

Jamie Whitten Collection

Series 17: Recordings

Recordings in the Jamie Whitten Collection include government and special interest documentaries, campaign broadcasts and commercials, speeches, television and radio interviews and appearances, public service announcements, coverage of the House floor, and television programs on political issues. The collection has five LP records, six 78rpm records, seventy-five reel-to-reels, thirty-eight cassette tapes, eleven 16mm films, four one-inch quad tapes, fifty-seven Umatic tapes, and ninety-four video cassette tapes.

For preservation reasons, the original recordings are stored in a climate-controlled facility, and access is restricted. However, digital counterparts are available to researchers in the Jamie Whitten digital collection.

In 2010, the Institute of Museum and Library Services awarded a \$450,000 grant to the University of Mississippi to preserve and digitize all the recordings in the Modern Political Archives. This grant permitted the archives to digitize a large segment of recordings in the Whitten Collection by May 2011. Any views, findings, conclusions, or recommendations expressed here do not necessarily represent those of the Institute of Museum and Library Services.

Not all of the recordings are accessible on the web due to copyright. Researchers may only review restricted recordings via onsite computer terminals in the J.D. Williams Library. Access status is noted at the end of each recording's description below.

The list of digital files provides the unique identifier (comprised of a format and numerical/alphabetical sequence); title; date; brief description; time length of recording; and an access statement. More information is available via the metadata provided in the Jamie Whitten digital collection.

A number of physical recordings in the collection are duplicates, and the digital collection only makes available one of these copies.

While processing the rest of the collection in 2014, curators uncovered additional recordings that will remain undigitized until the archives receives sufficient funding to support this project.

Subseries: Audio Recordings

LP Record 1. **Radio Program "The Leading Question" with Guests Gerald R. Ford and Jamie L. Whitten.** 1957. Radio program "The Leading Question" with moderator Griffing Bancroft who leads discussion on the 1957 budget with guests U.S. Representative Gerald Ford of Michigan and U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten of Mississippi. Time: 14 minutes, 38 seconds in Part 1 and 14 minutes, 17 seconds in Part 2. *Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_LP_1_A and whitten_LP_1_B), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.*

LP Record 2. **A Public Service for Farm Radio.** 196-. Two Chicago Board of Trade public service farm radio programs. Side A first episode features guest U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten on the 1964 agricultural appropriations bill. Second episode features Merrill D. Guild, Executive Vice President of the Illinois Grain Corporation on how farmers use the market. Side B first episode features guest Under-

Secretary of Agriculture Charles S. Murphy on fifty years of agricultural marketing. Second episode features U.S. Representative Ben Reifel of South Dakota on agriculture and Congress. Time: 9 minutes, 27 seconds on Side A; 8 minutes, 27 seconds on Side B.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_LP_2_A and whitten_LP_2_B.

LP Record 3. **New Holland Machine Company Programs on Agriculture.** 197-. Interviews by Don Lerch on the subject of agriculture. First interviewee in Part 1 is U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten of Mississippi discussing agricultural research. Second interviewee is Ralph E. Hodgson, Director of U.S. Department of Agriculture Animal Husbandry Division on grassland farming. First segment in Part 2 is New Holland Grassland News editor Mark Branstetter on "Youth Opportunities in Agribusiness." Second segment by Don Lerch on "Improved Grassland Farming: Key to More Milk and Beef per Acre." Time: 10 minutes, 4 seconds on Part 1; 9 minutes, 10 seconds on Part 2.

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LP Record 4. **Radio Program "Capitol Cloakroom" with Guest U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten.** 1 February 1960. U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten as guest on the CBS radio program "Capitol Cloakroom" answers reporter's questions on the military defense budget and military capabilities, agricultural appropriations, farm price supports, and the South during the upcoming presidential election. Time: 11 minutes, 40 seconds in Part 1; 12 minutes, 43 seconds in Part 2.

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LP Record 5. **Farm Radio Service.** 196-. Farm Radio Service programs with host Don Lerch. First segment on Side A is Lloyd Hurlbut, president of the American Society of Agricultural Engineers, on "Architects of a More Productive Agriculture." Second segment is U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten on "Blueprint for Telling the Farm Story" with regards to agricultural advocacy, food prices, and industrial consumption by farmers. First segment on Side B is Edward Aiton, director of the 4-H Club Programs, U.S.D.A. on "What's New in 4-H Club Work?" Second segment is farm reporter Don Lerch on "How to Keep the Farm in the Family." Time: 8 minutes, 36 seconds on Side A and 7 minutes, 40 seconds on Side B.

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78rpm Records 1 and 2. **Liftin' the Lid on Washington.** 26 July 1946. "Liftin' the Lid on Washington" was a regular Mississippi radio program with hosts Howard Suttle and Earle Steele. This particular episode features an interview with U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten and how his efforts on the House Appropriations Committee managed to save the federal government \$1 billion dollars. In particular, how \$650 million was saved by investigating the Elk Hills oil contract between the U.S. Navy and Standard Oil Company and \$350 million on a U.S. Navy request for new facilities by recommending the use of vacated Army facilities. Also discusses a recent \$17 billion government corporation appropriations bill that Whitten shepherded through the House and the importance of the Appropriations Committee. It includes an announcement from sponsor R.D. Sanders (textile manufacturing) on Mississippi industrialization, a salute to Southern Implement Manufacturing Company in Clarksdale, Mississippi, and a brief feature on the Delta Chenille Company in Winona, Mississippi. Time: 3 minutes, 55 seconds in Part 1; 4 minutes, 15 seconds in Part 2; 4 minutes, 4 seconds in Part 3; 2 minutes, 6 seconds in Part 4.

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78rpm Record 3. **Averell Harriman Campaign Message.** 1956. Side A features Averell Harriman on his Democratic presidential campaign. Topics covered include President Dwight D. Eisenhower; the economy; labor unions; foreign affairs; communist menace; and presidents Franklin D. Roosevelt and Harry S. Truman. Side B has Major General John R. Deane speaking to an audience on 16 June 1956 in support of Averell Harriman as president. Topics covered include Harriman's diplomatic work in the Soviet Union during World War II; Poland; and Japan's surrender at the end of World War II. Time: 4 minutes, 41 seconds on Side A; 5 minutes, 4 seconds on Side B.

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78rpm Records 4, 5, and 6. **Coffee in Washington.** 12 January 1952. Radio program "Coffee in Washington" with host Bill Hearson and guest U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten. Topics include Whitten's family, education, career, Whitten's job as a teacher and current status of teachers, his election to the House in the Mississippi Legislature, his election and career as district attorney, courting his wife, his young children, running for Congress the first time, committee memberships, work on the Appropriations Committee and its Agriculture Subcommittee, legislation on federal employees, his first speech before the House on the military draft of teenagers, characteristics of his district in north central Mississippi; upcoming elections, national debt, and natural resources. Time: 5 minutes for Part 1; 4 minutes, 34 seconds for Part 2; 5 minutes, 3 seconds for Part 3; 5 minutes for Part 4; 4 minutes, 27 seconds for Part 5; and 3 minutes, 32 seconds for Part 6.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_78rpm_4_A; whitten_78rpm_5_A; whitten_78rpm_6_A; whitten_78rpm_4_B; whitten_78rpm_5_B; and whitten_78rpm_6_B), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Audio Reel 2. **Two Thirty-Second Jamie Whitten Campaign Commercials.** Circa 1979-1990. Two thirty-second campaign commercials "Paid for by the Committee to Re-Elect Jamie Whitten, George P. Cossar Jr., Chairman." The first is an endorsement by Americans for Constitutional Action. The second emphasizes Whitten's importance to Mississippi as chair of the Committee on Appropriations. Followed by a repetition of both commercials. Time: 1 minute, 9 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_2.

Audio Reel 4. **Jamie Whitten Campaign Commercial.** Circa 1979-1990. One sixty-second campaign commercial "Paid for by the Committee to Re-Elect Jamie Whitten, George P. Cossar Jr., Chairman." Emphasizes federal appropriations for Mississippi. Time: 1 minute, 2 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_4.

Audio Reel 5. **Frank E. Stubblefield Campaign Commercial.** Undated. Campaign commercial for Frank E. Stubblefield, candidate for U.S. Representative of the First Congressional District for Kentucky. Discusses incumbent's record of refusing to back Bartley Dam and aid agriculture, missing 48% of roll call votes, and his involvement with Happy Chandler's political machine. Time: 5 minutes, 24 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_audioreel_5), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Audio Reel 6. **Jamie Whitten Speech at the 1972 Mississippi Farm Bureau Federation Convention.** 1972. Jamie Whitten address at the Mississippi Farm Bureau Federation Convention. Whitten introduced by unknown speaker. Whitten discusses agriculture, environmental protection, and the farm program. Time: 41 minutes, 3 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_6.

Audio Reel 7. **Excerpts of Jamie Whitten Speech on Chemicals in Agriculture.** Undated. Excerpts of Whitten speech during which he discusses Congress providing funds to find substitutes for chemicals in agriculture. Time: 1 minute, 16 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_7.

Audio Reel 8. **Radio Program "Weekly Report by G.V. Sonny Montgomery."** Circa 1971-1972. Radio broadcast of the program "Weekly Report" by G.V. Sonny Montgomery from the Fourth Congressional District in Mississippi. Discussion includes upcoming meetings in the district; President Richard Nixon's proposal for revenue sharing; payment of United States dues to the United Nations; and the Clean Water Act. Time: 4 minutes, 45 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_audioreel_8), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Audio Reel 10. **Radio Program "Weekly Report by G.V. Sonny Montgomery."** Undated. Radio broadcast of the program "Weekly Report" by G.V. Sonny Montgomery from the Fourth Congressional District in Mississippi. Includes interview with U.S. Representative Wilmer D. Mizell of North Carolina on the subject of the proposed Rural Economic Development Act. Time: 6 minutes, 36 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_audioreel_10), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Audio Reel 11. **Meet the Member Profile of U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten.** 21 November 1968. Includes a discussion of the Agriculture Subcommittee of the Appropriations Committee. Time: 3 minutes, 20 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_audioreel_11), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Audio Reel 16. **Campaign Commercial of T.K. Moffett for First Congressional District of Mississippi.** Undated. Commercial "authorized by Mississippians for Moffett and paid for by the National Republican Congressional Committee." Accuses incumbent Jamie Whitten of voting four times in favor of federally-funded abortions. Time: 1 minutes, 4 seconds.

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Audio Reel 17. **U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten Reading Aloud a Draft Publication or Speech about the U.S. Supreme Court.** Circa 1968. Recording begins with music, interspersed with conversations in English and Spanish, and an excerpt of a news program on a riot. Jamie Whitten reads aloud a draft of a publication or speech about crime that blames the Supreme Court for failing to support law enforcement, discusses the constitution, and Whitten's introduction of H.Res. 8903 to establish a standing committee on the Constitution. Time: 27 minutes, 33 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_17.

Audio Reel 18. **Interview of Jamie Whitten on the Subject of Pesticides.** 8 February 1968. Interview of Jamie Whitten by Steven K. Meuche of WKAR and WKARFM of Michigan State University on the subject of pesticides. Discussion included the subject of Rachel Carson's book *Silent Spring*, pesticides, House Agricultural Appropriations Subcommittee investigation of pesticides, government testing and research, persistent pesticide residues, pest control programs, and research on the environment. Time: 13 minutes, 30 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_audioreel_18), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Audio Reel 23. **Jamie Whitten Address to the 1969 Tallahatchie Valley Electric Power Association Meeting.** 3 October 1969. Jamie Whitten speech at the 31st annual meeting of the Tallahatchie Electric Power Association in Batesville, Mississippi. Topics discussed include youth of today, electricity, rural electrification, the Supreme Court, school integration, and natural resources. Time: 26 minutes, 8 seconds.

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Audio Reel 24. **Five Jamie Whitten Campaign Commercials.** 1986. Five thirty-second Jamie Whitten campaign commercials "Paid for by the Committee to Re-Elect Jamie Whitten, George Cossar Jr., Chairman": "Our Strong Voice in Washington"; "Jamie Whitten Is Effective"; "Jamie Whitten Gets Things Done in Mississippi"; "We Have Made Great Progress in Mississippi"; and "I Am Proud of Mississippi." Time: 3 minutes, 15 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_24.

Audio Reel 25. **National Conservative Political Action Committee Commercial against Jamie Whitten.** Undated. Sixty-second campaign commercial by the National Conservative Political Action Committee opposing the reelection of U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten on the basis of his vote to increase taxes. Time: 1 minute, 6 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_audioreel_25), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Audio Reel 26. **Jamie Whitten Speech for the Congressional Banquet at the 1970 Convention of the National Limestone Institute.** 23 January 1970. Recording begins with an unidentified meeting before changing to a recording of the Congressional Banquet at the 1970 National Limestone Institute. Invocation by U.S. Senate Chaplain Edward L.R. Elson followed by the national anthem sung by Ted Alexander. The master of ceremonies introduces VIP guests. Welcome by H.M. French (chairman of the board) and introduction of U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten. Whitten discusses problems caused by urbanization, agriculture, pollution, the agricultural conservation program, and water conservation. Unidentified speaker presents NLI's Distinguished Services Award for Outstanding Contribution to the Nation's Agriculture to Whitten and the NLI's Distinguished Service Award for Outstanding Contribution to the Nation's Highway to Frances C. Turner. Speech by the chairman of NLI discusses NLI's involvement in world food production; use of limestone in concrete; then turns gavel over to the new chairman Paul Sykes. Sykes discusses the universal utility of limestone and the need to advocate for the industry. Adjournment of meeting. Recording begins with question and answer session on construction of roads and bridges with F. Edward George, Dr. Niles C. Brady, and J.R. Johnson.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_26.

Audio Reel 27. **Popular Music by a Variety of Artists.** Undated. Time: 28 minutes, 5 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_audioreel_27), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Audio Reel 29. Mississippi Association of Soil and Conservation District Commissioners Luncheon Honoring Jamie Whitten. 8 December 1971. Mississippi Association of Soil and Water Conservation District Commissioners luncheon in Jackson, Mississippi honoring U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten. Acknowledgement of VIP guests and introduction of Whitten by unknown master of ceremonies. Mississippi State Superintendent of Education Garvin Johnston provides the invocation. Lieutenant Governor-elect William Winter pays tribute to Whitten and describes the close relationship between their two families. Magee's Barbershop Quartet sings a medley of songs. Recognition of various state and federal agencies present, news media, and the arrangements committee. Tributes by the following platform guests: former U.S. Representative Arthur Winstead; Mississippi Commissioner of Agriculture & Commerce Jim Buck Ross; Kenneth E. Grant, administrator of the Soil Conservation Service in Washington, DC; George McLean, owner of the *Tupelo Daily Journal*; B.F. Smith, executive director of the Delta Council; Mrs. J.M. Martin, president of the Ladies Auxiliary; and P.L. Hughes, president of the Mississippi Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts. Concludes with remarks by Whitten. Time: 48 minutes, 41 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_24.

Audio Reel 30. Television Program "Close Up" with guest Jamie Whitten. 1971-1972. Jamie Whitten as guest on WMZ TV show "Close Up" with moderator Ray Sherman and journalist panel Kay Pullen of TV-5; William Street of the Commercial Appeal; and Buddy Sanders, WMC Farm Director. Questions about the upcoming national presidential Democratic ticket; George Wallace; Henry Martin "Scoop" Jackson; National Democratic Convention; constitutional belief that the Supreme Court had usurped the powers of the other two branches; reduction in limitation of payments to farmers; redistricting; prospect for continuation of the seniority system in Congress; rural development; value-added tax; funding education; and Wilbur D. Mills. Time: 28 minutes, 35 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_audioreel_30), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Audio Reel 32. Jamie Whitten Speech at the National Water Resource Symposium. 4 April 1961. Jamie Whitten speech at the National Water Resource Convention broadcast on the Voice of America program of the United States Information Agency. Whitten discusses agriculture's claim on water, programs to protect and develop resources, watershed protection, and foreign aid. Time: 19 minutes, 58 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_32.

Audio Reel 33. Television Program "Crisis in Cotton." Circa 1965. Memphis, Tennessee television public affairs program "Crisis in Cotton" with Derek Rooke as moderator. Panelists include C.C. Smith, formerly of the cotton department of the National Bank of Commerce; William B. Callen, chair of Cotton Committee of the Tennessee Farm Bureau; Loyd Godly, member of the National Cotton Council Advisory Committee; J.W. Young, a farmer from Quitman County, Arkansas; J.S. Alman, a farmer from Hickory Flat, Mississippi; and Robert D. McAllen, president of the American Cotton Shippers Association. News clips regarding federal cotton program precedes statements by panelists. Time: 30 minutes, 9 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_audioreel_33), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Audio Reel 34. **George Mahon Program Featuring Jamie Whitten.** Circa 1963. Radio program of U.S. Representative George Mahon of Texas featuring guest U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten. Discussion focused on the agricultural program, cotton, the boll weevil, cotton ginning laboratories, pesticides, conservation program, and hearings on agricultural appropriations. Time: 27 minutes, 15 seconds.
Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_audioreel_34), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Audio Reel 37. **Jamie Whitten Speech at a Rotary Club Meeting in Clarksdale, Mississippi.** 17 April 1962. U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten's address to the Rotary Club in Clarksdale, Mississippi. Introduction of Whitten by Crawford McGivaren. Whitten discusses his position on the House Appropriations Committee, the Supreme Court, the United Nations, foreign aid, and agriculture. Time: 25 minutes, 21 seconds.
Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_37.

Audio Reel 39. **Radio Programs including "Meet the Member" with a Profile of Jamie L. Whitten.** [21 November 1968]. Radio programs: in the first brief excerpt, several unidentified individuals discuss African American maids. The second radio editorial focuses on upcoming Nixon administration's promises regarding the improvement of black private enterprise in order to get people off welfare. After a florist commercial, the program continues with a profile of the anti-intellectual in communist countries such as China. Finally, the recording ends with "Meet the Member" with a profile of Jamie Whitten, describing his background in public service, his current role in Congress, and his stance on several issues. Time: 12 minutes, 51 seconds.
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Audio Reel 40. **Three Jamie Whitten Campaign Commercials.** Undated. Three thirty-second campaign commercials "Paid for by the Committee to Re-Elect Jamie Whitten, George P. Cossar Jr., Chairman." The first commercial focuses on Whitten's efforts to fund soil conservation, Corps of Engineers projects, and highways. The second discusses national defense, wasteful spending, the National Guard, and Camp McCain. The third concentrates on junior colleges, vocational education, and student loans. Time: 1 minute, 56 seconds.
Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_40.

Audio Reel 43. **Four Jamie Whitten Campaign Commercials.** 18 October 1986. Four thirty-second Jamie Whitten campaign commercials "Paid for by the Committee to Re-Elect Jamie Whitten, George P. Cossar Jr., Chairman": "Puts Our Country First"; "At Height of Effectiveness"; "Voted Most Effective Committee Chairman"; and "Let's Keep Our Chairman."
Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_43.

Audio Reel 44. **Jamie Whitten Campaign Commercial for Oxford, Mississippi Area.** Circa 1986. Two minute and thirty-second campaign commercial "Paid by the Committee to Re-Elect Jamie Whitten, George P. Cossar Jr., Chairman" and directed to the Oxford, Mississippi community. Discusses recent appropriations for Highway 6 and the National Acoustics Lab at the University of Mississippi; Ronald Reagan's compliment on Whitten's leadership during the passage of H.R. 5415 and the Urgent Supplemental Appropriations Act of 1986; and saving a magnolia tree at the local federal building. Time: 2 minutes, 35 seconds.
Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_44.

Audio Reel 45. **Radio Interview Accusations against James Meredith.** Circa 1962. Excerpt from a radio interview of Daisy Louella Sandling Silby who accuses civil rights activist James Meredith of forcing her son to join the communist party and sell drugs. Time: 3 minutes, 25 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_audioreel_45), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Audio Reel 46. **Jamie Whitten Campaign Commercial "Charges."** 28 October 1986. One thirty-second campaign commercial "Paid for by the Committee to Re-Elect Jamie Whitten, George P. Cossar Jr., Chairman" refuting opposition charges regarding Whitten's stance on defense, Social Security, prayer in schools, abortion, and drugs. Time 42 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_46.

Audio Reel 47. **Two Jamie Whitten Campaign Commercials.** 26 October 1990. Two thirty-second campaign commercials "Paid for by the Committee to Re-Elect Jamie Whitten, George P. Cossar Jr., Chairman." The first commercial emphasizes Whitten's role as committee chairman and the second discusses his support for veterans, social security, public works, and education. Time: 1 minute, 45 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_47.

Audio Reel 48. **Jamie Whitten Campaign Address to Delta Counties in the Second Mississippi Congressional District.** 28 May 1962. U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten paid political telecast to the Delta counties of the Second Mississippi Congressional District from the Bolivar County Courthouse. Whitten introduces himself to the new Second Mississippi congressional district by describing his background and role in Congress; Mississippi's recent loss of a congressional district; comparing his own seniority versus his opponent Frank Smith's; introduction of a bill to place cotton on the world market; the building of reservoirs in north Mississippi; resolution on division of electoral college and the black vote; dirty tricks in campaign including allegations that Whitten's children attend integrated schools; Frank Smith's voting record and his introduction of Hodding Carter's articles into the *Congressional Record*; foreign relations; and Whitten's role as chair of the Agriculture Subcommittee of the Appropriations Committee. Time: 29 minutes, 25 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_48.

Audio Reel 49. **Unidentified Radio Program with Singer Patricia Morales.** 1955. Unknown radio announcer introduces Patricia Morales who sings a Spanish song; followed by Charlotte who introduces guest John Watt. Time: 5 minutes, 55 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_audioreel_53B), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Audio Reel 50. **Jamie Whitten Campaign Address to Bolivar County.** 31 May 1962. U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten campaign address in Bolivar County, Mississippi. Whitten describes his background and role as member of the Appropriations Committee; the loss of one of Mississippi's congressional districts; political dirty tricks by opponent Frank Smith including charges that Whitten's children attend integrated schools; foreign relations; United Nations; and the Supreme Court on integration.

Time: 36 minutes, 45 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_50.

Audio Reel 51. **U.S. Secretary of Agriculture Orville Freeman's Speech at the National Water Research Symposium.** 4 April 1961. U.S. Secretary of Agriculture Orville Freeman's speech at the National Water

Research Symposium and broadcast on the Voice of America radio program. Discusses conservation of water resources, population growth, quality of life with outdoor recreation activity, and various government programs. Time: 23 minutes, 42 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_51.

Audio Reel 52. **Excerpt of Jamie Whitten Speech on the Environment.** Undated. Note: recording is barely audible. Time: 6 minutes, 52 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_52.

Audio Reel 53A. **Unidentified Man Reading Aloud Replies to Constituent Correspondence.** Undated. Unidentified man reads aloud replies to constituent correspondence regarding insurance, the school lunch program in Mississippi and other states in the South, an application to reenlist in the Naval Reserve; paraffin trade in the GATT bill, tax bill, invitation to dinner. Time: 28 minutes, 27 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_53a.

Audio Reel 53B. **Instrumental Music.** Undated. Time: 28 minutes, 27 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_audioreel_53B), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Audio Reel 55. **Five Campaign Interviews of U.S. Representative Frank E. Smith.** Circa 1962. Five four-minute paid political interviews of U.S. Representative Frank E. Smith of Mississippi responding to questions by citizens. The first interview focuses on government spending, the high cost of living, and new job opportunities in Mississippi. The second interview discusses education, the environment, and income tax loopholes. The third interview includes questions on forced busing of school children, agriculture price support program, campaign contributions deductions, contributions to Smith's campaigns, and natural resources. The fourth interview concentrates on the transportation needs of Mississippi; how Smith's seniority will help the district; how Smith is handling campaign costs, and working for constituents in Washington, DC. The fifth interview responds to questions on cotton legislation, U.S. involvement in Indochina, veterans' benefits, how Smith is conducting his campaign, and contributions to the campaign. Time: 25 minutes, 13 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_55.

Audio Reel 58. **Jamie Whitten on Opening of WSUH Radio Station in Oxford, Mississippi.** 27 April 1955. To commemorate the opening of WSUH radio station in Oxford, Mississippi, U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten discusses past contributions of the community and the University of Mississippi and the prospects for future development.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_58.

Audio Reel 59. **Ten-minute Jamie Whitten Campaign Commercial.** Circa 1964-1969. Campaign commercial for U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten. Whitten discusses his position and record on both domestic and foreign issues, including public works, government budget, Vietnam, and riots. Time: 10 minutes, 56 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_59.

Audio Reel 60. **Thirty-four Second Jamie Whitten Campaign Commercial.** 7 November 1966. Thirty-four second commercial for Jamie Whitten in which he refutes statements by his opponent. Time: 55 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_60.

Audio Reel 61. **Radio Program "International Food Report" Program #5.** 22 October 1966. Episode 5 of radio program "International Food Report" discussing food output declines due to drought. Includes interview with U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten on the government's agriculture program and Whitten's book *That We May Live* on agricultural pesticides. Program continues with discussion on the Secretary of Agriculture's Feed Grain Committee and tax relief for farmers and small business. Time: 11 minutes, 54 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_audioreel_61), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Audio Reel 62. **Interview of U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten.** Post-1966. Interview with U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten. Includes discussion on committee assignments, Appropriations Committee, overriding President Eisenhower's 1959 veto on public works appropriations, Whitten's position as chair of Agricultural Appropriations Subcommittee, relationship of Congress with the president and the Supreme Court, committee investigations, Whitten's book *That We May Live* on pesticides, and Whitten's background in public office as district attorney and Mississippi legislator. Time: 15 minutes, 32 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_audioreel_62), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Audio Reel 63. **Interview of U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten on His Book *That We May Live*.** Circa 1966. Interview with U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten on his book *That We May Live* about agricultural pesticides. Time: 4 minutes, 2 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_audioreel_63), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Audio Reel 66. **Radio Talk by Rev. Mr. Goodwill of Clarksdale, Mississippi Against Civil Rights Demonstrators.** Circa 1960s. Radio talk by Rev. Fairley (known as Rev. Mr. Goodwill) from Clarksdale, Mississippi. Fairley identifies himself as African American, and he berates civil rights demonstrators and the outsiders who agitate against locals. Describes the race pride he teaches his congregation. Time: 15 minutes, 55 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_audioreel_66), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Audio Reel 67. **Interview of U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten on Agriculture.** Undated. Interview with U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten discussing restoration of cuts on agricultural farm programs, government agricultural policy, and agricultural subsidies. Time: 6 minutes, 53 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_audioreel_67), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Audio Reel 68. **Paid Political Broadcast of U.S. Representative Frank E. Smith.** 29 May 1962. Paid political broadcast of U.S. Representative Frank E. Smith. Discusses accusations of his opponent U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten regarding political pressure applied to Yalobusha County supervisors about a poultry processing plant; Whitten campaign ad in the *Mississippi Farmer* generating a positive editorial; connection of Whitten to a Texas financier and possible congressional investigation; Whitten campaign literature with false endorsement of A. Boyd Campbell of Jackson, Mississippi; Whitten's opposition to a constitutional amendment on the electoral college; Whitten's opposition to north Mississippi reservoirs, cotton bale controls and National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Smith's

votes for the mutual security bill and support for paying part of costs for fighting communism; discussion of civil rights issues and their different approaches to tackling the issue; Smith's leadership in the field of natural resources; citing historical examples of Mississippi members of Congress Thomas Catchings, John Sharp Williams, and L.Q.C. Lamar; and Mississippi as part of the space industry. Time: 29 minutes.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_68.

Audio Reel 69. **Jamie Whitten Radio Appeal to Secretary of Agriculture Ezra T. Benson.** November-December 1953. U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten discusses communications with Secretary of Agriculture Ezra T. Benson regarding problems in the cotton and cattle industry. Includes references to cuts in cotton acreage; utilizing a state of national emergency to increase the cotton supply; distribution of cotton acreage; price supports for cattle; and distribution of cattle feed. After Whitten, another recording of a religious program begins on being thankful. Time: 14 minutes, 15 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_69.

Audio Reel 70. **Second Jamie Whitten Radio Appeal to Secretary of Agriculture Ezra T. Benson.** 1953-1954. U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten appeals to Secretary of Agriculture Ezra T. Benson to assist cotton farmers with increased cotton allotment by using the national emergency determination. Time: 12 minutes, 7 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_70.

Audio Reel 71. **Radio Program "Human Events Congressional Interview" with Guest Jamie Whitten.** August 1961. Radio program "Human Events Congressional Interview" with guest U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten. Includes discussion of changing political landscape of the South; current foreign aid bill; aid to South America; increasing centralization of government; government spending; and how the average voter can have an impact. Time: 12 minutes, 48 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_audioreel_71), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Audio Reel 72. **U.S. Representative Frank T. Bow's Radio Program "Washington through Your Congressman's Window" with Guest Jamie Whitten.** Circa 1965-1966. Radio program of U.S. Representative Frank T. Bow of Ohio entitled "Washington through Your Congressman's Window" with guest U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten of Mississippi. Discussion of Mississippi Election Contest where civil rights activists of the Mississippi Freedom Democratic Party attempted to unseat the entire white Mississippi congressional delegation and civil rights in general. Time: 14 minutes, 35 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_audioreel_72), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Audio Reel 73. **Two Sixty-Second Campaign Commercials for Jamie Whitten.** 2 October 1978. Two thirty-second campaign commercials "Paid for by the Committee to Re-Elect Jamie Whitten, George P. Cossar Jr., Chairman." The first commercial discusses taxation and the second focuses on the public works bill. Time: 2 minutes, 24 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_73.

Audio Reel 74. **Three Campaign Commercials for Jamie Whitten.** 1970s. Three campaign commercials for Jamie Whitten. The first commercial "ACA Endorsement" touts an endorsement by the Americans for Constitutional Action. The second "H.J. Res. 610" discusses Whitten's authorship of a resolution to prevent the Internal Revenue Service from denying the tax exempt status of private schools; to support

voluntary prayer in schools; and to prohibit federal funding of abortion. The third "Attitude/Experience" promotes Whitten's advocacy of water service projects. Time: 2 minutes, 5 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_74.

Audio Reel 75. **Thirty-Second Campaign Commercial for Jamie Whitten.** Undated. One thirty-second campaign commercial for U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten discussing Mississippi's junior colleges and student loans. Time: 45 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_75.

Cassette 1A. **Ceremony at the Unveiling of the Jamie Whitten Portrait in the Capitol.** 20 September 1984. Ceremony begins with an invocation prayer by the House Chaplain James D. Ford; followed by Representative Edward Boland as Master of Ceremonies; Representative Tom Foley; Representative Bob Michel; Representative Bill Natcher; Representative Silvio O. Conte; Will Hickman of Oxford, Mississippi who raised funds for the portrait; Speaker of the House Tip O'Neill; and Jamie Whitten. Time: 43 minutes, 15 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_cassette_1_A.

Cassette 7. **Salute to the States: Mississippi.** Undated. General Motors program "Salute to the States" episode featuring Mississippi. In Part 1 after a message on sleeping and driving, the program's narrator discusses Mississippi and its history, culture, and industry with interludes for the following: "Dixie's Land Quick Step & Interlude" arranged by Richard Bales and performed by the Contata Choir and the National Gallery Orchestra; "Mississippi Suite" by Ferde Grof and performed by the Eastman Rochester Symphony Orchestra; Congressman Jamie Whitten discussing his home state; Leontyne Price and Carlo Bergonzi singing from Giuseppe Verdi's "Ernani"; message in song about driving and driving; "Suite espanola" by Isaac Albaniz; message about drinking and driving; "King Cotton" by John Philip Sousa and performed by the Eastman Wind Ensemble; pianist John Atkins performing Lee Hoiby's "Concerto for Piano and Orchestra." Part 2 features pianist John Atkins performing Lee Hoiby's "Concerto for Piano and Orchestra"; message about driving while distracted; more information by the narrator about Mississippi mineral resources, the Balance Agriculture with Industry program, and the educational system; William Grant Still's "Festival Overture" by the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra; message about the hazards of driving at high speeds; Virgil Thompson's "The River" played by the Symphony of the Air; information about General Motors in Mississippi; discussion of next episode on the state of Missouri. Time: 1 hour, 1 minute, 31 seconds in Part 1; 1 hour, 1 minutes, 42 seconds in part 2.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_cassette_7_A and whitten_cassette_7_B), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Cassette 9. Television News Story on Jamie Whitten's Campaign Opponent Terrill K. Moffett. 1978 or 1980. Time: 1 minutes, 37 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_cassette_9), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Cassette 8. **Testing of Cassette Player.** Undated. Random conversation about the cassette player and a list of people attending an unidentified Mississippi luncheon. Time: 1 minutes, 14 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audioreel_8_A.

Cassette 10B and Cassette 5A. **Jamie Whitten's P.T. Barnum Roast.** P.T. Barnum Roast of Jamie Whitten. Introduction of Whitten; Donald Dawson's tribute to Father Hartge; introductions of imminent individuals while guests eat; introduction of Major General Robert E. Lee Eaton to present charity check

to Jamie Whitten; presentation of check to Tallahatchie Medical Clinic; introduction of all congressmen present; singing of "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow" and "The Eyes of Texas"; Speaker of the House Jim Wright's roast; presentation of token gift; and Jamie Whitten's rebuttal. Time: 44 minutes, 25 seconds on Part 1; 24 minutes, 11 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_cassette_5_A), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Cassette 31. **Six Jamie Whitten Radio Campaign Advertisements.** Undated. Six thirty-second radio/television campaign advertisements for Jamie Whitten with voice by Jack Parnell. Three spots with music in background and three spots with voice only. Time: 4 minutes, 10 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_cassette_31_A.

Cassette 33. **News stories on Mississippi Floods and Flood Control.** 1979. New story on dangers to the environment posed by channelization flood control measures championed by Jamie Whitten and John C. Stennis; followed by story on damages caused by floods in Mississippi; followed by story on special session of the Mississippi Legislature. Time: 3 minutes, 3 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_cassette_33_A), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Cassette 34. **Jamie L. Whitten at University of Mississippi Law School.** April 1985. Jamie Whitten address at the University of Mississippi Law School. Introduction of University of Mississippi Chancellor R. Gerald Turner who then introduces Congressman Jamie L. Whitten. Whitten provides observations on law and government; his own background in the Mississippi Legislature including running for office, passage of sales tax, and E.T. Woolfolk; his service in various public offices; his committee appointments in the U.S. House: Post Office, Roads, Appropriations, Naval Appropriations Subcommittee; U.S. military bases around the globe; federal budget and debt; ROTC at the University of Mississippi; defense and other government spending at universities; Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway; current request to cut domestic programs in order to pay for defense budget; and invitation to crowd to attend subsequent reception. Time: 31 minutes, 22 seconds in Part 1; 47 seconds in Part 2.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_cassette_34_A and whitten_cassette_34_B.

Cassette 35. **Three Jamie Whitten Radio Campaign Advertisements.** Undated. Three radio campaign advertisements for Jamie Whitten, paid for by Committee to Re-Elect Jamie Whitten. Time: 2 minutes, 1 second.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_audio_35_A.

Cassette 37. **News Story on Senator James O. Eastland and Airplane Hijacking.** 12 July 1968. News story on airplane hijacking incident with Senator James O. Eastland interview. Time: 2 minutes, 24 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_cassette_37_A), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Cassette 38. **Jamie Whitten Address at Columbus, Mississippi on the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway.** 9 January 1980. Jamie Whitten address at Columbus, Mississippi. Introduction of Whitten by unknown speaker and Whitten speech on the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway. Time: 15 minutes, 57 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_cassette_34_A and whitten_cassette_38_A.

Subseries: Audiovisual Recordings

16mm Film 1. **Political Broadcast of U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten.** Undated. Broadcast by Jamie Whitten during reelection campaign. Topics include Whitten's philosophy of service as U.S. Representative; his seniority in the Appropriations Committee and its impact on agricultural programs, flood control, research laboratories, and public works; overriding President Eisenhower's veto of a bill funding public works projects; foreign policy and foreign aid; importance of the Mississippi delegation's seniority status; Supreme Court rulings favoring criminal defendants; opposition to civil rights; opposition to two-party system in Mississippi. Time: 12 minutes, 7 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_16mm_1.

16mm Film 2. **Congressman Jamie L. Whitten Presents "Mississippi Agriculture."** Circa 1950s. Documentary film discusses the importance of agriculture in the American market; agriculture in the second congressional district in Mississippi; problems in agriculture and how funds provided by the Agriculture Subcommittee of the House Committee on Appropriations attempt to address these issues; Sedimentation Laboratory at the University of Mississippi; Oxford research center of the U.S. Forest Service and Holly Springs National Forest; Poultry Laboratory and Boll Weevil Laboratory at Mississippi State University; North Mississippi and Stoneville branches of Mississippi Agricultural Experiment Station; forestry; history of the Yazoo River watershed and flood control; construction of Sardis, Arkabutla, Enid, and Grenada reservoirs; land use adjustments; recreational facilities; Future Farmers of America; cotton, hog, dairy, cattle, soybean production; Rural Electrification Administration; educating youth; 4-H Clubs; Balance Agriculture with Industry program; Greenville inland harbor; and the William Carter Company of Senatobia manufacturing cotton underwear. Time: 30 minutes, 12 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_16mm_2.

16mm Film 3. **Congressional Inspection of Naval Activities (2 of 8).** 1 June 1945 – 12 July 1945. Congressman participating in inspection tour: Harry R. Shepherd of California (Chair of Naval Subcommittee of the House Appropriations Committee); Noble J. Johnson of Indiana; Jamie L. Whitten of Mississippi; Walter C. Ploeser of Missouri; Pete Jarman of Alabama; and Robert A. Grant of Indiana. Department of Navy personnel on tour: Wilfred J. McNeil (Fiscal Director); Rear Admiral Ezra G. Allen (Director of Budget and Reports); Captain Wilbur E. Kellum (Bureau of Medicine and Surgery); Commander Earle D. Chainey (Congressional Liaison Officer, Bureau of Supplies and Accounts), Lt. Charles F. Armstrong (Deputy Assistant Director, Photography Division); and Yeoman 1/c Salvatore J. Da Frenda. Footage begins with a flag raising on an island; an unidentified person exiting a plane in the train; Noumea, New Caledonia (aerial view of the island, military personnel, city, local population, military cemetery, sunset); Sydney, Australia (city streets, local children, traffic, sheep, hay field, civilians and military personnel outside a plane, aerial views of countryside); Brisbane, Australia (aerial views, tire stuck in mud, city streets, aerial views [of Great Barrier Reef] and islands; Manus, Admiralty Islands (waterfall, locals and their huts, boat, aerial view with passenger looking out plan window). Time: 16 minutes, 31 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_16mm_3).

16mm Film 4. **Congressional Inspection of Naval Activities (2 of 8).** 1 June 1945 – 12 July 1945. Congressman participating in inspection tour: Harry R. Shepherd of California (Chair of Naval Subcommittee of the House Appropriations Committee); Noble J. Johnson of Indiana; Jamie L. Whitten of Mississippi; Walter C. Ploeser of Missouri; Pete Jarman of Alabama; and Robert A. Grant of Indiana. Department of Navy personnel on tour: Wilfred J. McNeil (Fiscal Director); Rear Admiral Ezra G. Allen (Director of Budget and Reports); Captain Wilbur E. Kellum (Bureau of Medicine and Surgery); Commander Earle D. Chainey (Congressional Liaison Officer, Bureau of Supplies and Accounts), Lt. Charles F. Armstrong (Deputy Assistant Director, Photography Division); and Yeoman 1/c Salvatore J. Da Frenda. Footage includes scenes of Leyte in the Philippine Islands, an aerial view of the ocean and ships from a plane as well as scenes of soldiers and native people in the tropics; a cockfight; the boarding of ships; and conversations between civilians and officers. Time: 6 minutes, 2 seconds.
Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_16mm_4).

16mm Film 5. **Congressional Inspection of Naval Activities (8 of 8).** 1 June 1945 – 12 July 1945. Congressman participating in inspection tour: Harry R. Shepherd of California (Chair of Naval Subcommittee of the House Appropriations Committee); Noble J. Johnson of Indiana; Jamie L. Whitten of Mississippi; Walter C. Ploeser of Missouri; Pete Jarman of Alabama; and Robert A. Grant of Indiana. Department of Navy personnel on tour: Wilfred J. McNeil (Fiscal Director); Rear Admiral Ezra G. Allen (Director of Budget and Reports); Captain Wilbur E. Kellum (Bureau of Medicine and Surgery); Commander Earle D. Chainey (Congressional Liaison Officer, Bureau of Supplies and Accounts), Lt. Charles F. Armstrong (Deputy Assistant Director, Photography Division); and Yeoman 1/c Salvatore J. Da Frenda. Footage of Bermuda (road, buildings, landscape, ocean, city, military personnel and civilians on small boat with American flag), Washington, DC (plane landing and military personnel and civilians including U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten disembarking). Time: 12 minutes, 11 seconds.
Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_16mm_5).

16mm Film 6. **Congressional Inspection of Naval Activities (5 of 8).** 1 June 1945 – 12 July 1945. Congressman participating in inspection tour: Harry R. Shepherd of California (Chair of Naval Subcommittee of the House Appropriations Committee); Noble J. Johnson of Indiana; Jamie L. Whitten of Mississippi; Walter C. Ploeser of Missouri; Pete Jarman of Alabama; and Robert A. Grant of Indiana. Department of Navy personnel on tour: Wilfred J. McNeil (Fiscal Director); Rear Admiral Ezra G. Allen (Director of Budget and Reports); Captain Wilbur E. Kellum (Bureau of Medicine and Surgery); Commander Earle D. Chainey (Congressional Liaison Officer, Bureau of Supplies and Accounts), Lt. Charles F. Armstrong (Deputy Assistant Director, Photography Division); and Yeoman 1/c Salvatore J. Da Frenda. Footage includes scenes of U.S. Naval ships at sea, shipwrecks, a harbor with small craft, and a seaplane providing aerial views; Subic Bay, Philippine Islands (military camp, locals, aerial views, city streets, man getting a haircut); Kunming, China (airplane, locals on city streets); Chungking, China (children, city streets); Calcutta, India (city streets and locals); Karachi, India (street and locals). Time: 22 minutes, 9 seconds.
Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_16mm_6).

16mm Film 7. **Congressional Inspection of Naval Activities (6 of 8).** 1 June 1945 – 12 July 1945. Congressman participating in inspection tour: Harry R. Shepherd of California (Chair of Naval Subcommittee of the House Appropriations Committee); Noble J. Johnson of Indiana; Jamie L. Whitten of Mississippi; Walter C. Ploeser of Missouri; Pete Jarman of Alabama; and Robert A. Grant of Indiana. Department of Navy personnel on tour: Wilfred J. McNeil (Fiscal Director); Rear Admiral Ezra G. Allen (Director of Budget and Reports); Captain Wilbur E. Kellum (Bureau of Medicine and Surgery); Commander Earle D. Chainey (Congressional Liaison Officer, Bureau of Supplies and Accounts), Lt.

Charles F. Armstrong (Deputy Assistant Director, Photography Division); and Yeoman 1/c Salvatore J. Da Frenda. Footage shows scenes of Egypt (aerial shots of the desert and the coast, pyramids, the Sphinx, Arabs, camels and horses, Cairo streets, boats on the Nile); Rome, Italy (volcano crater, plazas, buildings, ancient ruins, streets); and Anzio, Italy (roads, modern ruins and streets, and the U.S. Military Cemetery at Nettuno). Time: 11 minutes, 17 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_16mm_7).

16mm Film 8. **Congressional Inspection of Naval Activities (1 of 8).** 1 June 1945 – 12 July 1945.

Congressman participating in inspection tour: Harry R. Shepherd of California (Chair of Naval Subcommittee of the House Appropriations Committee); Noble J. Johnson of Indiana; Jamie L. Whitten of Mississippi; Walter C. Ploeser of Missouri; Pete Jarman of Alabama; and Robert A. Grant of Indiana. Department of Navy personnel on tour: Wilfred J. McNeil (Fiscal Director); Rear Admiral Ezra G. Allen (Director of Budget and Reports); Captain Wilbur E. Kellum (Bureau of Medicine and Surgery); Commander Earle D. Chainey (Congressional Liaison Officer, Bureau of Supplies and Accounts), Lt. Charles F. Armstrong (Deputy Assistant Director, Photography Division); and Yeoman 1/c Salvatore J. Da Frenda. Footage begins with Washington DC (Jefferson Memorial and Washington Monument, aerial views); Oakland, California (men entering plane, aerial views); Oahu, Territory of Hawaii (tour party poses, rainbow, beach scenes, mountain, city streets, flowers, cows, lei makers, planes, artillery shots at a firing range, hand-to-hand combat training, flame thrower demonstration, tank, plane landing and passengers taking off); Palmyra, Line Islands (aerial view, disembarking from plane, landscape); Upola, Samoa Islands (aerial views, landscape, plane, beach with local boats, delegation with local man, airfield, loading of plane, aerial views); Tutuila, Samoa Islands (caption but no images follow). Time: 21 minutes, 19 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_16mm_8.

16mm Film 10. **Congressional Inspection of Naval Activities (3 of 8).** 1 June 1945 – 12 July 1945.

Congressman participating in inspection tour: Harry R. Shepherd of California (Chair of Naval Subcommittee of the House Appropriations Committee); Noble J. Johnson of Indiana; Jamie L. Whitten of Mississippi; Walter C. Ploeser of Missouri; Pete Jarman of Alabama; and Robert A. Grant of Indiana. Department of Navy personnel on tour: Wilfred J. McNeil (Fiscal Director); Rear Admiral Ezra G. Allen (Director of Budget and Reports); Captain Wilbur E. Kellum (Bureau of Medicine and Surgery); Commander Earle D. Chainey (Congressional Liaison Officer, Bureau of Supplies and Accounts), Lt. Charles F. Armstrong (Deputy Assistant Director, Photography Division); and Yeoman 1/c Salvatore J. Da Frenda. Footage begins with scenes from Guam, Marianas Islands (aerial view from plane, officers and civilian visitors posing and talking, roads, United States military cemetery); Tinian, Marianas Islands (aerial view from plane, local people, plane landing); Saipan, Marianas Islands (aerial view of fleet at sea, local children, buildings, large march of local civilians with route guarded by soldiers, traffic, beach, sunset, aerial view); Iwo Jima, Kazan Islands (aerial view of fleet and island, jeeps on cliff road, mountain views, display of Japanese flag and weapons, civilian tour conducted by military personnel with exploration of caves, pouring water into basin, American flag on pole, air field and planes in air, aerial view). Time: 17 minutes, 42 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_16mm_10).

16mm Film 11. **Television Program "Citizens' Council Forum" with Guest U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten.** Circa 1962-1963. Topics covered include Whitten's membership on the Appropriations Committee and America's proposed \$100 million dollar loan to the United Nations. Time: 12 minutes, 27 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_16mm_11.

Quad Tape (1 inch) 1. **Two Campaign Commercials for U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten.** [1992]. Two thirty-second campaign commercials "Paid for the by the Committee to Re-Elect Jamie Whitten, George P. Cossar Jr., Chairman." Time: 2 minutes, 18 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_1_quad_1.

Quad Tape (1 inch) 2. **University of Mississippi 1986 Graduation Day Ceremonies.** 2 June 1986. Includes University of Mississippi ROTC Commissioning Day and Graduation Day footage that focuses on U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten, and scenes of the university-wide commencement ceremony where Chancellor R. Gerald Turner introduces Whitten as commencement speaker. Time: 49 minutes, 25 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_1_quad_2.

Quad Tape (1 inch) 3. **Mississippi Farm Bureau's Jamie Whitten Day Celebration at the Mississippi Coliseum.** 25 January 1991. Welcome and invocation by Walt Grayson; presentation of colors by the Mississippi National Guard; Paul Otts performs his song "That Ragged Old Flag" in honor of Sgt. John Pittman; Guy Hovis sings several songs; introduction of imminent guests and those who assisted in the production of the event; performance of the Mississippi Mass Choir; performance by the 4th Marine Aircraft Wing Band; video preview of Mississippi Farm Bureau Federation's television show "Agri-View"; Whitten tribute speech by Dean Kleckner (president of the American Farm Bureau); tribute by Jerry Clower; tribute by President George H.W. Bush via telephone; tribute by Governor Ray Mabus; Grayson reads tribute letters by former presidents Ronald Reagan, Gerald Ford, and Richard Nixon; tribute by Don Waller (President of Mississippi Farm Bureau); film "The Jamie Whitten Story" prepared by the Mississippi Farm Bureau; remarks by Whitten; presentation of wood box crafted from wood in Whitten's district; singing of "The Battle Hymn of the Republic." Time: 1 hour, 38 minutes, 24 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_1_quad_3), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Quad Tape (1 inch) 4. **Holcut, Mississippi Ceremony with U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten.** 3-4 June 1986. Sporadic footage from Holcut, Mississippi memorial outdoor ceremony honoring the community's loss to the completion of the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway. Also includes portions of U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten's remarks on the Waterway at an Aberdeen, Mississippi outside event. Same occasion as appears in VHS 14 and VHS 15 but different footage. Time: 19 minutes, 33 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_1_quad_4).

Umatic 1. **Clear Creek Park Dedication Honoring U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten (Part 2 of 2).** Ceremony at Clear Creek Park on the Sardis Reservoir in Mississippi honoring the contributions of U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten (Part 2 of 2). University of Mississippi Chancellor Porter L Fortune introduces Whitten. Time: 17 minutes, 16 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_1.

Umatic 3. **BizNet News Today Interview with U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten.** 20 February 1984. BizNet News Today interview with Jamie Whitten discussing the line-item veto; the Appropriations Committee; and changes Whitten has seen during his tenure in Congress. Time: 4 minutes, 10 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_umatic_3), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Umatic 5. **Jamie L. Whitten Speech at Sperry PAC Meeting in Washington, DC.** 31 May 1981. Jamie L. Whitten's speech at the Sperry PAC meeting at the Mayflower Hotel in Washington, DC. Discussion of current budget bill; House Appropriations Committee and its former chair George H. Mahon; Whitten's tenure in the Mississippi Legislature; foreign automobiles; economic impact of environmental regulation; working towards a balanced budget; 4-H Clubs; city garden programs; overriding President Eisenhower's veto of the Public Works bill. Whitten responds to questions. Followed by a segment on the issues management program by Elizabeth Hanlan (Director of Regulatory Affairs at Sperry) and scheduling information. Time: 42 minutes, 22 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_umatic_5), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Umatic 6. **Event Celebrating the Incorporation of Southaven, Mississippi.** 1980. Begins with the playing of the national anthem and a prayer. Unidentified man discusses Southaven's history, present, and future. Gary Smith, president of Southaven Area Chamber of Commerce, introduces distinguished guests. Unidentified man introduces state legislator Don Chambliss who discusses the process of incorporating Southaven and introduces the community's new officials. Unidentified man presents the charter for the city of Southaven and the commissions for mayor and aldermen. The mayor introduces U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten who speaks and then swears in the officials. The mayor addresses the crowd and introduces his family; aldermen then introduce their families. Officials introduce and vote on a number of ordinances. Crowd scenes at conclusion of program. Time: 51 minutes, 15 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_umatic_6), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Umatic 7. **Jamie L. Whitten's Testimony before the House Rules Committee on the First Concurrent Resolution on Fiscal Year 1983.** 20 May 1982. Jamie Whitten's testimony includes discussion of Appropriations Committee amendments to the resolution. Followed by exchange of questions and comments by Rules Committee members Richard Bolling, Claude Pepper, Shirley Chisholm, and Butler Carson Derrick. Testimony of U.S. Representative Stanford and Frank Wolfe on filed amendments regarding cost-of-living increases and pay adjustment increases for federal employees. Beginning of testimony of U.S. Representative Robert A. Roe on introduction of eleven amendments. Time: 25 minutes, 9 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_7.

Umatic 8. **National Center for Physical Acoustics Ceremony at the University of Mississippi.** 23 October 1987. Begins with Jamie L. Whitten's speech on the university, his service in Congress, and federal programs to raise national wealth. Includes footage of ceremonial turning of the first shovels of dirt followed by crowd scenes. University of Mississippi Chancellor Gerald Turner introduces Vice-Admiral Paul McCarthy who speaks on the importance of acoustics to the navy. Turner introduces Orville G. Bentley. Time: 20 minutes, 7 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_8.

Umatic 9. **Ole Miss Recruiting.** 1987. University of Mississippi recruitment video. Time: 11 minutes, 11 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_9.

Umatic 10. **The Jamie Lloyd Whitten Chair of Law and Government at the University of Mississippi.** February 1988. Slide show presentation for the University of Mississippi's Jamie L. Whitten Dinner to

raise funds for the Jamie L. Whitten Chair of Law and Government. Includes scenes of campus. Time: 32 minutes, 23 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_10.

Umatic 11a. **Raw Footage for a University of Mississippi Jamie L. Whitten Film.** Circa 1985. University of Mississippi campus and the Law School. Time: 6 minutes, 26 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_11.

Umatic 11b. **News Story on Jamie Whitten Appreciation Day at the University of Mississippi.**

September 1985. Event sponsored by the Mississippi Association of Conservation Districts and hosted by the University of Mississippi. Time: 3 minutes.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_11b.

Umatic 13. **More than a Promise: Appalachia Twenty Years Later.** 1985. Appalachian Regional Commission film on poverty of the Appalachian region and the history of the agency. Includes discussion of the Appalachian Development Highway System; domestic violence centers; partnership with the private sector to create industrial development and new jobs; health services; education; the system of development districts that gives local people the power to make decisions on the appropriate program for their area. Ends with footage regarding the congressional debate over the survival of the Appalachian Regional Commission including direct appeal by Senator Jennings Randolph and clips from House committee hearings. Time: 30 minutes, 25 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_umatic_13), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Umatic 14. **Gala Event for the Jamie Whitten Chair of Law and Government at the University of Mississippi (Part 1).** 23 February 1988. The Jamie Whitten Gala in Washington, DC to honor U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten and to celebrate the creation of the Jamie L. Whitten Chair of Law and Government at the University of Mississippi Law School. Introduction by Chancellor R. Gerald Turner. Tributes by W. Frederick Smith (Chairman of Federal Express Corporation); Ray Mabus (Governor of Mississippi); Mary Ann Mobley (National Chairperson of the Ole Miss Annual Fund). Mississippi Toni Seawright sings "Mississippi, I Love My Home." William F. Winter (former governor of Mississippi) discusses the University of Mississippi law School. Will Hickman (Board of Trustees, Mississippi Institutions of Higher Learning) outlines Whitten's education and career. Tribute by U.S. Representative Bob Michel. Time: 56 minutes, 40 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_14.

Umatic 15. **An Episode of the Television News Program "The Lawmakers" on Powerful Members of the U.S. House of Representatives out of the Public Eye.** 8 July 1982. Television news program "The Lawmakers" on powerful members of the U.S. House of Representatives not often in the public eye. Replays stories on Jamie L. Whitten and Silvio Conte from a 1981 episode. Time: 17 minutes.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_umatic_15), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Umatic 16. **Jamie L. Whitten, Representative of the People, Member of Congress.** 31 October 1991. Documentary on the life and career of U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten. Time: 16 minutes, 30 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_16.

Umatic 19. **U.S. House of Representatives Floor Debate on H.R. 3223 Agricultural Appropriations Fiscal Year 1984 (Part 3 of 3).** 8 June 1983. Jamie L. Whitten directs defense of the bill. Speakers include John T. Myers, Matthew F. McHugh, Harold Rogers, Daniel K. Akaka, Bill Emerson, Wes Watkins, Judd Gregg, John T. Myers, Bill Frenzel, Neal Smith, Baltasar Corrada, Trent Lott, George E. Brown Jr., Jamie L. Whitten, Berkley Bedell, and Bob Traxler. Followed by a reading of the bill by the clerk. John T. Myers speaks in support of Title 3 regarding Food Stamps. Voting on the bill begins. Time: 1 hour.
Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_19.

Umatic 19. **U.S. House of Representatives Floor Debate on H.R. 3223 Agricultural Appropriations Fiscal Year 1984 (Part 1 of 3).** 8 June 1983. Begins with vote on H.R. 220, followed by several other matters. Jamie L. Whitten directs defense of H.R. 3223. Speakers include Whitten, Bob Traxler, E. Thomas Coleman, William H. Natcher, John T. Myers, Matthew F. McHugh, and Harold Rogers. Time: 58 minutes, 35 seconds.
Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_19.

Umatic 23. **Gala Event for the Jamie Whitten Chair of Law and Government at the University of Mississippi (Part 2).** 23 February 1988. The Jamie Whitten Gala in Washington, DC to honor U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten and to celebrate the creation of the Jamie L. Whitten Chair of Law and Government at the University of Mississippi Law School. Tribute by Speaker of the House Jim Wright. University of Mississippi documentary saluting the career of Jamie L. Whitten, including clips with U.S. Representative Thomas S. Foley; Whitten; U.S. Representative Edward P. Boland; U.S. Representative William H. Natcher; U.S. Representative Silvio Conte. Remarks of Whitten. Howard McMillan (President of the Ole Miss Alumni Association) presents Centennial Alumni medallion to Jamie Whitten. Time: 29 minutes, 58 seconds.
Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_23.

Umatic 24a. **Clear Creek Park Dedication Honoring U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten (Part 1 of 2).** 28 July 1980. Ceremony at Clear Creek Park on the Sardis Reservoir in Mississippi honoring the contributions of U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten. Begins with the national anthem; followed by an invocation prayer; discussion of the Clear Creek Park Committee; presentation of the "Citizen of the Year" award to unidentified man; presentation of another award to an unidentified woman; reading of Oxford city resolution on Congressman Jamie Whitten Appreciation Day and presentation of a plaque to Whitten; speech by Governor William F. Winter and announcement of Jamie Whitten Day across the state; introduction of Whitten by University of Mississippi Chancellor Porter L. Fortune; remarks of Whitten; and conclusion of the program. Note: film jumps and skips. Time: 32 minutes, 25 seconds.
Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_24a.

Umatic 24b. **Ceremony Honoring William Millard Shoemaker.** Circa 1980. Ceremony honoring William Millard Shoemaker (member of the Mississippi Board of Trustees of State Institutions of Higher Learning from 1968 to 1980). Time: 6 minutes, 37 seconds.
Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_24b.

Umatic 25. **Jamie Whitten Remarks to the George McLean Leadership Conference at the University of Mississippi.** 3 September 1986. Time: 3 minutes, 51 seconds.
Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_25.

Umatic 26. **C-SPAN Interview with U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten.** 7 November 1983. Brian Lamb of C-SPAN interviews U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten. Discussion on what it means to be a

member of the U.S. House of Representatives; relationships with presidents; on advice for his successor; how government has changed during his service in public office; impact of television on politics; Appropriations committee and the continuing resolutions; special interests; defense spending; prospect of future world war; House Ways and Means Committee; U.S. Senate; presidential veto; and the U.S. Supreme Court. Time: 56 minutes, 25 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_umatic_26), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Umatic 27. **U.S. House of Representatives Floor Coverage of Closing Argument on Motion to Recommit, H.J. Res. 631 – Cont. Res. 14 December 1982.** C-Span coverage of remarks of Jamie Whitten on the floor of the U.S. House of Representatives; voting on motion to recommit with instructions; remarks of Jim Wright on voting schedule; motion for adjournment and voting on motion; remarks by Tip O’Neill on protocol followed by Robert H. Michel’s comments; motion to pass HR 7340 for inclusion on Oregon lands in the National Wilderness Preservation System; Louis Stokes on Committee on Standards of Official Conduct report and Robert S. Walker reserves the right to object; parliamentary inquiry by Claude Pepper; remarks of John F. Seilberling, Morris K. Udall, Denny Smith, and James Weaver on national forest lands and the wilderness system. Time: 32 minutes, 32 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_25.

Umatic 28. **U.S. House of Representatives Floor Coverage on Continuing Resolution on Appropriations.** 16 November 1981. C-Span coverage of House floor debate on continuing resolution on appropriations with remarks by Jamie L. Whitten. Time: 5 minutes, 38 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_28.

Umatic 29. **Raw Footage for Jamie L. Whitten Campaign Commercials.** Undated. Tallahatchie County road sign; Charleston road sign; Tallahatchie County Courthouse and square in Charleston; Cascilla road sign; Cascilla historic marker; Cascilla community; Whitten General Merchandise store in Cascilla; Cascilla Post Office building; Jamie L. Whitten Distinguished Service Award from the Americans for Constitutional Action; 1979 award to Whitten for “Dedicated Leadership and Service to Agriculture” from the National Association of State Universities and Land-Grant Colleges; Public Service Award to Whitten from the National Industrial Association; Dixie Thunder Certificate of Achievement to Whitten from the 155th Armored Brigade; photographs of Whitten; various plaques awarded to Whitten; media stories and personal correspondence about Whitten; scenes on the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway; campaign endorsements for Whitten from various people; miscellaneous scenes of people; aerial view of the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway; lumber stacks beside the river and on barges; traffic on Highway 78; golf course; and a campground on a lake. Time: 53 minutes, 27 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_29.

Umatic 30. **U.S. House of Representatives Floor Coverage of Jamie L. Whitten’s Tribute to Pete Murphy, Chief of Defense Appropriations Staff.** Undated. Tributes on the floor of the U.S. House of Representatives to Pete Murphey by Jamie L. Whitten and Silvio O. Conte. Time: 3 minutes, 47 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_30.

Umatic 31. **U.S. House of Representatives Floor Debate on H.R. 7591 on Agricultural Appropriations for Fiscal Year 1981.** Circa 1980. Remarks offered by Jamie L. Whitten. Time: 25 minutes, 20 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_31.

Umatic 33. **U.S. House of Representatives Floor Coverage on Reconsideration of H.R. 5922 Supplemental Appropriations for Housing in Fiscal Year 1982.** 24 June 1982. C-SPAN coverage of House floor with reading of president's remarks on his veto of H.R. 5922. Debate on reconsideration of the bill led by Jamie L. Whitten. Time: 19 minutes, 46 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as [whitten_umatic_33](#).

Umatic 34. **U.S. House of Representatives Floor Coverage of Consideration of HJR 325 on Continuing Resolutions for Fiscal Year 1982.** 30 September 1981. C-SPAN coverage of HJR 325 on continuing resolution of appropriations for fiscal year 1982: presentation of conference report on HJR 322; Jamie Whitten's remarks; questions from Robert S. Walker; remarks of Vic Fazio; question by David R. Obey; questions by Eugene Johnston; remarks of Silvio O. Conte; questions by John J. Rhodes; question by John H. Rousselot; question by Frank R. Wolf; remarks by Steny H. Hoyer; remarks by Clarence D. Long; remarks by Robert H. Michel. Time: 54 minutes, 46 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as [whitten_umatic_34](#).

Umatic 35. **U.S. House of Representatives Floor Coverage of H.J.R. 357 on Continuing Appropriations for Fiscal Year 1982.** 16 November 1981. C-SPAN coverage of House floor on H.J.R. 357 on continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1982 with remarks by Jamie Whitten and Silvio O. Conte. Time: 21 minutes, 13 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as [whitten_umatic_35](#).

Umatic 37. **U.S. House of Representatives Floor Coverage of H.J.R. 370 on Continuing Appropriations for Fiscal Year 1982 (Part 1).** 10 December 1981. C-SPAN coverage of the House floor on H.J.R. 370 with remarks by Jamie L. Whitten, James Florio, John S. Seiberling, Silvio O. Conte, Leon E. Panetta, Sidney R. Yates, Joseph M. McDade, James H. Scheuer, William H. Natcher, Parren J. Mitchell, Peter A. Peyser, Robert S. Walker, Bob Edgar, Bill Green, and J.J. Pickle. Time: 58 minutes, 11 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as [whitten_umatic_37](#).

Umatic 38. **U.S. House of Representatives Floor Coverage of H.J.R. 370 on Continuing Appropriations for Fiscal Year 1982 (Part 2).** 10 December 1981. C-SPAN coverage of the House floor on H.J.R. 370 with remarks by Silvio O. Conte; question by John T. Myers; question by Guy V. Molinari; remarks by David R. Obey; remarks by Neal Smith; remarks by John H. Rousselot; remarks by Jamie L. Whitten; motion to recommit resolution; remarks by William D. Ford; question by Jim Wright; remarks by Bob Edgar; remarks by Conte and Whitten; bill recommitted, reported back to the House with third reading of the bill and voting. Time: 38 minutes, 10 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as [whitten_umatic_38](#).

Umatic 39. **Dedication Ceremony of the Divide Section of the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway (Part 1).** 6 May 1984. Introduction by Glover Wilkins (Director of the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway Development Authority); invocation; national anthem; tribute to U.S. Representative Jack Edwards of Alabama; conveyance of communication from U.S. Representative Sonny Montgomery of Mississippi; tribute to U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten followed by Whitten's remarks; Whitten then serves as master of ceremonies introducing others making remarks: Alabama Governor George Wallace; U.S. Senator John C. Stennis of Mississippi; U.S. Senator Thad Cochran of Mississippi; former U.S. Representative Thomas G. Abernethy of Mississippi; U.S. Representative Jack Edwards of Alabama; U.S. Representative John Myers of Indiana; former Mississippi Governor J.P. Coleman; former Mississippi Governor William Winter; and U.S. Representative Don Sundquist of Tennessee. Recognition of various

military officers and business leaders present. Additional remarks by Whitten. Time: 1 hour, 55 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_39.

Umatic 40. U.S. House of Representatives Floor Coverage of Swearing-In Ceremony for Speaker of the House Tip O'Neill. 3 January 1985. C-SPAN coverage includes remarks by Minority Leader Robert H. Michel prior to his presentation of O'Neill as Speaker; remarks of O'Neill; Jamie L. Whitten as Dean of the House swears in O'Neill as Speaker of the House; presentation of the gavel to Michel; Majority Leader Jim Wright objects to swearing in of Rick McIntyre of Indiana; objection to swearing in of Stallings of Iowa; swearing in of all other members. Whitten submits H.R. 6 on swearing in of Tip O'Neill. Time: 19 minutes, 34 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_40.

Umatic 41. Jamie Whitten Pays Tribute to "Nana." 25 July 1992. Tribute by Jamie Whitten to "Nana" of Oxford, Mississippi. Two versions. Time: 3 minutes, 28 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_41.

Umatic 42. Holcut, Mississippi Ceremony and Aberdeen, Mississippi Event with U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten's Remarks. 3-4 June 1986. Sporadic footage from Holcut, Mississippi memorial outdoor ceremony honoring the community's loss to the completion of the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway. Also includes portions of U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten's remarks on the waterway at Aberdeen, Mississippi outside event. Same occasion as appears in VHS 14 and VHS 15 but different footage. Time: 12 minutes, 12 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_32.

Umatic 44. Raw Footage for Jamie L. Whitten Campaign Commercial. Undated. Endorsement by unidentified man; aerial views of countryside. Time: 7 minutes, 4 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_44.

Umatic 45. Raw Footage Possibly for Jamie L. Whitten Campaign Commercials. Undated. Jamie Whitten conversing with students on a campus; unidentified man speaks about business development in Mississippi; scenes of construction work on a river bridge; railroad bridge with oncoming train; river barge; Parieienne automobile. Time: 16 minutes, 48 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_45.

Umatic 46. Raw Footage of North Mississippi. Undated. Northwest Mississippi Junior College sign, football practice and campus building; Senatobia, Mississippi courthouse; Holly Springs, Mississippi highway bypass; Starkville, Mississippi Ford Mercury automobile dealer sign, lot, and repair shop. Time: 16 minutes, 36 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_46.

Umatic 47. Raw Footage of North Mississippi. 22 September 1986. Tree Farm sign and woods; scenes of the University of Mississippi campus; Sardis Lake; The Jeweler's Bench store. Time: 18 minutes, 30 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_47.

Umatic 49. **Raw Footage of North Mississippi.** 23 September 1987. Northeast Mississippi Junior College campus scenes; Bay Springs marina, lock & dam, and lake; house; old barn; Itawamba Junior College. Time: 23 minutes, 48 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_49.

Umatic 50. **Excerpt from Television Program “The Lawmakers” on Subject of Budget Hearings.** 11 February 1982. Includes a clip of House Appropriations Chairman Jamie Whitten during hearings. Time: 7 minutes, 9 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_umatic_50), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Umatic 51. **Dedication Ceremony of the Divide Section of the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway (Part 2).** 6 May 1984. Master of Ceremonies Jamie Whitten introduces speaker Lieutenant General Joseph K. Bratton of the Corps of Engineers. Time: 14 minutes, 53 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_51.

Umatic 52A. **Excerpt from the television program “The Lawmakers.”** Undated. Excerpt from the television program “The Lawmakers” on overriding the presidential veto of a supplemental appropriations bill. Includes a clip of Jamie Whitten on the floor of the U.S. House of Representatives. Time: 4 minutes, 22 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_umatic_52A), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Umatic 52. **Five Thirty-Second Campaign Commercials for Jamie Whitten.** 1986. “Paid for by the Committee to Re-Elect Congressman Jamie Whitten, George Payne Cossar Jr., Chairman.” Five commercials with the slogans: “The Most Effective Chairman in the U.S. House of Representatives”; “Jamie Whitten Speaks Up”; “Jamie Is Effective”; “Jamie Gets Things Done”; and “I’m Proud.” Time: 4 minutes, 27 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_52.

Umatic 52B. U.S. Senator Daniel P. Moynihan Press Conference. 1982. Press conference of U.S. Senator Daniel P. Moynihan who responds to questions on the Falklands War between Argentina and Great Britain; Cuba; weapon sales to Taiwan; and the 1962 Accords with the Soviet Union. Time: 8 minutes, 35 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_umatic_52B), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

Umatic 54. **Raw Footage.** 30 September 1986. Mooreville-Richmond Water Association building; Mississippi National Guard building in Tupelo, Mississippi; American flag waving in wind; military helicopters on the ground; young children in a clothing store; exterior of Children’s Sample Shop, All American Plaza store, and National Men’s & Ladies’ Wear building. Time: 17 minutes, 6 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_54.

Umatic 55. **Four Thirty-Second Campaign Commercials for Jamie Whitten.** 20 October 1986. “Paid for by the Committee to Re-Elect Congressman Jamie Whitten, George Payne Cossar Jr., Chairman.” Four commercials: “County First”; “Height of Effectiveness”; “Effective Chairman”; and “Whitten Supports.” Time: 4 minutes, 8 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_55.

Umatic 57. **Raw Footage.** Undated. Itawamba Junior College sign; boat entering a river marina; barn and cattle; and a bypass on Highway 78. Time: 8 minutes, 47 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_57

VHS 1. **Jamie Whitten 1992 Television Campaign Commercials.** 30 September 1992; 9 October 1991. Four thirty-second television campaign commercials "Paid for by the Committee to Re-Elect Jamie Whitten, George P. Cossar, Chairman": "Highest Esteem" (produced 30 September 1992); "Combat Crime" (produced 30 September 1992); "Key Role" (produced 30 September 1992); "Our Congressman" (produced 9 October 1992). All four commercials then repeated in the second half of the recording. Time: 8 minutes, 4 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_VHS_1.

VHS 2. **Episode #313 of Television News Program "The Lawmakers" on the Federal Budget Process, U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten and U.S. Representative Silvio Conte.** 3 December 1981. Provides overview of the current conflict between Congress and President Ronald Reagan over the budget along with biographical overviews and interviews of U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten (Chairman of the House Appropriations Committee) and U.S. Representative Silvio Conte (Ranking Republican on the Appropriations Committee). Time: 30 minutes.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_VHS_2), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

VHS 3. **"Focus" Television Program with Guest U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten.** December 1991. Television news program "Focus" with guest U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten. Discussion of Whitten's early political career; federal support for rural programs; World War II; civil rights movement; chairmanship of the House Appropriations Committee; Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway; the solid rocket motor plant at Iuka, Mississippi; and the U.S. economy. Time: 29 minutes, 38 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_VHS_3), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

VHS 4. **"Welcome Home" Jamie & Rebecca Whitten: A Tribute by the People of Tallahatchie County, Mississippi.** 4 December 1994. Tribute program in Charleston, Mississippi for U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten and his wife Rebecca Whitten. Begins with master of ceremonies George P. Cossar Jr.; invocation by Fester Taylor; the singing of the national anthem led by Louanne Cossar; Sergeant Cliff Olson narrating the Mississippi Army National Guard program "Flags over Mississippi"; welcome statement by Charleston Mayor Robert Rowe and reading of resolution on Jamie L. Whitten Day; Buddy Bishop talking on behalf of current and former Whitten staff members, pages, and academy appointees; recognition of Tallahatchie County Friends of Jamie Whitten committee members and other who assisted with the program; reading of letter written by Whitten to the Board of Supervisors regarding the donation of books and memorabilia to the county library; welcome home tribute by Janette Breedlove and presentation of book of letters from friends; Whitten thanks audience for their support and the welcome home; and singing of "God Bless America." Includes footage of the reception that followed the program. Time: 46 minutes, 22 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_VHS_4.

VHS 5. **U.S. House of Representatives Floor Coverage: Tributes Honoring Jamie L. Whitten.** 19 September 1994. U.S. House of Representatives floor coverage of tributes to Jamie Whitten by his colleagues: G.V. (Sonny) Montgomery, Toby Roth, Ike Skelton, Gene Taylor, Frank R. Wolf, Pat Roberts,

Benjamin A. Gilman, Earl Hutto, David R. Obey, Bennie Thompson, Henry B. Gonzalez, Thomas J. Barlow III, Harold L. Volkmer, Mike Parker, Barbara B. Kennelly, Steny H. Hoyer, Harold E. Ford, and E. de la Garza. Whitten thanks colleagues for tributes. Time: 1 hour, 21 minutes, 3 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_VHS_5.

VHS 7. Scenes of U.S. Representative Jamie Whitten's Office. 27 September 1991. Footage of office space and staff. Time: 2 minutes, 12 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_VHS_7.

VHS 8. The University of Mississippi Jamie L. Whitten Dinner in Washington, DC. The dinner honors Whitten and celebrates the creation of the Jamie L. Whitten Chair of Law and Government at the University of Mississippi. Introduction by Chancellor R. Gerald Turner. Tributes by W. Frederick Smith (Chairman of Federal Express Corporation); Ray Mabus (Governor of Mississippi); Mary Ann Mobley (National Chairperson of the Ole Miss Annual Fund). Miss Mississippi Toni Seawright sings "Mississippi, I Love My Home." William F. Winter (former governor of Mississippi) discusses the University of Mississippi Law School. Will Hickman (Board of Trustees, Mississippi Institution of Higher Learning) outlines Whitten's education and career. Tributes by U.S. Representative Bob Michel and Speaker of the House Jim Wright. University of Mississippi documentary saluting the career of Jamie L. Whitten, including clips with U.S. Representative Thomas S. Foley; Whitten; U.S. Representative Edward P. Boland; U.S. Representative William H. Natcher; and U.S. Representative Silvio Conte. Remarks of Whitten. Howard McMillan (President of the Ole Miss Alumni Association) presents Centennial Alumni medallion to Whitten. Time: 49 minutes, 11 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_VHS_8.

VHS 9. On the 8th Day. [1984]. BBC documentary on the consequences of a nuclear war. Discusses a November 1983 United States-Soviet Union conference on the subject; historical use and testing of nuclear weapons; weapons numbers and strategy; and the development of the nuclear winter theory by scientists. Time: 1 hour.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_VHS_9), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

VHS 10. Breaking the Spell: US/Soviet Dialogue. 13 February 1985. Forum on potential consequences of nuclear warfare with panelists from the United States and the Soviet Union. Moderated by Father Ted Hesburg (President of Notre Dame University). Panelists include Dr. Carl Sagan of Cornell University; Roald Sagdeev (Director of Institute of Space Research in Moscow); Admiral Noel Gayler (Retired); Dr. Gyorgi Arbatov (Director of Institute of USA/Canada Studies in Moscow). Time: 1 hour, 30 minutes, 30 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_VHS_10), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

VHS 11. Election '80 (Jamie L. Whitten). 14 October 1980. Public service television program featuring candidate Jamie L. Whitten for reelection to the U.S. House of Representatives. Discussion of Whitten's chairmanship of the House Appropriations Committee; U.S. economy; support for small businesses; U.S. budget and continuing resolutions; rural water systems; his hometown of Cascilla, Mississippi; rural housing; energy; lignite in Mississippi; Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway; agriculture; influence of television on politics; staying in touch with constituents; Federal Reserve and interest rates; growth of the Sun Belt. Time: 29 minutes.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_VHS_11), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

VHS 14. Aberdeen, Mississippi Event Including Speech by U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten. 4 June 1986. Scenes of an outside event at Aberdeen, Mississippi including informal conversations with U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten and his speech on the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway. Same occasion as appears in VHS 6A and VHS 15 but different footage. Time: 17 minutes, 53 seconds.
Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_VHS_14.

VHS 15. U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten on the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway and His Arrival at Aberdeen, Mississippi Event. 4 June 1986. Scenes of Jamie L. Whitten on a boat on the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway in informal conversation with others. Includes shots of a lock and dam and arrival at Aberdeen, Mississippi event. Same occasion as appears in VHS 6A and VHS 14 but different footage. Time: 19 minutes, 24 seconds.
Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_VHS_15.

VHS 18. Beginning of the End of Communism. Circa 1980s. Dr. D. James Kennedy of Coral Springs Ministries in Fort Lauderdale, Florida speaks from the pulpit on the decline of communism and the need for U.S. aid to freedom fighters. Following the sermon Kennedy talks with Dr. Jack Wheeler of the Freedom Research Foundation in Malibu, California on the subject of communism and the need for U.S. support of liberation movements in Nicaragua, Angola, Mozambique, Ethiopia, Cambodia, Laos, Vietnam, and Afghanistan. Finally, Kennedy promotes the book A Christian Guide to Prosperity. Time: 40 minutes, 42 seconds.
Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_VHS_18), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

VHS 19A. Jamie Whitten 1986 Television Campaign Commercials. 1986. Nine thirty-second campaign commercials "Paid for by the Committee to Re-Elect Jamie Whitten, George P. Cossar Jr., Chairman." All include the tag line "The Most Effective Committee Chairman in the U.S. House of Representatives." Time: 6 minutes, 21 seconds.
Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_19a.

VHS 19B. Opening Day Ceremonies of Yellow Creek Port on the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway. 7 May 1985. Includes pre-program footage of the crowd, the river, and the military band. Unidentified man from the Tennessee Valley Authority welcomes crowd; invocation by Reverend Henry Damon Sr.; singing of the national anthem led by Judy Ervin; address by U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten who also introduces guests seated at the podium and serves as master of ceremonies; speech by General John F. Wall of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; speech by Governor Bill Allain; presentation of two plaques to Whitten; Mississippi Speaker of the House Buddie Newman presents resolution to Whitten; welcome by Hoyt Strickland and presentation of plaque to Whitten, followed by more crowd scenes at the end of the program. Time: 47 minutes, 37 seconds.
Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_19B.

VHS 19D. Jamie Whitten 1986 Television Campaign Commercials. 1986. Four thirty-second campaign commercials "Paid for by the Committee to Re-Elect Jamie Whitten, George P. Cossar Jr., Chairman." All include the tag line "The Most Effective Committee Chairman in the U.S. House of Representatives." Time: 3 minutes, 23 seconds.
Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_19D.

VHS 20. **The Silent Scream.** 1984. A pro-life documentary on abortion narrated by Dr. Bernard N. Nathanson. Contains scenes of fetus via ultrasound, a first trimester suction abortion, and aborted fetuses. Time: 30 minutes, 37 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_VHS_20), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

VHS 21. **Kids in the Crossfire: Violence in America.** 1993. A live special moderated by ABC news anchor Peter Jennings at Elliott Junior High School in Washington, DC on violence among children in America. Time: 45 minutes, 28 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_VHS_21), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

VHS 22. **The Doctor of Chiropractic Scientifically Based, Proven Safe and Effective, Professionally Trained for Primary Care.** 1994. A health-care reform lobbying film on behalf of the State Chiropractic Association and the American Chiropractic Association seeking support for “chiropractic full scope-of-practice services in any federally defined minimum benefits package” as well as a series of freedom to choose provisions. Includes discussion of the scientific basis of chiropractics and the training involved in the practice. Time: 14 minutes, 43 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_VHS_22), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

VHS 25. **Mississippi Farm Bureau’s Jamie Whitten Day Celebration at the Mississippi Coliseum.** 25 January 1991. Welcome and invocation by Walt Grayson; presentation of colors by the Mississippi National Guard; Paul Otts performs his song “That Ragged Old Flag” in honor of Sgt. John Pittman; Guy Hovis sings several songs; introduction of imminent guests and those who assisted in the production of the event; performance of the Mississippi Mass Choir; performance by the 4th Marine Aircraft Wing Band; video preview of Mississippi Farm Bureau Federation’s television show “Agri-View”; Whitten tribute speech by Dean Kleckner (president of the American Farm Bureau); tribute by Jerry Clower; tribute by President George H.W. Bush via telephone; tribute by Governor Ray Mabus; Grayson reads tribute letters by former presidents Ronald Reagan, Gerald Ford, and Richard Nixon; tribute by Don Waller (President of Mississippi Farm Bureau); film “The Jamie Whitten Story” prepared by the Mississippi Farm Bureau; remarks by Whitten; presentation of wood box crafted from wood in Whitten’s district; singing of “The Battle Hymn of the Republic.” Time: 2 hours, 25 minutes, 40 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_VHS_25), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

VHS 26. **U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten Public Service Announcement on the 4-H Club.** 9 December 1988. Time: 2 minutes, 55 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_26.

VHS 29. **U.S. Army Engineer Waterways Experiment Station.** 8 August 1991. U.S. Army Corps of Engineers information film about soil erosion in the lower Mississippi River district and the search for a systematic solution with the Demonstration Erosion Control (DEC) project. Time: 9 minutes, 32 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_VHS_29.

VHS 30. **Three 1992 Television Campaign Commercials for Jamie Whitten.** 15 September 1992. Three thirty-second commercials with the tag line "Stand up for Jamie Whitten Because He Stands up for Mississippi." Time: 3 minutes, 6 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_VHS_30.

VHS 32. **John C. Stennis Space Center.** 1991. Information about the history and work of the John C. Stennis Space Center in Mississippi. Includes discussions of the physical layout and infrastructure; the NASA space program; remote sensing studies; geographic information systems; the U.S. Navy (Naval Oceanography Command); the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (National Data Buoy Center and National Marine Fisheries Service); the Environmental Protection Agency (Environmental Chemistry Laboratory and Gulf of Mexico program); U.S. Geological Survey (National Mapping Division); the Mississippi Army Ammunition Plant; technology transfer programs; educational opportunities; visitor education programs; U.S. Senator John C. Stennis; and the future of the space program. Time: 15 minutes, 46 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_VHS_32.

VHS 33. **U.S. House of Representatives Floor Coverage: Tributes Honoring Jamie L. Whitten for 50 Years of Service in the U.S. House of Representatives.** 5 November 1991. Richard B. Gephardt serves as Speaker Pro Temp. House Chaplain Rev. James David Ford offers prayer; Craig Thomas leads pledge of allegiance. Tributes by colleagues G.V. (Sonny) Montgomery, Mike Espy, Mike Parker, Gene Taylor, William H. Natcher, Marcy Kaptur, Tom Bevill, Nancy Pelosi, John T. Myers, Louis Stokes, William Lehman, Richard J. Durbin, Matthew F. McHugh, Bill Alexander, and Jack Brooks. Remarks by Whitten. More tributes by colleagues David R. Obey, Sidney R. Yates, Ray Thornton, John D. Dingell, Nancy Johnson, Joseph D. Early, Leon E. Panetta, Neal Smith, Thomas J. Downey, Dan Glickman, Vic Fazio, Don Edwards, Bill Emerson, Neil Abercrombie, J.J. Pickle, Carroll Hubbard Jr., and Eleanor Holmes Norton. Time: 1 hour, 3 minutes, 39 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_VHS_33.

VHS 38. **Raw Footage of University of Mississippi Jamie Whitten Dinner in Washington, DC.** 23 February 1988. Unedited footage of University of Mississippi Jamie Whitten Dinner in Washington, DC used in creation of final product (VHS 8). Introduction by Chancellor R. Gerald Turner. Tributes by W. Frederick Smith (Chairman of Federal Express Corporation); Ray Mabus (Governor of Mississippi); Mary Ann Mobley (National Chairperson of the Ole Miss Annual Fund). Miss Mississippi Toni Seawright sings "Mississippi, I Love My Home." William F. Winter (former governor of Mississippi) discusses the University of Mississippi Law School. Will Hickman (Board of Trustees, Mississippi Institutions of Higher Learning) outlines Whitten's education and career. Tributes by U.S. Representative Bob Michel and Speaker of the House Jim Wright. University of Mississippi documentary saluting the career of Jamie L. Whitten, including clips with U.S. Representative Thomas S. Foley; Whitten; U.S. Representative Edward P. Boland; U.S. Representative William H. Natcher; U.S. Representative Silvio Conte. Remarks of Whitten. Howard McMillan (President of the Ole Miss Alumni Association) presents Centennial Alumni medallion to Whitten. Time: 1 hour, 26 minutes, 28 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_umatic_38.

VHS 55. **Election of Thomas S. Foley and Speaker of the House and His Swearing-in by the Dean of the House Jamie L. Whitten.** 6 June 1989. Remarks of Robert H. Michel as Minority Leader before presenting the Speaker's gavel to Foley. Remarks of Foley. Jamie L. Whitten, as Dean of the House, swears in Foley. House Resolutions 166 and 167 informing the Senate and the President of the election of Foley as Speaker. Time: 34 minutes, 59 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_VHS_55.

VHS 57. Establishment of the Jamie Whitten Chair of Law and Government at the University of Mississippi Law School. October 1989. Documentary created to honor the establishment of the Jamie Whitten Chair of Law and Government at the University of Mississippi Law School. Brief description of the Law School; biographical overview of Whitten; announcement of first recipient of the position, former governor William Winter. Time: 8 minutes, 46 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_VHS_57.

VHS 58. Soil Erosion in Tippah County, Mississippi. [1980s]. Unidentified man describes and provides demonstrations of soil erosion in Tippah County, Mississippi. Includes images of creek banks, culverts, and bidges as well as attempts by farmer to curb erosion. James Murphey from the Muddy Creek Drainage District discusses soil erosion in his area. Time: 15 minutes, 42 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_VHS_58), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

VHS 60. Guardfest '87, Training and Equipment Expo at Camp McCain, Mississippi. 30 August 1987. Views of Guardfest '87 Training and Equipment Expo at Camp McCain. Includes scenes of exhibit tents, the crowd, flying helicopters and planes, and Jamie Whitten's arrival. Program includes posting of the colors; the national anthem; invocation by Chaplain Winston; unidentified officer of the Mississippi National Guard welcomes crowd, identifies platform guests and reads letters from those absent to Whitten; speech by Mayor L.D. Boone of Grenada; unidentified officer discusses Camp McCain and the dedication of its new Jamie L. Whitten Army National Guard Training Complex; remarks by Whitten; and benedictions. Unveiling of "Jamie L. Whitten Army National Training Complex" sign; views of paratroopers landing and a helicopter flying a supply load. Time: 54 minutes, 26 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_VHS_60), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

VHS 61. News Coverage of the Opening of the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway. 1 June 1985. News coverage by Terry Smith of WTVA of Tupelo, Mississippi. Ceremony includes speeches by Kentucky Governor Martha Layne Collins (chair of Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway Development Authority); Glover Wilkins (administrator emeritus of Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway Development Authority); Governor Bill Allain of Mississippi; Lieutenant Governor Bill Baxley of Alabama; Lieutenant Governor John S. Wilder of Tennessee. Commercial break. More speeches by U.S. Representative Tom Bevill of Alabama; U.S. Senator John Stennis of Mississippi. Commercial break. Speeches by U.S. Senator Thad Cochran of Mississippi; U.S. Senator Howell Heflin of Alabama. Commercial break. Speeches by U.S. Senator Jeremiah Denton of Alabama; U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten of Mississippi; U.S. Representative Sonny Montgomery of Mississippi. Commercial break. Speeches by U.S. Representative Richard Shelby of Kentucky; U.S. Representative Louis Stokes of Ohio. Presentation of members of Congress who are present. Commercial break. Continuation of dignitary introductions during commentary by reporter Terry Smith. Robert Dawson introduces speaker U.S. Secretary of the Army John O. Marsh Jr. Commercial break. Commentary by reporter Smith followed by a historical retrospective on the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway. Smith then interviews U.S. Senator Jeremiah Denton of Alabama. Commercial break. Smith introduces report by Rex Baker on the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway flotilla followed by an interview with General Forrest Gay of the Corps of Engineers. Commercial break. Smith interviews Mayor Thomas Griffith of Amory; introduces coverage of Governor Bill Allain's news conference earlier that day on the Waterway; and then Smith provides a final wrap-up of coverage. Time: 1 hour, 59 minutes, 57 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_VHS_61), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

VHS 73. **CNBC News Coverage.** 5 November 1991. CNBC news coverage "The Money Wheel" with anchor Ted David. Begins with discussion of the stock market and failure to increase the rate of postage stamps. Commercial break. Irving R. Levine reports on the Federal Reserve and interest rates followed by a panel of guests discussing the same topic: Rosanne Cahn, Pierre Ellis, and Roy Blumberg. Commercial break. Discussion on the Federal Reserve and economy with panel of guests. Dan Dorman reporting on Maytag. Commercial break. David reports on Robert Maxwell missing at sea; Federal Reserve and interest rates; third-quarter corporate earnings of Chiquita Brands and Reynolds & Reynolds; World Bank aid to Soviet Union; stock market report. David talks with Michael Jenkins about the economy. David reports on Chrysler sales; productivity of American workers. Lisa Myers report on status of campaign promise by President George Bush in 1988. Commercial break. David talks with Bill Griffith on the options market. David reports on Honda car sales. Commercial break. Stock market information provided. David reports on Toshiba's development of the smallest electric motor ever made. Commercial break. Dean Shepherd and Sue Herera take over anchor duties of "The Money Wheel" reporting on Robert Maxwell's loss at sea; Walt Disney; Delta; market report; Roy Blumberg discusses the day's stock market activity; market report; auction of Department of Treasury notes; Federal Reserve and interest rates; automobile makers' sales; McDonnell Douglas. Commercial break. "Tech Talk" with Dean Shepherd on Kennedy Gammage and John Murphy on McClelland Oscillator index. Herera reports on Maxwell. Commercial break. "Tech Talk" continues with a look at Summation Index. Dorman reports on Maytag. Commercial break. Shepherd and Herera report on discovery of Maxwell's body; Walt Disney. Time: 1 hour, 29 minutes, 25 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_VHS_73), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

VHS 75. **The Bounty Above.** Undated. Informational video about how the United States profits from its space programs; communications, position location, navigation, weather monitoring, remote sensing, and war. Encourages continued cooperation between business, government, and universities. Time: 14 minutes, 18 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_VHS_75), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

VHS 77. **Mississippi Salutes Jamie Whitten.** Undated. Slide show on U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten's life and service to Mississippi. Discusses soil conservation; flood control; harbors at Pascagoula and Greenville; Appalachian Regional Council; rural services; extension services; 4-H Club; and Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway. Time: 18 minutes, 4 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_VHS_77.

VHS 78. **Soil Erosion along Unidentified Creek.** 1991. Footage of soil erosion along unidentified creek during rain storm; a collapsed bridge over a creek; followed by a portion of the television program on WMC TV5 "NBA All-Star Stay-in-School Jam" and a portion of a daytime soap opera and the Soap Opera Awards. Time: 2 hours, 3 minutes, 12 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_VHS_78), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

VHS 79. **Soil Erosion along Tallahatchie River in Union County.** Undated. Time: 5 minutes, 49 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_VHS_79.

VHS 80. **Soil Erosion along the Tippah River in Marshall County, Mississippi.** Undated. Includes scenes of a road at risk from erosion. Time: 12 minutes, 4 seconds.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_VHS_80.

VHS 88. **Wetlands: Our Environment, Whose Property?** 1990. Video production opposing Enforcement of Section 404 of the Clean Water Act as regards to protection of wetlands. Includes television news interviews with farmers. Rhonda McTate outlines the mission of the Pennsylvania Landowners Association, explains the definition of “wetland” problems caused by the legislation, restricted access to private lands, and lists property rights court cases. Time: 34 minutes, 26 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_VHS_88), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

VHS 91. **The Changing Face of Mississippi.** 1990. Video production on the groundbreaking of NASA’s Advance Solid Rocket Motor facility in the Yellow Creek area of Tishomingo County, Mississippi. Includes quotes from officials of NASA, Rust International, Lockheed, Aerojet, and Mississippi politicians. Includes footage of the 10 April 1990 groundbreaking ceremony with its tribute to U.S. Representative Jamie L. Whitten. Time: 19 minutes, 47 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_VHS_91), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

VHS 92. **Region at Risk.** September 1990. Informational video on consequences of removing 16.3 million acres in Washington, Oregon, and California from timber production. Time: 6 minutes, 1 second.

Note: Available online as part of the Whitten Digital Collection as whitten_VHS_92.

VHS 93. **Public Service Announcement on the National Endowment for the Arts.** 23 May 1990. Public Service Announcement by actress Jessica Tandy on behalf of the American Arts Alliance, State Arts Advocacy League of America on the importance of the National Endowment for the Arts grants. Sixty-second version, thirty-second version, and twenty-second version. Time: 3 minutes, 32 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_VHS_93), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.

VHS 94. **A Tribute to Claude Pepper in Remembrance of His 90th Birthday.** 1990. Video production tribute to U.S. Representative Claude Pepper of Florida on his ninetieth birthday. Time: 13 minutes, 11 seconds.

Note: Although part of the Whitten Digital Collection (as whitten_VHS_94), it is only available to on site researchers on J.D. Williams Library computers.