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Robert Semple, associate editor at *The New York Times*, won a Pulitzer Prize in 1996 for his editorials on the environment.

He graduated from Yale College in 1959 and joined *The New York Times* in 1963, where he served as White House correspondent under Presidents Johnson and Nixon. He was the London bureau chief in the mid-1970s and foreign editor from 1977 to 1982.

Semple then took over responsibility for the *Times'* op-ed section for six years and, in 1988, became associate editor of the paper's editorial page. In addition, he carries the title of chief editorial writer, with the specialties of politics and the environment.