

THE SUEZ CRISIS

ANDERSON, ROBERT B.: Papers, 1933-89

Box 346 Reading File July 1972 [Oman; memcon re Suez Crisis; Nasser]

DULLES, ELEANOR LANSING: Papers, 1880-1984

Box 62 Notes for Books, 1969 [Suez Crisis of 1956]

DULLES, JOHN FOSTER: Papers, 1950-61

General Correspondence and Memoranda Series

Box 1 Memos of Conversation - General - A-D (1)-(4)
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 [UN, China and Middle East; Suez Crisis; Jewish banks; Richard Nixon
 and Middle East]

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[oil companies and Suez Crisis; Lebanese and UN; troops to Lebanon]
- Box 11 Memoranda of Tel. Conv. W.H. September 4, 1956 to Dec. 31, 1956 (1)
[Congressman Richards and Middle East; Middle East Resolution; Egypt;
Baghdad Pact; Israel – Egypt; Middle East oil; Suez Crisis]

White House Memoranda Series

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Meetings with the President Jan. 1956-July 1956 (1)-(6)
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- Box 5 Meetings with the President Aug. 1956-Dec. 1956 (7)(8)
- Box 8 Conv. with Dulles, Allen W. (All Intelligence Material) (1)-(4)

EISENHOWER, DWIGHT D.: Papers as President, 1953-61 (Ann Whitman File)

Administration Series

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Ann Whitman Diary Series

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Cabinet Series

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- Box 14 March 1956 Miscellaneous (1)-(6)
- Box 15 April 1956 Phone Calls
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Aug '56 Phone Calls [DDE to Dulles re Suez; Dulles on British criticism of Charles Wilson's reference to Suez Crisis as "relatively small incident"; Middle East]
- Box 17 Aug '56 Miscellaneous (1)-(4) [some mentions of Suez]
Aug. '56 Diary - Staff Memos [Suez]
Aug. '56 Diary [DDE summary of background to Suez Crisis]
Sept. '56 Miscellaneous (1)-(4) [Suez]
- Box 18 Sept. '56 Phone Calls [Dulles on Suez]

- Oct. '56 Phone Calls [DDE to Knowland re British in Middle East; Dulles on Suez]
- Box 19 Oct. '56 Diary--Staff Memos [memcons re DDE-Ambassador Wails making general statements re Hungary & Middle East; oil and Suez; Middle East]
Nov. 1956 Diary
Nov. 1956 Phone Calls
- Box 20 Nov. 1956 Miscellaneous (1)-(4)
Dec. 1956 Phone Calls
- Box 21 Jan. 1957 Diary—Staff Memos
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Jan. 1957 Miscellaneous (1)-(4)
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- Box 55 Staff Notes December [1960] [DDE meeting with Synagogue Council of America--discuss Zionist movement, Jewish community, & Suez crisis]

Dulles-Herter Series

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- Box 7 Dulles, John Foster Aug. '56 (1) [Suez crisis; letter re Nasser]
Dulles, John Foster Aug. '56 (2) [Suez; London Conference on Suez; U.S. policy in Middle East; USSR re Suez]
Dulles, Foster Sept. '56 (1) [Middle East; Suez Canal Users Association]
Dulles, Foster Sept. '56 (2) [Middle East; Suez Canal]
Dulles, Foster Oct. '56 (1) [Suez crisis; Israel]
Dulles, Foster Oct. '56 (2) [Middle East; USSR and Middle East; Suez; James Hagerty advice re Suez; Frank Nash and study of overseas bases]
- Box 8 Dulles, Foster Nov. '56 (1) [Suez; Baghdad Pact]
Dulles, Foster Nov. '56 (2) [Suez crisis; Gaza Strip]
Dulles, Foster Dec '56 [Suez and Nasser; Israel]
Dulles, John Foster Jan '57 [Suez Canal; Iraq; Lebanon; King of Saudi Arabia]
Dulles, John Foster Feb. '57 (1) [Israel; impact of Suez and Hungary on Western European public opinion]

International Series

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304th Meeting Nov. 15, 1956
305th Meeting Nov. 30, 1956
310th Meeting Jan. 24, 1957

Speech Series

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EISENHOWER, DWIGHT D.: Records as President (White House Central Files)

Confidential File (Subject Series)

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Box 72 State, Dept. of (Nov. 1956) [Suez Crisis]
Box 82 Suez Canal Crisis (1)-(5)

Official File

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Box 504 OF 116-IL Mid-East-Suez Situation
OF 116-MM Middle East Doctrine
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Box 784 PPF 47 American Friends of the Middle East
Box 816 PPF 47 Hadassah
Box 828 PPF 47 Misrachi Women's Organization
Box 852 PPF 47 Pioneer Women
Box 868 PPF 47 Zionist Organization of America
Box 944 PPF 359 John Foster Dulles
Box 958 PPF 764 Anthony Eden
Box 966 PPF 1044 Harold Macmillan

EISENHOWER, DWIGHT D.: Post-Presidential Papers, 1961-69

1964 Signature File

Box 4 Public Relations (PR-3) Interviews—Kennett Love with DDE re Suez and Middle East Situation, Nov. 25, 1964 [transcript of interview; Suez Crisis;

invasion of Egypt; DDE comments on book by Herman Finer, Dulles Over Suez, and refers to Finer as a “liar;” Egyptian and Israeli armies; Aswan Dam; DDE told Dulles to inform Eban that the upcoming election and the Jewish vote would have no effect on DDE’s decision; threat of economic sanctions; prior planning between Israel and France and Britain; ceasefire and withdrawal of forces]

FITZGERALD, DENNIS A.: Papers, 1945-69

Box 24 TELEPHONE CONVERSATIONS September-October 1956 (1)-(6)
[Middle East; Israel; Suez crisis; Arab-Israeli conflict; Suez Canal Users
Association; Egyptian locomotives]
Box 35-36 Aswan Dam and Suez Canal Users

FLEMMING, ARTHUR S.: Papers, 1939-75

Box 296 Personal (1) [Suez Crisis]

HAGERTY, JAMES C.: Papers, 1953-61

Box 7 Middle East, October 1956
Box 8 Personal—Mr. Hagerty [draft memo to DDE re Suez Crisis of 1956]
Box 46 Hagerty’s Press Conferences July-Dec. 1956
Box 62 Press Conference Material – 1956-57
Box 73 President’s Press and Radio Conferences 1956-57
Box 78 President’s Speeches and Remarks 1956-57

HARLOW, BRYCE: Papers (Pre-Acc.)

Box 13 Middle East

HARR, KARL G., JR.: Papers, 1943-1996

Box 1 Personal Correspondence, 1956 (1)-(4) [Suez Canal Crisis; British policy
toward Egypt and Nasser]

HAZLETT, EDWARD E. “SWEDE”: Papers, 1941-65

Box 2 1956 August 3 [Suez Canal Crisis and Nasser]
1957 November 18 [Suez Crisis – Nasser; Tunisia – arms deal with
Bourguiba]
1958 February 26 [Tunisia – Bourguiba]

JACKSON, C.D.: Papers, 1931-67

Box 40 Co-Misc. (1)(2) [Suez Crisis; Middle East]
Box 47 Dohrn, Klaus (1)-(5) [Syria, Iran, and Middle East; Aswan Dam-U.S. &
Egypt; Suez Crisis]
Box 48 Dougherty, William [Suez Crisis; Aswan Dam]
Box 64 Lazareff, Pierre [Soviet penetration of Mid East; Suez Crisis]
Box 69 Log-1956 (4) [Israel and Middle East; Suez Crisis; Nasser]
Log-1957 (3) [Senate hearings on foreign policy in Mid East; Suez Crisis]

Box 71 Log-1957 (4) [USSR in Mid East; Suez Crisis]
Luce, Henry R. & Clare, 1956 (1) [Israel and Arabs; Gaza Strip; Suez Crisis; Egypt-Nasser; Ben Gurion]
Luce, Henry R. & Clare, 1956 (2) [Suez Crisis; Nasser; Israel-water project; U.S. Mid East policy-role of oil]

LAMBIE, JAMES M.: Records

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LARSON, ARTHUR: Papers, 1932-88

Box 22 Memorandum Book #5 August 1956 [Suez]
Memorandum Book #6 USIA [Suez Crisis]
Box 25 Oral History Interview Dulles Project [Suez crisis]

LILLY, EDWARD P.: Papers, 1928-78

Box 54 Clippings 1953-1958 (1)-(3) [Suez Crisis; Israel]

MCCARDLE, CARL W.: Papers, 1953-57

Box 5 Suez 22 nation conference, 1956 (1)(2)
Suez – President's statements
Suez Conference—London 1956
Press Coverage—August 23, 1956
Press summaries of 2nd Suez Conference
Second Suez Conference
 1st Session, September 19, 1956 [Transcripts]
 2nd Session, September 19, 1956 [Transcripts]
 3rd Session, September 20, 1956 [Transcripts]
 4th Session, September 20, 1956 [Transcripts]
 5th Session, September 21, 1956 [Transcripts]
Statement by Secretary on Suez
Suez Canal Users Assoc.
Box 8 President's Message to Congress on Middle-East 1/5/57

PUSEY, MERLO J.: Manuscript and material re *Eisenhower the President*, 1952-69

Box 26 Suez Crisis

RANDALL, CLARENCE B.: Journals, 1953-61

Box 4 Council on Foreign Economic Policy, 1956-57, Volume III, [December 29, 1956 – February 7, 1957] [Lebanon; Suez Crisis]

REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE: News Clippings

Box 638 Waterways: Suez Canal (1)(2)

SMITH, WALTER BEDELL: Papers

Box 26 Correspondence (of Military or Historical Significance) (1)

WHITE HOUSE OFFICE, NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL STAFF: Papers

OCB Central Files

Box 78-9 091.4 Near East 1956-57 folders

Special Staff File

Box 6 Near East (7)(8)

WHITE HOUSE OFFICE, OFFICE OF THE SPECIAL ASSISTANT FOR NATIONAL SECURITY AFFAIRS: Records

NSC Series, Briefing Notes Subseries

Box 13 The Middle East (1)(2)

Box 14 Near East and Middle East Oil

NSC Series, Policy Papers Subseries

Box 12 NSC 5428 Near East (1)(2)

OCB Series, Subject Subseries

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Special Assistant Series, Chronological Subseries

Box 4 August 1956 (1)-(3)(5)

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Subject Series, State Department Subseries
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State Department 1957 (Aug.-Oct.) (1)(3)

ORAL HISTORIES:

ALDRICH, WINTHROP (OH-250) – U.S. Ambassador to the United Kingdom, 1953-57
Comments on the 1956 Suez crisis; an earlier meeting with Egyptian King Farouk;
British feelings toward the Suez Canal and Nasser; John Foster Dulles' role in the crisis;
Suez Canal Users Association; role of Anthony Eden and Selwyn Lloyd; communication
problems between Aldrich and the State Department; resignation as ambassador when
crisis ended.

BERDING, ANDREW H. (OH-16) – Journalist; Assistant Director, and Deputy Director,
United States Information Agency, 1953-57; Assistant Secretary of State for Public Affairs,
1957-61
Suez Crisis of 1956; Dulles' negative attitude toward Gamel Abdel Nasser.

BURKE, ARLEIGH A. (OH-284) – Chief of Naval Operations (CNO), United States Navy,
1955-61
Interview #1 – Lebanon crisis, 1958; Suez crisis, 1956.

BUSH, PRESCOTT (OH-31) – Business executive; United States Senator from Connecticut,
1952-62
Interview # 3 – Remarks about Aswan Dam and Suez Crisis.

CLAY, GEN. LUCIUS D. (OH-56) – Military associate of General Eisenhower, 1945-59;
active in the Eisenhower campaign and Cabinet selection, 1951-53
Interview #2 – Public confidence in Eisenhower (including the Suez crisis).

EISENHOWER, DWIGHT D. (OH-11)
Lebanon; the Suez Crisis.

EISENHOWER, DWIGHT D. (OH-14)
Suez Crisis.

FLEMMING, ARTHUR S. (OH-504) – Member, First and Second Hoover Commissions,
1947-49 and 1953-58; President's Advisory Committee on Government Organization, 1953-61;
Office of Defense Mobilization, 1953-57; Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare, 1958-61;
President Commission on Civil Rights, 1975-81
1956 Suez Crisis and the role of the Office of Defense Mobilization in developing
emergency reserve oil plan; Eisenhower's views on the Suez Crisis the day hostilities
broke out; Eisenhower's decisiveness and control of situation during the crisis.

GINZBERG, ELI (OH-394) – Consultant to the Department of State, 1953-56; consultant to
the Department of Labor, 1954-

Interview # - Ginzberg's political advice to DDE on the Suez Crisis; lengthy discussion of his relationship with David Ben-Gurion; Robert Anderson's mission to the Middle East.

GOODPASTER, ANDREW J. (OH-37) – Staff Secretary to the President, 1954-61

Interview #2 – The Suez Crisis; Nasser; and the Lebanon intervention.

GOODPASTER, ANDREW J. (OH-378)

Interview #4 – Suez crisis.

HAGERTY, JAMES C. (OH-91) – Press Secretary to the President, 1953-61

Interview #3 – American intervention in the Suez crisis; the effects of the Suez crisis on the 1956 elections.

HARE, RAYMOND A. (OH-189) – U.S. Ambassador to Saudi Arabia, 1950-53; Ambassador to Lebanon, 1953-54; Director General, U.S. Foreign Service, 1954-56; Ambassador to Egypt, 1958-58; Ambassador to United Arab Republic, 1958-60; Deputy Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs, 1960-61

Interview #1 – Islamic architecture. John Foster Dulles' trip to the Middle East in 1953: Dulles' character; talks with Saudi Arabia officials. Service in Lebanon. Service in Egypt: 1956 Suez crisis; Nasser; PL 480; Aswan Dam. Shah of Iran. Observations on U.S. objectives in Middle East. Russian penetration; Palestine question; oil. Comments on Nasser: why United Arab Republic formed; Nasser's character; Nasser's position as an Arab leader.

Interview #2 – Service in Saudi Arabia: U.S. interest in the country's oil; air base at Dhahran; King Saud and King Faisal; Saudi officials' feelings towards Israel. Comments on service in Lebanon and Lebanese President Chamoun. Dulles' feelings towards Middle East problems. U.S. reaction to Communist arms sales to Egypt in 1955. Service in Egypt: 1956 Suez crisis; observations on Nasser's character; Nasser and King Hussein of Jordan; formation of U.A.R.; PL 480 in Egypt. U.S. position towards Israel.

HENDERSON, LOY W. (OH-191) – State Department Official and Foreign Service Officer; Director for Near East and African Affairs, Department of State, 1945-48; U.S. Ambassador to Iran, 1951-54; Deputy Under Secretary of State for Administration, 1955-61

Service as U.S. Ambassador to Iran, 1951-54; question of nationalization of British oil companies; U.S. position in the Iran-Great Britain dispute; Prime Minister Mossadegh—his pro-communist supports, results for Iran of his fiscal policies; U.S. position towards the Shah of Iran; comments on his actions at the time (August 1953) when the Shah replaced Mossadegh as prime minister with General Zahedi; communist activities in Iran; comments on his freedom of action during administration of both Truman and Eisenhower; eventual settlement of the oil question. Problems because of part U.S. played in the establishment of Israel. U.S. relations with Egypt: Dulles and the Aswan Dam project; Suez crisis of 1956.

JAVITS, JACOB (OH-74) – Congressman from New York, 1947-54; early supporter of Eisenhower for President in 1952; Attorney General of New York, 1955-57; Senator from New York, 1957-1980

The Suez crisis.

JUDD, WALTER H. (OH-196) – Missionary doctor in China, 1925-31; 1937-37; Congressman from Minnesota, 1943-63; served on the House Foreign Affairs Committee

Interview #4 – The Suez crisis and the Aswan Dam project; the Russian offensives in 1958 (incl. the Lebanon face-down).

MURPHY, ROBERT (OH-305)

Background for first meeting with DDE: Roosevelt; work in North Africa; deGaulle. First meeting with DDE: briefing DDE on North Africa; impressions of DDE; establishing an Allied headquarters in Algiers. Dulles and Suez.

McGUIRE, E. PERKINS (OH-257) – Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs, 1954-56; Assistant Secretary of Defense for Supply and Logistics, 1956-61 Suez Crisis, 1956; Lebanon Crisis, 1958.

ROBERTS, CHALMERS (OH-54) – Newsman, *Washington Post*
Suez crisis.

ROBERTS, CHARLES WESLEY (OH-310) – White House journalist for 15 years
Interview #1 – Eisenhower and the Suez Crisis.

SMITH, HOWARD K. (OH-99) – Chief European correspondent and European Director of CBS in London, 1946-57, and CBS correspondent, Washington Bureau, 1957-61
Aswan Dam; John Foster Dulles and the Suez Crisis; Smith's coverage of Suez Crisis.

THAYER, ROBERT H. (OH-243) – Assistant to the U.S. Ambassador to France, 1951-54; staff member, Operations Coordinating Board, 1954-55; U.S. Minister to Rumania, 1955-58; Assistant Secretary of State for Educational and Cultural Affairs, 1958-61
Service as Minister to Rumania: Suez Crisis; impressions of John Foster Dulles: Aswan Dam decision.

TWINING, NATHAN F. (OH-274) – Officer, U.S. Air Force, South Pacific, 1942-43; Commander, 15th Air Force, Italy, 1944-45; Commander, 20th Air Force, Guam, 1945; Deputy Chief of Staff and Vice Chief of Staff, U.S. Air Force, 1950-53; Chief of Staff, U.S. Air Force, 1953-57; Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff, 1957-60
Interview #4 – Lebanon crisis, 1958; Suez crisis, 1956; Baghdad Pact.

WAINHOUSE, DAVID W. (OH-278) – State Department official with responsibilities for international organizations and United Nations political affairs, 1946-56; U.S. Minister to Austria, 1956-62
Anthony Eden, Dulles, and the Suez crisis of 1956.

WILCOX, FRANCIS O. (OH-246) – Chief of the professional staff, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, 1947-55; Assistant Secretary of State for International Organizations, 1955-61
Short comments on the Suez crisis of 1956 and Lebanon crisis of 1958.

YOST, CHARLES (OH-416) – Minister-Counselor, American Embassy, Athens, Greece, 1950-53; Deputy High Commander to Austria, 1953-54; U.S. Minister, 1954-55, and Ambassador, 1955-56, to Laos; Minister, American Embassy, Paris, 1956-58; U.S. Ambassador to Syria, 1958, and Morocco, 1958-61
French obsession with Algeria; Suez crisis; Syrian government; Nasser; Eisenhower Doctrine in the Middle East; CIA coup attempt in Syria.

AUDIOVISUAL COLLECTION:

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