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SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The bulk of this collection covers the period of the Commission's existence from August 7, 1953 to April 23, 1954, although the records include several studies and reports which deal with U.S. foreign economic policy prior to the establishment of the Commission. This material includes such studies as the Grey Report, the report of Joint Woodrow Wilson Foundation-National Planning Association Study Group on Foreign Economic Policy, and numerous State and Treasury Dept. reports which were used as reference material by the CFEP. Included in this series are studies of U.S. economic policy toward Latin America, Japan, Europe, Africa and other areas. It also contains reports, notes, etc on such topics as NATO and other related military programs; Offshore Procurement; Foreign Aid and Investment; Minerals in defense and foreign trade policy; and other topics. In addition this series contains a number of community case histories which relate to the impact of tariff and trade adjustments on the domestic scene. Some studies in this group trace the history of U.S. reciprocal trade agreements and various measures such as the "Buy American Act."

The majority of the papers span the period from August 7, 1953, when the Commission was established, to January 23, 1954 when the Commission's report was presented to Congress. Included in these papers is a personnel and administrative file, which contains lists of members, organizational matters, procedures, schedules of hearings, letters of application for staff positions, etc. Another series consists of transcripts of the Commission's hearings from October 2 to November 19, 1953. The transcripts of the closed hearings in Washington, D. C. Oct. 21, included statements by such figures as Bernard Baruch, William Draper, and Milton Eisenhower among others while the transcripts of the closed hearings in Paris, France, Nov. 9-12, contain statements by both American and European representatives, such as Winthrop Aldrich, U.S. Ambassador to Great Britain: Henry Tasca, Special Consultant to U.S. Representative to North Atlantic Council: Lincoln Gordon, Director, U.S. Operations, Mission to Great Britain: James Conant, U.S. High Commissioner for Federal Republic of Germany: Jean Monnet, Pres of High Authority of European Coal and Steel Community: Lord Ismay, Secretary General of NATO: Charles Bohlen, U.S. Ambassador to USSR: and many others.

The transcripts for the open hearings, Oct. 28-29, contain testimony by representatives of national manufacturers associations such as the National Manufacturers Association; National Electrical Manufacturers; agricultural associations such as National Farmers Union, trade organizations such as the National Foreign Trade Council, and N. Y. Board of Trade, American Tariff League; labor-represented by Staley Ruttenburg of the CIO. There were numerous other organizations represented at the hearings.

There is also some material relating to the CFEP's executive sessions. This includes schedules of sessions, resolutions drawn up at the sessions, and some memoranda and correspondence. The collection contains over 300 statements made by individual industries and groups such as Eastern Brass and Copper Co., Inc., Fur Farm Organization, and some labor organizations such as the UAW. A helpful finding aid and guide to these statements and correspondence between the CFEP and these groups is a 5" x 8" card file which is arranged alphabetically and is organized according to the areas of "Commerce", "Agriculture" and "Labor".

Another large series consists of drafts of the Commission report and sections of this report. Subjects covered by this CFEP Report include Foreign Aid and Technical Assistance, U.S. Foreign Investment, Agriculture and Raw Materials, U.S. Dependence on Imported Materials, Tariffs and Trade Policy, Adjustment to Increased Imports, Labor Standards in International Competition, Related Problems of Trade, and East-West Trade. This series includes both staff reports drawn up by the Commission's research staff headed by Alfred Neal, and by non-staff specialists such as Herbert Feis. In addition to the CFEP majority report, there is also a dissenting report by Commission members Representative Daniel Reed and Representative Richard Simpson.

There is a small amount of public material such as news-clippings, editorials, etc. Most of this is press comment on the CFEP Report, correspondence concerning distribution of the report, and miscellaneous administrative material.

Thirty-three pamphlets and periodicals were turned over to the book collection while one photograph was turned over to the audiovisual department.

HISTORY OF THE COMMISSION ON FOREIGN ECONOMIC POLICY

On April 7, 1953 President Eisenhower requested that Congress extend for one year the Reciprocal Trade Agreements Act, a measure which had originally been passed in 1934. Under this act and its subsequent extensions, the President was authorized to negotiate agreements with other countries for tariff reduction. In his message of April 7, the President called for a commission to study U.S. foreign economic policy in general.

This commission, the Commission on Foreign Economic Policy (hereafter called the CFEP) was established on August 7, 1953 by Public Law 215 entitled "Trade Agreements Extension of 1953" which extended the Trade Agreements Act of 1951 for one year. Section 301 of this Act provided for a bipartisan commission (the CFEP) which consisted of 17 members-7 appointed by the President, 5 appointed from the Senate by the Vice President, and 5 from the House of Representatives by the Speaker. President Eisenhower appointed Clarence B. Randall, Chairman of the Board of Inland Steel Company, as Chairman of the CFEP. The CFEP was directed to examine and report on the subjects of international trade, foreign economic policy, and the trade aspects of national security and total foreign policy. It was to recommend appropriate policies, measures, and practices, based on its findings, in a report to Congress.

The CFEP held an organizational meeting with President Eisenhower on September 22, 1953 and hearings began October 2, continuing through November 19, including sessions in Paris, France, Nov. 9-12. Most of the hearings were closed except for public hearings October 28-29 when representatives of national associations, trade unions etc., presented their views on foreign trade. In order to limit the number of witnesses before the CFEP, Randall sent out 15,000 letters asking for written statements from individual industries, labor unions, etc. He received of 300 statements in response to these letters.

The CFEP staff composed of specialists on various aspects of foreign economic policy, digested the written testimony and information provided by the Department of State, Dept. of Agriculture, and other agencies, in preparing 800 pages of staff papers upon which the CFEP Report was based. This report was divided into twelve sections, such as Dollar Problem, Foreign Aid, Tariff and Trade, East-West Trade, etc. and was presented to Congress on January 23, 1954. Three members of CFEP, Rep. Richard Simpson, Rep. Daniel Reed, and Senator Eugene Milikan dissented from the CFEP's findings. Reed and Simpson presented a report which dissented form that of the CFEP.

This CFEP was dissolved on April 23, 1954 three months after it presented its report to Congress.

DESCRIPTION OF SERIES

Container Nos. Series

- 1-6 Administrative and Personnel File, 6 Containers. Consists of list of Commission and staff members, schedules of hearings, plans for dividing subject matter, contracts for papers, and other material relating to organizational and procedural matters. Also includes applications for positions and other personnel matters. Administrative subseries is arranged chronologically and alphabetically while the personnel applications are arranged alphabetically.
- 7 36 Hearings and Meetings of Commission, 30 containers. Transcripts of hearings, schedules, notes on executive meetings, correspondence with industries, presentations by national associations; over 300 written statements by industries, trade unions, and others. The transcripts, notes, and schedules of hearings are arranged chronologically while the correspondence, presentations, and statements are arranged alphabetically.
- 37 55 Drafts of Commission Report, 19 containers. Includes drafts of the CFEP Report and of the sections of the report; drafts of staff and non-staff reports. The report was divided into sections such as Convertibility, Dollar Gap, East-West Trade, Foreign Aid., etc. Also contains drafts of Reed-Simpson Minority report. This series is arranged roughly according to subject area.
- 56-70 Studies of U.S. Foreign Economic Policy, 15 containers. Consists of official and unofficial studies, 1945-1954, which were used as reference material by the CFEP. Among these studies is the Grey Report, made during the Truman Administration and several State and Treasury Dept. reports. Much material pertaining to U.S. economic relations with Europe, plus some reports on Latin America, Africa, Japan and other areas. Also community case histories which relate to impact of tariff and trade adjustments on domestic scene. Part of this series is arranged by subject while part is arranged numerically in order of reports.
- 71 77 Press Clippings, Releases, and Related Public Materials, 7 containers. Includes press clippings relating to CFEP report, summaries of editorial opinion. Some of clippings are arranged chronologically and some by region. A subseries includes press releases and miscellaneous materials. Much of this related to the distribution of the Report, while there is some duplicate material relating to administrative matters. Included in this subseries are speeches by Rep. Richard Simpson, and statements by O. R. Strackbein, and John Coleman.

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Background Information on Establishment of CFEP

1. Oct. 12, 1953 Nat'l Org will submit views on internat'l trade and our foreign econ. policy

2. Oct. 16, 1953 Four Staff Appointments: Davis, Neal, Dake, Mattison

3. Oct. 20, 1953 Letter sent Orgs. inviting Submission of written statements of position on trade

4. Oct. 21, 1953 16 Orgs. invited to appear at public hearings Oct. 28 and 29 (Labor, Agri., Indus., and Public at large)

5. Oct. 23, 1953 Randall meeting with U.S. officials abroad, Paris Nov. 9 through Nov. 12, Latter in Wash. with International orgs. Nov. 19

6. Nov. 4, 1953 Four Senior Professional Economists appointed: Bloomfield, Brown, Piquet, Vernon

7. Nov. 13, 1953 Seven Appointments made: Batt, Baughman, Collado, Jesness, McCullough, Mikesell, Sham

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