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Tape Subject Log

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Conversation No. 503-1

Date: May 21, 1971

Time: Unknown between 8:13 am and 9:25 am

Location: Oval Office

The President met with H.R. ("Bob") Haldeman; the recording begins while the conversation is in progress.

President's schedule

- Unknown group
 - Agenda
 - President's dinner plans

Events

- Press
 - Cameras
 - Presence at recent event
- School event
- Photo opportunities
 - Press
 - School event
 - White House photographer
 - Mary Brooks [?]
- Tulane alumni dinner, May 20, 1971
 - Press coverage
 - Melvin R. Laird
 - Attendees
 - F. Edward Hébert
 - Graduate of Tulane University
 - President's statement
 - Press coverage
 - Army Band
 - "Hail to the Chief"
 - Comments from a member of the audience

Press

- Handling
 - White House press pool
 - Bob Belini [sp?]
 - Stories

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Hébert and [Thomas] Hale Boggs
-Louisiana

Southern California
-[Forename unknown] Greenway [?]

Louisiana
-Unknown person
-Football

Unknown person

News summary
-Unknown person
-Follow-up

Unknown office
-Staff
-Girls

Henry A. Kissinger entered at an unknown time after 8:13 am.

International Telecommunications Satellite Consortium [INTELSAT]
-President's meeting with INTELSAT conference May 21, 1971
-Time
-Location
-Length of meeting
-Signing ceremony
-U. Alexis Johnson
-William P. Rogers
-Timing
-Press
-Strategic Arms Limitation Talks [SALT]
-Camera coverage
-Length and timing of President's appearance
-Signing ceremony
-Possible Presidential remarks
-Length of INTELSAT conference
-International communications
-Reason for making remarks

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SALT agreement

Tulane alumni dinner

- Howard K. Smith
- President's visit to the dinner
- Dinner honoring
 - Hébert
 - Boggs
 - Allen J. Ellender
- Time of President's visit
- Surprise visit

INTELSAT Conference meeting, May 21, 1971

- Johnson
- Time of President's visit to INTELSAT Conference

President's schedule, May 21, 1971

- Meeting with SALT delegation
- Meeting with the National Medal of Science winners
 - Awarding medals
 - Photo opportunity
 - Academia
- INTELSAT Conference meeting
 - State Department
- Meeting with the National Medal of Science winners
 - Reception
- INTELSAT
 - Johnson

Kissinger left at an unknown time before 8:43 am.

Tulane alumni Dinner, May 20, 1971

- Press coverage
 - Louisiana
 - President's remarks
 - Band
 - "Hail to the Chief"

Executive staff

- Election
- Assistant Secretaries
- Frederic V. Malek
- John B. Connally

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- John A. Volpe, George W. Romney
 - Assistant Secretaries
- Lyndon B. Johnson, John F. Kennedy, Dwight D. Eisenhower
 - Their executive staffs
- Old Executive Office Building [EOB]

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[Duration: 23s]

The President's schedule

- Dinner
 - Tricia Nixon Cox's possible guests
 - Julie Nixon Eisenhower's possible guests
- Trip to Florida
- Julie Nixon Eisenhower and [Dwight] David Eisenhower, II

Discrimination

- Busing in Texas
- Unknown person in Texas
- Court order
- Justice Department
 - John N. Mitchell
- Schools
 - Percentage of blacks
- Jury
- Pasadena, California
- Quotas
- Busing
- Civil Rights Commission
 - Rev. Theodore S. Hesburgh
 - John D. Ehrlichman
 - White House strategy
- Court order

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White House staff

- Meetings
 - George P. Shultz
 - Ehrlichman
 - Haldeman
 - Kissinger
 - Staff meetings in the morning
 - Events in Congress
 - News stories
 - Executive Departments

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

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END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

Unknown man and the press

Cabinet and staff

- Romney
- James D. Hodgson
- Leadership qualities
- Shultz
 - Treasury
 - Shultz compared to David M. Kennedy
- Shultz
- Peter N. Flanigan
- Council of Economic Advisors [CEA]
- Peter G. Peterson
- Arthur F. Burns

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- Domestic Council members
- Connally
- Economic policy
 - Leadership
 - Football analogy
 - Paul W. McCracken
 - Burns

The President talked with an unknown person [Kissinger?] at an unknown time after 8:13 am.

Schedule

[End of telephone conversation]

Letter President is writing

- Kissinger

Department of Defense

- Job for David Packard
 - Laird
 - Divestment of stock
 - Donald H. Rumsfeld
- Army

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[Privacy]

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[Duration: 51s]

Department of Defense [DOD]

- Army
 - Howard H. (“Bo”) Calloway
 - H. R. “(Bob)” Haldeman’s opinion
 - Bert S. Cross
 - Charles D. (“Tex”) Thornton
 - Divest from stock
 - Unlikely to take position
 - John S. Foster, Jr.
 - Melvin R. Laird and Roy L. Ash don’t get along

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- Arnie [sp] [?] [surname unknown]
- [First name unknown] Cokie [sp] [?]
- Friendship with H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman
- 1950 campaign

Kissinger entered at 8:43 am.

INTELSAT Conference

- Kissinger's meeting with Johnson

David K.E. Bruce

- Cable to Kissinger
- Resignation
 - Health
- Loyalty to President
- Health
- Return to US
- Unknown group or country
- May, June deadlines
- Strategy for dealing with the resignation
- Meeting with Kissinger next week and the President

SALT

- Kissinger's press briefing
 - News Summary
- Coverage
- President's role
 - Washington Post's* headlines
 - New York Times*
 - Television
- Marvin L. Kalb's comments
 - Gerard C. Smith
- Vladimir S. Semenov
 - Kissinger's opening statement to the press
 - Anatoliy F. Dobrynin
 - Smith
 - Party
- Press' political bias
 - John Kennedy

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- Washington Post*
- Television coverage
 - President's announcement
- Press columnists
 - Smith
- Leaks to the press
 - Bureaucracy
 - Arms Control and Disarmament Agency [ACDA]
 - State Department
 - White House bargaining position
- New York Times* editorial on May 21, 1971
- Congressional reaction
 - President's initiative
- John A. Scali
- President's initiative
 - Congress
 - Kissinger's briefing
 - Television
 - Congressional reaction
 - Edward W. Brooke
 - Charles H. Percy
 - Hubert H. Humphrey
 - March 25
 - Charles W. Colson
- State Department
- ACDA
 - Press coverage
- Timing
- Press coverage
- New York Times* and *Washington Post* stories
 - President's initiative
 - Unknown reporter
- Humphrey, J. William Fulbright
 - Congressional resolutions
- Edmund S. Muskie
- Press coverage
 - Television networks
 - “The Today Show”
- Washington Post* reaction
 - John Kennedy
 - President's initiative
- David Kraslow

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- Conversation with Kissinger on May 20, 1971
- Sunday Los Angeles Times
- People's Republic of China [PRC]
 - John W. Chancellor
- Presentation of Science Awards on May 21, 1971
- Joseph W. Alsop
- Kissinger's briefing
 - Invitation to James J. Kilpatrick, Jr.
 - Unknown person
 - [Forename unknown] Steward [?]
 - Newsweek*
 - Time*
 - Edward Steele
 - President's initiative
- Press backgrounders
 - Smith
 - Kissinger
- President's briefing of Congressional leaders May 20, 1971 on SALT agreement
 - Rogers, Laird, Smith
- Hugh S. Sidey
- Possible Kissinger statement to press
 - Strategy
 - Communist nations
 - Arms control
 - President's initiative
- Kissinger's briefing
 - Sidey
 - Compared to PRC
 - US government agencies
 - President's initiative
 - John F. Osbourne and Sidey
 - Role of Kissinger
 - "Hot Line" telephone
 - Negotiations
 - Kissinger
 - Newspapers
 - Sidey
 - Osbourne
- Kissinger's briefing
 - Smith

White House press briefings

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- State Department [?]
- Help in White House briefings
- Laos
- Smith
- Antiballistic missile [ABM]

Schedule

Kissinger left at 9:05 am.

Cabinet and staff

- Rogers
- Laird
- Connally
- Colson
- Connally
- Rogers
- Laird
- Romney
- Volpe
- Maurice H. Stans
- Hodgson
- Elliot L. Richardson
- President's letter to the Soviets
- Kissinger's meeting with Dobrynin
- Senate
- Leaks

Unknown person

- Washington Post*
- Support for the President

Reactions to SALT agreement

- Michael J. Mansfield
- Muskie
- Humphrey
- Fulbright
- Television
- Kissinger
- Daniel Patrick Moynihan
- Scali
- Conservatives

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-Ronald L. Ziegler

Media coverage of the White House

- Press reaction to SALT
 - Osborne
 - Richardson
 - Television
 - Washington Post*
 - Joseph C. Kraft
 - Chalmers Roberts
 - Washington Post*
- Media coverage of the demonstrators
- Middle East
 - Rogers
 - Coverage of President

Congress

- Robert J. Dole

Cabinet officers and staff

- Connally
- Mitchell
- Richardson
- Volpe
 - National Transportation Week
- Connally
- Rogers
- George H.W. Bush
- William F. ("Billy") Graham
- Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo

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The President's schedule

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

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- Charles W. Colson
- Barbecue
- Trip to airport for the President and Julie Nixon Eisenhower
- Julie Nixon Eisenhower's flight
- Texas
- William F. ("Billy") Graham and Ruth McC (Bell) Graham
 - Return to Florida with the President
- Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo
- Return to White House

Haldeman left at 9:25 am.

Conversation No. 503-2

Date: May 21, 1971
Time: Unknown between 9:25 am and 9:37 am
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with the White House operator.

[See Conversation No. 3-107]

Conversation No. 503-3

Date: May 21, 1971
Time: 9:37 am - 9:40 am
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with William L. Safire.

[See Conversation No. 3-108]

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Conversation No. 503-4

Date: May 21, 1971
Time: 9:40 am - 9:46 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield.

- National Medals of Science
 - Awards
 - Strategy for making ceremony go smoothly
 - Medal of honor

Butterfield left at 9:46 am.

Conversation No. 503-5

Date: May 21, 1971
Time: Unknown between 9:46 am and 9:53 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

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- Request
 - Coffee

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Sanchez left at an unknown time before 9:53 am.

Conversation No. 503-6

Date: May 21, 1971
Time: 9:53 am - 10:43 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Ronald L. Ziegler.

Economic issues

- Consumer Price Index [CPI] increase
- John B. Connally
- George P. Shultz
- George W. Romney
 - Congress
 - Spending
- Full employment budget
- Price parity
- Shultz's reaction to CPI figure
- Food price increases
 - Last year's food price rise
- Inflation
 - Rate

Strategic Arms Limitation Talks [SALT]

- Henry A. Kissinger's briefing
- President's initiative

Ziegler left at 9:56 am.

Kissinger entered at 9:56 am.

SALT negotiations

- William P. Rogers
- Gerard C. Smith
- Level
- Rogers
- Timing

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- Accidental war
 - Hot line
- Possible statement
 - Smith
 - Vladimir S. Semenov
 - Anatoliy F. Dobrynin
- Helsinki
 - SALT delegates
 - Leaks
 - Anti-ballistic missiles [ABM]
 - Offensive weapons
- US position
 - ABM
 - Safeguard
 - Dobrynin
 - Kissinger's briefing to the press
 - ABM
 - Offensive weapons
 - Multiple Independently-targetable Reentry Vehicle [MIRV]
 - Submarines
 - Press reaction
 - President's involvement in SALT agreement
 - Role of Joint Chiefs of Staff [JCS]
 - Support for President by press in coming election
 - President

Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 9:56 am.

Forthcoming SALT delegation meeting with the President

Bull left at an unknown time before 10:03 am.

Kissinger's meeting in his office with two reporters
Change of Kissinger's scheduled meeting on Vietnam until May 22, 1971

Kissinger's future meetings with

- [Forename unknown] Franco of *Newsweek*
- Osborn Elliott
- James J. Kilpatrick, Jr.
- William F. Buckley, Jr.

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- Press reaction
 - Times* editorial of May 21, 1971
 - People*

Rogers, Gerard C. Smith, Royal B. Allison, Paul H. Nitze, Llewellyn E. Thompson, and Philip J. Farley entered at 10:03 am; photographers were present at the beginning of the meeting.

Science Medals

Seating arrangement

Photographs

SALT negotiations

- Vienna
- Outcome of the SALT agreement
- Press
- Defense Department and their supporters
- Leaks
 - White House
 - Rogers
 - State Department
 - Bureaucracy
- President's position on inclusion of safeguards in SALT
 - Press
 - Henry M. ("Scoop") Jackson
 - ABM
 - Washington, D.C.
- Perception of Soviet interests
 - Offensive weapons
- President's expectations of SALT
 - Senators
 - Press columnists
 - Press conferences
 - Soviet and American domestic problems
 - Agreement
- Negotiating strategy
 - Rogers
- Public perception
 - J. William Fulbright
- Congressional action
- Smith

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- US security
 - Leaks
- Success of negotiations
 - Consultation
 - Information
- American security
- Strategy
- Perception of Soviet arms
 - Agreement
- Hot line
- Time period
- Treaty
- President's China policy
 - French
 - British
- ABM
 - Soviet advantage
- US defenses
 - American security
- Soviet missiles
- A comprehensive treaty
 - Scope of the SALT agreement
- Missile sites
 - Smith
- Thomas H. Moorer
- Options
- Radar
- European Security Council
 - Rogers' forthcoming meeting
 - Their reaction to SALT
- Soviet-American policy
 - Influence

Science awards

- Peace

Alexander P. Butterfield entered at 10:40 am.

President's schedule

- Science awards ceremony
- International Telecommunications Satellite Consortium [INTELSAT]

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Rogers, et al., left at 10:43.

Conversation No. 503-7

Date: May 21, 1971
Time: 10:46 am - 10:47 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield.

Senate

Request

Butterfield left at 10:47 am.

Conversation No. 503-8

Date: May 21, 1971
Time: Unknown between 10:47 am and 11:02 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

President's schedule

Bull left at an unknown time before 11:02 am.

Conversation No. 503-9

Date: May 21, 1971
Time: Unknown after 11:29 am until 11:41 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with William P. Rogers; the recording begins while the conversation is in progress.

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Foreign policy

- Germany
- Russians
- People's Republic of China [PRC]
 - Chinese reaction
- Rogers' luncheon speech
 - Chinese scientists visiting the US
- Western European scientists
- Egyptian doctors in antiquity
- Egypt
 - Pyramids
 - Temples
 - Egyptian civilization
 - Egyptian people
 - Anwar el-Sadat
 - Egypt's relationship to the US

President's schedule

- Scientists
- International Telecommunications Satellite Consortium [INTELSAT]

Rogers schedule

- Haircut

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[Privacy]

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William P. Rogers's schedule

- Haircut
 - George P. Shultz's son
 - The President's opinion
 - H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman's son
 - An anecdote regarding H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman's reaction to long hair

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[National Security]

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[Duration: 58s]

Canada

- Pierre E. Trudeau
 - The President's opinion
- Canadians
 - President's instructions for the Department of State [DOS]
 - Pierre E. Trudeau
 - The President's opinion
 - Unknown comment Pierre E. Trudeau made

Union of Soviet Socialist Republics [USSR]

- Internal problems

PRC

- Development of US-PRC relations
- United Nations [UN] issue
- US-Soviet Union relations
- US's dealings with PRC
 - Soviets
- Visits by US officials
 - Maurice H. Stans
 - David M. Kennedy
- Handling
- Soviet Union
 - Rogers' speech [May 21, 1971?]
 - President speech to Red Cross [May 20, 1971?]
 - President's meeting with a Chinese teacher
 - Brotherhood
 - 1981
 - Open Travel to PRC, Soviet Union

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-Brotherhood

Soviet Union

- Llewellyn E. ("Tommy") Thompson's views on how to deal with the Russians
- Tass' [?] attack on US imperialism
 - PRC
- US foreign policy
 - Handling
- President's message of January 8th to Aleksei N. Kosygin, Leonid I. Brezhnev

Alexander P. Butterfield entered at an unknown time after 11:29 am.

President's schedule

Butterfield left at an unknown time before 11:41 am.

Soviet Union

- Party Congress
- Laos
- PRC initiative
- Middle East

The Middle East

- Rogers' role in Middle East settlement
- President's instructions to Rogers
 - Jews
 - Role for the President in reaching a settlement
- Jews
- Richard Bolling
 - Pacifists
 - Quakers
- US elections
 - Democrats
- Bolling

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[National Security]

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Israel

- Yitzhak Rabin
 - Relations with US
 - Future of his job
 - The President's opinion
- Yitzhak Rabin and Moshe Dayan
- Golda Meir
 - William P. Rogers's preference to replace her

Egypt

- Anwar el-Sadat's respect for Moshe Dayan
- The President's preference for a military man
- Anwar el-Sadat

Science

Youth

- Zero growth rate

The President and Rogers left at approximately 11:41 am.

Conversation No. 503-10

Date: May 21, 1971

Time: 12:09 pm - 12:10 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with William P. Rogers and Stephen B. Bull.

President's schedule

Rogers and Bull left at 12:10 pm.

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Date: May 21, 1971

Time: 12:11 pm - 12:20 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Donald Schollander and Jonathan Rose; the White House photographer was present at the beginning of the meeting.

Schollander's activities

- President's appreciation
- Success
- Sacrifice
- Dedication
- Schollander's environment
 - Direction
 - Training
- Talent
- God

Sports

- Young people
- University of Pennsylvania
 - Basketball
 - Yale
- Thrill of sports
 - Vicariousness
 - Olympics
- Penn and Cornell
 - Football
 - Yale
- Yale football coach [?]
 - His record
- George Hanes
- Schollander's Olympic coach
- Santa Clara Swim Club
 - Hanes
 - Coaches in Southern California
- Tennis
 - Southern California

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- Australia
- Unknown person
- Vincent T. ("Vince") Lombardi
- George E. Allen
- University of Michigan
- Christian A. ("Sonny") Jurgenson
 - Talents
 - Quarterbacking

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Sports

- Christian A. ("Sonny") Jurgenson, III
 - Drinking
 - Bad example for children

Sports

- John C. ("Johnny") Unitas
- Athletes
- Golfers
 - Arnold D. Palmer
- Baseball

Presentation of cuff links to Schollander

Golf

- Rhythm

Schollander and Rose left at 12:20 pm.

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Date: May 21, 1971
Time: 12:20 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

Film to be shown in the Family Theatre

Bull left at 12:20 pm.

Conversation No. 503-13

Date: May 21, 1971
Time: 12:20 pm - 12:31 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Alex D. Steinkamp and Robert H. Finch; the White House photographer was present at the beginning of the meeting.

Greetings

Introduction to Mr. and Mrs. Steinkamp

Visit of Stevens and Steinkamp to Treasury

- Lunch with Mary T. Brooks
- President's meeting with her on May 20, 1971
- Famous room at Treasury
 - John Petty
 - Used by Andrew Johnson
- President's meeting with John B. Connally on May 20, 1971
- Petty
- Stevens and Steinkamp's meeting with Connally and John R. ("Johnnie") Walker on May 20, 1971

Revenue sharing

- County-level

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-Confidence on the local level

Carpeting in the Oval Office

Presentation of gifts

-Cuff links

-Golf balls

Rose Garden

-Mrs. Stevens' daughter, Nancy and son-in-law

-Julie Nixon Eisenhower's wedding date

-Children

Tour

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens, et. al., left at 12:31 pm.

Conversation No. 503-14

Date: May 21, 1971

Time: Unknown between 12:31 pm and 2:59 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

President's schedule [?]

Bull left at an unknown time before 2:59 pm.

Conversation No. 503-15

Date: May 21, 1971

Time: 2:59 pm - 3:39 pm

Location: Oval Office

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

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President's schedule

- Julie Nixon Eisenhower
- January 8th
- John A. Scali

George P. Shultz and John D. Ehrlichman entered at 3:06 pm.

Bankers meeting in Munich

- Peter G. Peterson
- John B. Connally
- Size of US delegation
- Attendees
 - Federal Reserve governors
 - Treasury people
 - Peterson

International Trade Hearings

- Shultz's testimony
- Paul J. Fannin
- Abraham A. Ribicoff, Russell B. Long
- Questions asked Shultz
- US policy on international economic matters
 - US Senate
- World trade
- Senate's feelings toward State Department
- Ribicoff's views on Council of Economic Advisors [CEA]
 - State Department's role
 - Peterson

Peterson

- Congressional affairs
 - Republicans
- James R. Schlesinger
- Intelligence field
- Defense
- Science
- Atomic Energy Commission [AEC]
 - Peterson's views
 - Appropriations
 - Defense Department
 - James C. Fletcher

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- Chairmanship
- Schlesinger
- Peterson
 - Schlesinger
- Peterson's plans for reorganizing AEC
- Connally's meeting with President
 - Peterson's ideas
- Connally
 - Staff
- Treasury compared to Housing and Urban Development [HUD], Department of Transportation [DOT]
 - Economic spokesman
- Peterson's interests in security and economics
 - National security
 - International economic and monetary problems
- Staff for Peterson
 - Schlesinger
- Re-organization of government agencies
 - AEC
 - Head
 - Schlesinger
- Peterson's interest in international trade
 - Sugar
- Peterson's interest in a job in the intelligence field
- Government re-organization
 - June
- Henry A. Kissinger
- Schlesinger
- Peterson
 - Intelligence field
- Peterson
 - Job for him
 - Knowledge in intelligence field
 - Schlesinger
 - His paper on intelligence
- Budget

Jerome M. Rosow

- Assistant Secretary at Labor Department
- Return to Standard Oil
- His letter of resignation
 - Effective date

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Housing

- Integration
 - Rev. Theodore S. Hesburgh
 - HUD's statement
- Meeting on May 21, 1971 between Ehrlichman, Shultz, George W. Romney and John N. Mitchell
 - Meeting scheduled between them for next Thursday
 - Blackjack, Missouri case
 - Mitchell
 - Courts
 - Republican county executive of Blackjack, Missouri
 - Ehrlichman
- Raymond K. Price, Jr.

Environmental policy

- John C. Whitaker
 - Polls
- Political significance
- Interest in by the White House
- Whitaker
- Louis P. Harris poll
- Whitaker
- Analysis of the polls
- Myth compared with fact
- Industry jobs
- William D. Ruckelshaus, Virginia H. Knauer, Peter M. Flanigan, Elliot L. Richardson, Maurice H. Stans, James D. Hodgson, and Peterson
 - Periodic meetings regarding the issue of guidelines on regulation
- President meeting with Nobel Peace Prize winner, Norman E. Borlaug
 - Small wheat strains
 - India, Pakistan, Mexico, Latin America
 - Starvation
 - Dichlorodophenyl trichloroethan [DDT]
 - Pesticides
 - Costs compared with benefits
- Ruckelshaus' views
 - Pressure groups
 - Anti-trust
 - Subjecting his decisions to review
 - Anti-trust activity
- Pesticides, DDT, environment safety, consumerism

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- Universities
- College professors and associates
- Political costs of environmental public policy
 - Unemployment
- Shultz's previous memo to Ruckelshaus
 - Costs and gains
- Ruckelshaus
- Safety
- Consumerism
 - Stans
- Environmental impact statement
 - Stan's proposal
 - Safety, consumerism
 - Economic impact statement
 - Cost in terms of jobs and business
 - Cost to consumers
 - Regulation

President's schedule

- Quadriad meeting May 21, 1971

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Dinner party

- Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon
- Julie Nixon Eisenhower and [Dwight] David Eisenhower, II
- Tricia Nixon Cox and Pricilla Kidder
- Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo
- Movie
 - Julie Nixon Eisenhower
- The President's possible attendance

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Shultz and Ehrlichman left and Kissinger entered at 3:34 pm.

Vietnam

- Casualties
 - Battle report
 - Statistics
 - Accidental deaths
 - Military casualties
 - Acceptable figures
- Elections
 - Nguyen Van Thieu
 - National Assembly
 - Ellsworth F. Bunker
 - Electoral votes
- US liberals
- Bunker
- South Vietnamese elections
- US liberals

President's schedule

- Bunker's meeting with the President

Vietnam

- Bunker
- Kissinger's communications with the President
- William P. Rogers
 - Out of the country
- Alexander M. Haig, Jr.
- Melvin R. Laird
- Rogers
- Announcement
- Bunker
- Rogers

Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 3:34 pm.

President's schedule

- Request for appointment

Kissinger, Haldeman and Bull left at 3:39 pm.

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Conversation No. 503-16

Date: May 21, 1971
Time: 3:40 pm - 5:26 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Herbert Stein, George P. Shultz, John B. Connally and Arthur F. Burns.

General conversation

US economy

- Recovery
 - Forecasts
 - Unemployment
 - Inflation
 - Consumer Price Index [CPI]
 - Retail sales
 - April, May
 - Forecasts
- Unknown person
- Wholesale price index
- Mortgage interest
- CPI
- Gross National Products [GNP] calculations
- National income calculations
- Unemployment
- Price increases
 - Response of American people
 - Inflation
- George Meany
 - Lunch with Burns
 - Support of President
 - Labor support of President
- Prize freeze
 - Review board
 - Negotiations
 - Regulations
 - Lifting
 - Timing
- Prices

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- Interest rates
- Housing starts
- Food prices
- Non-food commodities
- Economic policy
- Commodities

Manolo Sanchez [?] entered at an unknown time after 3:40 pm.

Iced tea

Sanchez [?] left at an unknown time before 5:22 pm.

US economy

- Agriculture
 - Drought
- State of economy
- Rate of inflation
- CPI
- Construction business
 - Price controls

Steel industry

- Labor
 - Strikes
- Management's attitude
- Quotas
- Government intervention
 - Rate increase
 - Tariff
 - Relief
 - Moral persuasion
- Labor
- Government intervention

Construction industry

- Figures
- Productivity
- Unemployment
 - Labor union
- James D. Hodgson

Steel industry

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- Strike
 - Timing
- Collective bargaining
 - Posture
 - Compared to past negotiations
 - John N. Mitchell
 - President's role
 - Work rules
 - Compared to railroads
 - Productivity
 - Work rules
 - Piece work
 - Effect on productivity
 - Conrad Cooper
 - Productivity commission
 - Work rules

Labor unions

- Work rules
- Construction
- Railroads

Steel industry

- Negotiations
 - Intervention
 - President's role
 - Effect on the country

US economy

- Prices
 - Increases
 - Stein, Shultz opinions
 - Controls
 - Price indexes
 - Burns statement
- Price controls
 - Meany
 - Employment
 - Office of Price Administration [OPA]
 - Burns
 - Timing of initiating
- Steel industry

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- Hodgson
- Foreign production compared to US production
 - Effect on labor management relations
 - Japanese labor
- Possible Presidential statement
 - Television
 - Educational networks
 - Prime-time
 - William L. Safire
 - Peter G. Peterson
 - Competition with rest of world
 - Burns
 - Audience
 - Educational television
 - Stein
 - Content of President's remarks
 - Visual aids
 - Radio talks

Budget

- Forthcoming budget session
- Peterson, Connally, and the President
 - Discussion of goals

Financial markets

- Expansion
- Fluctuations
 - Peter M. Flanigan
- Future
 - Burns
- Expansion
- Democratic economists
 - Walter E. Heller
 - Paul A. Samuelson
- Unemployment
- Inflation
- Deficit
 - Fiscal 1971
 - Outlays
 - Fiscal 1972
- Revenue
 - Tax returns
 - Social Security

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- Deficit
 - Fiscal 1971
 - Fiscal 1972
 - Appropriations
 - Social Security
 - Welfare Reform Bill
 - Social Security
 - Gross National Product [GNP]
 - Social Security
 - Tax returns
 - Depreciation
 - Outlays
 - Welfare Reform Bill
 - Medicare
 - Cost savings
 - President's budget
 - Congress
 - Appropriations
 - Education bill
 - Deficit
 - Inflation
 - President's budget
 - Revenue sharing
 - Strategy for getting President's budget through Congress
 - Compared to Fiscal 1971
 - Fiscal 1973 budget
 - Taxes
 - Budget deficit
 - Public perception
 - Administration's strategy
 - Implications
 - Economic plans
 - Prize freezes
 - Wage freezes
- US economy
- Expansion
 - Projections
 - Full employment revenues
 - 1971
 - 1972
 - Congress

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- Appropriations bills
 - Timing
 - Opposition party
 - Strategy
 - Deficit spending
 - Fiscal policy
 - Jobs
 - Deficit spending
 - Public awareness
 - Full employment budget
 - Stein
 - Developing a plan of action
 - Fiscal policy
 - Economic stimulation
 - Inflation
 - Congress
 - Social Security
 - Council of Economic Advisors [CEA]
 - Congress
 - Public awareness
 - Press
 - Social Security increases
 - Public awareness
 - Benefits
 - Costs
 - Blacks
 - Poor
- Automobile industry
- John A. Volpe
 - Airbags
 - Price of automobiles
 - Bicycles
- Monetary policy
- Banker's meeting
 - Burns
 - George W. Mitchell, James Dewey Daane, Paul A. Volcker, Connally
 - Paul Grover
 - Congress, Treasury Department
 - International Bankers Association
 - Europe

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- US
- Congress

Economic policy

- Connally's role
- Secretary of State's role
- CEA
- Secretary of Labor
- Secretary of Treasury
- Coordination of economic policy
 - Connally
- Connally's plan
- Secretary of Treasury
- CEA
- Economic spokesman
 - Secretary of Treasury
- Role of CEA
 - Stein
 - Paul W. McCracken
 - Shultz
- Strategy
- Europeans
 - Knowledge of US foreign policy
- CEA
- Shultz
- Maurice H. Stans
 - Hodgson
- Plan
- Burns
- Connally
- Meetings of the Quadriad

Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 3:40 pm.

President's schedule

- Forthcoming meeting with Robert D. Murphy
 - Kissinger's conversation with Murphy
 - People's Republic of China [PRC]

Bull left at an unknown time before 5:22 pm.

Economic policy formation

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- Purpose of meeting of Quadriad
 - Secretaries of Commerce, Labor, Agriculture, Housing
 - H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman
 - Hodgson
 - Stans
- Foreign policy formation
 - William P. Rogers
 - "Meet the Press"
 - Kissinger
 - Backgrounder
 - President's role
- Role for Connally
- Press
- Role for President
- Role for Connally

Monetary policy

- Burns meeting with unknown banker
- Upcoming meeting in Europe of central banks
 - President's meeting with Connally, May 20, 1971
 - US policy
 - Strength
 - Fiscal policy restraints
 - Education Bill
 - Productivity
 - Governors
 - Balance of payments
 - International monetary policy
 - Willy Brandt
 - West Germany
 - Unemployment
 - US economic policy
 - International monetary system
 - Balance of payments
 - US domestic economy
 - Relationship to European economies
 - 1970
 - President's visit to Europe in February, 1969
 - US economic policy
 - Inflation
 - [James] Harold Wilson's Cabinet
 - Effect of US economy

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- Japan
 - International money markets
 - Interest rates
 - Federal Reserve Board
 - Effect of steel strike
 - Strength
 - Confidence
- Price of gold
 - Rogers
 - Possible increases
 - Previous crisis
 - The Hague
 - Central bankers
- International monetary meeting
 - Foreign policy
 - Strategic Arms Limitation Talks [SALT]
 - Compared with international monetary policy
 - Dutch, Belgians, Germans, British
 - US leadership
 - Clarifying US policy
 - Possible changes in international monetary system
- Brandt
 - Germans
 - US policy
- International monetary affairs
 - Connally
 - Swiss currency
 - Austrian currency
 - Dutch currency
 - Germany currency
 - Icelandic currency
 - Inflation
 - Gold
 - Burns and George W. Romney
 - US Reserves
 - Price
 - Revaluing
 - Foreign debt
 - Malaysia
 - Gold request
- Burns
- Connally

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-Poker

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Poker

-The President's advice on how to play

-Played while in the US Navy

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[National Security]

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[Duration: 2m 16s]

US international economic dealings

-John B. Connally's conversation with an unknown person

-Friendship [?]

-Speeches

-American sacrifices

-European countries

-French

-European attitude towards Americans

-Envy

-Germans

-Government unsound economically

-Willy Brandt

-The President's view

-His politics

-Socialists

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The President's schedule
-May 22, 1971
-Breakfast

Stein, Shultz and Connally left at 5:22 pm.

US International Monetary Conference
-Possible attendance
-French, British, Italians, US, Japanese
-Planning
-Price of gold

SALT announcement on May 20, 1971
-World War II

Burns' statement
-Commerce
-President's assessment
-Connally's assessment

Burns left at 5:26 pm.

Conversation No. 503-17

Date: May 21, 1971
Time: 5:26 pm - 5:55 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Robert D. Murphy and Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

Tie

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[National Security]

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[Duration: 19m 45s]

Taiwan

- Chiang Kai-shek
- US–United Nations [UN] Security Council seat
- United Nations [UN]
- Chiang Kai-shek
 - Friendship with US
 - Canadians
 - British
 - United Nations [UN]
 - Gordon Chow
 - James C. H. Shen [?]
- Chiang Kai-shek
 - Possible mental decline

Requests

- Coffee
- Tea

Taiwan

- Chiang Kai-shek
 - Possible mental decline
 - Robert D. Murphy's assessment
 - Charles A. J. M. de Gaulle, Jean Monnet
- George Kung-choa Yeh
 - [Madame] Chiang Mayling Soong
 - Embassy
 - Conversation with the President in 1967
 - High school with Chou En-lai
- Chiang Ching-kuo
 - Diabetes
 - Discipline
 - Likability
- Finance minister
- George Kung-choa Yeh
 - Food
 - Women
 - Architect

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- Health
 - Diabetes
- Chou En-lai
- [Madame] Chiang Mayling Soong
 - Guest house
 - New York
 - Movies
 - Brothers
- Chinese people
 - The President's opinion on sophistication
- Chiang Kai-shek's beliefs
- Interpreter president used during his visit
 - James C. H. Shen
 - Works closely with Chiang Kai-shek
- Foreign minister
- President's China policy
 - Two China policy
 - Possibility of changing stance
 - Communist Chinese
- Membership in United Nations [UN]
 - Dual representation
- Warsaw talks
- Taiwan
 - United Nations [UN]
 - Inability to recognize
- Peking
- Two China policy
 - Communist Chinese
 - British [?]
 - US give in?
 - Alexander M. Haig, Jr. statement
 - Ping-Pong
- Union of Soviet Socialist Republics [USSR]
- United Nations [UN] membership
 - US failing to stand by allies
 - Robert D. Murphy's opinion of Taiwan's desire for membership
 - US potentially loses leadership role
- US-People's Republic of China [PRC] policy
 - British, French
- United Nations [UN]. membership
 - Alexander M. Haig, Jr.'s opinion
 - Taiwan

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- People's Republic of China [PRC]
 - Will be eventual winner
 - Don't allow it to seem like US endorses
 - Make it look like US is standing by Taiwan
- US gains
 - World leadership
- United Nations [UN]
 - The President's opinion
- Peking
 - Potential respect for US
- US mission to Peking
 - Trade
 - Department of State [DOS]
- Japanese
 - Support for Taipei
- People's Republic of China [PRC]
 - Security
- Unknown person's views
- Trade
- Travel
- United Nations [UN]
- Peking
 - Japanese business man
 - Deliver unofficial word to Chinese

Taiwan

- Japan
 - Estimated control of 50 percent
- Farm land purchased by a company
- Chinese feeling towards the Japanese
 - Japanese brutality

Presentation of gifts

- Golf balls
- Cuff links
- Tie clasp

Murphy and Haig left at 5:55 pm.

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Conversation No. 503-18

Date: May 21, 1971
Time: 5:58 pm - 6:00 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield.

President's remarks for tomorrow, May 22, 1971

Butterfield left at 6:00 pm.

Conversation No. 503-19

Date: May 21, 1971
Time: Unknown between 6:00 pm and 6:04 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with an unknown person.

President's schedule

Conversation No. 503-20

Date: May 21, 1971
Time: 6:04 pm - unknown before 6:26 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield.

President's remarks for tomorrow, May 22, 1971
-1st draft
-Ronald L. Ziegler

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-Text

Butterfield left and H.R. ("Bob") Haldeman entered at 6:07 pm.

Presidential libraries

- Lyndon B. Johnson
- Harry S. Truman
- San Clemente
- Office at library

President's remarks for tomorrow, May 22, 1971

- News
- Style

[Pause]

Anastasio Somoza Debayle

- Visit to US
 - Honorary dinner
 - Somoza's West Point Alumni fellows
 - Nicaragua
 - Attendance

Butterfield entered at an unknown time after 6:07 pm.

Press

Butterfield left at an unknown time before 6:26 pm.

Television

William F. ("Billy") Graham

[Pause]

President's schedule

- Lyndon B. Johnson library ceremony
 - Television coverage
 - Program

Haldeman left at an unknown time before 6:26 pm.

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Conversation No. 503-21

Date: May 21, 1971
 Time: Unknown between 6:07 pm and 6:26 pm
 Location: Oval Office

The President met with Ronald Ziegler and Alexander P. Butterfield [?].

President's schedule
 -Lunch tomorrow
 -Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo meeting with the President

Ziegler and Butterfield [?] left at an unknown time before 6:26 pm.

Conversation No. 503-22

Date: May 21, 1971
 Time: Unknown between 6:07 pm and 6:26 pm
 Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield.

Speech
 -1358 words

Press conference

Butterfield left at an unknown time before 6:26 pm.

Conversation No. 503-23

Date: May 21, 1971
 Time: Unknown between 6:07 pm and 6:26 pm

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Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

President's schedule
-Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo meeting

Bull left at an unknown time before 6:26 pm.

Conversation No. 503-24

Date: May 21, 1971
Time: Unknown after 6:07 pm until 6:34 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo.

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William F. ("Billy") Graham
-Arrival in Florida

The President's speech on May 22, 1971

[The President talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 6:07 pm and 6:26 pm]

[Conversation No. 503-24A]

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[See Conversation No. 3-111]

[End of telephone conversation]

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Refreshments

Previous announcement

-Strategic Arms Limitation Talks [SALT]

-Antiballistic missile [ABM]

-Soviet Union

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[503-024-w004]

[Duration: 2m]

[Conversation No. 503-24B]

The President talked with Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon between 6:26 pm and 6:28 pm

[See Conversation No. 003-112]

[End of telephone conversation]

Trip to Florida

-Julie Nixon Eisenhower [Dwight] David Eisenhower, II

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The President and Rebozo left at 6:34 pm.