MEMORANDUM

Res: Appearance of President Truman at Crawfordsville,
Montgomery County, Indiana, on October 22, 1948.

TIME OF ARRIVAL: 11:00 A.M. (CST)

TIME OF DEPARTURE: 11:30 A.M. (CST)

MEANS OF ARRIVAL: New York Central (Route West)

NAME OF LOCAL CHAIRMEN: William Wilson, 623 West Main Street, Crawfordsville,
Indiana. Phone No. 271-J.

LOCATION OF APPEARANCE: The President will speak from the rear platform of
the train after the train has stopped at the intersection of Washington Street and the railroad track.
This is a large area and adequate room on both sides of the tracks and in the street to accommodate the
people.

SECURITY: Washington Street will be blocked both North and South. Security measures will be
handled by the Crawfordsville City Police, the Montgomery County
Sheriff's office, the Indiana State Police, and
Indiana National Guard.

PERSONS LEAVING THE TRAIN: John A. Watkins, Candidate for Lieutenant Governor
Jack O'Grady, Candidate for Congress 6th Congressional District.
Frank McHale, Democratic National Committeeman
Mrs. Samuel Halton, Democratic National Vice Committeeman
Irvin L. Angueber, State Chairman
John W. Leslie, State Promotional Director
Larry Foster, Official Photographer of State Committee
Mrs. George S. Allen, 6th District Democratic Committeeman
Mrs. Lawrence Armmann, 6th District Democratic Vice Chairman
James Wright, Reporter, Crawfordsville Journal Review

PERSONS TO APPEAR ON PLATFORM AND INTRODUCTIONS: William Wilson, Montgomery County Democratic Committeeman
Mr. Wilson will introduce Jack O'Grady, Candidate for Congress 6th Congressional District, Mr. John A. Watkins, Candidate for Lieutenant Governor
Mr. Watkins will introduce the President.
CRAWFORDSVILLE — (31,009 pop. in 1960) seat of Montgomery County, is located in the Indiana Sixth Congressional District and is the former home of General Lew Wallace and Meredith Nicholson, Indiana authors.

CRAWFORDSVILLE is a manufacturing and trading city, surrounded by a productive agricultural area. It is also the seat of Wabash College.

CRAWFORDSVILLE and Montgomery County are marginal in voting. In the past two elections the County polled Republican.

PEOPLE TO KNOW IN CRAWFORDSVILLE

1. Henry F. Schriever (D) candidate for Governor.
2. Jack J. O'Grady (D) candidate for Congress.
3. Mrs. Cecil Harren (D) candidate for Congress.
4. Noble Johnson (R) former Congressman who resigned to accept a judicial appointment.
5. Clark D. Jones (R) Mayor of Crawfordsville.