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Dean, Graduate School of Business Administration, UCLA, 1948-68; Member, Research Advisory Board, Committee for Economic Development, 1942-48; Member, Research Staff, National Bureau Economic Research, 1940-45; Member, Council of Economic Advisors, 1953-55; U.S. Representative to U.N. Economic and Social Council, 1957.

DESCRIPTION: Interview #1. Background information; Council of Economic Advisors; Dr. Arthur F. Burns; first meeting with DDE; observations about Eisenhower; DDE's attitude toward Nixon as a presidential candidate in 1960; Leon Keyserling; relationship between CEA and President Truman; function of CEA; monetary policy; Dr. Raymond J. Saulnier; Gabriel Hauge; proposed CEA appointment; University of California Loyalty Oath; Dr. Leonard W. Crum; FBI investigation prior to CEA appointment confirmation; Herbert Brownell; Dr. Walter H. Stewart; swearing-in ceremonies; CEA personnel; agricultural problems; Eisenhower principles; Philip Young; meetings with Burns and DDE.

DESCRIPTION: Interview #2. Letter to Saulnier re CEA; Cabinet meetings; Congressional committee hearings; tax reduction controversy; Jacoby's economic philosophy; Jacoby's attitude toward natural resources; federal government in competition with private enterprise; GSA; military-industrial complex; defense contracts; economy when Jacoby joined CEA; Federal Reserve Board; anti-recession program; Secretary of the Treasury Humphrey; Walter Heller; Advisory Board on Economic Growth and Stability (ABEGS); Economic Mission to Organization for European Economic Cooperation (OEEC).

DESCRIPTION: Interview #3. Secretary of Treasury Humphrey; stockpiling of metals; economic intelligence; economic statistics; CEA and U.N.; U.S. Representative to the U.N. Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC); resignation from CEA; duties at UCLA; proposals for ECOSOC; resignation from ECOSOC; John Foster Dulles; Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge; Planning Commission of India Second Five Year Plan; Jacoby's mission to India with Professor Milton Friedman; Cabinet Committee on Small Business; correspondence with Arthur Burns and Raymond Saulnier; Federal Reserve System; Employment Act of 1946; Commodity Credit Corporation.

DESCRIPTION: Interview #4. Agricultural economy; Brannan Plan; CEA recommendations on agricultural problems; agriculture and politics; Social Security; minimum wage; municipal bonds; income tax; Sherman Adams.

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