

JAMES O. EASTLAND COLLECTION
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Arranged chronologically, the files in this subseries contain correspondence, publications, and ephemera related to various excursions Eastland took to foreign destinations. Perhaps most noteworthy is the visit he made in 1945 with the Committee on Naval Affairs to view the aftermath of World War II. This trip inspired Eastland to urge the administration to adopt a more conciliatory reconstruction plan for Western Europe. In 1969, Eastland visited South Africa and Rhodesia, both under white control at the time. Larry Speakes, the senator's press secretary, accompanied him, and Eastland actively publicized the trip.

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