The nine boxes in this series contain copies of speeches given by James O. Eastland off the Senate floor. The senator delivered many of the speeches before various Farm Bureau and other agriculture-related groups, mostly in the state of Mississippi. Other common events at which Eastland spoke include Citizen Council meetings, Chamber of Commerce meetings, graduation and commencement ceremonies at high schools and colleges, building and monument dedications, and various festivals, mostly in Mississippi. Also included are transcripts of Eastland’s tributes to other political figures. Occasionally, a member of Eastland’s staff would deliver a speech when the senator could not fulfill his speaking obligations. Speech topics often included agriculture, race relations, and communism.

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