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Prescott Bush, OH-31 #3 [Senator from Connecticut]

N.R. Danielian, OH-177 [Director, St. Lawrence Seaway survey, Department of Commerce, 1939-43; Vice President, National St. Lawrence Association, 1946-49; Executive vice President, 1949-52, and President, 1952-65, Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Association.]

Homer Gruenther, OH-254 #2 [Assistant to the Deputy Assistant to the President, 1953-61]

Roger W. Jones, OH-497 [Budget Bureau Official, 1953-59]

Len B. Jordan, OH-354 [U.S. Senator from Idaho]

Gerald D. Morgan, OH-223 #2 [Deputy Assistant and Special Counsel to the President]

Wilton B. Persons, OH-334 #3 [Deputy Assistant and Assistant to the President]

Robert Roosa, OH-267 #2 [Official of the Federal Reserve Bank, New York, 1946-60]

Leverett Saltonstall, OH-29 #3 [U.S. Senator from Massachusetts]

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Dedication and formal opening of the St. Lawrence Seaway
June 26, 1959
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Drawing of the Dwight D. Eisenhower Lock,
1956
Source unknown

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Construction of the Dwight D. Eisenhower Lock on the Saint Lawrence Seaway.
1958
Photograph taken by George W. Bailey

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Aerial view of the Saint Lawrence Seaway
February 1959
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President and Mrs. Eisenhower are greeted upon their arrival at the Montreal airport by Queen Elizabeth and Prince Philip. Prime Minister and Mrs. John G. Diefenbaker were also there to greet the President.
June 26, 1959
U.S. Navy photographs

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Aerial views of the Saint Lawrence Seaway.
no date given
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Seantor Alexander Wiley (third from left front row) co-author of the Wiley-Dondero Saint Lawrence Seaway Act, joins Seaway staff official and advisory board at a Pentagon luncheon celebrating the second anniversary of the signing of the Seaway legislation.
May 10, 1956
Source unknown

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President and Mrs. Eisenhower's arrival in Montreal; dedication of the St. Lawrence Seaway in St. Hubert, Canada; the Eisenhower's departure.
June 26, 1959
U.S. Navy and "source unknown" photographs

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President Eisenhower signs S-2140, an act "providing for the creation for the Saint Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation." The signing took place at the White House and was witnessed by the Ambassador of Canada A.D.P. Heeney, and Senators and Congressman, including John A. Blatnik, Alexander Wiley, George D. Aiken, and Homer Ferguson.
May 13, 1954
National Park Service and Associated Press photographs

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President and Mrs. Eisenhower make an inspection tour of progress on the Saint Lawrence Seaway project.

July 11, 1958

United Press photograph

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President and Mrs. Eisenhower take a tour of the Saint Lawrence Seaway on the Coast Guard Cutter MAPLE. They started their trip down the Wiley-Dondero Canal.

July 11, 1958

Associated Press photograph

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Aerial views of the locks on the Saint Lawrence Seaway with ship passing through.

June 26, 1959

Source unknown

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The vehicular approach to Barnhart Island and areas north of the seaway in the U.S. has now been transferred to Eisenhower Lock Tunnel. Ships sailing from Atlantic Ocean to the Great Lakes pass over the tunnel.

May 15, 1958.

Power Authority of the State of New York photograph

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On President Eisenhower's visit to the St. Lawrence Power and Seaway Projects, Chairman Robert Moses is flanked by the President and John Foster Dulles, Secretary of State.

July 11, 1958

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EL-D16-7 PC

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April 23, 1953

U.S. Army recording

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March 2, 1955

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Remarks Upon Signing the St. Lawrence Seaway Bill [The President signed The St. Lawrence Seaway Bill Public Law 358, 83rd Congress (68 Stat. 92) in the Conference Room at the White House]

May 13, 1954

U.S. Army recording

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Remarks at the opening of the St. Lawrence Seaway

June 24, 1959

U.S. Army recording

Canadian Prime Minister, John Diefenbaker, introduces Eisenhower. Topics: Canadian/US relations; **St. Lawrence Seaway**; Distant Early Warning Line (DEW); Canadian/US trade; NATO; wheat surplus; International Monetary Fund; general agreement of tariffs and trade; oil imports; Reciprocal Trade Agreement; Trade Agreements Act; the economy of Canada and the United States.

EL-MP16-133 JOINT SESSION OF THE CANADIAN SENATE & HOUSE OF COMMONS ADDRESS

Ottawa, Canada

July 9, 1958

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2 reels 1400' 36 minutes sound B&W

Canadian Prime Minister, John Diefenbaker, introduces Eisenhower. Topics: Canadian/US relations; St. Lawrence Seaway; Distant Early Warning Line (DEW); Canadian/US trade; NATO; wheat surplus; International Monetary Fund; general agreement of tariffs and trade; oil imports; Reciprocal Trade Agreement; Trade Agreements Act; the economy of Canada and the United States.

EL-MP16-250 CAMPAIGN: "IKE IN PHILLY"

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

October 28, 1960

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Produced by the Volunteers for Nixon-Lodge, Eisenhower gives an address at the Bellevue-Stratford Hotel in Philadelphia, PA. He is introduced by Lt. Gen. Milton G. Baker. He begins his speech by asking the crowd to examine the achievements of his administration, such as increased personal income; increased Gross National Product; the Interstate Highway System; the **St. Lawrence Seaway**; increased military strength; improved National Park Service; labor reforms; increased Social Security benefits; civil rights. He then lists the qualities a candidate should possess, and endorses Richard M. Nixon, and Henry Cabot Lodge as having these qualities. He describes the duties of the President of the United States as Chief of State, Commander in Chief of the Armed Forces, head of the National Security, and guardian of free enterprise. He stresses the importance of foreign relations, and lists the accomplishments of his administration in this field, such as Korea, Viet Nam; Formosa; the Philippines; the Suez Canal; Trieste; Iran. Eisenhower emphasizes Nixon's and Lodge's experience in foreign affairs, and stresses that caution and deliberation are needed in international situations. He ends the speech by pledging his vote to Nixon and Lodge, and asking the crowd to do the same.
May 17, 1955

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