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[Conversation No. 233-023](#)

Date: December 5, 1972
Time: Unknown between 9:00 pm and 9:31 pm
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

[See Conversation No. 157-1]

[Conversation No. 233-001](#)

Date: December 5, 1972
Time: 9:31 pm - 9:39 pm
Location: Camp David Hard Wire



The President talked with Capt. Eugene A. Cernan, Cdr. Ronald E. Evans, and Harrison H (“Jack”) Schmitt.

[See Conversation No. 157-2]

[Conversation No. 233-002](#)

Date: December 5, 1972
Time: Unknown between 9:39 pm and 10:05 pm
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President dictated a memorandum.

[Previous PRMPA Personal Returnable (G) withdrawal reviewed under deed of gift during chronological review 2007-2013]

- Interruption
 - Call
- Vietnam negotiations
 - Henry A. Kissinger
 - Messages to the President
 - Military
 - H. R. (“Bob”) Haldeman
 - John B. Connally
 - Strong action
 - 1972 election

[This dictation continues as Conversation No. 233-3]



[Conversation No. 233-003](#)

Date: December 5, 1972
Time: Unknown between 9:39 pm and 10:05 pm
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President dictated a memorandum.

[This is a continuation of Conversation No. 233-2]

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Dictation

- Second tape
- Location
- Time
- The President's schedule

[This dictation continues as Conversation No. 233-5]

[Conversation No. 233-004](#)

Date: December 5, 1972
Time: Unknown between 9:39 pm and 10:05 pm
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with the Camp David operator.



[See Conversation No. 157-3]

Request for a call to Charles W. Colson

[Conversation No. 233-005](#)

Date: December 5, 1972
Time: Unknown between 9:39 pm and 10:05 pm
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President dictated a memorandum.

[This is a continuation of Conversation No. 233-3]

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Dictation
-Third tape
-Location

The President's schedule [?]

[This dictation continues as Conversation No. 233-7]

[Conversation No. 233-006](#)

Date: December 5, 1972



Time: 10:05 pm - 10:34 pm
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with Charles W. Colson.

[See Conversation No. 157-4]

[Conversation No. 233-007](#)

Date: December 5, 1972
Time: Unknown between 10:34 pm, December 5, 1972 and 11:05 am, December 6, 1972
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President dictated a memorandum.

[This is a continuation of Conversation No. 233-5]

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Telephone call to Charles W. Colson

December 24, 1972 [?]

[Conversation No. 233-008](#)

Date: December 6, 1972
Time: Unknown between 12:56 pm and 1:07 pm
Location: Camp David Hard Wire



The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

The President's schedule
-Meeting with H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman

[Conversation No. 233-009](#)

Date: December 6, 1972
Time: Unknown between 12:56 pm and 1:07 pm
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

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Request

[Conversation No. 233-010](#)

Date: December 6, 1972
Time: 1:07 pm - 3:18 pm
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President met with H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman.

Unknown matter
-Options
-Difficulty



Press relations

- Patrick J. Buchanan's article
 - Effect
 - Quote
 - Effect
 - Controversy
 - Herbert C. Hoover
 - Barry M. Goldwater
 - 1960 election
 - Double standard

Vietnam negotiations

- Report from Henry A. Kissinger
 - Recent meeting
 - Duration
 - Meeting
 - Alexander M Haig, Jr.
 - Col. Richard T. Kennedy
 - Progress
 - Meetings
 - Kennedy's conversation with Anatoliy F. Dobrynin
 - Timing
- Kissinger
 - Emotions
 - Charles W. Colson
 - Communications with surrogates
 - John B. Connally
 - Possible statement by the President
- Public relations[PR]
 - [Opinion Research Corporation] [ORC] poll
 - Compared to Louis P. Harris poll
 - Settlement agreement
 - Effect on South Vietnam
 - Return of US Prisoners of War [POWs]
 - US troop withdrawals
 - Support for South Vietnam
 - Cessation of US bombing and mining in North Vietnam
 - Return of POWs
 - Cease-fire



- Supervised election in South Vietnam
- North Vietnamese troops in South Vietnam
- Compared to Harris poll
- North Vietnamese troops in South Vietnam
 - Nguyen Van Thieu's view
 - Settlement agreement
 - US military action
- Settlement agreement
 - US military action
 - Duration
 - North Vietnam's accession to US, South Vietnam goals
- Factors
 - Relative importance
 - Return of POWs
 - Removal of North Vietnamese troops from South Vietnam
 - Cease-fire
 - Supervised elections in South Vietnam
- “Hawks”
- Approval of the President's handling of Vietnam
 - Compared to pre-1972 election
 - Compared to George H. Gallup poll
 - Post-1972 election

Second term

- 1000 days
 - Post-January 20, 1973
 - John F. Kennedy
 - Assassination
 - Election compared to Inauguration
 - Desk calendar
 - Distribution to key aides
 - 1973 Inauguration
 - Christmas gift
 - Press relations
 - Importance
 - Loss of time



The President's schedule

- Meeting with Under Secretaries
 - Purpose
 - John D. Ehrlichman's view
 - Departmental heads
 - Location
 - Cabinet Room compared to departments
 - Effect

Second term reorganization

- Loyalty
- Schedule C employees
 - Harvard and Yale Universities, Ivy League
 - Frederic V. Malek
- The President's conversation with John C. Whitaker
 - National Parks Service
 - Edwin L. Harper
 - Ehrlichman
 - Oklahoma State University
 - Texas School of Mines
 - Texas A&M University Aggies
 - Ohio State University
 - Enrollments
 - Texas A&M
- Malek
- William P. Rogers's schedule
 - John A. Scali
- Under Secretaries
 - Commerce Department
 - Department of Health, Education and Welfare [HEW]
 - Department of Housing and Urban Development [HUD]
 - John E. ("Jack") Sheehan
 - Federal Reserve Board [FRB]
 - Arthur F. Burns
 - Commerce Department
 - Donald A. MacMahon
 - Malek's recommendation
 - Background
 - Age



- Irish-Catholicism
- Hofstra College
- Monroe Calculator Company [Monroe International]
 - International contracts
 - Europe, Japan
 - Baker Industries
- Support for the President
- Background
 - New Jersey
 - Age
 - Hofstra
 - Long Island University
 - Wharton School of Business
- James F. Cleary
 - Background
 - Age
 - New York University
 - Eastman-Dillon
 - Relationship with the President
 - Compared to McMahan
 - Management record, international experience
- Women
- Cleary
 - Compared to McMahan
 - Relationship with the President
 - 1972 campaign
 - Telephone conversation
 - Compared to McMahan
- Colson
- HEW
 - Caspar W. ("Cap") Weinberger
 - Arnold R. Weber
 - Van Gorkum
 - TransUnion Corporation
 - Compared to William P. Clements, Jr.
 - Weinberger
 - Compared to Weber
 - Frank C. Carlucci
 - Paul O'Neill



- Office of Management and Budget [OMB]
 - Weber
- Schedule C employees
 - Policy and program management positions
 - Salary
 - Location
 - South, Midwest
 - Confidential assistants and secretaries to appointees
 - Salary
 - Number
 - Location
 - South, Midwest, Far West
 - Percentage
 - Egil ("Bud") Krogh, Jr.
 - Evaluation
 - Termination
 - Personnel offices
 - Supergrade career executives
 - State Department
 - Central Intelligence Agency [CIA]
 - Federal Bureau of Investigation [FBI]
 - Defense Department
 - Manual
 - White House staff
 - Advance men
 - Campaign organizations
 - 1701 [Pennsylvania Avenue]
 - States
 - Training course
 - Duration
 - Malek
 - S. Bruce Herschensohn
 - Disloyalty to administration
 - Gordon C. Strachan's conversation with Haldeman
 - US Information Agency [USIA]
 - Performance ratings
 - Edward M. Kennedy
 - 1977
 - Herschensohn's view



-1972 election

The President's schedule

- Visits to agencies
 - Ehrlichman's view
 - Reaction
- Loyalists
 - Cabinet Room meetings
 - Congress

Second term reorganization

- Ambassadorships
 - Number
 - United Nations [UN] Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization [UNESCO]
 - Geneva
 - North Atlantic Treaty Organization [NATO]
 - Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development [OECD]
 - Bahrain
 - Chad
 - Cyprus
 - Maldiv Islands
 - Disloyal ambassadors
 - Protocol
 - Belton K. ("B. K.") Johnson
 - James J. Reynolds
 - Johnson
 - Reynolds
 - Non-career positions
 - Number
 - Maurice Stans's list
 - Recommended returns
 - Austria
 - John P. Humes
 - Tenure
 - Departure
 - Belgium
 - Robert Strausz-Hupe
 - Retention



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- Ethiopia
 - E. Ross Adair
- Strausz-Hupe
 - Departure
 - Timing
- Two year terms
 - Strausz-Hupe
- Martin J. Hillenbrand
 - Departure
- Walter H. Annenberg
 - Retention
- Iceland
 - Frederick Irving
- Ireland
 - John D. J. Moore
 - Tenure
 - Departure
 - Richard A. Moore
- Japan
 - Robert S. Ingersoll
 - Retention
- Spain
 - Adm. Horatio Rivero, Jr.
 - Retention
 - Departure
 - Timing
- Switzerland
 - Shelby C. Davis
- Retention
 - John N. Mitchell
 - Stans
- Departure
 - Timing
- Trinidad and Tobago
 - Anthony D. Marshall
- Uganda
 - Thomas Patrick Melady
 - Tenure
- Vietnam



- OECD
 - Henry J. Tasca
 - European Economic Community [EEC]
 - James D. Hodgson
 - The President's conversation with Ehlichman
 - [Joseph A. Greenwald]
 - William D. Eberle
 - Trade representative
- West Germany
 - Eberle
 - Compared to Hodgson
 - Relationship with the President
 - George P. Shultz, Peter M. Flanigan, Kissinger
 - Vetting
- Recommended changes (non-career positions)
 - Geneva
 - Idar Rimestad
 - Afghanistan
 - Robert E. Neumann
 - John D. Lodge
 - Afghanistan
 - Albert B. Fay of Texas
 - Argentina
 - Lodge
 - Departure
 - Spanish speaker
 - Joseph S. Farland
 - Farland
 - State Department
 - Middle East
 - Under Secretary
 - Latin America
 - Robert C. Hill
 - Middle East
 - Spain
 - Farland
 - Middle East
 - Australia
 - Walter L. Rice



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- Departure
- Harold B. Scott
 - 1972 campaign
 - Assistant Secretary of Commerce
- John W. Rollins
- Rollins
 - Republican National Committee [RNC]
- Canada
 - Adolph W. Schmidt
 - Departure
 - William B. McComber, Jr.
 - Eberle
 - Business expenditure
 - McComber
 - State Department
 - Pentagon Papers
 - George H. W. Bush
 - Denmark
- Columbia
 - Leonard J. Saccio
- Spanish speakers
 - Californians, Texans
 - Johnson
- Val Peterson
- Connally
- Mexian-Americans
 - Philip V. Sanchez
 - Dr. Henry M. Ramirez
 - Sanchez
- Finland
 - Peterson
 - John V. Krehbiel
 - 1972 election
- France
 - John N. ("Jack") Irwin, II
- Greece
 - Tasca
 - Kissinger
 - John Stapler



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- Fundraising
- Denmark
 - Philip K. Crowe
 - Charles E. ("Chip") and Mrs. Bohlen [?]
 - Tenure
 - Departure
 - Retention
 - 1972 campaign contributions
- El Salvador
 - Henry E. Catto, Jr.
 - Departure
 - Health
 - Wiley [?] Reynolds
- India
 - Daniel P. ("Pat") Moynihan
- Iran
 - Richard M. Helms
- Italy
 - John A. Volpe
- Jamaica
 - Vincent De Roulet
 - 1972 campaign contributions
 - Loyalty
- Norway
 - De Roulet
 - Crowe
- Jamaica
 - Roy J. Carver
 - Bandag Company of Iowa
 - George Cook of Nebraska
- John Bowie [sp?]
 - Johnson Wax
 - Combined Communications
- Luxembourg
 - Ruth J. Farkas
- Mexico
 - Robert H. McBride
 - Departure
 - Sanchez



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- Netherlands
 - J. William Middendorf, II
 - Herbert J. Klein
- Cook
 - New Zealand
- Pakistan
- Jews
- Pakistan
 - Tasca
- Jews
- Pakistan
 - Tasca
- Panama
 - Lloyd Miller
- [Portugal]
 - Ridgway B. Knight
 - Departure
 - Tenure
 - Leonard K. Firestone
 - [Henry] John ("Jack") Heinz, III
 - Firestone
- South Africa
 - John G. Hurd
 - Daniel J. Terra
 - Lawter Chemicals, Inc. of Chicago
 - Heinz
- Career retention positions
 - Bahrain
 - William A. Stoltzfus, Jr.
 - Bangladesh
 - Hermann F. Eilts
 - Barbados
 - Eileen R. Donovan
 - Bolivia
 - Ernest V. Siracusa
 - Botswana
 - Charles J. Nelson
 - Brazil
 - William M. Rountree



- Departure
 - Businessman
- Bulgaria
 - Horace G. Torbert, Jr.
- Burma
 - Edwin W. Martin
- Burundi
 - Robert Yost
- Martin
 - Argentina
 - Departure
- Cameroon
 - C. Robert Moore
- Central African Republic
 - Melvin L. Manfull
- Ceylon
 - Christopher Van Hollen
- Chad
 - Edward W. Mulcahy
- Chile
 - Nathaniel Davis
- Taiwan, Republic of China
 - Walter P. McConaughy
- Costa Rica
 - Viron P. Vaky
- Cyprus
 - David H. Popper
- Czechoslovakia
 - Albert W. Sherer, Jr.
- Dominican Republic
 - Francis E. Meloy, Jr.
- Ecuador
 - Findley Burns, Jr.
- Dominican Republic
- Ecuador
 - Burns
- Equatorial Guinea
 - Robert Moore
- Ecudaor



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- Gabon
 - John A. McKesson, III
- Gambia
 - G. Edward Clark
- Guatemala
 - William G. Bowdler
- Guinea
 - Terence A. Todman
- Guyana
 - Spencer M. King
- Haiti
 - Clinton E. Knox
- Honduras
 - Hewson A. Ryan
- Hungary
 - Alfred Puhan
- Indonesia
 - Francis Galbraith
 - Departure
 - Businessman
 - Indonesian speaker
- Israel
 - Walworth Barbour
- Ivory Coast
 - John F. Root
- Jordan
 - L. Dean Brown
- South Korea
 - Philip C. Habib
- Kuwait
 - Stoltzfus
- Laos
 - G. McMurtrie Godley
- Lebanon
 - William B. Buffum
- Lesotho
 - Charles J. Nelson
- Liberia
 - Vacancy



- Malagasy Republic
 - Joseph Mendenhall
- Liberia
 - Malek
 - Labor people
 - Black
- Malagasy Republic
 - Mendenhall
- Malawi
 - William C. Burdett
- Sweden
 - Black
 - [Jerome H. Holland]
- Malaysia
 - Jack W. Lydman
- Maldiv Islands
 - Van Hollen
- Malta
 - John I. Getz
- Mauritania
 - Richard W. Murphy
- Mauritius
 - William D. Brewer
- Morocco
 - Stuart W. Rockwell
- Nepal
 - Carl C. Laise
- Nicaragua
- Nepal
 - Laise
 - Departure
- [South Vietnam]
 - Ellsworth F. Bunker
 - Departure
- Nicaragua
 - Turner B. Shelton
- Niger
 - Roswell D. McClelland
- Nigeria



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- John E. Reinhardt
- Philippines
 - Henry A. Byroade
- Poland
 - Richard T. Davies
- Qatar
 - Stoltzfus
- Romania
 - Leonard C. Meeker
- Rwanda
 - Robert F. Corrigan
- Saudi Arabia
 - Nicholas G. Thacher
- Senegal
 - Clark
- Sierra Leone
 - Clinton L. Olson
- Singapore
 - Edwin M. Cronk
- Somalia
 - Matthew J. Loram, Jr.
- Swaziland
 - Charles J. Nelson
- Tanzania
 - W. Beverly Carter
- Togo
 - Dwight Dickinson
- Tunisia
 - Talcott W. Seelye
- Turkey
 - William J. Handley
- United Arab Emirates
 - Stoltzfus
- Upper Volta
 - Donald B. Easum
- Uruguay
 - Charles W. Adair, Jr.
- Venezuela
 - Robert McClintock



- Yemen
 - William R. Crawford, Jr.
 - Yugoslavia
 - Malcolm Toon
 - Zambia
 - Jean M. Wikowski
 - Retirement ages
 - Galbraith
 - Career departure positions
 - Cambodia
 - Emory C. Swank
 - Congo
 - Sheldon V. Vance
 - Mali
 - Robert O. Blake
 - Paraguay
 - George W. Landau
 - Peru
 - Taylor G. Belcher
 - Landau
 - Haig
 - Soviet Union
 - Jacob D. Beam
 - Thailand
 - Adm. John S. McCain, Jr.
 - McCain
 - Commander in Chief, Pacific [CINCPAC]
 - Western Kentucky [?]
 - Office of Special Trade Representative
 - Ambassadorships
 - Tenure
 - Two year terms
 - School year
 - Successors
 - Confirmation
- 1973 Inauguration
- The President's schedule, January 18-20, 1973
 - Vice Presidential reception



- Smithsonian Institute
- Salute to the States
 - John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts
 - Variety show compared to performances
 - Purpose
 - Revenue
 - Four day guarantee
 - Sammy Davis, Jr.
 - Presidential box
- Concert
- Ball
- Salute to America's heritage
 - Public relations [PR]
 - Smithsonian Institution
 - Ethnic art, culture, food, music, dancing
 - Julie Nixon Eisenhower, Tricia Nixon Cox, [Dwight] David Eisenhower, II, Edward R. F. Cox
 - Zsa Zsa Gabor
 - Desi Arnaz
- Congressional lunch
 - Timing
 - Oath, address
 - White House
 - Invitations
 - Congressional leaders, Supreme Court, Cabinet
 - Motorcade
 - Parade
 - Cancellation
 - White House
 - Parade

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1973 Inauguration

- The President's schedule, January 18-20, 1973



- Nixon-Ryan family reception
 - Lucy Winchester
 - Rose Mary Woods
 - Edward C. Nixon
 - Timing
 - Church service

1973 Inauguration

- Themes
- Julie Nixon Eisenhower
- Edward Nixon
- Herschensohn
 - “Let the People Come Forward”
 - Safire
 - “Forward Together”
 - 1969 Inauguration
 - [Thomas] Woodrow Wilson
 - “The Challenge of Peace”
 - “The New Spirit of ‘76”
 - Bicentennial
 - “A New Century of Freedom”
 - “We the People”
 - “Toward a More Perfect Union”
 - “Summons to Greatness”
 - “One America, Indivisible”
 - “Let Us Go Forward in Peace”
 - “The New Spirit of ‘76”
 - Haldeman’s view
 - Peace
 - “Let the People Come Forward”
 - Safire
 - “The New Spirit of ‘76”
 - Tone
 - “The Spirit of ‘76”
 - Compared to “The New American Majority”
 - Politics



Presidential airplane
-*Spirit of '76*

1973 Inauguration
-Theme
-“Spirit of ‘76”
-Harvard University, Ivy League
-Patrick J. (“Pat”) Moynihan

Kissinger
-PR
-Pre-1972 election
-People Republic of China [PRC]
-Social contacts
-Hardhats
-Lapel flags
-Message
-Kissinger’s schedule
-Return from Paris
-Schedule
-Vietnam negotiations
-Meetings
-Duration
-Timing
-Translation
-Record
-Length
-State of the world report
-Length
-Departure
-Timing
-US-Soviet Union summit, 1973
-European Security Conference

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4



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[Privacy]
[233-010-w004]
[Duration: 40s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4

Henry A. Kissinger
-Personality
-Haig's view
-Egotism
-Treatment of others

[Previous Deed of Gift Privacy (D) rereviewed on 10/7/2019. Segment cleared for release.]

[Privacy]
[233-010-w009]
[Duration: 2s]

Henry A. Kissinger
-Personality
-H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman's opinion

Kissinger
-Personality
-Insecurity
-"Cycle theory"
-Haig's view
-Congressional relations
-Press relations



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- The President's May 8, 1972 decision
 - Defense of White House
- Cambodia
 - Burning cities
- The President's May 8, 1972 decision
 - Defense of White House
 - Orders
 - Ehrlichman
 - Haldeman's cancellation
- Vietnam negotiations
 - Statements
 - “Peace is at hand”
 - “One more meeting”
 - Ronald L. Ziegler
 - “Peace is at hand”
 - Intellectuals
 - Presidential statement on television[TV]
 - Punishment of left wing, Hanoi, Saigon
 - US bombing of North Vietnam
 - Settlement agreement
 - Effect on Thieu
 - Peace with honor
 - Compared to US withdrawal for POWs

The President's schedule

- Return to Camp David
- Reception honoring administration officials from California
 - Haldeman's schedule
 - Robert H. Finch
 - Governorship of California
 - Organizational ability
 - Ziegler's view
 - Finch
 - Entertainment
 - Foster Brooks
 - Taft Schrieber's introduction
 - Teri Foster Brooks
 - Ziegler's view
 - Possible appearance at stag dinner



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- Jonathan Winters
 - Baseball routine
- Speeches
 - Schreiber
 - Finch
- Presentation
 - Gold and silver coins
 - Engraving
 - “Californians in the White House”
- Organizing
 - Schreiber
- Finch
- Ed Carter
 - Clifford A. Miller
- Alternative location
 - White House
 - Finch’s view
 - Blue Room
 - The President’s possible remarks
 - Departure for Camp David
- The President’s and guests’ remarks
- Holmes P. Tuttle
- William French Smith
- Forrest N. Shumway
- Orange County
- San Diego
 - Gordon B. Luce
- Planning
 - Order
- Alternative location
 - White House
 - Finch’s view
 - Blue Room
 - State Dining Room
 - Compared to Blair Room
- Future
 - The President’s involvement
 - Advanceman



Second term reorganization

- Klein
 - Value
 - Schreiber
 - Finch
 - Herbert W. Kalmbach
 - Retention
 - Office of Communications
 - Social life
 - Departure
 - Haldeman's view

Ronald L. Ziegler entered at 2:50 pm.

Ziegler's press conference

- Location
 - Truck
 - Hangar
 - Trailer

Press relations

- Truck
 - The President's role
 - Coffee
 - Time article

Ziegler's press conference

- Second term reorganization
 - Peter G. Peterson
 - Special assignment
 - Frederick B. Dent
 - Earl L. Butz
 - William E. Simon
 - Edward L. Morgan
 - Wire services, networks
 - Agriculture Department
 - Responsiveness
 - Farmers
 - Modern methods



- Butz's view
- United Press International [UPI]
- Leak
 - Butz
 - Des Moines Register*
 - Clark R. Mollenhoff
 - Second term reorganization

Press relations

- UPI
- Leaks
 - Chicago Tribune*
 - Los Angeles Times*
 - Annoucement
 - Washington Post*
 - Washington Star*
- Washington Star*
 - John H. Kauffman
 - Smith Hempstone, Jr.
 - Newbold ("Newby") Noyes, Jr.
 - David Kraslow
 - National editor
 - Second term reorganization
 - Washington Post*
 - Foreign policy
 - Ownership of *Washington Star*
 - Personal benefit
- UPI story
 - La Paz, Bolivia
 - The President's 1958 visit to Bolivia
 - Judith and Ruth Leonardini
 - Promise of college education in US
 - Photographs
 - Cultural exchange program
 - State Department
 - Ziegler's conversation with Leonard Garment
 - Educational provisions
 - Liberals
 - Background



- Age
- Parents
- Ethnicity
 - Indian
 - Jewish
- Scholarships
 - Afghanistan
- Photograph

The President left at an unknown time before 3:11 pm.

- Press relations
 - UPI story
 - Ziegler's statement

The President entered at an unknown time after 2:50 pm.

- Press relations
 - Edward Cox
 - Conversation with the President
 - New York Bar exam
 - Difficulty
 - California bar exam

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- Press relations
 - Edward Cox
 - The President's experience
 - Bar examination
 - Difficulty

- The President's schedule
 - Robert J. Dole



RNC chairmanship

- George H. W. Bush's appointment
 - Announcement
 - Dole
 - Press story
 - United Nations [UN]
 - Dole
 - Statement

Second term reorganization

- Announcements
 - John A. Volpe, Claude S. Brinegar, Egil ("Bud") Krogh, Jr.
 - [Pope Paul VI] Giovanni Battista Motini
 - Robert J. Dole
 - Volpe
 - Timing
 - Bush
 - Ambassadorship to Italy
 - Brinegar
 - Los Angeles Times*
 - Kenneth W. Clawson
 - San Francisco Examiner*
 - [William Randolph] Hearst newspapers
 - Justice Department, FBI
 - Moynihan
 - Leak
 - Timing
 - New York Daily News*
 - Jerry Green
 - Timing
 - Leak
 - FBI
 - State Department
 - New York Herald Tribune*
 - Conversation with Haldeman
 - Moynihan's conversation with the President



-Indira Gandhi

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[National Security]

[233-010-w007]

[Duration: 3s]

Second term reorganization

-Announcements

-Daniel P. ("Pat") Moynihan

-Conversation with H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman

-Daniel P. ("Pat") Moynihan's talk with the President

-Indira Gandhi

-Daniel P. ("Pat") Moynihan's comment

Second term reorganization

-Announcements

-Justice Department

-Timing

-CIA, Atomic Energy Commission [AEC]

-Timing

-Leak

-*Washington Star*

-Richard M. Helms

-Dr. James R. Schlesinger

-Leak to *Washington Post*

-Schlesinger

-Sub-Cabinet position

-Ambassadorship

-Science Advisor to the President

-Dr. Edward E. David, Jr.

-Leaks



- Washington Star, Chicago Tribune*
 - Wire services
- Detroit News*
- Schedule
 - Compared to announcements schedule
 - Purpose
- Moynihan
 - Hearst
 - FBI
 - United Nations [UN]
 - John A. Scali
 - American Broadcasting Corporation [ABC]
 - Bill Gill
 - Timing

William P. Rogers

- Helms
 - Ambassadorship to Iran
 - Ziegler's conversation with Rogers
 - CIA
 - Rogers's view
 - Joseph S. Farland
 - State Department

Vietnam negotiations

- Kissinger
 - Meetings
 - Schedule
 - Paris call to Ziegler
 - Timing
 - Ziegler's press conference
 - Instructions from the President
 - Ziegler's press conference
 - The President's call to Apollo XVII astronauts
- Breakdown
 - Presidential statement on TV
 - Kissinger's cables
 - Ziegler's view
 - North and South Vietnam



- Kissinger's view
 - PR
 - Settlement agreement
 - Haldeman's view
 - Ziegler's view
 - Resumption of talks
 - North Vietnam
 - Ziegler's view
 - Previous statements
 - Lyndon B. Johnson Administration
 - 1972 election
 - Kissinger's cables
- Kissinger
 - Psychological attitude
 - “Peace is at hand”
 - “One more meeting”
 - Le Duc Tho
 - Press relations
 - North Vietnam
 - The President's role
 - India-Pakistan War
- Breakdown
 - PR
 - Interpretation
 - Defeat for peace
 - Expectation
 - “Peace is at hand”
 - Optimism of talks
 - Kissinger
 - Smiling for photographs
 - “We will only sign when it's right”
 - Compared to “Peace is at hand”
 - North Vietnamese intransigence
 - Kissinger's possible statement
 - Compared to Presidential statement
 - US troops in Vietnam
 - Number
 - Casualties
 - US bombing of North Vietnam



- Media and press relations
 - US casualties
 - Kissinger
 - US bombing of North Vietnam
 - Washington Post*
 - New York Times*
 - Presidential statement on TV
 - Kissinger
 - Walter L. Cronkite, Jr.
 - George S. McGovern
 - Presidential statement on TV
 - Settlement agreement
 - US bombing of North Vietnam
 - Presidential statement on TV
 - Kissinger's return from Paris
 - Ziegler's press conference
 - Kissinger's possible statement
 - Tone
 - Consultations
 - Resumption of talks
 - Timing
 - Prisoners of war [POWs]
 - US bombing of North Vietnam
 - "Peace is at hand"
 - North Vietnamese intransigence
 - Settlement agreement
 - Quality
 - The President's previous statement
 - US bombing of North Vietnam
 - US bombing of North Vietnam
 - F-104
 - B-52s
 - "Doves"
- Forthcoming report
- Kissinger's reports
 - Instructions
- Forthcoming meeting
 - Timing
 - Possible progress



- Record
- Kissinger's cable to Haldeman

Ziegler left at 3:11 pm.

Second term reorganization

- Charles E. Walker
- L[ouis] Patrick Gray, III

1973 Inauguration

- Duration
- Variety show
- Gala
 - Stars
- Ball
 - Eugene Ormandy
 - The President's schedule
 - Attire
 - Black tie
 - Compared to white tie
- Attire
 - Black tie
 - Gala
 - White tie
 - Labor leaders
 - Colson
 - Dinners

The President's schedule

- Apollo XVII astronauts
 - Return
 - Dinner
 - Hand-shaking, photograph session
 - Camp David
 - Dinner
 - Families
- Public interest
 - Significance of mission
 - Launch



-Crowd size

1973 Inauguration

- Attire
 - White tie
 - Diplomatic reception
 - Dinners
 - Prime ministers
- Diplomatic reception
 - Entertainment
 - “Salute to the Ambassadors”
 - Blue Room
 - Announcement
 - Timing

The President’s schedule

- European trip
 - Timing
 - March or February 1973
 - 1973 Inauguration
 - US trip
 - 1973 Inauguration
- Stops
 - Duration
 - Capital and outer critics
 - The President’s trips to the Soviet Union and the People Republic of China [PRC]

Haldeman left at 3:18 pm.

[Conversation No. 233-011](#)

Date: December 6, 1972

Time: Unknown between 3:18 pm and 3:25 pm

Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with the Camp David operator.



[See Conversation No. 157-5]

[Conversation No. 233-012](#)

Date: December 6, 1972
Time: Unknown between 3:18 pm and 3:25 pm
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The Camp David operator talked with the President.

[See Conversation No. 157-6]

[Conversation No. 233-013](#)

Date: December 6, 1972
Time: 3:25 pm - 3:31 pm
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with Tricia Nixon Cox.

[See Conversation No. 157-7]

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1
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Segment will remain closed.]
[Personal Returnable]
[233-013-w001]
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END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1



[Conversation No. 233-014](#)

Date: December 6, 1972
Time: Unknown between 3:31 pm and 4:40 pm
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

[See Conversation No. 157-8]

[Conversation No. 233-015](#)

Date: December 6, 1972
Time: Unknown between 3:31 pm and 4:40 pm
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman.

[See Conversation No. 157-9]

[Conversation No. 233-016](#)

Date: December 6, 1972
Time: Unknown between 3:31 pm and 4:40 pm
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

[See Conversation No. 157-10]



[Conversation No. 233-017](#)

Date: December 6, 1972
Time: Unknown between 3:31 pm and 4:40 pm
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The Camp David operator talked with the President.

[See Conversation No. 157-12]

[Conversation No. 233-018](#)

Date: December 6, 1972
Time: Unknown between 3:31 pm and 4:40 pm
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

[See Conversation No. 157-13]

[Conversation No. 233-019](#)

Date: December 6, 1972
Time: Unknown between 3:31 pm and 4:40 pm
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with Gerald R. Ford.

[See Conversation No. 157-14]

[Conversation No. 233-020](#)



Date: December 6, 1972
Time: Unknown between 3:31 pm and 4:40 pm
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

[See Conversation No. 157-15]

[Conversation No. 233-021](#)

Date: December 6, 1972
Time: 4:40 pm - 5:21 pm
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with Col Richard T. Kennedy.

[See Conversation No. 157-16]

[Conversation No. 233-022](#)

Date: December 6, 1972
Time: Unknown between 5:31 pm and 5:54 pm
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

[Previous PRMPA Personal Returnable (G) withdrawal reviewed under deed of gift during chronological review 2007-2013]

Dinner
-Schedule



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Sanchez left at an unknown time before 5:54 pm.