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(This transcript is bound in *Goodwin Knight: Aides, Advisors, and Appointees*)

In charge of delegates for Earl Warren at the 1952 Republican National Convention; long-time friend of Goodwin Knight and Hubert Humphrey.

DESCRIPTION: Family background; support for Hubert Humphrey for President in 1968; disenchantment with the Republican party after the death of Wendell Willkie; first meeting with Earl Warren; 1952 Republican National Convention; problems with Richard Nixon leading up to the convention; how Warren lost the nomination; no secret deal offered to Warren by Dwight D. Eisenhower at the convention; comparison of Goodwin Knight with Warren; first meeting with Knight; comments on Knight's political life; personal relationships between the Polland and Knight families; the 1956 Republican National Convention; support for Knight from labor; Knight's animosity toward Nixon; the "Big Switch" of 1958; moving to California and going into business with Knight; Knight's later years.

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