

SECTION VIII

PRESSURE GROUPS

This portion of the Maass Papers pertains to the involvement of pressure groups in the development of environmental policy. It includes much of Dr. Maass' correspondence and more clearly reveals his political activities. Groups for which he has collected papers are the Democratic Party, Republican Party, Finletter Group, Harriman for President Committee, Kennedy for President Committee, Americans for Democratic Action, League of Women Voters, U.S. Chamber of Commerce, and the AFL-CIO.

General

Folder 445. Democratic Party, 1952-1975.

Personal correspondence, including that with Arthur Schlesinger, Jr., Leland Olds, Richard L. Neuberger, Estes Kefauver, and Adlai E. Stevenson's office. Also an address by Schlesinger to the New York Committee for the Democratic Advisory Council, "The Shape of National Politics to Come," ca. 1960.

Folders 446-447. Finletter Group, 1953-1954.

Primarily public policy reports and personal correspondence. Correspondents include Adlai E. Stevenson. Reports include "Full Employment in an Expanding Economy," 16 Dec 1953; Chester Bowles, "The Full Employment of American Workers, Capital and Machines," 31 Dec 1953; Paul Nitze, "National Defense Policy," 26 Feb 1954; Nitze, "U.S. Policy Toward Indo-China," 6 Apr 1954; Seymour E. Harris, "An Economist Examines the Promises and Performances of the Republican Administration," 14 Jun 1954; Maass, "Republicans and Republican Power," 1954. Undated material: Edward Miller,

"The Latin American Policy of the Eisenhower Administration"; "The 1954 Tax Program," statement of Alvin H. Hansen at hearings before the Senate Finance Committee; Seymour E. Harris, "The Interest Rate Controversy"; George Ball, "Wire-Tapping."

Folder 448. Harriman for President, 1952.

A few letters, one from Averell Harriman and another from Arthur Schlesinger, Jr. Draft by Maass of a natural resources platform for Harriman's campaign.

Folder 449. Kennedy for President, 1960.

Personal correspondence, including a letter from John F. Kennedy. Address by Kennedy in the Senate, 18 Jan; remarks by Kennedy to California Democratic Council Convention, 12 Feb; statements by Marion Clawson on "Recreation" and "Public Lands"; Horace Gray, "Essential Features of a National Policy for the Development of Water Resources," 1 Aug.

Folder 450. Republican Party, 1964.

Folder 451. Americans for Democratic Action, 1950-1953.

Correspondence and handwritten personal notes. Includes a paper by Dr. Maass, "Natural Resources," 15 Feb 1950, and a "Statement of Principles" of the Massachusetts chapter of the Americans for Democratic Action.

Folder 452. League of Women Voters, 1949-1957.

Correspondence between Dr. Maass and representatives of the league. Also a publication of the league, On the Water Front, May 1957.

Folder 453. Maass Speech Before the League of Women Voters, 18 Jan 1952.

Folders 454-455. U.S. Chamber of Commerce, 1944-1959.

Policy Declarations on Natural Resources, 1949-1950, 1952-1959; Referendum No. 81 on the Report of the Natural

Resources Dept. Committee on National Water Resource Policies, 1944; Our Water Resources: How Should They Be Developed?, 1953; Industry Reports on Natural Resources, Dec 1954; Conservation Is Good Business, 1956; National Water and Power Policy: A Digest of the Water Policy Conference, Jan 1956.

Folder 456. AFL-CIO, 1970-1979.

Labor Looks at Congress, 1969, 1975, 1978.

Folder 457. Public Power Organizations, 1950-1977.

Folder 458. National Conservation Organizations (Non-Water), 1953-1977.

Statement of purpose from the Forest Conservation Society of America, 1954.

Water Interests

Folder 459. Water Pressure Groups, General, 1940-1969.

Port of Mobile News, Mobile, Alabama, 1949.

Folder 460. Maass, "The Civil Functions of the Corps of Engineers," 12 Nov 1940.

Folder 461. National and Regional Water and Land Organizations' Coordinating Committee, 1947-1954.

Folder 462. National Water Conservation Conference, 1947-1948.

Folder 463. U.S. Flood Control Federation, 1936.

Folder 464. National Reclamation Association, National Water Resources Association, 1938-1969.

Folder 465. National Rivers and Harbors Congress, 1939-1964.

Folder 466. National Rivers and Harbors Congress, Proceedings, 1928-1939.

Folder 467. National Rivers and Harbors Congress, Personal Notes.

Folder 468. Mississippi Valley Association, 1940-1971.

Folder 469. Mississippi Valley Association, Publications, 1940-1948.

Resources and Opportunities of the Mid-Continent Area of the United States, Nov 1947.

Folder 470. Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association, 1939-1947.

Folder 471. Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association, Proceedings of Annual Conventions, 1931-1935.

Folder 472. Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association, Personal Notes.

Folder 473. Tri-State Authority, 1940-1949.

Folder 474. Ohio Valley Flood Control and Conservation Congress, 1940-1951.

Address by David Clark Warner, water conservation engineer, before the Conference on Conservation, Nutrition, and Health, 26 Jun 1949; recollections of Warner on the beginnings of the organization, 1 Nov 1949; The Ohio Engineer, Vol. 9, No. 1 (Jan 1951).

Folder 475. Intercoastal Canal Association of Louisiana and Texas, 1937-1944.

The Intercoastal Canal From the Mississippi to the Rio Grande, n.d.

Folder 476. Inland Empire Waterways Association, 1940.