



# NIXON PRESIDENTIAL MATERIALS STAFF

## Tape Subject Log (rev. 9/08)

Conversation No. 454-1

Date: February 19, 1971  
Time: Unknown between 4:11 and 4:59 pm  
Location: Oval Office

Alexander P. Butterfield met with Manolo Sanchez and Ronald L. Ziegler [?]

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1  
[Non-historical]  
[Duration: 1m 18s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

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President's schedule

The President entered and Butterfield and Ziegler [?] left at 4:52 pm

Rose Mary Woods  
-Telephone call

[The President talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 4:52 pm and 4:53 pm]

[Conversation No. 454-1A]

Call to Rose Mary Woods

[End of telephone conversation]

Woods' health

[The President talked with Woods between 4:53 pm and 4:54 pm]

[Conversation No. 454-1B]

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Joseph E. Parker

[End of telephone conversation]

[The President talked with an unknown man [John D. Ehrlichman?] at an unknown time between 4:54 pm and 4:59 pm]

[Conversation No. 454-1C]

Parker

- Work experience
- Congress
- Farming
- Bryce N. Harlow

[End of telephone conversation]

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 4:59 pm

Conversation No. 454-2

Date: February 19, 1971

Time: Unknown between 4:54 pm and 4:59 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull

The President's schedule

- Quadriad meeting

Bull left at an unknown time before 4:59 pm

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Conversation No. 454-3

Date: February 19, 1971  
 Time: 4:59 pm - 5:08 pm  
 Location: Oval Office

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

Inflation rate  
     -Press stories  
         -*Washington Star*  
         -Administration policies

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3  
 [Personal Returnable]  
 [Duration: 8s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3

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-Accuracy  
     -Haldeman's figures  
     -*New York Times*  
     -National Broadcasting Company [NBC]  
     -Columbia Broadcasting System [CBS]  
     -*Washington Post*  
     -CBS  
     -Charles W. Colson

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 2m 42s ]

[The President talked with John D. Ehrlichman at an unknown time between 4:50 pm and 4:55 pm.]

[Conversation No. 454-3A]

[End of telephone conversation]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

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Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 4:59 pm

The President's schedule  
 -John B. Connally  
 -Forthcoming meeting

Bull left at an unknown time before 5:08 pm

Quadriad  
 -Connally  
 -Role  
 -Arthur F. Burns

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 2m 8s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

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Attack on car of Soviet diplomat  
-News story

President's schedule  
-Quadriad

Haldeman left at 5:08 pm

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Conversation No. 454-4

Date: February 19, 1971  
Time: 5:08 pm - 6:34 pm  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with George P. Shultz, Paul W. McCracken, Arthur F. Burns, John B. Connally, Ronald L. Ziegler, and Rose Mary Woods; the White House photographer and members of the press were present at the beginning of the meeting

[General conversation]

The President's meeting with Young Republicans

[General conversation]

George Black, Jr.  
-Great grandchildren  
-Forthcoming trip to Africa  
-President's aunt  
-Purpose

Ziegler, Woods, and the press left at an unknown time before 6:34 pm

Quadriad  
-History  
-Dwight D. Eisenhower administration  
-Procedure  
-Frequency of meetings with the President  
-McCracken's Congressional testimony

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- Revenue sharing
- Meetings with the President
  - Purpose
    - Full employment budget
    - Cooperation
  - Format
- Council on International Economic Policy [CIEP]
  - Peter G. Peterson
    - International monetary policy
    - Meeting with Quadriad

Conv. No. 454-3 (cont.)

### National economy

- Growth
- Inflation
- Growth
  - Retail sales
- Unemployment
  - Improvement
  - Cities
  - Effect on individuals
  - White collar/Aerospace industry
    - Problem
    - Importance to nation
    - White House meeting
    - Administration position
- National Science Foundation [NSF]
  - Grants
  - Scientists
  - University professors
  - Administration's budget
- Administration efforts
- Impact
- Number
- Need for government coordinator
  - David Packard
  - Administration efforts

### Inflation

- Administration efforts
  - Business
    - Wage concerns
- Steel and oil

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- Labor
- Hubert H. Humphrey and Hugh Scott
- Edmund S. Muskie and George Meany
- Possible wage and price freeze
- Davis-Bacon Act
  - Analysis
  - Effect
- Governors
  - Impact
  - California
  - New York
    - Nelson A. Rockefeller
  - Florida
  - Illinois
  - Ohio
  - Michigan
- President's position
  - Governors
- Effect on steel negotiations
  - Shultz's position
- Federal construction contracts
  - Importance of timing
- Effects on construction industry
  - Unemployment
  - Possible effect on mortgage rates
  - Importance
- Unions
  - Connally's view
  - Minorities
- Options
  - Wage and price freeze
    - President's view
  - Construction industry
  - Steel
  - History
  - Effect on wages
- Federal budget deficit
  - Administration's policy
    - Lyndon B. Johnson
  - The President's vetoes
  - Effect on inflation
  - Administration's policy

Conv. No. 454-4 (cont.)

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- Spending lid
- Economic forecast
- Full employment budget
- Revenue sharing
  - Number of grants
  - Administration's policy
  - Relations with Congress
  - Effect
- Washington Post* story
  - David S. Broder
  - Connally's view
  - Administration position
- Walter W. Heller
  - Statement in California
  - The President's conversation with Humphrey
- Reform efforts
- Full employment budget
  - Possible congressional action
    - Edward M. ("Ted") Kennedy's health program
  - Burns' view
  - Shultz's view
- Relationship between currency and gold
  - Views of business community
  - Federal Reserve Board governors
- Fiscal versus monetary policy
  - Use of balance of payments
  - Effects
- Results of possible failure of the President's economic policy
  - Effect on future
  - Liberal spending policies
    - John Kenneth Galbraith
  - Budget deficits
  - Wage and price controls
    - Polls
  - Policies of the 1960s
  - Employment
  - Impact of President's policy

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### Balance of payments

- Deficits
- Commercial trade
- Foreigners' concern and aid



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- State of Union message
- President's budget proposal
- Paul A. Volcker
- Domestic economic policy
  - International concerns
    - Administration statements
    - Possible effect on US economy and policy
- Connally's visit to Europe
  - Schedule
    - International Bankers Association
    - Possible meetings with bankers
      - Purpose
      - US policy
  - Domestic political repercussions

Conv. No. 454-4 (cont.)

### Interest rates

- California
  - President's property
    - Popular view of interest rates
  - The President's conversation with Samuel W. Yorty
  - Effect on housing
  - Deposit interest rates
- Money supply
  - Compared with the President's Laos decision
- Recent decline
  - Popular opinion
    - Need for public relations efforts
  - Money supply
- Need for public confidence
- Economic recovery
  - Burns' view
  - Inflow of deposits
  - Public confidence
  - Increase in money supply
    - Treasury Department's role
    - Power of Federal Reserve
    - Transaction demand
    - Savings

### The President's schedule

- Money supply

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Economic policy

- Federal Reserve Board
  - Interest rates
    - Effects of decisions
      - Monetary effect
      - Supply and demand
      - Effect on economy
  - Future meeting on monetary policy
- Briefing paper
- Future meeting
- Problem
  - Uncertainty
- Administration's policy
- Economists
- Public confidence
  - Administration efforts
    - Market-oriented policies
  - Stock market
    - Ripples of influence
    - Factors
    - Expectations of profit
    - Increased productivity

Conv. No. 454-4 (cont.)

The President's schedule

- Forthcoming meeting on monetary policy

Wage and price controls

- Press questions
  - Connally's possible response to questions
  - Participant's views

Shultz, McCracken, and Burns left at an unknown time before 6:34 pm

State dinner

- Connally's observations
- Entertainment

Previous Quadriad meeting

- Monetarists
  - Burns
  - President's policies
  - McCracken

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*Washington Post* story

- Connally's comments
- Administration policy
  - Compromises
  - Connally's view
- John A. Burns

Democrats

- Economic meeting
- Allen J. Ellender
- Comments on the President's programs
  - Revenue sharing
  - Government reorganization

Conv. No. 454-4 (cont.)

Connally left at 6:34 pm

Conversation No. 454-5

Date: February 19, 1971

Time: Unknown between 6:34 pm and 6:46 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull

The President's schedule

- Henry A. Kissinger
- Call from the President

Bull left at an unknown time before 6:46 pm

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Conversation No. 454-6

Date: February 19, 1971  
Time: Unknown between 6:46 pm and 11:59 pm  
Location: Oval Office

Stephen B. Bull met with unknown people

Conv. No. 454-4 (cont.)

[Unintelligible]

Recording was cut off at an unknown time before 11:59 pm

Conversation No. 454-8

Date: February 20, 1971  
Time: Unknown between 10:32 am and 10:58 am  
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with the White House operator [?]

Peter M. Flanigan

Conversation No. 454-9

Date: February 20, 1971  
Time: 10:58 am - 2:42 pm  
Location: Oval Office

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

The President's schedule  
-Meeting with Italian delegation  
-Camp David

Peter M. Flanigan entered at 10:59 am

Possible appointment in State Department

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## **Tape Subject Log**

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- Flanigan
  - William P. Rogers
  - Purpose
  - Pros and cons
    - International economic issues
  - President's decision
    - White House role
  - Peter G. Peterson
    - Council on International Economic Policy [CIEP]
      - Issues
- Nathanial Samuels
- Rogers' strategy
  - John N. Irwin, II
  - U. Alexis Johnson
- George P. Shultz
- Herbert C. Hoover, Jr., John Foster Dulles, and Elliot L. Richardson
- Irwin
- Flanigan's capabilities
  - State Department bureaucracy
    - Compared with other departments
- Department of Commerce
  - James T. Lynn
    - Maurice H. Stans
- Flanigan's role
- Government reorganization
  - President's policy
  - Ash Council report
    - Mary Gardiner Jones
    - Business community
- Flanigan's future prospects
- Fred J. Russell
  - Position
- Department of the Interior
  - Rogers C. B. Morton
    - John D. Ehrlichman
    - Alaska pipeline
      - Canada pipeline
      - Robert B. Anderson

Manolo Sanchez entered at an unknown time after 10:59 am

Unknown item

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Sanchez left at an unknown time before 11:10 am

Value of pipeline to Alaska

- Importance
- Environmentalists
  - Morton
  - William S. ("Bill") White's article
  - Canadian pipeline

Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)

Presidential appointments

- Flanigan
- Kissinger
- State Department's role in economic policy
  - Peterson
- Ambassador to New Zealand
  - Russell
  - Kenneth Franzheim, II
    - William B. Macomber, Jr.
  - Russell
    - Ability
  - Franzheim
    - Campaign contribution
    - Service
    - Frank J. Shakespeare
- John M. Shaheen
  - Possible appointment to US Advisory Commission on Information
  - Shakespeare
  - Clark MacGregor's efforts
  - Leslie C. Arends
    - Flanigan
  - Possible nomination

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[Privacy]

[Duration: 35s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 20

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-MacGregor  
-Congress

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 21

[Privacy]

[Duration: 13s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 21

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-William J. Casey  
-Chief Executive Officers  
    -Bert S. Cross  
    -Robert C. Tyson  
-World Radio Conference  
    -Details  
    -Qualifications for position  
    -Joe McConnell [?]  
-Earl H. Blaik  
    -Rose Mary Woods' list  
        -White House  
-Charles D. ("Tex") Thornton  
-J. Willard ("Bill") Marriott, Jr.  
-Tyson

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- Thornton
- Blaik
- Frederic V. Malek
- State Department appointment
  - Flanigan
  - Roy L. Ash
  - Peterson
- Cabinet level Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)
  - John B. Connally
  - Need for potential presidential candidates and salesmen
  - John A. Volpe and George W. Romney
  - Connally
  - Stans
  - Connally

[The President talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 10:59 am and 11:10 am]

[Conversation No. 454-9A]

Call to Tyson

[End of telephone conversation]

- Presidential appointments
- Offer of position to Tyson
    - Tyson's qualities
      - Work experience
      - Roger M. Blough

Flanigan's conversation with former chairman of General Motors

Alexander P. Butterfield entered at 11:10 am

Repair of fountain pen

Butterfield left at 11:11 am

- Product safety legislation
- Need
  - Administration's position
  - Administrative control



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- Department of Health, Education, and Welfare [HEW]
    - Stans' view
    - Department of Commerce
    - Office of Management and Budget's [OMB] view
    - Flanigan's view
  - President's position
    - HEW
    - Richardson
  - Punitive actions
- Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)

Arthur F. Burns

- Previous meeting with the President
- Differences with the Administration
  - Economic forecast
  - Potential press stories
  - Washington Star*

[The President talked with Tyson between 11:29 am and 11:30 am]

[Conversation No. 454-9B]

Offer of appointment to World Radio Conference

- Flanigan
- Tyson's role
- Importance

The President's Vietnam policy

[End of telephone conversation]

Personnel

- The President's previous call to Tyson
  - Blaik
  - Flanigan's call to Tyson
    - Cross
  - Flanigan's role
  - Thornton
    - Ash
    - Role in administration
  - Flanigan's role in administration
- State Department staffing
  - Flanigan
  - Philip H. Trezise

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- Samuels
- Thornton
  - Economic affairs
- Johnson
- Irwin
- Rogers
  - Flanigan's call
  - President's decision
- Peterson

Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)

[The President talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 11:30 am and 11:36 am]

[Conversation No. 454-9C]

Call to Rogers

[End of telephone conversation]

Burns

- Connally
  - Meeting with the President
- Statements on economy
  - President's orders
  - Potential problems
  - Confidence
- Franklin D. Roosevelt
  - Herbert C. Hoover
- Stans

[The President talked with Rogers between 11:36 am and 11:44 am]

[Conversation No. 454-9D]

Appointment to State Department

- Flanigan
  - Role in White House
- Businessmen
  - Thornton
  - Qualifications

Butterfield entered at 11:40 am

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- Ash
- Compared to Robert S. McNamara
- Upgrading of position by Congress
- Samuels

\*\*\*\*\*Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)\*\*\*\*\*

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 22  
[National Security]  
[Duration: 3s]

PERSONNEL

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 22

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- Thornton
- The President's dinner for Alice Roosevelt Longworth
- Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Alsop
- Forthcoming conversation between Flanigan and Rogers
- Irwin

J. B. and Idanell (Brill) ("Nellie") Connally

[End of telephone conversation]

- J. B. Connally
- Tee time
- Rogers, Melvin R. Laird, and Winton M. ("Red") Blount
- Ash Council meeting
- I. Connally

Butterfield left at 11:45 am

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### **Personnel**

- State Department appointment
  - Flanigan's call to Rogers
  - Thornton
  - Upgrading of position by Congress
  - Thornton
- Securities and Exchange Commission [SEC]
  - Casey
    - Senate hearings
      - William Proxmire
    - Mitchell
  - Cross
  - Qualifications
  - Hamer H. Budge
    - Compensation
  - James W. Hargrove
    - Qualifications
  - Cross
    - Qualifications
  - Charles Marren
    - Mitchell's view
  - John H. Alexander
    - Previous experience
      - Federal Trade Commission [FTC]
        - Miles W. Kirkpatrick
          - Political sense
        - Qualifications
        - Compared to SEC
  - Marren
  - Casey
  - Marren
    - Mitchell's view
  - George McKenna
    - Qualifications
    - Present and possible term and salary
    - Present judicial appointment
  - American ability to raise capital
  - Casey
    - John W. Dean, III
    - Mitchell

Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)

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### Stans

- Department of Commerce
- Subordinate who disagreed with administration
  - Ehrlichman
- Speech
  - Trade with Soviet Union and Eastern Europe
  - President's position
  - Negotiations

Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)

### Flanigan's forthcoming conversations

- Stans
  - Support for Administration
- Burns
  - Previous statement on economy
  - Administration policy
    - Economic confidence
    - President's view

### Personnel

- Support for Administration's policies
  - Russell
  - Department of Commerce personnel
  - Bureau of Labor Statistics [BLS]
    - [Leon Greenberg]
  - President's view

### Henry A. Kissinger entered at 12:00 pm

- Thornton
  - President's view
  - Change of position
  - Samuels

### Flanigan left at 12:02 pm

- Morton
- Thornton
- Volpe
  - Possible post

### The President left at an unknown time before 12:15 pm

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### Position in State Department

- Flanigan
- Samuels
- Qualifications

### The President entered at an unknown time after 12:02 pm

- Flanigan
- President's position
- Irwin
- Rogers
- Irwin
- Johnson
- [David] Kenneth Rush
- Previous work with Kissinger

Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)

### Personnel

- Robert F. Ellsworth
- Plans to resign
- Successor
- US Ambassador to Italy
- Henry Salvatori
- Volpe

### The President's meeting with Emilio Colombo

- Aldo Moro
- Italian domestic politics
- Graham A. Martin
- The President's handling of foreign visitors
- Conversation topics
- Discussions
- Policy issues
- Chile
- Moro
- Presidency of Italy
- Upcoming elections

### The President's schedule

- Foreign Ministers
- Portugal, Spain, and Greece
- Great Britain, France, Italy, Germany, and Japan
- Latin America, Asia, Africa

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[Privacy]

[Duration: 4s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 23

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-United States/Japanese relations

Vietnam

-Military situation

-Laos operation

The President's meeting with Colombo

-Italian political situation

-President's comments

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4

[National Security]

[Duration: 10s]

ITALY

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4

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Ehrlichman's schedule

[Haldeman talked with Ehrlichman at an unknown time between 12:02 pm and 12:15 pm]

[Conversation No. 434-9E]

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The President's request for meeting

[End of telephone conversation]

Ehrlichman's schedule

The President's schedule

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Haldeman left at 12:15 pm

Nixon's influence on foreign Heads of State

- Media coverage
  - Kissinger's role
    - Stewart J. O. Alsop
    - John McCarty
- Difficulties of meetings
  - Compared to other Presidents
  - Absence of Secretary of State

Vietnam

- Columbia Broadcasting System [CBS] story
  - Negative reporting
  - Kissinger's conversation with Admiral Thomas H. Moorer
  - Tendencies of soldiers
  - Military operations
    - Developments
    - John A. Scali's story
    - Successes
- North Vietnamese attack
  - Casualties
  - B-52's
- B-26's
  - President's order
- CBS story
  - Public information from Saigon
    - General Alexander M. Haig, Jr.
    - Ronald L. Ziegler
    - Public relations efforts
- Media coverage
  - United States' Information Agency [USIA]
  - Defense Information Office [DIO]



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- W[illiam] Averell Harriman's statements
- President's opinion
- Military operations
  - Prospects
  - President's view of war
- Military operations
  - Bombing of North Vietnam
  - Results

Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)

[Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon talked with the President between 12:22 pm and 12:23 pm]

[Conversation No. 454-9F]

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 6

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 1m]

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[End of telephone conversation]

Vietnam

- Battlefield situation
  - Possible future developments
- Report of Japanese correspondent
  - Problems in North Vietnam
    - Food shortages
    - Morale

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[National Security]

[Duration: 47s ]

PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA

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END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 7

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- President's news summary
  - President's position
  - Public relations efforts
  - Rogers
- The President's news conference
  - Media coverage
    - Max Frankel
    - James B. ("Scotty") Reston
    - Frankel's story
  - Hubert H. Humphrey
  - Foreign policy issues

National Security Council [NSC] staff

- President's conversation with Haldeman
- Liberals/intellectuals
- Haig
- Morton H. Halperin
- William A. K. ("Tony") Lake
- Halperin
  - John W. Gardner

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 24

[Privacy]

[Duration: 9s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 24

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## Media coverage

- The Alsops and Richard L. Wilson
- Mary McGrory
- Vietnam
  - Alsop
  - Rowland Evans
  - Frankel
  - Administration efforts
- Administration retaliation after 1972
- J. W. Alsop
  - Stories
  - John F. Kennedy

## The President's intellectual opponents

- Vietnam War
  - Draft peace treaty
  - Laos
  - Timetable
- US/Soviet relations

## Kissinger's schedule

Ehrlichman entered at 12:32 pm

## Peterson

- Role on White House staff
- Inner group
  - Ehrlichman, Kissinger, Shultz, Haldeman, and Flanigan
  - Paul W. McCracken and Dr. Edward E. David, Jr.
  - Connally

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- Mitchell
- State Department
- Samuels
- Areas of responsibility
  - Quotas
  - Middle East oil
  - Rolls Royce
  - Balance of payments
  - David M. Kennedy
- Shultz
- Kissinger as political analyst

Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)

## Stans

- Statement on Soviet trade
  - Administration policy
  - Soviet interests/United States' attitudes
  - Shultz and Peterson
  - President's view
  - Trade issues
    - Negotiations
- Role in government
  - Need to support Administration position

Kissinger left at 12:39 pm

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 10

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 2m 8s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 10

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Democrats' policy committee meeting

- Regionalism
  - Revenue sharing
  - Administration's response

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- Press
- Differences between Democratic proposal and revenue sharing

Haldeman

- Meeting

Weather

Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)

Television coverage of the President, 2/19

- President's meeting
  - Young Republicans
  - President's Council on Physical Fitness
  - President's comments

Haldeman entered at 12:43 pm

- George Black, Jr.
  - Forthcoming trip to Africa
- Consumer Price Index [CPI]
- Vietnam
  - CBS
- [Thomas] Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars speech
  - Robert Pierpoint and "Today" Show
- David

Burns

- Previous meeting with the President
- Statements on economic forecast
  - Confidence
  - McCracken
  - Stans
  - Money supply
  - Effect on Administration
  - Ehrlichman's view
    - News coverage
- Quadriad meeting, 2/19
  - Shultz
- Position in administration
  - Policy differences
    - Wage and Price Board
    - Shultz
- Connally

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## Tape Subject Log

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- Role in economic policy
- Peterson
  - Role
    - Public relations
      - Hobart Rowen
      - Edward Dale
      - Previous meeting with President and *Fortune* editors
- Meeting with Ehrlichman and Shultz Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)
- Role
- Consultation with Kissinger
  - International economic matters
- Flanigan
- Political sense
  - White House dissatisfaction
    - President's view
    - Forthcoming call to Burns
    - Effect of statement
      - Press reports
    - Forthcoming call to Burns
    - President's view
- Meetings with President
  - Quadriad
  - Social events

## Morton

- Alaska pipeline
  - Statement to the press
  - Status
    - Flanigan's view
    - Canada
  - Statement to the press
    - Ehrlichman's view
  - Forthcoming call to Morton
    - Ehrlichman and Robert J. Hitt
- Ehrlichman's conversation with Walter J. Hickel
  - Hickel's comments
- Alaska pipeline
  - President's position
    - Morton's comments
- Environmentalists
  - Florida canal [?]
- Role

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## Tape Subject Log

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-Ehrlichman's forthcoming meeting with William D. Ruckelshaus

-Dr. James R. Schlesinger

-Possible appointment

-Laird

-Conversation with Morton

-Meeting between the President and Morton

-Agenda

-Schedule

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-Florida

Paul N. ("Pete") McCloskey, Jr.

-*Los Angeles Times*

-Impeachment of President

-News summary

-Recall petition

-Ehrlichman

-Redistricting

-Ronald W. Reagan

-Charles S. Gubser

-Demand for resignation

-Public relations efforts

-Call for the President's impeachment

-Vietnam policy

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 11

[Privacy]

[Duration: 23s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 11

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## Tape Subject Log

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 12

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 4m 37s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 12

Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)

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## The Vice President

- Haldeman's conversation with Charles W. Colson
  - Employment
- Office of Inter-Governmental Relations
  - Nils A. Boe and Wendell E. Hulcher
- Refusal to speak to Young Republicans meeting
  - Workload
    - Revenue sharing
    - Domestic policy

## Boe

- Ehrlichman's conversation with Roy Carroll [?]
  - Judgeship
  - Mitchell

## Personnel

- Court of Military Appeals
  - Appointment of Black
    - Ehrlichman's conversation with Edward W. Brooke
      - Discussions
    - Ehrlichman's call to Whitney M. Young, Jr.
      - President's policies
- Blacks
  - Admiral
  - Secretary in President's office
    - Qualifications
  - Terry L. Decker
    - Previous work
    - Age
    - Woods



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## **Tape Subject Log**

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Shelley A. Scarney

- Forthcoming marriage to Patrick J. Buchanan
- Role on White House staff
- Importance
- Federal regulations

Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 13

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 27s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 13

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Personnel

- Blacks
  - Admiral
  - Court of Military Appeals
    - Brooke's appreciation
  - Federal court judgeship vacancy
    - Clarence C. Ferguson, Jr.
    - Young
    - Mitchell's view
    - Brooke
    - Ehrlichman's forthcoming call to Young
    - President's view
- The Vice President
  - Boe
  - Staff
    - Colson assignment
    - Role
- Herbert G. Klein
  - Haldeman's previous conversation with Klein
    - Office responsibilities
  - Colson
    - Assignment

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**Tape Subject Log**

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- Jeb Stuart Magruder
- Robert C. Odle, Jr.
  - Young Republicans meeting
  - Staff responsibilities
- Public relations
- Revenue sharing

Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 25

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 25s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 25

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[The President talked with Stephen B. Bull at an unknown time between 12:43 pm and 1:19 pm]

[Conversation No. 454-9G]

- The President's schedule
  - Forthcoming meeting

[End of telephone conversation]

- The Vice President
  - Staff
  - Personnel changes
  - Public statements
  - Public relations

[The President talked with Mrs. Nixon between 1:19 pm and 1:20 pm]

[Conversation No. 454-9H]

## NIXON PRESIDENTIAL MATERIALS STAFF

Tape Subject Log  
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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 14

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 7s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 14

Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)

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[End of telephone conversation]

The Vice President

-Staff

-Role

-Possible presidency

-Staff

-Problems

-Secret Service

[The President talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 1:20 pm and 1:21 pm]

Call to Woods

[End of telephone conversation]

The Vice President

-Haldeman

[The President talked with Woods between 1:21 pm and 1:22 pm]

[Conversation No. 454-9I]

Trip to Camp David

-Schedule

-Call to Mrs. Nixon

[End of telephone conversation]

# **NIXON PRESIDENTIAL MATERIALS STAFF**

## **Tape Subject Log**

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### The Vice President

- Staff
- Forthcoming meeting between Haldeman and Vice President

### Revenue sharing

- Connally
  - Comments in Quadriad meeting
  - Role in selling the President's program
  - Role of Congress
    - Administration position
    - Public relations
- Administration efforts
  - Public relations plan
    - Shultz, Connally, Haldeman, Ehrlichman, MacGregor
- MacGregor

Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)

### Shultz

- Colson
- Speech to American Enterprise Institute [AEI]
  - President's role
    - Policies
    - Efforts
- Ehrlichman's speech
- Public relations
  - Speeches
  - Raymond K. Price, Jr.
  - William L. Safire
    - T. W. Wilson Center speech
- Buchanan
- Style

### Demolition of Navy Building

- Speech given by Ehrlichman
  - The President's opposition to bureaucracy
  - Content
  - Effect on public relations
    - President's image
    - J. F. Kennedy's image
- Connally

### Revenue sharing

- Connally's view

# **NIXON PRESIDENTIAL MATERIALS STAFF**

## **Tape Subject Log** (rev. 9/08)

- President's efforts
- Identification with the President
- Forthcoming meeting with Connally
- Media efforts
  - Governors
  - White House staff
  - Congress
- Citizens' organizations
  - Nelson A. Rockefeller
  - Advocacy groups

Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)

### Labor

- Opposition to the President
- Alfred W. Friendly's column
  - British labor
    - Compared to the United States
- Davis-Bacon Act
  - Administration's position
- Colson
  - Relations with labor leaders
- Administration opposition to leadership
  - Possible Presidential statement
    - Roosevelt
    - Davis-Bacon Act
    - Support for country
    - Differences between leaders and members
- Service organizations
  - Veterans of Foreign Wars [VFW]
  - American Legion

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 16

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 1m 3s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 16

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Tape Subject Log  
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White House staff

- Donald H. Rumsfeld
  - Reorganization
- Need for better public relations
- Klein
  - Colson

Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 26

[Privacy]

[Duration: 26s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 26

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-The Vice President

Ehrlichman's schedule

Ehrlichman left at an unknown time before 1:48 pm

Ehrlichman

- Arrangement of responsibilities
  - Delegation
    - Kissinger
    - President

The President's arrangement of responsibilities

- Connally
  - Lyndon B. Johnson
- McCloskey
- Haldeman
  - Edward L. Morgan
- Ehrlichman

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**Tape Subject Log**

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Public relations

- Adlai E. Stevenson, III statement
- Buchanan

Mrs. Nixon

- Press
- Questions
  - President's responses
- Role of politicians' wives
  - Compared to men
- Negative press
  - Effect on President and Mrs. Nixon

Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)

[The President talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 1:22 pm and 1:48 pm]

[Conversation No. 454-9J]

Request that Colson join him

[End of telephone conversation]

Bull entered at an unknown time after 1:22 pm

The President's schedule

- David Shriver
- R. Sargent Shriver
- John C. Whitaker

Bull left at an unknown time before 1:48 pm

The President's willingness to meet with staff and congressmen

- Possible press story
- Haldeman

Whitaker, Elizabeth Bradley Whitaker, two of their sons, and D. Shriver entered at 1:48 pm; the White House photographer was present at the beginning of the meeting

Introductions

Presentations of gifts by the President

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**Tape Subject Log**

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The Whitakers and D. Shriver left at 1:50 pm

Media coverage

-President's role

-Klein

-Colson

-DeVan L. Shumway

-Additional staff

Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)

-Efforts

-Example to Cabinet

-Secretaries

-Dealing with subordinates in other offices

-Purpose

-Woods' role

Colson entered at 1:50 pm

The Vice President

-Staff

-Buchanan

-Bryce N. Harlow

-Safire

-Forthcoming meeting with Haldeman, Ehrlichman, and Harlow

State Department translator

-The President's meeting with Colombo

-Possible position

[The President talked with Kissinger at an unknown time between 1:50 pm and 1:57 pm]

[Conversation No. 454-9K]

Haig

[The President talked with Haig at an unknown time between 1:50 pm and 1:57 pm]

State Department translator

Schedule

-David

[End of telephone conversation]



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Tape Subject Log  
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Blair House

-Use

-Entertainers

-Leslie T. ("Bob") Hope

-Herbert J. ("Jackie") Gleason

-L. Nicholas Ruwe

Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 17

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 10m 25s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 17

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Campaign practices

-Murray M. Chotiner

-Columnist

-Chapman's friend

-Humphrey

-Edmund S. Muskie

-Campaign intelligence

-Edward M. ("Ted") Kennedy and Muskie

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 18

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 14s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 18

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Tape Subject Log  
(rev. 9/08)Butterfield entered at 1:57 pm

Call from the Vice President

Butterfield left at 1:58 pm

Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 19

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 14m 44s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 19

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The President's schedule

-State of the World speech

-Colson

-Press conference

-Television

-Ziegler's recommendation

-Statement to press

-Timing of release

-Kissinger

-Colson's recommendation

-Publicity options

-Safire

-Haldeman

-Forthcoming discussion with Kissinger and Safire

-Radio

-Timing

-President's position

Butterfield entered at 2:40 pm

Connally

-Forthcoming meeting with the President

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**Tape Subject Log**

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- Value-added Tax [VAT]
- Instructions
- Press conference
- VAT

**Schedule**

- Press conference
  - Format
  - Radio
    - Timing
    - Possible Presidential statement
  - Safire
- Timing
- Television
- Options
- Foreign policy
  - President's position
- Frequency
- Domestic policy
- Foreign policy
- Haldeman's position
- Timing
  - Forthcoming meeting with governors
  - Press coverage
- Foreign policy
- Safire

Conv. No. 454-9 (cont.)

Haldeman, Butterfield, and Colson left at 2:42 pm

Conversation No. 454-10

Date: February 20, 1971

Time: Unknown between 2:44 pm and 11:59 pm

Location: Oval Office

Unknown people met

Note to the President

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**Tape Subject Log**  
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Recording was cut off at an unknown time before 11:59 pm