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Attorney General of Idaho, 1947-55; Governor of Idaho, 1955-67.

DESCRIPTION: Interview #1. Personal background. Comments re his law school days at George Washington University; his service during World War II; service as Attorney General of Idaho, 1947-55; activity in the Idaho Republican party, 1946-54; the Eisenhower campaign of 1952; his impressions of DDE; his impressions of DDE as a politician; his race for Governor in 1954; federal-state relations while Governor of Idaho; his work with the Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations; and comments re Robert Anderson and Maurice Stans.

[Eisenhower Library Oral History Project, interview by Maclyn P. Burg, 1975]