Reading Number 22
from Congress: The Electoral Connection
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[N.B. Though only part of sentence is highlighted, the whole reference as described is to be read.]

p. 147, ¶ 1—“...I SHALL CONJURE UP a vision of United States congressmen as single-minded seekers of reelection…”

Ibid., ¶ 2 (sentence 2 through the end of ¶ 2)—“First, I think it fits political reality…”

Ibid., ¶ 3, line 1—“...congressmen must constantly engage in activities related…”

p. 148, ¶ 1—“One activity is advertising, defined here as any effort…”

Ibid., ¶ 3—“A second activity may be called credit claiming, defined…”

p. 149, ¶ 4—“The third activity of congressmen engage in may be called position taking, defined here as the…”

Note: This explains congress’ dependency on contributions to campaign. The reason for this dependency is the cost of constant campaigning.