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OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT  
WASHINGTON

February 3, 1967

MEMO TO THE VICE PRESIDENT

FROM: NORMAN SHERMAN

RE: LADIES OF THE PRESS BACKGROUND

Attached is the script for "Ladies of the Press" which will surround the questioning. It is similar to your normal "Meet the Press" interviews.

You will be introduced first, followed by Gay Pauley, Catherine Mackin, and Bonnie Angelo. Your first question is hopefully a short question and answer and will likely be: "Mr. Vice President, will you still be Vice President in 1969"- or -"Will you be the Vice Presidential candidate in 1968?"

Other questions: "Is there a new Hubert Humphrey"?

"What comment do you have on the polls which show LBJ at a low point"?

(Possibly questions about mental retardation and Mrs. Humphrey's interest in it.)

(Possibly questions on the seating of Powell excluding any references to his own behavior; i.e., did the House act precipitously.)

NO QUESTIONS ON THE MANCHESTER BOOK AND THE REPUBLICAN TICKET IN 1968.

The show is in black and white.

cc: Ted Van Dyk  
Julie Cahn

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GUEST: Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey

AUDIO

MUSIC (theme)....UP

Music.....down....under--(then OUT  
Under Evans)

(Evans)

This is LADIES OF THE PRESS--coming  
to you from Washington, D.C.

LADIES OF THE PRESS, as always is  
an actual press conference, completely  
ad lib, completely unrehearsed. My name--  
CLIFFORD EVANS.

Our guest is the Vice President of  
the United States, Hubert Humphrey.  
Mr. Vice President, Welcome to  
LADIES OF THE PRESS.

Our LADIES OF THE PRESS, as always,  
are 3 newspaper-women in search of a story:

MORE

VIDEO

CARD\*RKO GENERAL

CARD\*LADIES SYMBOL

DISSOLVE TO:

CARD\*PIX\*CAPITOL

DISSOLVE TO:

MED\*EVANS

CU\*HUMPHREY

WIDE\*PANEL

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GUEST: Vice President Humphrey

AUDIO

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(Evans)

GAY PAULEY, Women's editor of United Press International and winner of the National Headliner Award for Journalism...whose column appears in the Los Angeles Times,

CU\*PAULEY

And other newspapers throughout the United States.

PAN TO:

CATHERINE MACKIN, who covers the White House for the Boston Record-American, the Los Angeles Herald-Examiner and the other Hearst newspapers from coast-to-coast.

CU\*MACKIN

PAN TO:

BONNIE ANGELO, ~~the~~ Washington correspondent for Time Magazine, *AND FORMER PRESIDENT OF THE WOMEN'S NATIONAL PRESS CLUB.* This is her first visit

CU\*ANGELO

with us on "Ladies of the Press."

Bonnie--welcome.

We'll have the first question now from Gay Pauley, United Press International.

CU\*PAULEY

SPLIT SCREEN:  
Pauley/Humphrey

(AD LIB Q & A)

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GUEST: Vice President Humphrey

AUDIO

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In just a moment, we'll have more questions for our guest, Vice President Hubert Humphrey.

MED\*EVANS

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GUEST: Vice President Hubert Humphrey

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AUDIO

Our guest is the Vice President of  
the United States--Hubert Humphrey.

We'll have a question from

\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_.

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\_\_\_\_\_  
(Reporter)

SPLIT:  
Reporter/  
Humphrey

(Ad lib Q. & A)

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GUEST: Vice President Humphrey

AUDIO  
(Evans)

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GUEST: Vice President Humphrey

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AUDIO  
(Evans)

VIDEO

Our guest is Vice President Humphrey.

CU\*HUMPHREY

We'll have a question now from

SPLIT SCREEN:

Humphrey/\_\_\_\_\_  
Reporter

\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

(Ad Lib Q & A)

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GUEST: Vice President Humphrey

AUDIO  
(Evans)

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GUEST: Vice President Humphrey

CUT 4

\*\*\*\*CLOSE\*\*\*\*

AUDIO  
(Evans)

VIDEO

A question now from \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

CU\*  
(Reporter)

Ad Lib Q & A.....until--

(Evans)

We've come to the close of another session of LADIES OF THE PRESS--coming to you from Washington, D. C. Ladies of the Press, as always, is an actual press conference--completely ad lib, completely unrehearsed.

MED\*EVANS

Our guest has been the Vice President of The United States--Hubert Humphrey.

CU\*HUMPHREY

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GUEST: Vice President Humphrey

AUDIO  
(Evans)

VIDEO

Our LADIES OF THE PRESS have been--

GAY PAULEY, Women's editor, United Press International.

CU\*PAULEY  
PAN TO:

CATHERINE MACKIN, Who covers the White House for  
the Hearst newspapers...and

CU\*MACKIN  
PAN TO:

BONNIE ANGELO, the Washington Correspondent for  
Time Magazine.

CU\*ANGELO

This is Clifford Evans

CARD\*POS\*EVANS

\*\*\*MUSIC UP slightly.....then under--

\*\*\*CUE EVANS to continue Audio

CARD\*POS\*GEESEY

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of RKO General Broadcasting.

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"SYMBOL"

(MUSIC UP....to Close)

CARD\*RKO GENERAL

CARD\*WETA

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Open - Will you be VP cand in 1968

- 1) Mental retardation
- 2) Is there a new Hubert Humphrey
- 3) LBJ polls popularity down
- 4) Seating of Powell

2600 - 4th St  
NW,

8:30 am  
Cliff Evans

- no Manchester

- no Republicans in 1968



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