Committee on Children and Youth-Hotel Raleigh, Washington

May 6, 1954-Federal Hospital Council, Room 5051, DHEW, Washington, DC

About May 10, 1954-TV Script on Vocational Rehabilitation

Tuesday, May 11, 1954-Washington, DC National Press Club Luncheon

May 17, 1954-East Coast Migrant Conference, DHEW auditorium, Washington, DC-10:00 to 10:15 a.m.

Wednesday, May 19, 1954-2:30 p.m.-New York Infirmary, New York City, New York

May 20, 1954-Bull Elephants Club-Washington, DC

40 Wednesday, May 26, 1954-Dinner-Time?-New York Republican State Committee-\$100-A-Plate Dinner-Waldorf-Astoria, NYC

New York State Republican Committee, May 26, 1954

Wednesday, June 2, 1954-4:00 p.m. Miss Hewitt's Classes Commencement Program, Colony Club, New York City

Wednesday, June 2, 1954-evening-Columbia University, New York, Brief Word of Welcome at Banquet.

Smith College-Hon. LLD, June 7, 1954 (no speech)

June 10, 1954-State Insurance Commissioners, Detroit, Mich.

Speech-Commencement, Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vermont, Monday, June 14, 1954-10 a.m.

Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vermont-Commencement Address and Honorary Degree, June 14, 1954

June 18, 1954-Texas Press Association, Fort Worth, Texas

American Library Association, Minneapolis, Minn. June 21, 1954

June 28, 1954-Juvenile Delinquency conference, Washington, DC

June 30, 1954-Remarks at inaugural party for Mrs. Carpenter as President of the Women's National Press Club, Washington, DC

41 TV-Radio-Recording-July 6, 1954-Institute of Life Insurance-Mutual Network Program

July 8, 1954-Under the Oaks Centennial "Freedom Festival" Jackson, Michigan.

July 9, 1954-Television Address, NBC Network, Washington, DC-7:30 P.M.-7:45 P.M.

About July 23, 1954-TV Script on Social Security

August 21, 1954-TV Recording for Campaign Film, Washington, DC

September 30, 1954-Water Pollution Control Advisory Board, Washington, DC

October 1, 1954-Governor's Highway Safety Conference, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

October 7, 1954-American Life Convention, Chicago, Illinois

October 8, 1954-Salvation Army Dinner, Akron, Ohio (Request of Cong. Ayres)

October 8, 1954-Executives club of Chicago, Illinois

October 18, 1954-Conference with State Public Welfare Directors, DHEW, Washington, DC

October 19, 1954-New York Herald Tribune Forum, New York

October 22, 1954-Business Advisory Council, Hot Springs, VA

October 24, 1954-TV "Meet the Press," Sheraton-Park Hotel, Washington, DC

- 42      October 25, 1954-Republican Committee, Montclair, NJ
- October 28, 1954 0 TV for Wilmington, Del., recorded Oct. 27, Washington, DC
- Lafayette College, Easton, Pennsylvania, Honorary Degree and Speech, October 30, 1954
- October 30, 1954-NBC TV Republican Campaign, Sheraton-Park Hotel, Washington, DC
- Southern Newspaper Publishers-Boca Raton, Florida, November 5
- Sunday, November 7, 1954-Tucson, Arizona-The Sunday Evening Forum-Monday, November 8, 1954-Tucson, Arizona-3rd Annual Mental Health Institute
- Speech-Arizona's Third Annual Mental Health Institute, Student Union Building, University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona, 10 a.m. on., Nov. 8, 1954
- Nov. 8, 1954-Texas Association of Broadcasters, Houston, Texas
- Nov. 15, 1954-Regional Directors' Conference, Washington, DC
- Nov. 18, 1954-Society of Business Magazine Editors, Washington, DC
- Speech-House of Delegates, American Medical Assn., McAlister Hotel, Miami, Florida-2:30 p.m., Monday, Nov. 29, 1954
- Nov. 29, 1954-American Medical Association, House of Delegates, Miami, Florida
- Dec. 2, 1954-White House Conference on Education Meeting, Washington, DC
- December 7, 1954-Association of State and Territorial Health Officers, Washington, DC
- 43      1955-Valley Forge Military Academy, Corps of Cadets, Wayne, Pennsylvania
- January 12, 1955-Princeton University, American-Whig-Clisophic Society, Princeton, New Jersey
- January 31, 1955-Save the Children Foundation, Waldorf-Astoria, New York
- February 3, 1955-Citizen's Advisory Committee on the Food and Drug Administration, HEW, Washington, DC

February 8, 1955-Acceptance of Scout Pin from a Cub Scout, HEW, Washington, DC

February 12, 1955-University of Pennsylvania Convocation, Philadelphia, PA

February 24, 1955-Freedmen's Hospital Study commission, DHEW, Washington, DC

February 26, 1955-Barnard College, New York City

February 28, 1955-American Red Cross, Toledo, Ohio

March 7, 1955 -Secretary Humphrey's Birthday Dinner, Washington, DC

March 7, 1955-National Advisory Council on Vocational Rehabilitation, DHEW, Washington, DC

March 9, 1955-Garden Club of America, Houston, Texas

March 23, 1955-Fairleigh Dickinson College, Rutherford, NJ

April 11, 1955-Honor Awards Ceremony, HEW, Washington, DC

For Use April 18, 1955-National Mental Health Fund film for Mental Health Week, recording in Washington, DC

April 19, 1955-Radio Program with Congressman Bass-Recorded in Washington, DC on April 19

44 April 21, 1955-TV, Republican National Committee on Salk Vaccine, Recorded in Washington, DC

April 21, 1955-TV, Congressman Ostertag, Recorded in Washington, DC

April 22, 1955-Conference on Salk Vaccine, Washington, DC

April 22, 1955-Statement on HEW Legislative Program, at Cabinet, Washington, DC

April 22, 1955-Citation of Dr. Salk and The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis by the President, Washington, DC

April 27, 1955-Citizens Conference on Salk Poliomyelitis Vaccine, Washington, DC Mrs. Hobby out-of-town, Mr. Mintener read paper.

May 3, 1955-Briefing of the Governors, Room 474, Exec. Off. Bldg., Washington, DC

Governors' Conference-May 3, 1955-Statement by the Secretary (1)(2)

45 May 10, 1955-Republican Women's Spring Conference, Washington, DC

May 16, 1955-TV at White House re Salk Vaccine, Washington, DC

May 17, 1955-Television Presentations; Secretary Hobby and Congressman Young of Nevada and Congressman Laird of Wisconsin [Washington, DC]

May 23, 1955-Republican Women's Finance Committee, Washington, DC Mrs. Hobby canceled

May 29, 1955-National Conference of Social Work, San Francisco, Calif. Mrs. Hobby canceled. Mr. Schottland read her speech

June 2, 1955-Presbyterian School of Nursing, New York City

June 7, 1955-Radio and TV Broadcast on Poliomyelitis Vaccine, Washington, DC

June 13, 1955-Colby College, Waterville, Maine-Commencement Address and Honorary Degree

June 15, 1955-New York University, N.Y. Honorary Degree Mrs. Hobby Canceled

June 20, 1955-Regional Health Group, Washington, DC

June 22, 1955-National Advisory Committee on Poliomyelitis Vaccine, DHEW

July 28, 1955-Farewell Dinner for Mrs. Hobby given by Staff at HEW, Washington, DC

July 29, 1955-Farewell Ceremonies for Dr. W.H. Sebrell, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD

NOTE: Copies of the following speeches, in other forms, appear elsewhere in the "Speeches" series.

Speech-Natl. Rehabilitation Assn. Conference, Miami Beach, Florida, 6:30 p.m., Oct. 27, 1953

Speech-Natl. Social Welfare Assembly, Roosevelt Hotel, N.Y.C. 12:30 p.m. Nov. 13, 1953

Speech-Washington Post Children's Book and Author Luncheon- Statler Hotel, 1 p.m., Nov. 14, 1953

Speech-Annual Dinner, National Institute of Social Sciences, Waldorf, 7:30 p.m. Nov. 20, 1953

Speech-Repub. Citizens' Finance Com. Dinner, Palmer House, Chicago 6:30 p.m. Nov. 23, 1955

Speech -American Public Welfare Assn. Banquet, Edgewater Beach Hotel, Chicago, 7 p.m., December 4, 1953

Speech-Rich Township High School, Park Forest, Illinois 2:30 p.m., Dec. 6, 1953

Speech-50th Anniversary, SNPA Documentary Feature, Boca Raton, Florida, Nov. 4-7, 1953

Speech-Dept.-Regional Conference of HEW, Washington, 10:30 a.m., December 7, 1953

Speech-Annual Convention, Natl. Cannery Assn., Atlantic City, NJ, 11:30 a.m. Jan. 23, 1954

Speech-Annual Meeting, National School Boards Association, 7 p.m., Sat., Feb. 13, 1954

Speech-Natl. Conf. of Christians and Jews-"The Long Struggle for Brotherhood" The Mayflower, Washington, February 23, 1954

Speech-NCCJ, Mayflower Hotel, Washington, DC Tues, Feb. 23, 1954-7:30 p.m.

Speech-Howard University Charter Day, Washington, DC Tues., Mar. 2, 1954-10:30 a.m.

Speech-Philadelphia Bulletin Forum, Academy of Music, Phila., PA 8 p.m., Mar. 9, 1954 "America's Human Resources"

Speech-Congregation Tifereth Israel Membership and Aux. bodies, Cleveland, OH, 8:15 p.m. March 28, 1954

Speech-New England Hosp. Assembly, President's Luncheon, Hotel Statelier, 12:30 p.m. 3/31/54, Boston, MA

Speech-Western Conference of Community Chests and Councils Fresno, Calif. 12:15 p.m. 4/5/54

- Speech-United Republican Finance Comm., San Mateo, Calif. 7 p.m. Monday, April 5, 1954
- Speech-Riverside County Republican Central Comm., Palm Springs, Calif., 6:30 p.m., Tuesday, April 6, 1954
- Speech-Dedication of PHS Robert A. Taft Sanitary Engineering Center, Cincinnati, OH, Thurs., 4/8/54
- Speech-Annual Honor Awards Ceremony, Auditorium, HEW, April 9, 1954 3 p.m.
- Speech-Opening the Exposition and Parade of Progress, President's Com. on Employment of Handicapped, Dept. Aud., Wednesday, April 28, 1954 1 p.m.
- Speech-Joint Conference on Children and Youth, Raleigh Hotel, Washington, DC, Wednesday, May 5, 1954 10:30 a.m.
- Speech-National Press Club, Washington, DC, Tues, May 11, 1954 1 p.m.
- Speech-Yale University, Frank Ellsworth Spaulding Lecture on Education, New Haven, CT, 5/12/54 4:10 p.m.
- 46 Speech-Welcome to East Coast Migrant Conference DHEW Auditorium, Washington, DC, Monday, May 17, 1954 10:00 a.m.
- Speech-Dedication, New York Infirmary, Stuyvesant Square, NY Wednesday, May 19, 1954-2:30 p.m.
- Speech-N.Y. Republican State Committee Dinner, Waldorf-Astoria, NY, Wednesday, May 26, 1954 8 p.m.
- Speech-Miss Hewitt's Classes Commencement Address, Colony Club, NY, Wednesday, June 2, 1954 4 p.m.
- Speech-Columbia University Banquet, N.Y.C., Wednesday, June 2, 1954 9 p.m.
- Speech-National Association State Insurance Commissioners, Sheraton-Cadillac Hotel, Detroit, Michigan, Thursday, June 10, 1954 2:30 p.m.
- Speech-Texas Press Association, Fort Worth, Texas, Friday, June 18, 1954 11 a.m.
- Speech-First General Session 73rd Annual American Library Assoc. Conference, Minneapolis, Minnesota, Monday, June 21, 1954 8:30 p.m.

Speech-Opening Juvenile Delinquency Conference DHEW Auditorium, Washington, DC, Monday, June 28, 1954 9:30 a.m.

Speech-Television Address-NBC-Friday, July 9, 1954 7:30-7:45 p.m.

Speech-"Under the Oaks Centennial" Freedom Festival, Jackson, Michigan, Thursday, July 8, 1954

Speech-Women's Natl. Press Club Inauguration-Washington, DC Wed., June 30, 1954-8 p.m.

Speech-Before the Senate Appropriation Committee, July 22, 1954

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48 December 26, 1952-Article-"A New Look at Welfare Plans" U.S. News and World Reports, Questions and Answers

Press Conferences-The Secretary-April 27, 1953

Press Questions (answered in writing)-A.P., Bess Furman, etc. June-July 1953

Speech-Press Conference on Admin. Social Security Proposals HEW-2 p.m., 1/15/54-Washington

January 15, 1954-Press Conference on the Administration's Social Security Proposals Rm. 5051, 2 p.m.-also TV Script for Conf.

March 11, 1954-Press Conference on the Administration's Health Proposals, DHEW, Washington, DC

Press Conference-Mar. 11, 1954-Reinsurance Bill

49 October 21, 1954-Press Conference, DHEW, Washington, DC

Press Conference, October 21, 1954



Speech-Press Conference, DHEW Building, Room 5051, 10:30 a.m., Thursday, Oct. 21, 1954

Press Conference-February 1, 1955

February 1, 1955-Press Conference, DHEW, Washington, DC Health

February 10, 1955-Press Conference on Education, HEW, Room 5051, Washington, DC

Press Conference on Education, Remarks by Secretary, February 10, 1955

50 Press Conferences-of Oveta Culp Hobby-(April 27, 1953 and-Jan. 15, 1954) (1)

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Senate Committee on Judiciary-S.J. Res. 130-May 27, 1952

Confirmation-Hearings before Senate committee on Finance-January 19, 1953 (Mrs. Hobby as Federal Security Administrator)

Thursday, February 5, 1953-Testimony House Appropriations Subcommittee-Statement by Mrs. Hobby on Supplementals

Federal Security Agency-Budget Hearing-House Appropriations Subcommittee-Feb. 5, 1953

Senate Appropriations Committee-Feb. 23, 1953

Monday, February 23, 1953-Mrs. Hobby's Testimony Before Senate Appropriations Subcommittee, 10:00 A.M.

House Appropriations Sub-Committee-Statement by Mrs. Hobby 2/24/53

Federal Security Agency Budget Hearing, House Appropriations Sub-Committee-Feb. 24, 1953

Tuesday, March 3, 1953-Testimony before House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee-Mrs. Hobby-10 a.m.

Testimony-House Interstate and Foreign commerce Committee March 3, 1953

51 Federal Security Agency-Budget Hearing, House Appropriations Subcommittee-April 14, 1953

Senate Appropriations Committee-April 29, 1953

Wednesday, April 29, 1953-Testimony before Senate Appropriations Subcommittee-Mrs. Hobby

Testimony-Subcommittee of the House Committee on Education and Labor on Proposed Legislation for School Assistance in Federally-affected Areas-June 10, 1953

Wednesday, June 10, 1953-House Committee on Education and Labor-Public Law 815 and Public Law 874-Remarks by Mrs. Hobby

Hearing-Senate Judiciary Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency Nov. 19, 1953

Statement-(written-not delivered in person) Senate Judiciary Subcommittee Investigation Juvenile Delinquency-Nov. 19, 1953, 10 a.m.

Hearing-Senate Judiciary Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency Jan. 16, 1954

January 16, 1954-Statement by Mrs. Hobby before Senate Judiciary Subcommittee Investigating Juvenile Delinquency, 10:00 a.m.

Thursday, February 4, 1954-10:00 a.m. Testimony-Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce in support of H.R. 7341 (implementing President's health message)

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce-H.R. 8149-Feb. 4, 1954-Statement by the Secretary (1)(2)

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52 Hearings Before House and Senate by the Secretary of HEW-Complete Text and Charts Feb. 4 to March 30, 1954 (1)-(3)

Hearings on H.R. 7397 before the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, March 4, 1954

Hearings on S. 2758 before Senate Labor and Public Welfare Committee March 17, 1954

- Hearings before Senate Appropriations Committee March 18, 1954
- Appropriation Hearings, House of Representatives, March 23, 1954
- 53 Hearings on H.R. 8356 before the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, House of Representatives, March 24, 1954 (1)(2)
- Hearings on S.2778, Senate Labor and Public Welfare Committee, March 29, 1954 Grants-In-Aid (1)(2)
- Hearings on S. 2759 before Senate Committee on Labor and Public Welfare March 30, 1954
- Hearings on H.R. 7199, 7200, 7448-OASI-before House Ways and Means Committee-April 1, 1954
- Hearings before House and Senate by the Secretary of HEW-Complete Text and Charts-April 1-May 1954 (1)
- 54 Hearings before House and Senate by the Secretary of HEW-Complete Text and Charts April 1-May 1954 (2)-(4)
- Hearings before Senate on S. 2723, S. 2724, S. 2856-Committee on Labor and Public Welfare April 2, 1954
- Hearings on S. 3114 before Senate Labor and Public Welfare Committee-April 13, 1954
- Appropriations Hearings-Senate-April 15, 1954 (1)(2)
- 55 Testimony before Labor-Health, Education and Welfare Subcommittee of the senate Appropriations Committee April 15, 16, 1954 (1)(2)
- Appropriations Hearings-Senate-April 15, 16, 1954
- Hearings on H.R. 9366 before Senate Finance Committee June 24, 1954 (1)(2)
- Hearings on H.R. 9366 before Senate Finance Committee June 24, 1954 [empty]
- Hearings before Senate Appropriations Committee-Supplemental Appropriations - July 22, 1954

Testimony-Senate Appropriations Committee on Supplemental Estimate 1955-  
Statement by the Secretary July 22, 1954

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Hearings-Senate Committee on Labor and Public Welfare-Statement by Secretary on  
S. 968-Feb. 16, 1955

Hearings on S. 968-2/16/55

Hearings-House Committee on Appropriations-Statement by the Secretary-  
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Secretary's Text for March 2 Testimony before House Committee on H.R. 3458 and  
H.R. 3720-Draft-Feb. 24, 1955

House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce-(H.R. 3458 H.R. 3720)  
March 2, 1955 (1)(2)

Hearings-H.R. 3458 and H.R. 3720-3/2/55

Testimony-House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce H.R.3458, H.R.  
3720 (Health and Science) March 8, 1955

Hearings-Mental Health 3/8/55-Title VI-H.R. 3458 and 3720

57 March 24, 1955-Statement before House Committee on Education and Labor in  
Support of H.R. 3770, H.R.3812, and H.R. 3824

Testimony-House Committee on Education and Labor-March 29, 1955 (School  
Construction ) (1)-(3)

Testimony-School construction-3/29/55

School Construction-H.R. 3770, H.R. 3812, and H.R. 3824-3/29/55

- Subcommittee on Health, Senate Committee on Labor and Public Welfare-Statement by the Secretary on Titles III and VI, S. 886-April 13, 1955 (1) (2)
- 58 Practical Nurse Testimony-4/13/55
- Kefauver Subcommittee Testimony on Civil Defense-April 20, 1955
- Civil Defense Testimony-4/20/55
- Testimony on S. 890 Water Pollution Bill 4/22/55
- Testimony-Senate Committee on Labor and Public Welfare (Salk Vaccine) May 16, 1955
- 59 Testimony re Salk Vaccine-5/16/55
- Testimony on H.R. 6286 and H.R. 6287 (Salk vaccine dist.) May 25, 1955
- Testimony-Senate Committee on Labor and Public Welfare S. 1984-June 14, 1955 (1)(2)
- Testimony-In support of S. 1984-Statement by the Secretary-June 14, 1955
- Testimony-Senate Committee on Finance-Statement by the Secretary-July 26, 1955
- 60 Background Information-Questions and Answers 1953
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- Charts Dealing with Health Problems: Hospitals, Insurance, Rehabilitation-1954
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- Education (Background Information) Feb. 10, 1954
- Questions and Answer and Summaries of Comments on Bills March 29, 1954

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Data Book-Office of the Secretary-Estimate to Congress-1955 (1)-(3)

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