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15	9	10/20/1969	Memo	Rose Mary Woods to File re: discussion with "DDE" regarding suggestions for the President. 2 pages.
15	9	02/06/1973	Other Document	note from Rose Mary Woods to Nixon re: visit with Bob Abplanalp, 1 copy and one note to file with handwritten notes. 3 pages.
15	9	12/03/1968	Letter	Nixon to Harold Wilson re: visit in early 1969, with attachments, duplicate copies, and original letter from Robert Murphy and Wilson. 8 pages
15	9	12/17/1968	Letter	Anna Chennault to Ferdinand Marcos re: response to his letter, and indicating a future visit in February 1969. 2 pages.
15	9	n.d.	Other Document	Birthday card from Secret Service. 2 pages.
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15	9	n.d.	Other Document	Birthday card from Preston Bruce. 2 pages.
15	9	01/09/1973	Other Document	Birthday card from Mamie Eisenhower, including envelope. 4 pages.
15	9	n.d.	Other Document	pencil drawing of a horse's head, signed Amy Nixon. 1 page.
15	9	n.d.	Other Document	Note card dated January 1969, indicating Nixon and John Mitchell have withdrawn from lawfirm Nixon, Mudge, Rose, Guthrie Alexander and Mitchell, including mailing envelope. 2 pages.

October 20, 1968

MEMORANDUM

TO: Files  
FROM: Rose Mary Woods

Bryce Harlow called me on Sunday morning  
and said:

"I have just come from my visit with DDE  
which, as you know, was made at RN's request.

"DDE thinks it is vital that RN find some  
way to express his earnest desire for a lasting peace in  
the Middle East recognizing that America's interests embrace  
both sides. What all Americans want there is an enduring  
peace both for the Israelis and the Arabs. DDE thinks RN  
has been too much on the side of Israel in his public  
statements. He is afraid RN might have a hard time living  
with the Arabs afterwards if he doesn't do this.

"Also he feels that RN should at the earliest  
opportunity have a chat with Bob Anderson about the Middle  
East - he is the best informed person DDE knows on that area.  
He has done work for DDE and Johnson with all Arab nations  
and Israel.

"After the election, he thought RN might want  
to do two things with Bob. Bob says he does not want a  
position in Federal government but he said he knew Bob would  
be willing to be, for example, Ambassador at Large to the  
Middle East and meet separately with the different factions

and help RN there as he has done for other Presidents.

"Also DDE thought RN might want to consult with Bob on suggestions for Cabinet people. He said he believed he had mentioned this to RN when he was in.

"He said he felt very badly that he was not able to do more in the campaign -- wishes RN all the success in the world. If RN can think of anything he can do he will be glad to do it.

"I was to ask him about writing a letter commending RN on his position but just as I was about to bring that subject up, the doctors chased me out of the room - my time was up. However, since DDE said he would do anything, I think we could prepare a letter or statement and run it through Bob Schulz.

"I have a few more notes -- but those are the ones you should get to RN. One other note -- DDE said as we wonder around with Vietnam he stressed the fact that the Middle East is going to hell in a handbag."

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Bryce also mentioned that Bob Schulz thought a letter should go from RN to Lt. General Leonard Heaton, The Surgeon General of the Army, Washington, D.C., thanking him for his offer to have a young Army doctor make the trip (campaign) with us.

Schulz suggests this be sent to General Heaton in an envelope to Schulz because he would imagine Heaton did not want anyone to know of this offer.

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File this with our RN handwritten notes. tks rmw

5/26/73

MR. PRESIDENT:

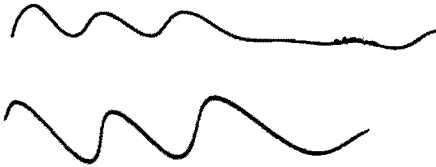
One day last week Bob Abplanalp called me with regard to the California trip. He said that both you and Pat had mentioned their coming out there (apparently when you all had dinner together in Florida).

Has anyone let him know that the trip is off -- or should I call him and tell him?

RmWoods

2/6/73

*RmWoods*  
We may go to California -  
Will be in touch with  
him next week if we do



F. Y. I.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I talked with Bob Abplanalp concerning their coming to California for dinner one night - and taking the children to Disney Land, etc.

He said as long as you had given them an option of coming now or in July - they would prefer July because their daughter has already missed eleven days of school this year and she should not miss anymore unless she is ill.

rmwoods

2/7/73-

December 3, 1968

~~Personal & Confidential~~

My dear Prime Minister:

Thank you so much for your thoughtful letter of November 29, 1968, which Sir Patrick Dean was kind enough to deliver.

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With warmest personal regards and the hope that this finds you in excellent health, believe me

Yours sincerely,

The Rt. Hon.

Harold Wilson, P. C., O. B. E., M. P.,  
British Prime Minister  
10 Downing Street  
Whitehall, S. W. 1

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December 2, 1968

Miss Rose Mary Woods  
Secretary to President-Elect Nixon  
Hotel Pierre  
Fifth Avenue & 61st Street  
New York, New York

Dear Rose Mary;

I mentioned to Mr. Nixon today the attached letter of November 29, addressed to him by the British Prime Minister Harold Wilson, and delivered to me by British Ambassador Sir Patrick Dean, Sunday afternoon.

There is enclosed for typing in final form in your office a suggested draft reply for Mr. Nixon, subject of course to any changes or additions he may wish. I read the draft to him today and he approved.

When he has signed the letter please send it to Ambassador William Leonhart (S/NL) Department of State, Washington, by courier, together with an extra copy for Ambassador Dean's files.

Sincerely yours,

*RM*

Robert Murphy

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Enclosure

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10 Downing Street

Whitehall

29 November, 1968.

~~PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL~~

*My dear Mr Nixon,*

I am writing to thank you for the cordial message which you were kind enough to ask Senator Javits to convey to me. He spoke to me on the telephone on Thanksgiving Day and I want you to know how much I appreciate what he told me on your behalf.

He said that you hoped it might be possible for us to meet reasonably soon after your Inauguration. I shall much look forward to this and to the opportunity it will afford of a full and far-reaching discussion between us of all the matters that are of common concern to our two countries. It was heartening to have from Senator Javits the confirmation of your own belief in the community of interests between us. As you know, my colleagues and I in the British Government

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share this belief with the deepest conviction.

Senator Javits told me that it might be convenient for you if I planned to visit you in Washington towards the end of February or the beginning of March of next year. I can, of course, well understand that it will be difficult for you to make any firm commitment to dates at present. For my part, I will gladly come at whatever moment proves mutually convenient to us both around that time.

I am asking Sir Patrick Dean to convey this letter to you. He will, of course, willingly keep in touch with you and your staff during the coming weeks so that we may reach agreement as soon as convenient on dates for our meeting.

The continuation of the close friendship and co-operation between our two countries is, I believe, cardinal to our joint search for international understanding and advance. As we approach the 20th Anniversary of the Atlantic Alliance, with so

many of the basic issues between East and West, North and South - and indeed within the Western world itself - still uncertain and unresolved, the need for this close understanding between us remains as fundamental as it has ever been.

It is in this spirit that I shall look forward not only to our first formal meeting after you assume the great office which awaits you, but also to a close and continuing relationship between us. The issues at stake are too pressing and too important for us to approach them in any other way.

With my warmest personal regards and best wishes,

*Yours very sincerely,  
Howard Wilson*

The Honourable Richard M. Nixon.

*Miss Rosemary Woods*

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MRS. ANNA CHENNAULT  
VICE PRESIDENT  
INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

December 17, 1968

**President Ferdinand Marcos  
Office of the President of the Philippines  
Manila, P.I.**

**Dear President Marcos:**

My friend Mr. Lew Burrige of Sterling Products International delivered your kind letter to me a week ago.

After receiving your letter I had a long talk with Ambassador Robert Murphy who is now personal representative of President-elect Nixon to the Johnson Administration in the field of foreign affairs, and also my very good friend Mr. Melvin Laird, the new Secretary of Defense. I also talked with Mr. Tom Evans who is Special Political Advisor to President-elect Nixon. At the meetings with both Ambassador Murphy and Mr. Evans, Mr. Burrige was present and I have asked Mr. Burrige to report to you regarding these meetings.

I wish I could come out to see all my friends in Asia after the Christmas holidays. However, it's the general feeling that it would be better for me to make the trip to Asia after the inauguration which is scheduled to be held on January 20th. I will be talking to many people concerning the Asian situation in the immediate future before I come to visit with you. I hope I will be able to make my trip in the first part of February.

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MR. ROBERT MURPHY

Ambassador Murphy particularly wants me to write you and to let you know that the new administration is very much aware of the Asian situation and we treasure your friendship and understanding. ✓

I look forward to seeing you in the near future.

With warmest regards to you and Mrs. Marcos.

Most sincerely,

Anna Chennault

cc: Ambassador Robert Murphy ✓  
717 Fifth Avenue  
New York, N.Y. 10022

Mr. Thomas Evans  
450 Park Avenue  
New York, N.Y. 10022

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BIRTHDAY





If this wish does the job

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For the year on the way!

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**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

love from -  
julie

God Bless You  
on Your  
BIRTHDAY



God bless you on this special day  
That He chose just for you,  
God grant you peace and happiness  
Today and always, too,  
And through the year you're starting  
May He be always near  
And bless you with the joy He gives  
To those whom He holds dear.

Preston Bruce

*A Wish for Your Birthday*



Dear President Snyms

Each birthday is a blossom added  
to the beautiful bouquet of years.  
May this one be your loveliest yet!

Wishing You  
Happiness Always

Appreciably  
Mama Excelsior  
January 7, 1973





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JANUARY, 1969

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