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Tape Subject Log  
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Conversation No. 416-43 (cont'd)

- North Vietnam's reaction
- Kissinger
  - New intelligence reports
- Evaluation of situation

- Henry Brandon's book
  - H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman
  - William L. Safire
  - Portrayal of President
  - Kissinger's press relations
    - William P. Rogers, Melvin R. Laird
    - Negative portrayal
    - Sources
    - Consequences

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[National Security]

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- Brandon
  - Czech Jew
  - Laird, Rogers
    - Reactions to book
    - Jack N. Anderson
    - Sources of leaks
    - Congress members

December 1972 bombing of North Vietnam

-Kissinger's accusations against Haig

-Disloyalty

-Kissinger's opposition

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- James B. ("Scotty") Reston
- Joseph C. Kraft
- Conversation with Haig

The President talked with Rose Mary Woods at an unknown time between 11:25 am and 12:23 pm.

[Conversation No. 416-43A]

President's meeting with William Warnock

- Ambassador from Ireland
- Timing
- Ambassador from Great Britain

White House social affairs

- Haldeman
- Music
- Young people
- White House staff
- Other functions
- Cabinet
  - Rogers's attendance at state dinners
  - Kissinger
  - George P. Shultz

[End of telephone conversation]

December 1972 bombing of North Vietnam

- Kissinger's accusations against Haig
  - Disloyalty
  - Press relations
- President's role
  - Restraint
- Critical day

John A. Scali

- Press relations
- Skill