## **Tape Subject Log**

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Conversation No. 470-1

Date: March 19, 1971

Time: Unknown between 8:45 am and 8:51 am

Location: Oval Office

The President talked with the White House operator

Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

Call to Admiral Thomas H. Moorer

Conversation No. 470-2

Date: March 19, 1971

Time: Unknown between 8:45 am and 8:51 am

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull [?]

Greetings

Bull [?] left at an unknown time before 8:51 am

Conversation No. 470-3

Date: March 19, 1971 Time: 8:51 am - 9:05 am Location: Oval Office

### The President talked with Admiral Thomas H. Moorer

Laos operation (Lam Son)

-Military situation

- -Timing of withdrawal
- -White House news summary
- -Army of the Republic of Vietnam [ARVN] withdrawal -Media interpretation

## **Tape Subject Log**

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### -Administration response

- -North Vietnamese losses
- -Press accounts
- -Interviews with pilots

Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.) Conversation No. 470-4

Date: March 19, 1971 Time: 9:23 am - 9:25 am Location: Oval Office

### The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield

President's schedule

-Helicopter

-Arthur F. Burns meeting

Butterfield left at 9:25 am

Conversation No. 470-5

Date: March 19, 1971

Time: Unknown between 9:25 am and 11:15 am

Location: Oval Office

### The President met with H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman and John D. Ehrlichman

### Dr. James R. Schlesinger

- -Ehrlichman's previous conversation with Bryce N. Harlow
- -Confirmation as Under secretary of Interior
- -Gordon L. Allott
- -Ehrlichman's conversation with Harlow
- -"8:00 group"
- -Harlow's view
- -Allott
- -President's wishes

## **Tape Subject Log**

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```
-Harlow
-Allott
     -Possible meeting with President
           -Senate Appropriations Committee meeting
                -Supersonic Transport [SST]
           -Timing
     -Attendance at leadership meeting, March 22, 1971
           -Clark MacGregor
                                                           Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)
           -Hugh Scott
     -Relations with Schlesinger
-Background
     -Research and Development [RAND] Corporation in Santa Monica
           -University of Virginia
-Confirmation of Under secretary of Interior
     -Effect of background
     -Allott
           -Conversation with Harlow
                -Effect of background
                     -Allott's concerns
     -Effect on administration proposal to Senate Appropriations Committee
           -Harlow
           -Allott
     -Allott, Scott, Robert P. Griffin, Norris Cotton
     -Allott's forthcoming re-election campaign
     -Rogers C. B. Morton
           -Senate Interior Committee
-Possible alternatives
     -William T. Pecora
           -Experience
           -Coast and Geological Survey
           -Allott
     -Melvin R. Laird's suggestion
-Confirmation
     -Strategy
           -President's position
     -Type needed for job
     -Morton's position
     -George P. Shultz
           -Allott
     -President's position
           -Morton
```

-Decision on deputy

## **Tape Subject Log**

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Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

```
-Allott
               -Cabinet officers and White House staff
               -Morton
     -Possible alternative position
     -Confirmation
          -Morton
     -Possible alternative position
          -Atomic Energy Commission [AEC]
               -Kenneth E. BeLieu
                     -Background
Economy
     -George W. Romney's group
          -A meeting, March 22, 1971
               -Ehrlichman, Arthur F. Burns
               -Council of Economic Advisors [CEA]
               -Construction costs
               -Wages and prices
                     -Inflation
          -Paul W. McCracken
               -Haldeman's call
               -Meetings attended
                     -Burns
                     -Construction wages
          -A report to Ehrlichman
          -McCracken's talk with Haldeman
          -March 22, 1971 meeting
          -McCracken
          -Burns
               -John B. Connally
               -Shultz
          -Romney
          -Burns
               -Connally
               -Romney
          -Ehrlichman's conversation with Romney
               -Burns' role
          -March 22, 1971 meeting
               -James D. Hodgson
          -Burns
               -Meeting with Cabinet members
```

-Meeting with President

## **Tape Subject Log**

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```
-Romney
              -John A. Volpe
              -Winton M. ("Red") Blount
              -Maurice H. Stans
                   -Compared with Romney, Volpe, Blount, and Burns
              -Romney
                   -Unions
                   -March 22, 1971 meeting
                                                             Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)
                       -McCracken
                       -Significance
                       -Time
              -Stans
              -Ehrlichman
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release.]
[Privacy]
[470-005-w001]
[Duration: 29s]
    John D. Ehrlichman's schedule
         -Day off
              -March 20, 1971
              -Camp David
              -Lynchburg, Virginia [?]
*******************************
    Rogers C. B. Morton
         -A meeting with Ehrlichman
         -Schlesinger
         -Allott
         -[Forename unknown] Knowles [sp?]
```

-Morton's conversation with Ehrlichman

-Choice of Under secretary of Interior

-Allott

-Future action

## **Tape Subject Log**

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### Economy

- -Meetings
  - -Construction costs
  - -Wages and prices
  - -Romney
  - -Ehrlichman
  - -A report
    - -Herbert Stein and Frederick Deming Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

- -McCracken
- -President
- -Delivery

[The President talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 9:25 am and 10:03 am

[Conversation No. 470-5A]

Call to McCracken for Haldeman

[End of telephone conversation]

Cabinet

[Haldeman talked with McCracken at an unknown time between 9:25 am and 10:03 am]

[Conversation No. 470-5B]

Economy

-A report for March 22, 1971 meeting by CEA -Delivery to President

[End of telephone conversation]

- -McCracken's response
- -March 22, 1971 meeting
  - -Romney
  - -Significance
  - -Ouadriad
  - -Burns, McCracken
  - -Connally and Shultz
  - -Shultz
  - -McCracken

## **Tape Subject Log**

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```
-Burns
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-Connally's conversation with Burns

-Possible leaks

-Possible media reaction

-Effect on Administration

-Report

-Delivery to President

-Ehrlichman's attendance

Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

- -Romney and Volpe
- -Stans
- -Burns

#### -Burns

- -Inflation
- -Taxes
- -Relations with financial writers
  - -Administration policy
  - -Hobart Rowen
- -Relations with Connally
  - -Significance
- -Possible meeting with President
  - -Ehrlichman's view
  - -Support for President's policies
- -Burns' policies
  - -Shultz
- -Relations with President
  - -Conversations with Haldeman and Ehrlichman
- -Principle compared with politics
- -Relations with Rowen
- -Possible meeting with President
- -Rowen

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[Privacy]

[470-005-w002] [Duration: <u>27s</u>]

> John D. Ehrlichman's schedule -March 20-21, 1971

## **Tape Subject Log**

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```
-Family
         -Dinner
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    Meetings
                                                               Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)
    President's schedule
         -Clarine (Billingsley) Mills, daughter, son-in-law, and three grandchildren
              -White House tour
    Economy
         -March 22, 1971 meeting
              -Ehrlichman's attendance
              -Stans
              -Ehrlichman
                   -Forthcoming conversation with Stans
                        -Burns
              -Romney and Volpe
              -Ehrlichman
                   -Forthcoming conversation with Stans
                        -Burns
         -Burns
              -Compared with Connally
         -Connally
         -Institutional investment analysts meeting
              -Peter M. Flanigan's speech
              -Edmund S. Muskie's speech
              -Support for President's policies
              -Flanigan's speech
              -Alan Greenspan's speech
                   -Flanigan's response
                   -Taxes
                   -Burns
         -Shultz
         -Martin C. ("Marty") Anderson
         -Burns
         -Anderson
         -March 22, 1971 meeting
              -Daniel P. ("Pat") Moynihan's memorandum
```

-Flanigan

## **Tape Subject Log**

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```
-McCracken
         -Outcome of President's policies
             -Budget proposals
             -News stories
             -Stock market
                  -Dow-Jones average
    Cabinet
         -William P. Rogers
                                                          Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)
         -Romney and Volpe
         -Stans and Clifford M. Hardin
             -Frequency of meetings with President
             -Attendance at social events
         -Romney and Volpe
         -Meetings
             -Organization
             -March 1971 meeting
             -Future meetings' purpose
                  -President's position
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[Personal Returnable]
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    Cabinet
         -Meetings
             -Discussion of politics
                  -1972 election
                  -John B. Connally
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### Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 9:25 am

Mills family White House tour
-Son, daughter-in-law, State Senator Randy Carlson [?]
-Cabinet Room

## **Tape Subject Log**

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Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

## Bull left at an unknown time before 10:03 pm

```
Cabinet
     -Social events with President
          -White House dinners, church, Camp David
               -Value
     -Use of Camp David
          -Value
Mills family tour
     -A photo
```

Cabinet

-Meetings

- -Frequency
- -Length
- -Ehrlichman
- -President's role

Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mills Dickson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Young, and John S. Davies entered at 10:03 am; the White House photographer was present at the beginning of the meeting

Greetings and introductions

A photo

Wilbur D. Mills

Photo arrangements

Gifts

Tour of White House

### C. Mills, et al. left at an unknown time before 10:07 am

Unknown people [Carlson's family?] entered at an unknown time after 10:03 am; the White House photographer was present during the meeting

Greetings

## **Tape Subject Log**

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Hawaii [?]

A photo

Gifts

Vacation in Washington

Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

Randy [Carlson?]

The President, the unknown people [Carlson's family?], and the photographer left at an unknown time before 10:07 am

### Alexander P. Butterfield entered at 10:07 am

President's schedule [?]

Domestic Council

- -White House staff
  - -Kenneth R. Cole, Jr.
- -An article concerning listing as White House staff in Congressional Directory
  - -Possible footnote

### Butterfield left and the President entered at 10:10 am

A W. D. Mills granddaughter

President's forthcoming call to W. D. Mills

-Value

The Cabinet and the President

- -Previous meeting with Connally
- -National Security Council [NSC] meetings
  - -Rogers
  - -Laird
- -Rogers
- -John N. Mitchell
- -Elliot L. Richardson
- -Stans
  - -Justification for meetings with the President
    - -Columnists, Washington, DC gossips
- -Romney and Volpe

### Tape Subject Log

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```
-Hardin
     -Morton
           -Choice of Under secretary of Interior
     -Social events
           -Frequency
                -President's view
           -Church services
           -Evenings at the White House
                                                                 Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)
           -Head of State dinners
           -Frequency
                -Haldeman's view
     -Sub-Cabinet
           -Possible future inclusion at social events
                -Value
                -Rocco C. Siciliano
                -Wives
           -Siciliano and wife's attendance at Italian dinner
           -Attendance at social events prior to President's administration
                -Siciliano's experience
                -Dwight D. Eisenhower Administration
           -Haldeman's view
           -Possible future inclusion at social events
                -Siciliano
Administration wives
     -Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon's program
          -Value
     -Briefings
          -March 23, 1971 schedule
                -A conflicting event
          -Follow-up
     -Number of Cabinet and sub-Cabinet wives
     -White House staff wives
     -Mrs. Nixon's work
Cabinet
     -Sub-Cabinet
          -Possible future inclusion at social events
                -Siciliano's advice
```

-Social events -Boats

-Camp David

## **Tape Subject Log**

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Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

```
-Meetings
     -Purpose
     -Frequency and length
     -President's role
     -Length
-Upcoming meeting
     -Ehrlichman's role
     -Agenda
     -Length
     -President's role
     -Possible briefing by Henry A. Kissinger
          -Vietnam
-Rogers
-Interest
     -Possible televised meeting
          -Scheduling
          -Eisenhower Administration experience
                -The President's recollection
          -The President's position
          -Romney and Volpe
          -Eisenhower Administration experience
                -Harlow
          -Possible briefing
          -Japanese experience
          -Eisenhower experience
          -Japanese experience
          -Des Moines, Denver
          -President's position
          -Volpe
          -Subjects of discussion
-President's experience
-Public opinion
-Possible televised meeting
     -Past experience
-Cabinet meetings
     -Structure
     -Frequency
     -Agenda
          -Domestic issues
     -President's role
     -Value
```

-Value

## **Tape Subject Log**

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Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

```
-Compared with use of Camp David
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- -Donald H. Rumsfeld, Shultz
- -Frequency
- -Meetings with Ehrlichman
  - -Location
- -Ehrlichman's and Shultz's role
  - -Compared with NSC meetings
- -National security affairs
  - -Kissinger
  - -General Alexander M. Haig, Jr.
  - -Rogers
  - -Laird
  - -Admiral Thomas H. Moorer
  - -Kissinger
    - -Meetings with the President
  - -Inclusion of others in meetings
    - -Staff participation
    - -Value
- -Meetings with President

#### White House staff

- -Meetings with President
  - -President's view
  - -Flanigan
  - -John C. Whitaker
  - -Cole
  - -Caspar W. ("Cap") Weinberger
  - -Ehrlichman and Shultz

#### Cabinet

- -Romney and Volpe
  - -Meetings
    - -Topics
      - -Problems
  - -Compared with Shultz
  - -Compared with Kissinger
- -Value of meetings with President

#### White House staff

- -Meetings with President
  - -Cole, Whitaker, Edward L. Morgan

-Participation

## **Tape Subject Log**

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```
-Purpose
                -Whitaker
                     -Participation
                -Shultz and Ehrlichman
                -Frequency
                -Donald E. Johnson
                -Unnamed AEC official
                -Value compared with President's other meetings Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)
                     -Congressmen and Senators
                     -Businessmen
          -Meetings
          -Social events
                -Administration wives gathering
                     -Mrs. Nixon
                     -Value
                     -Mrs. Nixon's briefings
                     -Frequency
                     -Inclusion in Mrs. Nixon's volunteer activities
                          -Value
                                -Husbands
     President's social schedule
          -Value
          -Outsiders
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[Duration: 1m 12s]
     The President's social schedule
          -Outsiders
                -Contributions
                     -Level
                -Rose Mary Woods
                     -Old friends
                -Start of a program
```

-Houseguests

## **Tape Subject Log**

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```
-Frequency
         -Yorba Linda friends
         -Nixon family
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    Economy
                                                              Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)
         -Meetings of Romney's group
              -Importance
              -Burns
              -Ehrlichman's role at upcoming meeting
         -Possible re-creation of cabinet committee
              -Shultz
              -Domestic Council
              -Stans
              -Hodgson
         -Shultz
              -Hodgson
              -Influence
                   -Article in Nation's Business
                   -Other articles
                        -Influence on Romney's group
    Cabinet
         -History
              -Abraham Lincoln
                   -Salmon [P. Chase?]
         -Economic affairs
              -Shultz
                   -Articles on influence
                   -A forthcoming speech in Chicago
         -Connally
         -Size
         -Volpe and Romney
         -Stans
              -Reason for appointment
         -Lyndon B. Johnson's Secretary of Commerce
              -General Bruce Palmer
              -Alexander B. Trowbridge
```

-Current position

## **Tape Subject Log**

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#### Businessmen

- -National Alliance of Business [NAB]
- -Meetings
- -NAB
  - -The Homestead
- -Meetings
- -Leonard K. Firestone

Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

#### Cabinet

- -Meetings with the President
  - -Topics
- -Administration wives' program
  - -President's schedule
- -Possible meeting with wives
  - -Timing
- -Sub-Cabinet meetings
  - -State Department
  - -Agenda
  - -Possible meeting with wives
    - -Mrs. Nixon
    - -Meetings at White House
    - -Adele (Langston) Rogers at State Department
    - -Martha (Beall) Mitchell at Justice Department
    - -Interior Department
    - -Value
    - -White House
      - -White House staff
    - -Scheduling
      - -Ehrlichman's view
      - -California

#### President's schedule

- -Coming week
  - -Meetings with mayors and dairymen
  - -Administration wives
  - -Social events
  - -March 22, 1971 interview with Howard K. Smith
  - -March 23, 1971 dinner with Edwin D. Etherington
    - -National Center for Voluntary Action
    - -Romney
  - -March 24, 1971 Republican picnic
  - -March 25, 1971 Stans dinner

## **Tape Subject Log**

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```
-Reception
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-March 26, 1971

-San Clemente

-Possible meeting with administration wives

-Scheduling

-Republican fundraiser, March 24, 1971

-Cabinet meeting, March 26, 1971

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Mrs. Nixon's schedule

President's schedule

-California

-Timing

-Administration wives' meeting

-Timing

-Cabinet meeting, March 26, 1971

-California

-Possible event en route

-Administration wives' meeting

-Ehrlichman's position

-A. Rogers

-M. Mitchell

-Cabinet meeting

-Administration wives

-Timing

-Mayors' meeting

-Etherington dinner

-Timing

-Location

-Administration wives' meeting

-Timing and location

-Etherington dinner

-Board of directors of Center for Voluntary Action

-Possible future dinner

-Robert H. Finch

-Etherington

-President's acquaintance

-Romney

-Etherington's meeting with Finch and Rumsfeld

-Romney

-Meeting with Etherington and Finch

-Possible board of directors' dinner

## **Tape Subject Log**

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Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

```
-Size of board
     -Scheduling
-Previous reception or dinner
     -Charles B. ("Bud") Wilkinson
     -Max M. Fisher
     -Effect
     -President's recollection
     -Ehrlichman's schedule
-Possible board reception
     -Compared with NAB
-Possible board dinner
     -Need for a decision
          -Ehrlichman's position
                -Justification
     -Effect
     -Arthur R. Ashe, Jr.
-Possible White House reception
-State Department dinner
     -Romney
```

### Ehrlichman's schedule

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President's schedule
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-Luncheon meetings

-Frequency

-Volpe

-J. N. Mitchell

-Romney

-Cabinet meetings

-Frequency

-Sub-Cabinet

-President's supporters

-Value

-Richardson

-Schedule

-Stans

-White House dinner

-Richardson

#### Richardson

-Dinner parties

-White House staff

## **Tape Subject Log**

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```
-Congressmen
             -Department of Health, Education, and Welfare [HEW] staff
        -Work at HEW
             -Anne F. Richardson
                 -HEW auxiliary
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release.]
[Privacy]
[470-005-w006]
[Duration: 14s]
    John D. Ehrlichman's schedule
        -Remaining work to do
Ehrlichman left at 10:53 am
    Ehrlichman's work
         -Compared with Kissinger and Rogers
        -Volpe and Romney
    President's press contacts
        -Press relations
             -Administration efforts
        -A story by Frank Cormier
```

-California

-Schedule

-Ronald L. Ziegler

-Ziegler

-SST

-One-on-one interview with Smith

-Possible appearance at press briefing

-Follow-up questions

- -Cormier
- -Jerald F. ("Jerry") terHorst
- -Cormier

# Tape Subject Log

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-Effect
-An unknown man
Cabinet meetings
-Previous meeting

[An unknown person talked with Haldeman at an unknown time between 10:53 am and 11:15 am]

Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

[Conversation No. 470-5C]

An unknown item
-Nellie L. Yates

George H. Gallup poll

[End of telephone conversation]

The President left at an unknown time before 11:15 am

Conversation No. 470-6

Date: March 19, 1971

Time: Unknown between 10:53 am and 11:15 am

Location: Oval Office

H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman met with an unknown man [Manolo Sanchez?]

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[Non-Historical] [470-006-w001] [Duration: <u>5s</u>]

Weather

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## **Tape Subject Log**

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## The unknown man [Sanchez?] left at an unknown time before 11:15 am

Conversation No. 470-7 Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

Date: March 19, 1971

Time: Unknown between 10:53 am and 11:45 am

Location: Oval Office

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

Patrick J. Buchanan's speech on foreign policy

- -"Generation of peace"
  - -Public opinion
    - -Vietnam War
    - -Possible response by a dictator against US allies
    - -[Arthur] Neville Chamberlain
    - -Public opinion
    - -Defense policy
- -"Brushfire wars"
  - -President's use of phrase in interview
    - -Africa, Asia

### US defense policy

- -Disarmament
  - -Public opinion
    - -Vietnam
    - -Israel
    - -Soviet Union
- -Deterrent to war
  - -"Generation of peace"
    - -President's policies
  - -Buchanan
- -President's Newport, Rhode Island speech
- -Buchanan's work on forthcoming speech by Robert J. Dole -Effect

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## Speech themes

-New Federalism

## **Tape Subject Log**

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```
-New American Revolution
          -Press coverage
          -Domestic issues
          -New American Revolution
               -Vice President Spiro T. Agnew
          -White House staff
          -Cabinet
          -Henry A. Kissinger
                                                                   Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)
               -Forthcoming conversation with Buchanan
                     -Vietnam War
               -US goals
                     -Peace
                          -President's view
                               -Importance
                     -Defense
                          -Buchanan
                          -Public opinion
     President's schedule
          -Meeting with Charles W. Colson
[Haldeman talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 10:53 am and
11:15 am
[Conversation No. 470-7A]
          -Location
[End of telephone conversation]
          -Meetings with John A. Volpe and George W. Romney
               -John D. Ehrlichman
          -Meetings on defense
               -Size
               -General Alexander M. Haig, Jr.
[The President talked with Ehrlichman at an unknown time between 10:53 am and 11:15 am]
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[Conversation No. 470-7B]

President's call to Kissinger

## **Tape Subject Log**

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## [End of telephone conversation]

[The President talked with Kissinger at an unknown time between 10:53 am and 11:15 am]

[Conversation No. 470-7C]

Kissinger's schedule

Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

#### The President conferred with Haldeman

Colson's schedule

Kissinger's schedule

Laos operation (Lam Son)

- -President's previous call to Admiral Thomas H. Moorer
  - -Haig
  - -Military action
  - -Army of the Republic of Vietnam [ARVN]
    - -Withdrawal
      - -Residual forces
      - -Future operations
      - -Kissinger's view of operation

### [End of telephone conversation]

#### Cabinet

-John B. Connally's party

Ehrlichman and George P. Shultz's meetings with President

- -Compared with Kissinger's meetings with President
- -Staff

Dr. James R. Schlesinger confirmation

- -Bryce N. Harlow
- -Rogers C. B. Morton
  - -Ehrlichman
  - -Harlow

-Gordon L. Allott

### Colson entered at 11:15 am

## **Tape Subject Log**

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### Agnew

- -Speech in Boston concerning Columbia Broadcasting System [CBS]
  - -Maurice H. Stans
  - -Program on hunger
  - -Stans
  - -Writer

## Buchanan's speech

Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

- -Press coverage of war
  - -National Broadcasting Company [NBC]
  - -CBS
  - -Administration response

#### CBS coverage of war

- -Colson's view
- -Melvin R. Laird
- -F. Edward Hébert
- -Clifford P. Hansen's letter
  - -Rebuttal
  - -Retraction
- -A film at broadcasters' convention
- -Pentagon film
  - -Possible Federal Communications Commission [FCC] response
- -Possible request for equal time
  - -Pentagon
    - -Rebuttal
    - -Use of "fairness doctrine"
  - -Armed Services Committee
  - -White House involvement
    - -Agnew's speech

### NBC report on war

- -Buchanan's speech
  - -Thomas W. Braden

### Network news coverage

- -Effect of White House action
  - -Public opinion
    - -Colson's view
    - -Biases

President's interview with Howard K. Smith

## **Tape Subject Log**

(rev. 2/24)

- -Colson's relations with Smith
- -Questions
  - -Boundaries
    - -President's position
  - -Negotiations in Middle East
    - -President's responses
  - -Southeast Asia
  - -Domestic and foreign affairs
  - -President's responses

Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

#### John A. Scali

- -Hiring on White House staff
- -Kissinger
- -Ronald L. Ziegler's office functions
- -Role
- -Colson's relations with Scali
  - -Previous conversation
- -President's foreign policy
  - -Speeches
    - -Neo-isolationism
- -Financial sacrifice

## An unknown person entered at an unknown time after 11:15 am

President's forthcoming call to an unknown man

### The unknown person left at an unknown time before 11:45 am

### Scali

- -[Name unintelligible]
- -Robert J. McCloskey
- -Possible White House position
- -Colson's view of Scali
  - -Support for Administration policies
  - -Smith

### Smith's interview with President

- -Questions
  - -Press image
    - -President's possible responses
  - -Colson's role
  - -Press conference questions

## **Tape Subject Log**

(rev. 2/24)

```
-Role of Presidency
               -Possible answers
                    -Buchanan
                         -President's schedule
    Scali
          -Possible White House position
               -Relations with Washington people
                                                                Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)
                    -John W. Chancellor
                    -Public relations
               -Media relations
               -Buchanan meeting
               -Colson's previous conversation with Scali
[Previous PRMPA Personal Returnable (G) withdrawal reviewed under deed of gift 11/21/2019.
Segment cleared for release.]
[Personal Returnable]
[470-007-w003]
[Duration: 31s]
    John A. Scali
          -The President's possible successor
               -Henry M. ("Scoop") Jackson
                    -Possibility of winning nomination
               -Possible White House position
                    -Loyalty to the President
                    -Tenure
                         -Through November 1972
***********************************
    John A. Scali
          -Possible White House position
```

-Relations with press -Role

-Television

-Ziegler's position

-Scope of assignment

## **Tape Subject Log**

(rev. 2/24)

```
-Ziegler's role
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-Scali's role

-Relations with White House staff

-Kissinger and National Security Council [NSC] staff

-Washington Special Actions Group [WSAG]

-Scali's role

-Public relations strategy

-Laos news

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-Press

-U. Alexis Johnson

-David Packard

-Moorer

-Relations with Ziegler

-Scali's role

-Public relations strategy

-Possible WSAG membership

-Haldeman's view

-Relations with press

-Television and foreign policy

-WSAG

-Value

-Possible White House position

-Scali's previous meeting with Colson

-Colson and Haldeman's forthcoming conversation with Kissinger

-Kissinger

-Possible White House position

-Scali's previous conversation with Colson

-Kissinger's relations with press

-Ziegler

-Scali's observations

-Functions and responsibility

-Haldeman

## An unknown man entered at an unknown time after 11:15 am

[Unintelligible]

### The unknown man left at an unknown time before 11:45 am

George H. Gallup poll

-Results

-Distribution

## **Tape Subject Log**

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```
-Date and figures
          -Approval ratings
     -Method
     -Advance figures
     -Meaning
     -February poll
          -Timing
                -President's press conference
                                                               Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)
                -Laos
          -White House poll
     -Timing
          -Tricia Nixon's engagement announcement
          -Whitney M. Young, Jr. funeral
          -"Today" Show appearance
          -Women's press interview
President's "Today" Show appearance
     -Ratings
          -New York City
          -Alvin Snyder's view
     -Value
Gallup poll
     -President's standing with men and women
          -War issue
                -Support of Labor
          -T. Nixon's engagement
Lyndon B. Johnson
     -Lynda B. (Johnson) Robb's wedding
           -Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon and daughter's television viewing
          -President's television viewing habits
          -President's note to L. B. Johnson
          -Effect on L. B. Johnson's popularity
President's popularity
     -Effect of family functions
     -Gallup poll results
```

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President's schedule

## Tape Subject Log

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### -Kissinger

### The unknown person left at an unknown time before 11:45 am

-Scali

The President's schedule
-Meeting with unknown individual

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The President, et al. left at an unknown time before 11:45 am

Conversation No. 470-8

Date: March 19, 1971

Time: Unknown between 11:45 am and 12:06 pm

Location: Oval Office

## The President met with Henry A. Kissinger

President's schedule

- -John D. Ehrlichman
- -Charles W. Colson
- -Previous call to Admiral Thomas H. Moorer

Laotian operation (Lam Son)

- -President's March 22, 1971 Interview
- -Effect
- -Public statements
  - -Administration position
- -Press reaction
- -Kissinger's comments
- -Moorer
- -Effect
  - -Success
  - -Memos to President
    - -Howard K. Smith interview
  - -Administration position
    - -Justification

## **Tape Subject Log**

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Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

#### -Public comments

#### -B-52 strikes

- -Effect on North Vietnamese army
  - -Casualties
  - -Supplies
  - -Raids
- -General Nguyen Van Thieu
  - -Army of the Republic of Vietnam [ARVN]
    - -Withdrawal
      - -Reelection campaign
- -President's interview with Smith
  - -President's comments
    - -ARVN withdrawal
- -Withdrawal of ARVN
- -North Vietnamese reaction
  - -General Alexander M. Haig, Jr.
- -ARVN forces
  - -Tchepone
  - -Withdrawal
    - -Logistics
      - -Potential problems
  - -Offensive preparations
    - -Effectiveness
  - -Press coverage
  - -President's comments
    - -Withdrawal
- -Effect
  - -Administration campaign
    - -President's interview with Smith
    - -Possible backgrounder by Kissinger
  - -North Vietnamese offensive actions
    - -Effect on future actions
  - -Possible negotiations
- -President's opponents
- -Thieu
  - -Thieu's actions
  - -Tchepone
    - -Effect
- -Press coverage
  - -Washington Post
    - -Moorer
    - -Kissinger's assessment

## **Tape Subject Log**

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-Effect

-[Forename unknown] Schultz [?]

-North Vietnamese supplies and troops

-Food supplies

-Ammunition

-Destruction of pipeline

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A delivery

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Laotian operation (Lam Son)

-Effect on North Vietnamese forces

-Supplies

-Food

-Ammunition

-Weaponry

-Costs

-Defense Intelligence Agency [DIA]

-Central Intelligence Agency [CIA]

-Compared with Anti-ballistic Missiles [ABM] figures

-Sihanoukville [Kompong Som]

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## BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

[National Security (B) withdrawal reviewed under MDR guidelines case number LPRN-T-MDR-2014-021. Segment exempt per Executive Order 13526, 3.3(b)(1) on 04/30/2019. Archivist: MM] [National Security]

[470-008-w001]

[Duration: 11s]

**INTELLIGENCE** 

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

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## **Tape Subject Log**

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Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

```
Laotian operation (Lam Son)
     -Effect on North Vietnamese forces
          -Supplies
                -Decreases
     -Raids
          -ARVN
                -President's opponents
     -Effect
          -Compared with Cambodia
          -US casualties
     -President's troop withdrawal announcement
          -Numbers
                -Positive public reaction
                -Melvin R. Laird
                -Effect
          -Laird and Kissinger
                -A story in news summary
          -William P. Rogers
                -Press Conference
                -Call to President
          -Laird and Kissinger
                -Purpose
          -President's press conference statement
                -Withdrawal rates
          -Laird and Kissinger
          -Numbers
                -President's position
                -Joint Chiefs of Staff [JCS]
                     -Cambodia, Laos
     -US bombing
          -Timing
                -Reasons
          -Kissinger's talk with Moorer
Sino-Soviet relations
     -Party Congress
Vietnam
     -US troop withdrawals
```

-Laird

## **Tape Subject Log**

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```
-Numbers
          -Notice
          -Announcement
          -JCS, General Creighton W. Abrams, Jr., Thieu, Moorer
          -Armed Services Committee
          -President's possible successor
          -Timing
          -Numbers
                                                               Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)
                -Kissinger's view
                -Laird
          -Laird and Kissinger
          -President
          -Peace negotiations
                -Timing
                     -President's view
                -Prisoners of War [POWs]
                -Remaining troops
                     -Purpose
                     -Public opinion
          -Haig's view
          -Numbers
                -Timing
                     -President's view
                     -California trip
          -Laird and Rogers
          -Moorer
                -President's previous conversation
          -Laird
Soviet Union
     -Kissinger's forthcoming meeting with Anatoliy F. Dobrynin
     -Berlin
          -Willy Brandt
          -People's Republic of China [PRC]
```

## Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 11:45 am

```
President's schedule
-Forthcoming signing ceremony
-Mark I. Goode
-Television coverage
```

# Tape Subject Log

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## Kissinger left at an unknown time before 12:06 pm

-Time

## The President and Bull left at an unknown time before 12:06 pm

Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

Conversation No. 470-9

Date: March 19, 1971 Time: 12:15 pm - 12:16 pm Location: Oval Office

## The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield

An unknown item -Location

Butterfield left at 12:16 pm

Conversation No. 470-10

Date: March 19, 1971 Time: 12:32 pm Location: Oval Office

## The President talked with the White House operator

Call to Clark MacGregor

Conversation No. 470-11

Date: March 19, 1971 Time: 12:33 pm Location: Oval Office

## **Tape Subject Log**

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## The White House operator talked with the President

Clark MacGregor's location

Call to William E. Timmons

Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

Conversation No. 470-12

Date: March 19, 1971 Time: 12:33 pm - 12:35 pm Location: Oval Office

### The President talked with William E. Timmons

Supersonic Transport [SST]

- -White House lobbying in Congress
- -Vote in House
- -Senate vote
  - -Warren G. ("Maggie") Magnuson, Henry M. ("Scoop") Jackson
  - -Prospects

Conversation No. 470-13

Date: March 19, 1971

Time: Unknown between 12:38 pm and 1:05 pm

Location: Oval Office

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

Prisoners of War and Missing in Action [POW/MIA] families

- -Compared with Congressmen and Senators
- -Hardships on families
  - -Effect on wives and children

#### President's schedule

- -Camp David
- -Arthur F. Burns meeting

### **Tape Subject Log**

(rev. 2/24)

```
-Length
-Thomas E. Dewey funeral
-Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon
-John M. Harlan
-Call from Chief Justice Warren E. Burger
```

#### BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

[Previous PRMPA Personal Returnable (G) withdrawal reviewed under deed of gift 07/20/2022. Segment will remain closed.]

[Personal Returnable]

[470-013-w002] [Duration: <u>11s</u>]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

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The President's schedule
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- -Camp David
  - -Possible length of stay
  - -March 22, 1971 program

#### John A. Scali

- -Possible White House position
- -Relations with President
- -Support for Administration
- -Associated Press [AP] career
- -Compared with Ronald L. Ziegler
- -Possible White House position
  - -Henry A. Kissinger
  - -Title
    - -Leonard Garment
    - -Implications
  - -Functions
  - -Title
    - -Charles B. ("Bud") Wilkinson
  - -Kissinger

### **Tape Subject Log**

(rev. 2/24)

```
-Need
                -Haldeman's conversations with Kissinger
           -Kissinger
           -Responsibilities
                -Kissinger
                -State and Defense Departments
                     -Henry Catto and Robert J. McCloskey
                     -William P. Rogers and Melvin R. Laird
                                                                Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)
                     -Role
                           -Coordination policies
                                -Public relations
                     -Laird, [David] Kenneth Rush, and Kissinger
           -Charles W. Colson
           -Kissinger's press relations
                -Herbert G. Klein
                -Ziegler
     -Compared with Ziegler
           -AP experience
Vietnam
     -Laos operation
           -Purpose
                -President's and Kissinger's public statements
                -Goals
                -Kissinger's statements
                     -Problems
Scali
     -Advice on briefing
           -Colson
           -Press
Kissinger
     -Briefing method
          -Columnists
                -Stewart J. O. Alsop
          -Television
          -Wire services
Burns
     -Peter M. Flanigan
```

-Background memorandum

### **Tape Subject Log**

(rev. 2/24)

```
President's schedule
-California

Gerald R. Ford, Hugh Scott

Supersonic Transport [SST]
-Haldeman's call to John L. McClellan
-Reason
-Vote

[The President talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 12:38 pm and 12:50 pm]

[Conversation No. 470-13A]

Call to Ford

[End of telephone conversation]

Scali
-Possible White House position
```

### [The President talked with Ford between 12:50 pm and 12:52 pm]

-State and Defense Departments
-National Security Council [NSC]

-Possible staff assignment -Kissinger

-Scali's view

[Conversation No. 470-13B]

```
SST vote
Congress

SST vote
-William E. Timmons
-President's opponents
-Goal
-Environmentalists
-Senate
```

-William M. Magruder

## **Tape Subject Log**

(rev. 2/24)

```
-Media position
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-Future plans

[End of telephone conversation]

-Ford's response

President's schedule

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-Burns

-Dewey funeral

-Seating on plane

-Mrs. Nixon

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Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

[Previous PRMPA Personal Returnable (G) withdrawal reviewed under deed of gift 11/21/2019. Segment cleared for release.]

[Personal Returnable]

[470-013-w001]

[Duration: 2m 11s]

The President's schedule

Thomas E. Dewey funeral

Jack and Helene (Colesie) Drown's schedule

-Possible visit to Camp David

-Henry A. Kissinger, John N. Mitchell, William P. Rogers

-Senators not returning

-William P. Rogers

-Senators

-Jack Drown

-Return

-Frequency of visits

-Compared to Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo

-Duration of visits

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John A. Scali

-Possible White House position

-Kissinger

## **Tape Subject Log**

(rev. 2/24)

-Responsibilities

-Ziegler

-Kissinger

-Colson

-Career

-Change

-Future

Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

White House staff

-Careers before and after White House

Haldeman left at an unknown time before 1:05 pm

Conversation No. 470-14

Date: March 19, 1971

Time: Unknown between 12:52 pm and 1:05 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President talked with the White House operator

Call to Wilbur D. Mills

Conversation No. 470-15

Date: March 19, 1971

Time: Unknown between 12:52 pm and 1:05 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Manolo Sanchez

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[Previous PRMPA Personal Returnable (G) withdrawal reviewed under deed of gift 11/21/2019. Segment cleared for release.]

# Tape Subject Log

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[Personal Returnable] [470-015-w001] [Duration: 46s]

Jack and Helene (Colesie) Drown's schedule

-Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon

-Helene (Colesie) Drown

-Extended visit

-Suitcases

-Possible departure date

-March 21, 1971

-Jack Drown

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Sanchez left at an unknown time before 1:05 pm

Conversation No. 470-16

Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

Date: March 19, 1971

Time: Unknown between 12:52 and 1:30 pm

Location: Oval Office

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

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[Previous PRMPA Personal Returnable (G) withdrawal reviewed under deed of gift 11/21/2019. Segment cleared for release.]

[Personal Returnable]

[470-016-w001]

[Duration: 55s]

Rose Mary Woods

Jack Drown and Helene (Colesie) Drown's schedule -Length of stay

### **Tape Subject Log**

(rev. 2/24)

-Jack Drown
-Departing March 21, 1971
-Helene (Colesie) Drown
-Through March 22-26, 1971

#### Rose Mary Woods entered at 1:05 pm

The President's schedule
-Camp David
-Anatoliy F. Dobrynin
-Henry A. Kissinger

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[Previous PRMPA Personal Returnable (G) withdrawal reviewed under deed of gift 11/22/2019. Segment cleared for release.]

[Personal Returnable] [470-016-w003] [Duration: 1m]

Jack Drown and Helene (Colesie) Drown

-Visits

-Camp David

-Florida

-The President's schedule

-Camp David

-March 18, 1971 conversation

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[The President talked with Wilbur D. Mills between 1:06 pm and 1:08 pm]

[Conversation No. 470-16A]

### **Tape Subject Log**

(rev. 2/24)

Mills' grandchildren and daughter
-Tour of White House

[End of telephone conversation]

[Previous PRMPA Personal Returnable (G) withdrawal reviewed under deed of gift 11/21/2019. 17m 45s segment cleared for release. 29s remain closed as 470-016-w004.]

[Personal Returnable]

[470-016-w004]

[Duration: 17m 45s]

The President's schedule, March 18, 1971

-Work load

Jack Drown and Helene (Colesie) Drown

- -Rose Mary Woods' opinion
- -Camp David
- -Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon

-Suggested schedule

The President and Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon's schedule for coming week

- -March 23, 1971
  - -Dinner
- -March 24, 1971
  - -International Neighbors Club tea
  - -Republican fundraiser
- -March 23, 1971
  - -Edwin D. Etherington dinner
    - -Jack Drown and Helene (Colesie) Drown attendance
- -March 25, 1971
  - -Maurice H. Stans dinner
    - -White House
  - -Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon's presence
    - -Ceremony for Outstanding Handicapped Federal Employee of 1970
    - -Meeting with Jeanie Smith

#### Helene (Colesie) Drown

-Length of previous visit

### **Tape Subject Log**

(rev. 2/24)

```
-Jack Drown [?]
-New York
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#### The President's schedule

- -San Clemente
  - -Jack Drown and Helene (Colesie) Drown presence
    - -1972 campaign advice
    - -Economic advice

Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

- -Camp Hoover
- -Camp David
  - -Jack Drown and Helene (Colesie) Drown's visit
  - -Meetings with outsiders
    - -Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon
- -March 22, 1971 television interview
  - -Preparation
- -Jack Drown
  - -March 16, 1971 dinner and March 17, 1971 dinner
  - -Helene (Colesie) Drown
    - -Conversations with the President

#### The President's schedule

- -Possible meeting with Jack Drown
  - -Rose Mary Woods' opinion
  - -Current problems
  - -Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo, Robert H. Abplanalp, Hobart D. ("Hobe") Lewis
    - -Time spent with the President
- -Staff and congressional meetings
- -Recent conversation with Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo

#### Jack Drown

- -Conversation with Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo
- -Compared with Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo
- -The President's opinion
- -Rose Mary Woods' opinion
- -Effect of being around the President
  - -Jack Drown's view on the friendship
- -Hawaii vacation with the President and Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon
  - -Rose Mary Woods' recollection
- -Palm Beach visit
  - -Smith House [?]

### **Tape Subject Log**

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- -Schedule
- -Length of visit

The President's schedule

- -California
  - -March 26-27, 1971
  - -Rose Mart Woods' view
  - -Helene (Colesie) Drown
    - -Length of visit in Washington, DC
    - -Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon

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Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

**BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4** 

[Personal Returnable] [470-016-w004]

[Duration: 29s]

END WITHDRAWAN ITEM NO. 4

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Jack Drown and Helene (Colesie) Drown

- -Compared to the President's other friends
- -Quality of friendship
  - -Genuineness
- -Effect on other California friends
- -Effect on Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon's family
- -Effect on F. Donald Nixon
  - -Telephone calls with the President
- -Effect on Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon's family
- -Herbert W. Kalmbach
  - -California duties
- -Rose Mary Woods
- -Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo
- -John D. Ehrlichman
  - -Previous conversation with Jack Drown

### **Tape Subject Log**

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-Possible ambassadorship

-Potential interest

#### The President's schedule

- -March 19, 1971
  - -National Alliance for Business [NAB] reception
    - -Jack Drown attendance
- -Jack Drown and Helene (Colesie) Drown
- -March 20, 1971 appointments
- -Camp David
  - -Jack Drown and Helene (Colesie) Drown
  - -The President's absence
  - -Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon
  - -Cabins in use
  - -March 22, 1971 television interview
    - -Preparation
    - -Researchers
  - -Jack Drown and Helene (Colesie) Drown
    - -Interest in visiting Camp David

#### Helene (Colesie) Drown

- -Schedule
- -Rose Mary Woods' view

#### Jack Drown and Helene (Colesie) Drown

- -Raymond J. Arbuthnot
- -Robert H. Finch
  - -Opinion

#### The President's schedule

- -Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon
- -Camp David
  - -Helicopter
  - -Driving
- -National Alliance for Business [NAB] reception
- -Possible reasons to go to Camp David
- -Forthcoming talk with Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon
  - -Camp David
- -American Broadcasting Company [ABC]
- -Request to call Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon
  - -Jack Drown and Helene (Colesie) Drown
  - -Reception

# **Tape Subject Log**

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-March 22, 1971 television interview -Camp David -The President's need for privacy

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Woods and Haldeman left at an unknown time before 1:30 pm Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

Conversation No. 470-17

Date: March 19, 1971

Time: Unknown between 1:08 pm and 1:30 pm

Location: Oval Office

### The President met with Stephen B. Bull

President's schedule -Arthur F. Burns -Thomas E. Dewey funeral -Departure time -Weather in New York -Burns meeting -Length

Bull left at an unknown time before 1:30 pm

Conversation No. 470-18

Date: March 19, 1971 Time: 1:30 pm - 2:12 pm Location: Oval Office

The President met with Arthur F. Burns and an unknown person [Stephen B. Bull?]

Refreshments

### **Tape Subject Log**

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### The unknown person [Bull?] left at an unknown time before 2:00 pm

Burns' schedule

-Need for meeting with President

A former teacher of Burns'

-Books written

Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)

Dwight D. Eisenhower

-Relations with Burns

Burns' relations with President

-Vice Presidency

### An unknown person entered at an unknown time after 1:30 pm

Refreshment order

#### The unknown person left at an unknown time before 2:00 pm

Burns' relations with President

- -Support for the President
- -Support for President's welfare and family assistance plan -Friends in Congress

Burns' work

-At Federal Reserve Board

-A possible bank failure

-Burns' efforts

-Effect

-As Counselor to President

-At Federal Reserve Board

-Goals

-Support for President

-Press and White House criticism

-At Federal Reserve

-Background preparation

-Burns' actions

- -Press
- -Burns' actions

### **Tape Subject Log**

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#### Interest rates

- -Burns' actions
- -Possible international monetary crisis
  - -Effect at home and abroad
    - -A memorandum to President
    - -Treasury Department
    - -Contingency plans
    - -International bank notes
- -Effect of future fluctuation
  - -Burns' actions
  - -Housing in 1972
- -Jurisdiction
  - -Burns
  - -John B. Connally

#### Economy

- -Growth of money supply
  - -Postwar period
    - -Rates of growth
    - -1946, 1966, and [unintelligible]
  - -Burns' view
  - -Burns' actions, goals, and methods

#### Burns

- -Career
- -Business compared with government service
  - -Reasons for choosing government service
- -Role as Chairman of the Federal Reserve
  - -Compared with work as Counselor to the President
  - -President's view
  - -Connally

### **Economy**

- -Burns' goals
  - -Compared with President's
  - -Compared with William McChesney Martin
  - -Compared with President's
  - -Alternatives
    - -Henry M. ("Scoop") Jackson
    - -Hubert H. Humphrey
    - -Edmund S. Muskie
    - -Edward M. ("Ted") Kennedy
    - -Effect

### **Tape Subject Log**

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-Economic policy
          -1972 election
          -1970
                -Milton Friedman's letter to President
                     -Economic policy
                           -1972
           -Compared with President
                -Family assistance plan
                                                                Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)
           -Rate of growth
                -President's view
                -Budget
                     -1065
                -Future
                -March and April 1971
           -Investment tax credit
           -Possible changes
           -Burns' testimony before Congress
                -Investment tax credit
                -Social Security
                -President's meeting with Connally
                -Press reports
Presidents and Federal Reserve chairmen
     -Burns
     -Eisenhower and Martin
           -Nixon's relation with Martin
Economy
     -Burns and President
          -Burns previous work for the President
           -Importance
           -Press reports
           -President's staff
                -Connally
                -George P. Shultz
           -Relations
           -Role as Chairman of the Federal Reserve Board
           -Press reports
           -Importance
          -Connally
     -Administration's policy
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-Politics and economy

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- -Consumer confidence
- -Burns' and President's relations
- -A review
  - -Burns
  - -April figures
  - -Taxes
- -Monetary supply
  - -A position paper by Burns
  - -Connally
  - -Burns' goal
  - -President's position
- -Fiscal policy
  - -Taxes and budget
  - -Public statements
    - -February, March figures
  - -President and Burns' policy
- -Relations between President and Burns
- -Public statements
  - -White House staff
  - -Connally
- -Relations between Burns and Connally
  - -Future meetings between Burns and Connally
  - -Interest rates
  - -Connally
- -President's advisors
  - -Shultz, Paul W. McCracken
    - -Political role
  - -Burns and Connally
- -Possible future meetings
  - -President, Connally, and Burns
    - -Quadriad
    - -Political considerations
- -Connally
  - -Compared with Lyndon B. Johnson
- -Relations between President and Burns
- -Ouadriad
- -Public statements
  - -Administration policy
    - -Unity
- -Goals
  - -President's view
  - -Compared with Vietnam War

### **Tape Subject Log**

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-Unemployment
     -Compared with Great Britain
          -Press accounts
          -Edward R. G. Heath
                -Labor problems
                -Common Market entry
                     -Polls
                -Term of office
                                                          Conv. No. 470-18 (cont.)
-Scope and direction
     -Administration policy
          -Variables
-Unemployment
     -1972, 1971
          -Importance
          -President's view
     -1960
          -Burns' and Jim [James L.?] Mitchell's meeting with President
          -A call from Burns to President in February
                -Rose Mary Woods
                -[Unintelligible]
-Relations between President and Burns
     -Press reports of Congressional testimony
-Goals
     -Burns' work
     -Confidence
          -Relations between President and Burns
                -Press reports
                -Ronald L. Ziegler
          -President's view
-Quadriad
     -Connally
     -Shultz
     -McCracken
-A review
     -Date
     -April figures
     -A meeting
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### Alexander P. Butterfield entered at 2:00 pm

President's schedule
-Clark MacGregor

### **Tape Subject Log**

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- -William E. Timmons
- -Major General James D. ("Don") Hughes

### Butterfield left at an unknown time before 2:03 pm

### Sanchez left at an unknown time before 2:10 pm

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Economy
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-Investment tax credit

- -Wilbur D. Mills
- -Vance Hartke's bill
- -Burns' and public statements
- -Burns' forthcoming meeting with [Name unintelligible]
- -President's policy and public statements
  - -Howard K. Smith interview
  - -Ziegler

#### Burns

-Forthcoming trip to Europe

-Goal

-Meetings with European bankers

-Paris

# Tape Subject Log

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### -Georges J. R. Pompidou -Economic background

Butterfield entered at an unknown time after 2:00 pm

Item for the President

Woods entered at an unknown time after 2:10 pm

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Delivery of unknown item(s)
Burns

Burns left at 2:10 pm

[Unintelligible]

The President left at 2:12 pm

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[Non-Historical]

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Rose Mary Woods' office

The President's schedule [?]

Oval Office

-Compared with the San Clemente office

-Florida [?]

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