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Brothers On Ike's Team

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brother, Milton, who handles special and good will missions for the President. But most people don't realize that four other sets of brothers hold influential positions in the present administration. Pictured here, they are the Dulles, Brownell, Twining and Gruenther brothers. They didn't ride each other's coattails. The brothers all climbed the ladder from different directions, and reached the top at about the same time.



DULLES BROTHERS: John Foster, left, Secretary of State, and Allen W., director of the Central Intelligence Agency. Allen is five years younger than his brother. He has been in CIA since 1950, got the top job when Eisenhower was elected. During the war, he directed intelligence agents in the German Foreign Office. He and his brother once were partners in a New York law firm.



EISENHOWER BROTHERS: President Ike, right, and President — of Pennsylvania State University — Milton. Ike's youngest brother holds no official post in the government. He has handled private, personal missions for the President—like his good will tour of Latin America last year. Under the Democrats, he served in the Department of Agriculture and the Office of War Information. Later, he was president of Kansas State College.



GRUENTHER BROTHERS: Gen. Alfred M., left, is chief of staff of SHAPE, and Homer is one of three liaison men between Capitol Hill and the President. Alfred is 54, Homer, 52. Both were born in Platte Center, Nebraska. Alfred entered the Army in 1918, rose through the ranks. Homer, a former Omaha newspaperman, served as secretary to three Nebraska senators, then became Ike's aide.



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TWINING BROTHERS: Gen. Nathan F., left, Air Force chief of staff, outranks his brother, Maj. Gen. Merrill B., deputy chief of staff for the Marine Corps, by six years. The brothers often sit together at Joint Chiefs of Staff meetings. Nathan started his career as an infantryman, switched to the Air Force. Merrill once was assistant commander of the First Marine Division in Korea.



BROWNELL BROTHERS: Attorney General Herbert Brownell Jr., left, is four years younger than Education Commissioner Samuel M. Brownell. Born in Peru, Nebraska, both Brownells went to Yale. Herbert entered New York politics. Samuel went back to Peru, became high school principal. Later he taught at New York Teachers College, Yale and headed New Haven State Teachers College.