

FOREWORD

Following the same pattern set in the Volume I, this volume covers Governor Tawes' second four year term as chief executive of Maryland.

During the term the Governor made approximately 650 full length speeches and messages and numerous shorter statements. It has not been possible here to include, as was true in the preceding volume, all materials issued during the period. The necessity to meet an early 1967 deadline prevented the inclusion of speeches made after November, 1966; space requirements also imposed limitations. Otherwise, materials have been selected and included on the basis of their significance and representativeness and are presented chronologically under appropriate topic headings with brief introductions.

Of the selected materials presented here, only the Governor's messages to the legislature during this period have been included in their entirety. These messages constitute the opening part of this volume. The second part consists of 181 selections, taken from remarks, statements, press releases and other public papers issued by the Governor's office during this period, which have been included either in their entirety or with minor deletions.

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