

THE RECORDED SPEECHES AND OTHER UTTERANCES

OF FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT, 1920 - 1945

by

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The Franklin D. Roosevelt Library at Hyde Park, New York, established by a joint resolution of Congress on June 18, 1939, was built according to plans first proposed by the President to house his papers, books, museum objects, and other historical material, such as films, recordings, and still photographs. The original building was erected with private contributions and was opened to the general public in 1941. As such it was the first Presidential library so funded and established and is today the third busiest research institution in the field of American history in the country, surpassed only by the National Archives (of which it is a part) and the Library of Congress.

Included among the first materials to be accessioned by the new institution were sound recordings, motion pictures, and still photographs. Because of the fragile nature of the first two categories, they were--and the originals still are--stored in the vaults of the National Archives. As early as 1949, however, the Archives made and sent to Hyde Park 16-inch transcription discs of the President's speeches and other recordings that had been deposited there by the White House during the President's 12-year tenure. Until comparatively recently these discs were the only means by which the President's voice could be heard in many of his famous speeches and addresses. Newsreel film, of course, contained excerpts from his speeches, commonly edited to news clips of perhaps thirty seconds to one minute in length and connected for the newsreel audience by a commentator's words. The entire speeches, however, existed only in the transcriptions owned by the Roosevelt Library and air checks that were then owned by the various radio broadcasting networks or their affiliates. Gradually, as space for storage became more precious, many of these original air checks disappeared from the network vaults and gravitated to private collectors of

radio program material--their whereabouts unknown to all but this small group.

Fortunately for posterity two radio networks made some provision to prevent this scattering: the Columbia Broadcasting Company organized its collection from 1939 onward, and the National Broadcasting Company kept its collection more or less intact in its Radio City headquarters. Neither of these collections is complete, but thanks to these two organizations this library has been able to obtain dubbings of those relatively few recordings missing from its collections so that today the Roosevelt Library has what is perhaps the most complete collection of the President's recorded utterances presently available. It cannot be said that the library's collection is complete, as it does not include recordings which must exist somewhere of some major speeches, such as many campaign speeches and some of the early "Fireside Chats"; but it may be said that the collection is still growing. The most recent accretion, for instance, consisted of approximately twenty Roosevelt speeches that had somehow escaped being sent to the White House during his Presidency. These were found in the NBC recordings library and tape dubs of them were generously deposited in Hyde Park on permanent loan by the company.

In addition to the President's speeches and talks, the library also holds in his personal collection, recordings of political speeches and radio appearances of administration spokesmen; programs of music performed by Federal Music Project orchestras, bands, vocal ensembles, and artists; radio dramatizations produced by federal agencies; political and nonpolitical radio addresses by associates and members of the President's family, including his mother and his wife; and poetry and dramatic readings sent to the President by government agencies and professional artists.

The library also has another nearly complete collection of the President's speeches donated by the International Business Machines Corporation; a collection of 363 items from Mrs. Roosevelt's radio and television appearances, which usually posed her as hostess to writers, politicians, and other figures foremost in international and American thought; and its own

collection, numbering 764 items, consisting of disc and tape recordings found among the papers of manuscript donors, sent to or purchased by the library, and produced by and for the library. This latter collection includes additional speeches by the President donated by commercial and private sources; recorded interviews pertaining to the President and Mrs. Roosevelt from commercial and private sources; recordings of memorial exercises in honor of the President and Mrs. Roosevelt; and additional recorded material pertaining to the President and Mrs. Roosevelt from all major network sources.

Needless to say, the sound quality of these recordings varies from very good to poor, extending as they do over a span of years from 1920 to 1960. The President's speeches, sometimes delivered outdoors under adverse conditions, are particularly susceptible to varying quality. Occasionally the Archives' masters were not as good as they should have been; the same speech may vary in quality from master to master depending on the location of the microphone from which the original recording was taken. Much can be done today with modern equalization equipment, and the Roosevelt Library is attempting to improve the quality of the tape dubbings which it produces from the discs in its possession.

What follows is a detailed description of the library's collection of the President's speeches and utterances. It is hoped that readers who have in their possession recordings of speeches not included on this list, whether it be on disc or tape, will communicate with the Roosevelt Library with a view to making additions to the collection.

The Presidential recordings

The following recordings of the President's voice exist for the most part in two or more disc-recorded versions in the collections of the Franklin D. Roosevelt Library, Hyde Park, New York. The original 238 recorded items were presented to the President, usually by the radio networks, and were sent by the White House to the National Archives for eventual deposit in this Library. The Archives retained these original recordings as masters and prepared duplicate disc recordings of them for

the library. The masters are still retained in Washington and are presently being transferred to tape for deposit here.

This original series is duplicated, with some additions, by the collection of discs made at the direction of Thomas J. Watson, Sr., first president of International Business Machines Corporation, which donated the collection to the library in 1965.

To the original list the library was able to add several recordings made by radio station WKIP, Poughkeepsie, as well as a series of twenty speeches from the recordings library of the National Broadcasting Company. Through the courtesy of W.H. Utterback, Jr. of Amarillo, Texas, we have been able to further expand the collection of the President's recorded speeches by his continuing gift of tape recordings made from his collection of air checks and other disc-recorded masters. These latter recordings, for the most part, include not only the President's speeches, but also the radio network commentators' narrative material.

The present collection now amounts to 303 individual speeches or utterances. To this number must be added a series of unique recordings made in the President's office during the period from August 23 to November 8, 1940. These consist of Presidential press conferences, numbered 674 through 694 (fourteen in all), as well as conversations with visitors to the President's office, the office staff, and members of the official family. These sixteen discs are dubbings made by the National Archives about 1948 of the original acetate recordings produced by an experimental machine made by the General Electric Company. The original recordings were destroyed because of deterioration as soon as these sole copies were made. The sound quality is uniformly poor, but the best of them can, with modern equalization equipment, be made usable. Those in this series noted in the listing to be of poor quality are below acceptable standards for reproduction.

Recordings of the President's voice are in the public domain and require no permission for duplication or replay. Network or newsreel commentary, however, is the literary property of the originating agency, and

permission of the radio network or newsreel company must be obtained prior to commercial use.

In the following calendar all speeches originated in Washington unless otherwise noted. The source of all recordings, except as noted, is this library. Those speeches for which tapes do not exist as yet have not been given call numbers. Where more than one tape of a speech is available, the best choice is indicated with an asterisk. The Utterback tapes (symbol WHU) are uniformly of the best quality obtainable from discs.

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The Recorded Speeches and Other Utterances
of Franklin D. Roosevelt, 1920-1945

The following calendar of recordings of the President's voice is complete, so far as is known, as of this writing.

Call numbers are given only for those items presently available on tape. Other speeches are being taped as occasion demands. All speeches are taped at 7.5 IPS on 1.5 mil mylar tape and are complete on one reel except as noted. An asterik indicates best sound quality when a choice exists.

Symbols used in the sources column indicate the source of the original recording of the item in question. All are available from the Franklin D. Roosevelt Library, Hyde Park, N.Y. 12538.

Symbols: NNV - National Archives master
 RLx - National Archives master: FDR Collection
 NLR - Roosevelt Library master
 NBC - National Broadcasting Company
 WHU - W. H. Utterback
 CCS - Center for Cassette Studies - tape master
 IBM - International Business Machines
 CBS - Columbia Broadcasting System
 MBS - Mutual Broadcasting System
 None - Roosevelt Library Collection

<u>DATE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>Notes and SOURCES</u>	<u>TAPE NO.</u>
<u>1920</u> Aug. 9	Hyde Park, N.Y. - Portion of Vice Presidential Nomination acceptance speech		73-24:1 RLxA-1-P 73-7:2(1)
<u>1924</u> June 26	New York City - Remarks to Democratic National Convention offering to withdraw nomination of Alfred E. Smith		RLxB-1 71-39:1 73-7:3(2)
<u>1928</u> June 27	Houston, Texas - "The Happy Warrior" Speech final sentences only		72-7:1(2)
<u>1932</u> July 2	Chicago, Ill. - Address to the Democratic Convention accepting nomination for President (lengthy excerpts)	Universal WHU/Universal WHU/NLR	72-24 72-13:14* 73-7:1(3)

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<u>1932</u>			
July 30	Albany, N.Y. - Radio address discussing Democratic Party platform		73-7:2(3)
Oct. 2	Detroit, Mich. - "The Philosophy of Social Justice Through Social Action." (Radio address)		NLR-6
Nov. 9	Hyde Park, N.Y. - Remarks acknowledging victory in the 1932 Presidential Election		74-5
Nov. 22	Washington, D.C. - Informal remarks to the Washington Press Club		71-20(1) 64-12:5 73-7:1(4)*
<u>1933</u>			
March 4	Washington, D.C. - First Inaugural Address	WHU	71-39:2(RLxA-2) 71-10:2* 71-40:2*(NLR 46-6) 71-2:28 RLxA-2 RLxA-2-D*
March 12	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #1 on Banking		RLxA-3* RLxA-4
May 7	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #2		74-3
<u>1934</u>			
July 10	Cartegena, Colombia - FDR's response to President Enrique Oloya Herrera welcoming speech	NBC	72-9:4
Sept. 30	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #6 (complete) (excerpts)		74-4:4 RL 14
Sept. 27	Washington, D.C. - Remarks to the Herald Tribune Forum		
<u>1935</u>			
April 28	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #7		RLxA-7* (73-34:4) RLxA-7 (71-39)
May 22	Washington, D.C. - Address to Congress Vetoing the Veterans' Bonus		RLxA-8* RLxA-8-A RLxA-*-B
June 13	West Point, N.Y. - Commencement address to graduating class, U.S. Military Academy		RLxA-9*(73-24) RLxA-9-A RLxA-9(71-39)

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<u>1935</u>			
Aug. 14	Washington, D.C. - Remarks on signing the Social Security Act		74-2:2
Aug. 21	Washington, D.C. - Radio speech to Boy Scouts of America cancelling Jamboree		RLxA-10(71-39) RLxA-10*(73-24)
Aug. 24	Washington, D.C. - Radio address to Young Democratic Clubs		RLxA-11(71-39) RLxA-11*(73-24)
Sept. 30	Boulder City, Nev. - Dedication of Boulder Dam		
Oct. 24	Washington, D.C. - Radio address to Detroit Mobilization for Human Needs	NBC	72-9:5
Nov. 11	Washington, D.C. - Armistice Day Address		
Nov. 29	Atlanta, Georgia - "Progress means not only sound business but sound improvement in American Life."		RLxA-12
Dec. 9	Chicago, Ill. - Address to American Farm Bureau Federation.	NBC	72-9:3
Dec. 9	Notre Dame, Ind. - Address at Notre Dame University		
Dec. 24	Washington, D.C. - Christmas Tree Lighting		
<u>1936</u>			
Jan. 3	Washington, D.C. - State of the Union Address		
Jan. 8	Washington, D.C. - Jackson Day Dinner Address		RLxA-15
Jan. 18	New York City - Address broadcast to President's Birthday Ball Committee dinner		
Jan. 19	New York City - Address at dedication of T. Roosevelt Memorial		
Jan. 30	Washington, D.C. - Radio address on President's Third Birthday Ball		
Feb. 8	Washington, D.C. - Radio broadcast to Patrolmen's Benevolent Association of New York City		
Feb. 8	Washington, D.C. - Radio greeting to Boy Scouts on 26th anniversary		

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<u>1936</u>			
Feb. 22	Phila., Penn. - Address at Temple University on Honorary Doctor of Jurisprudence degree		71-39:7
Feb. 23	Hyde Park, N.Y. - Radio address on Brotherhood Day		
Apr. 13	Baltimore, Md. - Address to Young Dem. Club of Maryland		
Apr. 16	Washington, D.C. - Address at laying of cornerstone of Interior Dept. building		
Apr. 25	New York City - Thomas Jefferson Dinner Address	NLR	54-58
June 10	Little Rock, Ark. - Arkansas Centennial Address		
June 14	Vincennes, Ind. - Remarks at dedication of George Rogers Clark Memorial	NBC	72-9:6
June 27	Phila., Penn. - Address accepting the renomination for Presidency		72-5(1)
July 3	Shenandoah National Park, Virginia - Dedication address		
July 4	Montecello, Va. - Address to Thomas Jefferson Memorial Foundation	NBC	72-9:2
July 11	N.Y. City - Dedication of Tri-Borough Bridge		
July 31	Quebec, Canada - Remarks on visit to Quebec		
Aug. 14	Chautauqua, N.Y. - Chautauqua Address	NLR	68/69
Sept. 6	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #8		
Sept. 10	Charlotte, N.C. - Address to Green Pastures Rally	NBC	72-9:1
Sept. 11	Washington, D.C. - Address to Third World Power Conference		
Sept. 18	Cambridge, Mass. - Address to Harvard Univ. Tercentenary Celebration	NBC	71-40:3

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<u>1936</u>			
Sept. 29	Syracuse, N.Y. - Address to N.Y. Democratic State Committee	NBC	72-9:8
Oct. 1	Pittsburgh, Penn. - Political address from Forbes Field	NBC	72-9:9
Oct. 10	Omaha, Neb. - Political speech from Omaha, Neb.	NBC	72-9:11
Oct. 14	Chicago, Ill. - Political speech from Chicago Stadium	NBC also	72-9:10-C 72-9:10-A & B
Oct. 21	Worcester, Mass. - Political speech from Worcester, Mass.	NBC	72-9:12
Oct. 26	Washington, D.C. - Address at dedication of chemistry bldg., Howard University		
Oct. 28	N.Y. City - Address at 50th anniversary of Statue of Liberty		
Oct. 31	N.Y. City - Madison Sq. Garden Address on American desire for peace	NLR/IBM	74-2:1
Nov. 2	Hyde Park, N.Y. - President's election eve radio broadcast	NBC	72-9:14(1,2,&3)
Nov. 6	Washington, D.C. - Informal remarks after re-election		
Nov. 6	Washington, D.C. - Remarks on opening of 1936 Mobilization for Human Needs		
Nov. 7	Washington, D.C. - Radio greeting to 21 American nations meeting in Buenos Aires		
Nov. 27	Rio de Janeiro, Brazil - Address before the National Congress and Supreme Court of Brazil		
Dec. 1	Buenos Aires, Argentina - Address before Inter-American Conference		
Dec. 3	Montevideo, Uruguay - Address		
Dec. 24	Washington, D.C. - Community Christmas Tree Lighting	NBC	72-9:7

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<u>1937</u>			
Jan. 6	Washington, D.C. - State of the Union Address		RLxA-22-D
Jan. 20	Washington, D.C. - 2nd Inaugural Address		73-1
Jan. 30	Washington, D.C. - Radio address, President's 4th Birthday Ball (55th birthday)		
Feb. 8	Washington, D.C. - President's radio address to Boy Scouts	NBC	72-9:16
Feb. 15	Washington, D.C. - Address at testimonial dinner to James A. Farley		
Mar. 4	Washington, D.C. - Address to Democratic Victory Dinner		
Mar. 9	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #9		
Mar. 29	Washington, D.C. - Remarks to Easter Rollers	NBC	72-9:17
Apr. 14	Washington, D.C. - Address to Governing Board of Pan American Union		
June 30	N.Y. City - Address to closing session of National Education Asso. at N.Y. World's Fair	NBC	72-9:18
July 1	Hyde Park, N.Y. - Radio Address on 70th anniversary of Canadian Confederation		
Aug. 1	Washington, D.C. - Radio address to France on dedication of American War Monument		
Aug. 18	Roanoke Island, N.C. - Address at Celebration of beginning of Anglo-American Civilization	WHU	74-1:3* RLxA-25
Sept. 17	Constitution Day Address - Washington, D.C.		
Sept. 24	Cheyenne, Wyoming - Informal extemporary remarks		
Sept. 28	Mt. Hood, Oregon - Dedication of Timberline Lodge		
Sept. 28	Bonneville Dam, Wyoming - Address. "We in America are wiser"		

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<u>1937</u>			
Oct. 5	Chicago, Ill. - Dedication of Outer-Link Bridge	WHU	72-1:2
Oct. 5	Cleveland, Ohio - Radio address to <u>Herald Tribune Forum</u>		
Oct. 11	Washington, D.C. - Address on reburial of Brigadier Gen. V.B. Krzyzanowski		
Oct. 12	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #10	WHU	71-39:12 73-15:5*
Oct. 18	Hyde Park, N.Y. - Radio Address at annual Mobilization for Human Needs		
Oct. 20	Washington, D.C. - Address at opening of new Federal Reserve Building		RLxA-34-D
Nov. 14	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #11	WHU	73-15:5
Dec. 24	Washington, D.C. - Christmas Greeting to Nation		
<u>1938</u>			
Jan. 3	Washington, D.C. - State of the Union Address		RLxA-35(1,2)
Jan. 8	Washington, D.C. - Jackson Day Dinner Address		
Jan. 29	Washington, D.C. - Radio address on President's 5th Birthday Ball		
Feb. 7	Washington, D.C. - Radio greetings to Boy Scouts		
Apr. 14	Washington, D.C. - Address to Board of Pan American Union		NLR-138
Apr. 14	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #12		
Apr. 18	Washington, D.C. - Greetings on Easter Egg Rolling festivities		
May 27	Arthurdale, W. Virginia - Address to 4th Annual Commencement exercises of Arthurdale High School		

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<u>1938</u>			
June 2	Annapolis, Md. - Address to graduating class at U.S. Naval Academy		
June 24	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #13		
June 27	Wilmington, Del. - Address at Tercentenary Celebration of New Sweden		
June 30	N.Y. City - Address at laying of cornerstone of Federal Bldg. at N.Y. World's Fair		
June 30	New York World's Fair - Address to closing session of National Education Association	NBC	72-9:18
July 3	Gettysburg, Penn. - Address at dedication of Gettysburg Battlefield		RLxA-46
July 8	Marietta, Ohio - Address at dedication of Gutzen Borglum Memorial		RLxA-47
July 8	Covington, Ky. - Address on Accomplishments of New Deal		
July 9	Oklahoma City, Okla. - Address. "America needs a government"		
July 14	San Francisco, Cal. - Address at Treasure Island		
Aug. 15	Washington, D.C. - Radio address on 3rd anniversary of Social Security Act		
Aug. 18	Clayton, New York - Address at Dedication of International Bridge	NLR	175/177
Aug. 18	Kingston, Ontario, Canada - Address at Queen's University on receiving Honorary Doctor of Law Degree	IBM	65-9:9(2-4)
Sept. 5	Denton, Md. - Labor Day Address		RLxA-54
Sept. 17	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address to Constitutional Convention Day ceremonies at Poughkeepsie, N.Y.		
Oct. 14	Washington, D.C. - Radio address on 1938 Mobilization for Human Needs		

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<u>1938</u>			
Oct. 26	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address to <u>Herald Tribune</u> Forum in N.Y.		
Nov. 4	Hyde Park, N.Y. - Radio Address dedicating Will Rogers Memorial in Claremore, Okla.		
Nov. 4	Hyde Park, N.Y. - Election eve broadcast: . . .		
Nov. 24	Warm Springs, Ga. - Thanksgiving Day Address		
Dec. 5	Chapel Hill, N.C. - Address on receiving Honorary Degree to Carolina Political Union		RLxA-60
Dec. 15	Washington, D.C. - Ground breaking ceremonies for Thomas Jefferson Memorial		
Dec. 24	Washington, D.C. - Address at Community Tree Lighting ceremonies		
<u>1939</u>			
Jan. 4	Washington, D.C. - State of the Union Address	WHU	72-1:17
Jan. 7	Washington, D.C. - Jackson Day Dinner Address		
Jan. 30	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address on the President's 6th Birthday Ball		
Feb. 8	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address on 29th Anniversary of Boy Scouts		
Feb. 18	Key West, Florida - Radio Address opening Golden Gate Exposition		
Mar. 4	Washington, D.C. - Address on 150th Anniversary of U.S. Congress		RLxA-67
Apr. 14	Washington, D.C. - Address to Governing Board of Pan American Union		RLxA-69
Apr. 14	Mt. Vernon, Va. - Address on 150th Anniversary of Formal Announcement of Election of 1st President of U.S.		
Apr. 17	Washington, D.C. - Address to National Parole Conference	WHU	72-13:8

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<u>1939</u>			
Apr. 26	Washington, D.C. - Address to White House Conference on Children in a Democracy		
Apr. 30	N.Y. City - Remarks on opening of N.Y. World's Fair		
May 9	Washington, D.C. - Radio broadcast introducing "Cabinet Series"		NLR 229
May 10	Washington, D.C. - Remarks on Dedication of Museum of Modern Art	NBC WHU	72-9:19A 19B 72-13:1*
May 22	Washington, D.C. - Address before the American Retail Federation		
June 12	West Point, N.Y. - Address to Graduating Class at U.S. Military Academy		
Sept. 3	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #14	WHU	71-10:6
Sept. 21	Washington, D.C. - Address to Congress on Neutrality Act	WHU	71-1:1
Oct. 9	Washington, D.C. - Radio address on 1939 Mobilization for Human Needs		
Oct. 26	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address to <u>Herald Tribune</u> Forum in N.Y.	WHU	72-1:11
Nov. 11	Washington, D.C. - Radio Appeal launching Annual Roll Call of American Red Cross		
Nov. 15	Washington, D.C. - Address at laying cornerstone of Jefferson Memorial		
Nov. 19	Hyde Park, N.Y. - Address at dedication of FDRL		
Dec. 24	Washington, D.C. - Radio Christmas greeting to nation		
<u>1940</u>			
Jan. 3	Washington, D.C. - State of Union Address	WHU	71-1:2
Jan. 8	Washington, D.C. - Jackson Day Dinner Address		
Jan. 19	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address before White House Conference on Children in Democracy		

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<u>1940</u>			
Jan. 30	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address on President's 7th Birthday Ball		
Feb. 8	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address on the occasion of 30th anniversary of Boy Scouts	WHU	74-1:5
Feb. 10	Washington, D.C. - Address to delegates of American Youth Congress		65-9:27(8-12)
Mar. 8	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address to Anniversary Farm Dinners	WHU	72-1:9
Mar. 16	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address on Christian Foreign Service Convocation	WHU	73-2:3
Apr. 15	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address before Governing Board of Pan American Union		
Apr. 20	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address to Young Democratic Clubs of America	WHU	73-15:6
May 10	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address before 8th Pan American Scientific Congress	WHU NBC	72-13:3* 72-9:19
May 16	Washington, D.C. - Message to Congress	WHU	71-16:1* NLR 279/280
May 26	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #15		
June 10	University of Virginia - Address to graduating class	WHU	72-1:1B
July 19	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address to Democratic National Convention accepting nomination for 3rd term (excerpts)		RLxB-18
Aug. 10	Hyde Park, N.Y. - Remarks on dedication WKIP		
Aug. 10	Hyde Park, N.Y. - Radio Address on dedication of WKIP		71-20:(2)
Aug. 23	White House, Press Conference #674 (sound quality-fair)	NLR	48-61:6(1)
Aug. c.23- 27	White House - Conversation in President's office with Lowell Mellett and others (poor)	NLR	48-61:13

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<u>1940</u>			
Aug. 27	White House - Press Conference #675 (fair/good)	NLR NLR	48-61:6(2) 45-61:-7
Aug. 31	Hyde Park, N.Y. - Informal remarks to Roosevelt Home Club		71-20(3)
Sept. 2	Great Smokey Mt. National Park - Dedication Address		
Sept. 2	Chickamauga Dam, Chattanooga, Tenn. - Dedication dam, part of TVA complex		
Sept. 6	White House - Press Conference #678 (good)	NLR	48-61:5(3)
Sept. c. 1-8	White House - Conversation in Presi- dent's office re politics and Far Eastern situation (fair)	NLR	48-61:1(3)
Sept. 11	Washington, D.C. - Address to Teamsters Union Convention		
Sept. 13	White House - Press Conference #680 (good)	NLR	48-61:10
Sept. 20	Phila., Penn. - Address on 200th anniver- sary of founding of University of Penn.	WHU	72-1:5
Sept. 24	White House - Press Conference #682 (good)	NLR	48-61:9(1)
Sept. 27	White House - Press Conference #683 (good/fair)	NLR	48-61:9(2)
Sept. 27- Oct. 1	White House - Conference in President's office re Negroes in armed forces (good)	NLR	48-61:3(1)
Sept. 28	Washington, D.C. - Address at new Washington National Airport		
Undated			
Sept.-Oct.	White House reception of unidentified group in President's office in favor of loan of Destroyers to Great Britain (fair)	NLR	48-61:5(1)
Oct. 1	White House - Press Conference #685 (good)	NLR	48-61:5(2)
Oct. 4	White House - Press Conference #686 (fair)	NLR	48-61:11(1)
Oct. 5	Hyde Park, N.Y. - Radio message to Dutchess County Democratic Committee		71-28:1 71-40:4(1)

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Oct. 5	Hyde Park, N.Y. - Address at dedication of three new schools in Hyde Park	WHU	72-13:4
Oct. 8	White House - Press Conference #688 (good)	NLR	48-61:8(1)
Oct. 11	Terrace Village, Pittsburgh, Penn. - Informal remarks on occasion of dedication of 100,000th housing unit in Terrace Village	NNV	RG 196-59:2481
Oct. 12	Dayton, Ohio - Address on hemisphere defense		
Oct. 10	White House - Group conference in the President's office on conditions in the Navy (fair)	NLR	48-61:8(2)
Oct. 13	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address for 1940 Mobilization for Human Needs		
Oct. 16	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address on Registration Day for Selective Service		
Oct. 18	White House - Press Conference #690 (good)	NLR	48-61:3(2)
Oct. 22	White House - Press Conference #691 (fair)	NLR	48-61:2(1)
Oct. 23	Phila., Penn. - Address opening 1940 Presidential Campaign		
Oct. 24	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address to N.Y. <u>Herald Tribune</u> Forum	WHU	72-13:2
Oct. 25	White House - Press Conference #692 (fair)	NLR	48-61:4
Oct. 28	New York City - Informal remarks at ground breaking ceremonies for Brooklyn-Battery tunnel		
Oct. 29	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address on drawing of number under Selective Service Act of 1940		
Oct. 30	Boston, Mass. - Campaign Address: "I have said this before, . . .		
Oct. 31	Bethesda, Md. - Remarks at dedication of National Health Institute for Cancer Research	NBC	72-9:20

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<u>1940</u>			
Undated (Oct.)	White House - Unidentified conversation and President's side of phone conver- sation (fair/good)	NLR	48-61:1(2)
Undated (Oct.)	White House - President, Miss LeHand and others in President's office (fair)	NLR	48-61:2(2)
Undated (Oct.)	White House - Unidentified conversation in President's office (poor)	NLR	48-61:11(2)
Nov. 1	Brooklyn, N.Y. - Address at Brooklyn Academy of Music. "Paupers who not worth . . .		
Nov. 2	Cleveland, Ohio - Last campaign Address of 1940 race "I see an America . . ."		
Nov. 4	Poughkeepsie, N.Y. - Remarks at Election Eve Rally		71-20(4)
Nov. 4	Hyde Park, N.Y. - Final radio speech of 1940 campaign		
Nov. 7	Washington, D.C. - Informal remarks arriv- ing back in Washington after re-elction		
Nov. 8	White House - Press conference #694 (good)	NLR	48-61:12
Nov. 11	Arlington, Va. - Address on Armistice Day Arlington Cemetery	WHU	72-1:7
Nov. 11	Bethesda, Md. - Address at laying of corner- stone of Naval Medical Center	NBC	72-9:20
Dec. 24	Washington, D.C. - President's Christmas greeting		
Dec. 29	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #16 on national security	WHU	72-13:10*
<u>1941</u>			
Jan. 6	Washington, D.C. - State of Union Address	WHU	72-1:3
Jan. 20	Washington, D.C. - Third Inaugural Address	WHU	71-10:3*
Jan. 30	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address on 8th Birthday Ball		

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Feb. 8	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address on 31st Anniversary of Boy Scouts		
Feb. 22	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address to Society for Motion Pictures Arts & Sciences		
Feb. 27	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address to 13th Annual Awards Dinner of Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences		
Mar. 8	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address on 8th Anniversary of New Deal agricultural policy		
Mar. 15	Address to White House Correspondents Association Dinner	WHU	71-35:4
Mar. 17	Washington, D.C. - Address at Dedication of National Gallery of Art	WHU	72-1
Mar. 29	Address to Jackson Day Dinner, from USS <u>Potomac</u> at Ft. Lauderdale, Florida	CCS	74-7:2
Apr. 30	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address on President's purchases of first defense Savings Bond and Savings Stamps	WHU	73-2:1
May 27	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #17		
July 4	Hyde Park, N.Y. - Independence Day Address	WHU	73-15:3
July 21	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address to nation urging Congress to extend 1-year limit on Selective Service draftees		
Sept. 1	Washington, D.C. - Labor Day Address: "We shall do everything in our power . . ."		
Sept. 11	Washington, D.C. - Freedom of Seas Address	WHU	72-13:15(1,2)*
Sept. 27	Washington, D.C. - Liberty Fleet Day Message	NNV	RG 178-2:3162
Oct. 3	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address urging support for 1941 Community Mobilization for Human Needs		
Oct. 27	Washington, D.C. - Navy and Total Defense Day Address	WHU	71-10:1

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Nov. 6	Washington, D.C. - Address to delegates of International Labor Organization		
Nov. 11	Washington, D.C. - Armistice Day Address		
Dec. 8	Washington, D.C. - Address to Congress asking State of War be declared	CBS/WHU NBC/WHU NLR/WHU	RLxA-93 71-35:2 71-35:3* 73-11*
Dec. 9	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #19	WHU	71-10:4
Dec. 15	Washington, D.C. - Address on 150th Anniversary of Ratification of Bill of Rights	WHU	71-16:3
Dec. 24	Washington, D.C. - Christmas Eve Message		71-39:20
<u>1942</u>			
Jan. 6	Washington, D.C. - State of Union Address	WHU	71-16:2
Jan. 30	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address on 60th birthday	WHU	73-2:10
Feb. 15	Washington, D.C. - Address to Canadian Victory Loan Campaign	WHU	72-1:12
Feb. 23	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #20		
Mar. 9	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address on 9th Anniversary of New Deal Farm Program		
Apr. 28	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #21	WHU	73-2:4
June 12	Washington, D.C. - Radio appeal on scrap rubber campaign		
June 14	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address on United Flag Day		
Aug. 6	Washington Navy Yard - Remarks on presentation of submarine chaser to Queen Wilhelmina		
Aug. 31	Bethesda, Md. - Address at dedication of Naval Medical Center		
Sept. 3	Washington, D.C. - Address to International Student Assembly "The better world will . . ."		

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<u>1942</u>			
Sept. 5	Washington, D.C. - Labor Day Statement		
Sept. 7	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #22 - Cost of Living and Progress of War		
Sept. 16	Washington, D.C. - Remarks on transfer of submarine chaser to Norway		
Oct. 5	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address opening Community Mobilization for Human Needs		
Oct. 12	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #23 - Report on Home Front		
Nov. 7	Washington, D.C. - Radio broadcast to French on North African invasion		
Nov. 11	Arlington, Va. - Armistice Day Address		
Nov. 11	Washington, D.C. - Philippine Day Address	CCS	74-4:1
Nov. 17	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address to New York <u>Herald Tribune</u> Forum		
Nov. 26	Washington, D.C. - Reading Thanksgiving Day Proclamation		
Dec. 24	Washington, D.C. - President's Christmas Eve Message		
<u>1943</u>			
Jan. 7	Washington, D. C. - State of Union Address	WHU/CBS WHU/MBS	71-1:3 72-13:5*
Feb. 12	White House Correspondent's Dinner Address	WHU/CBS WHU/MBS	71-1:4* 72-13:12**
Feb. 22	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address on Washington's Birthday	WHU	72-1:8
Feb. 28	Washington, D.C. - Remarks on opening 1943 Red Cross Fund Drive		
Apr. 13	Washington, D.C. - Address at Jefferson Memorial dedicatory Ceremonies	WHU	71-16:4
Apr. 20	Monterrey, Mexico - Address to Mexican people - response to President Comacho	WHU	72-13:9*

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<u>1943</u>			
May 2	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #24 - Federal seizure of coal mines		
June 7	Washington, D.C. - Address to delegates of United Nations Conf. on Food and Agriculture	WHU/MBS	72-13:13*
June 10	Washington Navy Yard - Address on transfer of anti-submarine patrol vessel to Greek government	CCS	74-4:3
July 28	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #25	NLR	1/34/435
Aug. 12	Washington, D.C. - Address to Philippine people		
Aug. 25	Washington, D.C. - Ottawa, Canada - Address to Canadian Parliament	WHU	71-10:7
Sept. 8	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #26 - Opening 3rd War Loan Drive		
Oct. 5	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address opening National War Fund Drive		
Nov. 9	Washington, D.C. - Address on signing of agreement on United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Admin.	WHU	72-1:14
Dec. 24	Hyde Park, N.Y. - Fireside Chat #27		
<u>1944</u>			
Jan. 11	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address to Nation State of Union Message to Congress		
Jan. 29	Washington, D.C. - Radio broadcast on eve of President's Birthday		
Feb. 12	Washington Navy Yard - Remarks on transfer of Destroyer Escort <u>Senegalais</u> to French		
June 5	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #28		
June 6	Washington, D.C. - President's D-Day Prayer		RLxA-1 RLxA-2
June 12	Washington, D.C. - Fireside Chat #29 - opening of 5th War Loan Drive	WHU	74-1:1*

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<u>1944</u>			
July 10	Washington, D.C. - Address to Democratic National Convention accepting Nomination for 4th term		
July 27	Schofield Barracks, Honolulu, Hawaii - Informal remarks at military review of 7th Inf. Division		
Aug. 12	Puget Sound Navy Yard, Bremerton, Wash. - Radio Address reviewing Pacific tour of Inspection		
Sept. 23	Washington, D.C. - Opening 1944 campaign		
Oct. 5	Washington, D.C. - Radio campaign Address		
Oct. 12	Washington, D.C. - White House Oval Room Address before Diplomatic missions from other American Republics		
Oct. 12	Washington, D.C. - Address on occasion of acceptance of Four-Freedoms Award	WHU	73-2:5
Oct. 21	Washington, D.C. - Radio Address opening 1944 National War Fund Drive		
Oct. 21	New York City - Waldorf Astoria - Address before Foreign Policy Asso. Dinner "Peace like war . . ."	NLR/IBM	74-5
Oct. 27	Shibe Park, Phila., Penn. - Campaign Address	WHU	73-15:7
Oct. 28	Soldiers' Field, Chicago, Ill. - Campaign Address on Economic Bill of Rights		
Nov. 2	Washington, D.C. - Campaign radio speech from White House "The world is rising . . ."		
Nov. 4	Fenway Park, Boston, Mass. - Campaign Address		
Nov. 6	Poughkeepsie, N.Y. - Informal remarks at Poughkeepsie Post Office	WKIP	71-20(5)
Nov. 6	Hyde Park, N.Y. - Radio Address on Election Eve. "Our task now is to face . . ."		
Nov. 10	Washington, D.C. - Informal remarks at Union Station after re-election to 4th term		

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Nov. 19	Washington, D.C. - Remarks on opening of 6th War Loan Drive		
Dec. 24	Washington, D.C. - Christmas Eve Address	WHU	74-1:6
<u>1945</u>			
Jan. 6	Washington, D.C. - State of Union Message		
Jan. 18	Washington, D.C. - Opening 1945 March of Dimes		
Jan. 20	Washington, D.C. - 4th Inaugural Address ("We have learned . . .")	WHU(CBS) WHU(MBS)	72-1:6 73-2:8*
Mar. 1	Washington, D.C. - Report to Congress on Crimea Conference	WHU IBM Coll.	73-2:2* 65-9:54(1-7)
Mar. 20	Washington, D.C. - American Red Cross Fund Drive. President's last delivered speech		
Apr. 13	Washington, D.C. - Warm Springs, Georgia Undelivered Address prepared for Jefferson Day, read by FDR, Jr.		