TOPIC 6 – THE COLD WAR

Topic Overview
Topic 6 highlights how the Cold War became a part of North Dakota’s history. It includes primary sources that will help you understand the significant role that North Dakota played on the world stage during the Cold War.

Topic Objectives
• As a result of the study of Topic 6, you will be able to
  o Analyze and interpret primary documents.
  o Recognize the significant role that North Dakota played in the Cold War.

ND Content Standards
• 8.1.2
• 8.3.4
• 8.6.1

Common Core Standards
• RH 2
• RH 4
• WHST 2
• WHST 9

Topic Activities
• Learning from Historical Documents
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To access a photo/document/map, refer to the topic reading assignment or use the SEARCH feature to enter its name or number.

After reading about the Cold War and viewing Image 1. 11050-537; Image 2. 2004-P006-0336; Image 3. 2004-P-006-0321; and Document 1 newspaper clippings 11040 John Whiteside scrapbook, give specific examples on North Dakota’s contributions in the Cold War that took place from the 1950s through the 1980s.

North Dakota’s Contributions in the Cold War

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Extension Activity

Interview a North Dakotan who remembers the Cold War Era and get his/her thoughts and reflections of that period. Prepare a presentation using ideas taken from General Activities, and report to the class.