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Tape Subject Log (rev. 9/08)

Conversation No. 462-1

Date: March 5, 1971
Time: Unknown between 8:00 am and 8:07 am
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with an unknown person

Call to Henry A. Kissinger
-Return call

Conversation No. 462-2

Date: March 5, 1971
Time: Unknown between 8:00 am and 8:30 am
Location: Oval Office

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

President's schedule
-Senior staff meeting
-Haldeman
-President's participation
-George P. Shultz's meeting
-Senior staff meeting
-Rochester trip
-Cancellation
-Reason
-Demonstrations
-Network coverage
-Reason

President's March 4, 1971 press conference
-Response
-Compared to period after President's Cambodia speech
-[Name unintelligible]
-Cancellation of Rochester trip
-Ronald L. Ziegler
-Raymond K. Price, Jr.

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- Herbert G. Klein
- President's statement to television audience
 - Effectiveness
- Vice President Spiro T. Agnew's statement about the press
- Martin Schram's question
- President's responses to questions
 - Haldeman's view
- Effectiveness

Conv. No. 462-2 (cont.)

Nelson A. Rockefeller

- Forthcoming meeting with the President
- Previous telephone call

President's March 4, 1971 press conference

- Rockefeller, William S. Paley, Michael Coles
- Charles W. Colson's staff calls
 - Results
- Press reports
 - President's answers to questions on Laos (Lam Son)
 - Compared with Cambodia
 - Effectiveness
- Statements about the press
 - Compared with Agnew's comments
 - Benefit of television
 - President's responses
 - Public opinion
 - Cambodia, Laos
 - Agnew's previous statements
 - Effect of press reports
- Vietnam answer
 - Admiral Thomas H. Moorer
 - Military action
 - Response
 - Statistics
 - William P. Rogers
 - Response
- William H. Carruthers
- President's makeup

[The President talked with Henry A. Kissinger between 8:07 am and 8:08 am]

[Conversation No. 462-2A]

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Kissinger's location

Return call

President's meeting with Haldeman

[End of telephone conversation]

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The President's schedule

- Staff meeting

President's March 4, 1971 press conference

- Vietnamization answer

- Effectiveness

- Army of the Republic of Vietnam [ARVN]

- President's position

- Carruthers' view

- Jo Anne (Horton) Haldeman's view

- Cambodia answer

- Length

- Number of questions

- J. A. Haldeman's view

- The President's response to questions

- Length of responses

- Cambodia answer

- Ziegler's press briefing

- President's statement to television audience

- Future press conferences

An unknown man entered at an unknown time after 8:08 am

President's schedule

The unknown man left at an unknown time before 8:30 am

- Staff meeting

- Topics

- Haldeman's senior staff meeting

- Quadriad meeting

- Haldeman's senior staff meeting

- Shultz

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- John D. Ehrlichman
- Kissinger
- Clark MacGregor
- Peter G. Peterson
- Kissinger
 - Forthcoming meeting with the President
 - Effect on Haldeman's schedule

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President's March 4, 1971 press conference

- Calls by Cabinet officers
 - James D. Hodgson
 - Wives' responses
 - Rogers
- Women's response
- Question on Rogers and Kissinger
 - President's response
 - President's view
 - White House staff views

President's press contacts

- "Today Show" appearance
 - Barbara Walters
 - Time slot
- Possible television special with Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon
 - Walters
 - Timing
- Possible meeting with women's press
- William P. Clements, Jr.'s previous conversation with the President
 - The President's previous television appearance
 - Mrs. Nixon
- Possible television special
 - Role of women
 - Format
 - Walters
 - Possible questions
- Richard ("Dick") Wilson
- Rowland Evans
- Office press conferences
 - Ziegler's expectations
- Conversations
 - President's image

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President's March 4, 1971 press conference

-Carruthers' view

-Compared with December 8, 1970 press conference

-Pace

-Subjects

-Laos, Vietnam

-Public's view of foreign affairs

-Disarmament

-People's Republic of China [PRC]

-President's knowledge

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-Lucian C. ("Lou") Warren's question

-Follow-up questions

-Bombing

-President's response

-Follow-up questions

-PRC

-Charles W. ("Chuck") Bailey, II

-Herbert E. Kaplow

-Carruthers' view

-Public response

-Opinion on Laos

-Haldeman's view

-Forthcoming administration poll

-Possible results

-Methodology

[Haldeman talked with an unknown person at an unknown time between 8:08 am and 8:30 am]

[Conversation No. 462-2B]

Administration poll results

-[Forename unknown] Andrews

[End of telephone conversation]

President's March 4, 1971 press conference

-Calls to the President

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[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 53s]

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An unknown man entered at an unknown time after 8:08 am

Unknown man's schedule

The unknown man left at an unknown time before 8:30 am

Administration poll results

- Telephone calls
- Methodology
- President's March 4, 1971 press conference
 - Operation
 - Results
 - Percentage of households who viewed press conference
 - President's performance
 - Laos (Lam Son)
 - Compared with George H. Gallup poll

President's schedule

- Possible television special on women
 - Walters
 - Nancy (Hanschman) Dickerson
 - Type of interview needed

[The President talked with an unknown person at an unknown time between 8:08 am and 8:30 am]

[Conversation No. 462-2C]

President's schedule

- Kissinger

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[End of telephone conversation]

- Meeting with Rockefeller and Ehrlichman
- Revenue sharing
- Other participants
- Congressman

Conv. No. 462-2 (cont.)

Haldeman left at an unknown time before 8:30 am

Conversation No. 462-3

Date: March 5, 1971

Time: Unknown between 8:08 am and 8:30 am

Location: Oval Office

The President talked with an unknown person

Call to H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman

Conversation No. 462-4

Date: March 5, 1971

Time: Unknown between 8:08 am and 8:30 am

Location: Oval Office

The President talked with an unknown person

Call to H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman

The President talked with Haldeman

Nelson A. Rockefeller

- Possible press briefing
- Revenue sharing
- Call from Haldeman
- Possible press briefing

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-Possible appearance by President

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Date: March 5, 1971

Time: 8:30 am - 10:15 am

Location: Oval Office

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The President met with Henry A. Kissinger

Laos (Lam Son)

-Military situation

President's March 4, 1971 press conference

-Laos

-President's performance evaluated

-The President's preparation

-Kissinger's view

-President's statements about the press

-“Today” show

-President's response to questions

-President's advisors

-Kissinger's viewing

-Winton M. (“Red”) Blount's dinner

-Charles L. Bartlett

-Melvin R. Laird

-Response

-A Democrat Congressman from Oklahoma [John Jarman]

-Response

-Bob Dudley

-President's acquaintance at Office of Price Administration

-Bartlett's response

-Cambodia, Laos

-The President's policies

-Democrats

-John C. Stennis' call to the President

-President's performance

-Kissinger's view

-Middle East

-Possible settlement

-Cease fire

-US guarantee

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- Israelis
- Soviet Union

Vietnam

- Possible US military action
 - Bombing of North Vietnam
 - Winston S. Churchill's book on World War I
 - On the Eastern Front
 - Response to North Vietnamese action
 - Demilitarized Zone [DMZ]
 - President's comments at press conference
- President's strategy
 - Bombing of missiles sites
 - President's view
- Bombing
 - Effect
- Laird, Richard M. Helms, William P. Rogers, Admiral Thomas H. Moorer meeting
 - President's position
 - Briefing by Moorer
 - Time

[Kissinger talked with an unknown person at an unknown time between 8:30 am and 8:44 am]

[Conversation No. 462-5A]

Forthcoming meeting on Vietnam

- Laird, Helms, Rogers, and Moorer
 - Calls from General Alexander M. Haig, Jr.
- Briefing on Laos and Cambodia
 - Moorer
- Haig's telephone calls

[End of telephone conversation]

President's March 4, 1971 press conference

- Questions about President's advisors on foreign policy
 - Rogers
 - Kissinger
 - President's comments
 - Garnett D. ("Jack") Horner
- Kissinger
 - Calls from press
 - Response

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

[National Security]

[Duration: 31s]

Conv. No. 462-5 (cont.)

CANADA

[The President talked with the White House operator at 8:44 am]

[Conversation No. 462-5B]

[End of telephone conversation]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

President's March 4, 1971 press conference

-Preparation

-State Department, Kissinger

-The President's role

-John F. Kennedy comparison

-The President's role

-Possible Kissinger press statement

-Kissinger's staff work

-State Department

Pakistan

-National Security Council [NSC] study

-Rogers, State Department

-Conflicting views

-US policy options

-Kissinger

President's press conference

-Kidnaping of US soldiers in Turkey

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- President's comments
- Kissinger's view
- Executive privilege

Alexander P. Butterfield entered at 9:02 am

President's schedule

Butterfield left at an unknown time before 9:04 am

Conv. No. 462-5 (cont.)

[The President talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 9:02 am and 9:17 am]

[Conversation No. 462-5C]

President's call to Pierre E. Trudeau

[End of telephone conversation]

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4

[National Security]

[Duration: 12s]

CANADA

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4

Leadership

- On the Eastern Front by Churchill
- German generals
- President's evaluation
- Erich F. W. Ludendorf
- Paul von Hindenburg
- [Forename unknown] von Schwanslof [?]
- General William C. Westmoreland

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- General Creighton W. Abrams, Jr.
- Compared to General George S. Patton, Jr.
- Kissinger's view

Forthcoming meeting on Vietnam

- Timing
- Congressional meeting

Conv. No. 462-5 (cont.)

Haig entered at an unknown time after 9:02 am

President's press conference

- Haig's view

Haig left at an unknown time before 9:19 am

Forthcoming meeting on Vietnam

- Participants
- Timing

The President's press conference, March 4, 1971

- President's response to Executive privilege question
 - Rogers
 - Congressional testimony
 - Private meetings with congressmen
 - Relationships with the President
 - Public relations
 - Foreign policy
 - State Department views
 - Agency input
 - Department of State
 - Department of Defense
 - Laird
 - Vietnam
 - Troop levels
 - President's comments
 - Number
 - Review
 - Announcement by President
 - Forthcoming meeting with newspaper editors
 - Television
 - Timing
 - Ellsworth F. Bunker's view

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-General Nguyen Van Thieu

Vietnam

-Leadership

-President's reading of Churchill book

-President compared with Lyndon B. Johnson

-Laos (Lam Son)

-Troop levels

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-Tchepone

-Support for the President

-Moorer's previous conversations with Kissinger

-US victory prospects

-Kissinger's view

-Military situation

-President's press conference, March 4, 1971

-Questions on possible peace proposal

-The President's response

-Possible effects of US withdrawal

-North Vietnam

-Cambodia, Laos

-Possible agreement

-Military situation

-Moorer

-Momentum

-Kissinger's view

-Churchill book on World War I

-Germans, Russians, Austrians

-History of World War I

-von Hindenburg, Ludendorf

-Germans, Russians, Austrians

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 7

[National Security]

[Duration: 49s]

THAILAND

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END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 7

Brazil

-Possible visit

-Date

-State Department

-President's instructions

President's press conference, March 4, 1971

-News reports

-Taiwan, People's Republic of China [PRC]

-President's comments

-United Nations

Brazil

-Lieutenant General Vernon A. Walters

-Assignment

-President's instructions

Italy

-President's forthcoming letter to Pope Paul VI [Giovanni Battista Motini]

President's leadership

-World role

-Effect of Vietnam

-Dutch leader

-President's foreign policy report

-Impact in Europe

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President's "World Report"

- Distribution
 - H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman
 - Members of White House staff and Cabinet officers
- Elliot L. Richardson
- President's accompanying letter to foreign leaders
- Distribution
 - US ambassadors
- Importance
 - US policy
 - Relations with Soviet Union
- Contents
 - President's philosophy
- Press
 - Joseph W. Alsop and Stewart J. O. Alsop
 - Chalmers Roberts
- Evaluation
 - Robert S. McNamara
 - Cyrus R. Vance, Nicholas deB. Katzenbach

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Vietnam and Laos (Lam Son)

- President's March 4, 1971 press conference
 - Laos (Lam Son)
 - Prospects for success
 - Army of the Republic of Vietnam [ARVN]
- Enemy supplies
 - James C. Hagerty's press report
 - Moorer
 - Level
 - President's comments
 - Rationale for military action
 - Decreases
 - Effect
 - Compared to previous year
- Laos
 - President's comments
 - Press coverage
- Military situation
 - Tchepone
 - ARVN progress
 - Importance
 - Effect

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- ARVN progress
- President's forthcoming meeting
- A report from Bunker

US foreign policy

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 11

[National Security]

[Duration: 19s]

GERMANY

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 11

- Letter from President to the Pope
- Targut Menemencioglu
- State Department
 - Peter G. Peterson
 - Nathanial Samuels

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 12

[National Security]

[Duration: 21s]

GREAT BRITAIN

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 12

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- Cevdet Sunay and Suleyman Demirel
 - Domestic situation
- Greece
 - Henry J. Tasca
- Pakistan
 - Agha Muhommad Yahya Khan
 - A policy review

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 13

[Privacy]

[Duration: 3s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 13

- Khan
 - The President's position
 - A possible letter from President to Khan
- Possible Presidential letters
 - Lieutenant General T. N. J. Suharto
 - Shah Mohammed Reza Pahlavi
 - President's previous meeting with Menemencioglu
 - President's position
- Suharto
 - President's foreign policy report
 - Economy
- The President's foreign policy report
 - Dissemination to foreign leaders
 - Accompanying letters from the President
 - Yahya

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 14

[National Security]

[Duration: 1m 51s]

JAPAN

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END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 14

Vietnam

- Aleksei N. Kosygin
- Kissinger's possible meeting with Anatoliy F. Dobrynin
 - President's press conference
 - US policy
 - Bombing of North Vietnamese missile sites
 - Justification
- President's press conference, March 4, 1971
 - US bombing
- Press inquiries to Kissinger
 - Radio broadcasters' dinner
- President's press conference
 - President's demeanor
 - Television
 - Kissinger's view
 - Compared with Kennedy
 - McNamara's previous comments to Kissinger
 - Cabinet

Ronald L. Ziegler entered at 9:17 am

President's schedule

- Rogers, Helms
- NSC meeting
 - Possible statement to the press
- Quadriad meeting
 - Possible press briefing by John B. Connally

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Ziegler left and Rogers, Laird, Moorer, and Haig entered at 9:19 am

Greetings

President's March 4, 1971 press conference

- Ziegler
- Evaluated
- Question on Executive privilege
 - Rogers' meetings with Congress
 - Number

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Meeting agenda

- Vietnam policy

Rogers and Laird

- Forthcoming press conferences
- Laird's forthcoming Congressional testimony
 - Anti-ballistic missiles [ABMs]
 - Defense procurement
 - Responses to questions
- Schedule
- Press conference
 - Rogers
 - Timing
 - Press coverage
 - Wire services
 - Television
 - Robert J. McCloskey, Ziegler

Vietnam

- Military situation
- North Vietnamese missiles
 - US response
 - Bombing
 - President's position
 - Pass area

Military situation in Laos (Lam Son)

- ARVN First Armored Division
- Artillery support
 - Routes 9, 914, 23, 92

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- Location of ARVN troops
- Developments
- Abrams' reports
 - President's March 4, 1971 press conference
 - Comments about ARVN forces
 - Public relations
- Rogers' forthcoming press conference
 - Bunker and Abrams
 - ARVN forces
- Enemy losses
 - Abrams' report
- Artillery, tanks
 - Use
 - Effectiveness
- An anecdote
- General John W. Vogt, Jr.
 - Performance
 - Briefings
- North Vietnamese supplies entering South Vietnam
- Enemy losses

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Helms entered at 9:25 am

- Enemy build-up
 - Route 9
 - Abrams
 - Thieu
 - Possible action
- DMZ
- US countermeasures
- Capability
- Location
- Possible US response
- Trucks, missiles

Vietnam

- Thieu
 - Possible ARVN offensive into North Vietnam
 - US policy
 - President's press conference on March 4, 1971

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- Enemy missiles, trucks, guns
 - US countermeasures
 - President's statements
 - US aircraft
 - Supplies and equipment
- Lessons of military history
 - Levels of force
 - President's position
- Enemy missiles
 - DMZ
 - President's Response
 - US strategy
 - Area of operations
 - Public portrayal
 - Rogers
 - "Protective reaction"
 - Bombing
 - Public statements
 - Protective reaction
 - President's previous statements
 - Justification
 - Press inquiries
- Nguyen Cao Ky
 - US air support
 - Bunker
- Vietnamization
 - Public relations
 - ARVN ability
 - Compared to North Vietnamese forces
- Cambodia
- US air power
 - Amount, type
 - President's position
 - Increases
 - Public opinion
 - Duration of increase
 - B-52 strikes
- President's press conference, March 4, 1971
 - Tricia Nixon's comments
 - W[illiam] Stuart Symington's comments

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Rogers left at 9:45 am

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An unknown person entered at an unknown time after 9:45 am

Refreshments

The unknown person left at an unknown time before 9:47 am

Vietnam

- US military actions
- B-52 air strikes
- Numbers
- Churchill's On the Eastern Front
- Lessons
- President's position
- US military action
- Possible South Vietnamese military actions
- North Vietnam

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Laird and Moorer left at 9:47 am

Laos

- Military situation
 - Possible outcome
 - US efforts
 - Air strikes
 - Preparations
- Long Thieng
- Vientiane
- Importance of public relations
 - President's view
- President's view
- Kissinger's view

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[National Security]

[Duration: 29s]

LAOS

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- Vientiane and Long Thieng
- Need for public relations
- Cambodia
 - Health of unknown leader
 - Effect of Laotian action
 - North Vietnamese
 - Press reaction

President's press conference on March 4, 1971

- Questions
 - Vietnam, Middle East, PRC, Strategic Arms Limitation Talks [SALT]
- Possible result
 - Press
 - President's comments
- Helms' view

Vietnam

- Vietnamization
 - Helms' view
 - President's view
- Possible future
- Laos (Lam Son)
 - ARVN forces
 - The President's decision
 - Helms' view

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- Justification
 - North Vietnamese forces
 - Effect on future operations
 - I Corps
 - Public relations efforts
- Helms' conversation with J. W. Alsop
- Importance
 - President's view
 - Effect on US position in the world
 - Possible US withdrawal
 - Need for action
 - Public opinion
 - Laos (Lam Son)
 - Polls
 - Possible US withdrawal
 - 1969
 - Justification
 - Impossibility
 - Justification
 - "Domino Theory"
 - Indonesia
 - Thailand
 - Malaysia
 - Philippines
 - Japan
 - India
 - President's policy
 - Haig's opinion
 - US public opinion
 - Kissinger's meeting with student body presidents
 - Discussion of President's policy
 - Media influence
 - Importance for US
 - President's position
 - Cambodia
 - Helms' view

US foreign policy

- Cuba
 - President's position
 - Effect on Latin America
 - Chile

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- Cuba's foreign policy
 - Communism
- Helms' position
 - US policy
 - Latin America
 - Chile
- President's position

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 10

[National Security]

[Duration: 2m 36s]

CUBA, ITALY, SPAIN

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 10

Catholic Church

- Ideological change
 - President's view
 - Latin America
 - Influence of Marxism
- American Catholics

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 15

[National Security]

[Duration: 17s]

SPAIN

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END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 15

- Study by Roger [Surname unintelligible]
 - Contents
- Compared to Protestant Church
 - William F. ("Billy") Graham
- Quakers
 - Pacifism
- President's policy
- Eastern Europe
 - Poland
 - Political orientation

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 16

[National Security]

[Duration: 42s]

SPAIN, ITALY

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 16

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US foreign policy

- Radio Free Europe
 - Senate committee hearings
 - Clifford P. Case
 - Kissinger's previous conversation with Bartlett
- Brazil
 - Forthcoming visit to the US by Emilio Garrastazu Médici
 - Department of State Conv. No. 462-5 (cont.)
 - President's position
- Latin America
 - President's policy
 - Leadership

Leadership

- President's view
 - France
 - General Charles A. J. M. de Gaulle
 - Italy
 - Spain
 - Latin America
 - Colombia

US foreign policy

- Latin America
 - Helms' view
 - Possible 40 Committee meeting
 - Nelson A. Rockefeller's visit
 - President's view
 - Chile
 - Ecuador
 - Brazil
 - Argentina

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 17

[National Security]

[Duration: 16s]

ARGENTINA

Conv. No. 462-5 (cont.)

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 17

- Importance
- Venezuela
- Oil
- Colombia
- Possible visits
- Peru
 - Announcement
- Brazil
 - Medici
 - Announcement
 - President's view
 - Population increases
- President's Foreign Intelligence Advisory Board [PFIAB]
 - Latin America
 - President's view
 - Compared to previous Southeast Asia trip

PFIAB

- Possible appointment of Thomas E. Dewey
 - Call from Kissinger
 - Possible call from the President
- Forthcoming meeting
 - Schedule
- Dewey
 - President's view

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Helms' schedule

- House and Senate Armed Services Committee
- Testimony
 - Soviet Union
 - PRC

Kissinger, Haig, and Helms left at 10:15 am

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Conversation No. 462-6

Date: March 5, 1971

Time: Unknown between 10:15 am and 10:20 am

Location: Oval Office

The President talked with Henry A. Kissinger

Previous meeting

- Richard M. Helms
 - Positions
 - President's view

Conversation No. 462-7

Date: March 5, 1971

Time: Unknown between 10:15 am and 10:40 am

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield

The President's schedule

- Herbert Stein
- Forthcoming meeting with the Quadriad

Papers for President's signature

Rose Mary Woods entered at 10:20 am

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(rev. 9/08)Butterfield left at 10:20 am

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

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[Duration: 52s]

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President's March 4, 1971 press conference

-President's statement to television audience

-Paul W. Keyes

-Call to Woods

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 9s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

-President's statement about William P. Rogers

-Vice President Spiro T. Agnew

-President's demeanor

-Lillie and Bill Strauther [?]

-Response

-Melvin R. Laird

-Call to Woods

-Winton M. ("Red") Blount's dinner

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- Rogers, Nelson A. Rockefeller
 - Call to Woods
- Rockefeller
 - Call to President
- John C. Stennis

[The President talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 10:20 am and 10:28 am] Conv. No. 462-7 (cont.)

[Conversation No. 462-7A]

Call to Stennis

[End of telephone conversation]

[Unintelligible]

President's press conference

- Call from [Forename unknown] Lockhart
 - Key Biscayne
- [Robert D.?] Bob Murphy
 - Possible call from President
 - Note from President
 - Wife
 - President's preparation
- Call from Laird

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 1m 21s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3

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Tape Subject Log*(rev. 9/08)*[The President talked with Stennis between 10:28 am and 10:30 am]

[Conversation No. 462-7B]

President's press conference, March 4, 1971

-Stennis' call to Woods

Vietnam

Conv. No. 462-7 (cont.)

-President's position

-Public opinion polls

-Withdrawal

-Laos

-Military situation

-Admiral Thomas H. Moorer

-Laird

-Laos (Lam Son)

-Effect

[End of telephone conversation]

President's call to Stennis

Vietnam

-Public opinion

-Media influence

-Influence of President's press conference

-Woods' view

[Unintelligible]

Copies of a letter to Edward R. G. Heath

-Dissemination

-Henry A. Kissinger

-Walter H. Annenberg

-Rogers

Oliver F. ("Ollie") Atkins

-A Sunday church service photo

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

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 5

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 5s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 5

Conv. No. 462-7 (cont.)

-A previous photo

-Julie Nixon Eisenhower, Tricia Nixon

A television appearance

-Eisenhower, T. Nixon, President and Mrs. Nixon

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 6

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 38s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 6

Woods left at 10:40 am

Conversation No. 462-8

Date: March 5, 1971

Time: Unknown between 10:40 am and 10:41 am

Location: Oval Office

The President talked with the White House operator

Call to Leonard Garment

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Tape Subject Log
(rev. 9/08)

Conversation No. 462-9

Date: March 5, 1971
 Time: 10:41 am - 10:45 am
 Location: Oval Office

The President talked with Leonard Garment

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2
 [Personal Returnable]
 [Duration: 1m 29s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

President's March 4, 1971 press conference

- Statement about press
 - Ronald L. Ziegler
 - Vice President Spiro T. Agnew
- Laos (Lam Son)
 - Current situation
 - Compared to World War I
- Israel
 - Robert B. Semple, Jr.'s question
 - President's response
- Cease fire
- Yitzhak Rabin

Conversation No. 462-10

Date: March 5, 1971

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Tape Subject Log
(rev. 9/08)

Time: 10:45 am - 10:46 am

Location: Oval Office

The President talked with the White House operator

Call to Charles W. Colson

Conv. No. 462-9 (cont.)

Conversation No. 462-11

Date: March 5, 1971

Time: 10:46 am - 10:49 am

Location: Oval Office

The President talked with Charles W. Colson

President's schedule

- Possible trip to Rochester
- Potential problems

President's March 4, 1971 press conference

- Need for follow-up
- Colson's calls
- President's statement about the press
 - Cambodia
- Supporters
 - Peter J. Brennan
 - Veterans
 - American Legion
 - Congress
- President's response to question

Conversation No. 462-12

Date: March 5, 1971

Time: 10:49 am - 11:06 am

Location: Oval Office

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Tape Subject Log

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

Nelson A. Rockefeller

- Schedule
- Possible briefing

White House press briefing

Conv. No. 462-12 (cont.)

- Unemployment
- Revenue sharing
- Congressional approval

President's schedule

- Admiral Thomas H. Moorer
- Military action in Vietnam

Public relations

- Leonard Garment
 - Haldeman's forthcoming call to Garment
 - Press release on President's musical interest
 - Compared with revenue sharing
- Charles W. Colson's efforts
 - Work with Senate and House
 - J. William Fulbright

President's press conference

- Mobilization of President's supporters
- Call from John C. Stennis
- Cabinet officers
- Mobilization of President's supporters
 - Clark MacGregor
 - White House staff efforts
 - Colson
 - Labor
 - Ronald L. Ziegler
 - Raymond K. Price, Jr.'s staff
 - Herbert G. Klein
 - Colson
 - President's statement about the press
- Laos

Polls

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Tape Subject Log
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- David R. Derge [?]
- Laos
- Statistics
- Compared to 1968 campaign polls
- Democrat candidates
- Edmund S. Muskie
- Hubert H. Humphrey
- Edward M. ("Ted") Kennedy

Conv. No. 462-12 (cont.)

President's press conference

- William P. Rogers
- Follow-up press conference
- Laos (Lam Son)
- Middle East
- Melvin R. Laird
- Follow-up press conference

President's schedule

- Rockefeller meeting
- Possible attendees
- John D. Ehrlichman, George P. Shultz
- Press briefing on revenue sharing
- President's appearance
- Ziegler

Manolo Sanchez entered at an unknown time after 10:49 am

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 15s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 11:06 am

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Tape Subject Log

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Mobilization of President's supporters

-The President's press conference

-Effect on troops

-Compared to a campaign

*****Conv. No. 462-12 (cont.)*****

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 1m 4s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3

Ziegler entered at an unknown time after 10:49 am

President's March 4, 1971 press conference

-Possible press response

-Ziegler's assessment

-Robert B. Semple, Jr.'s comments

-Martin Schram's question

-The President's response

-Vice President Spiro T. Agnew

-Attitude of press

-Semple

-Eugene V. Risher

-Response

-Lead story

-Laos (Lam Son)

-Vietnamization

-South Vietnam

-Possible invasion of North Vietnam

-The President's position

-Response

President's schedule

-Quadriad meeting

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- National Security Council meeting
 - Topics discussed
- John B. Connally briefing
 - Comments on the economy
 - Time
- Rockefeller meeting
 - Photo coverage
 - Ehrlichman
 - Shultz
 - Caspar W. ("Cap") Weinberger
 - Edwin L. Harper
 - Public relations options
 - Possible press briefing on revenue sharing
 - Responses
 - Warren E. Hearnes
 - Patrick J. Lucey
 - Popular support
 - Photo
 - Location
 - Press briefing
 - President's possible appearance
 - Forthcoming message to Congress

Conv. No. 462-12 (cont.)

George W. Romney

- Briefing on revenue sharing
- Possible joint briefing with Rockefeller and Agnew
- Possible meeting with Ehrlichman, Shultz, and Agnew
- Talk with Ziegler

President's schedule

- Rockefeller
- Time

Haldeman left at an unknown time before 11:06 am

Vietnam

- Prisoners of War [POWs] and Missing In Action [MIAs]
- Number, definition

Ziegler left at 11:06 am

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Conversation No. 462-13

Date: March 5, 1971

Time: 11:06 am - 1:05 pm

Location: Oval Office

Conv. No. 462-12 (cont.)

The President met with John B. Connally, Arthur F. Burns, George P. Shultz, and Paul W. McCracken

Greetings

President's March 4, 1971 press conference

- President's statement about the press

Quadriad meetings

- Format

- McCracken's and Burns' roles

- Format

Rolls-Royce

- White House news summary

- Lockheed

- Possible deal

- Current situation

- British government involvement

- Assessment of cost

- Connally's statements to British ambassador

- Administration's position

- Negotiations

- New Rolls-Royce offer

- Costs

- Guarantees

- Possible restrictions and delays

- Guarantees

- Possible Lockheed bankruptcy

- Dan [Surname unintelligible] response

- Connally's response

- Airlines' response

- Lockheed's financial situation

- Connally's actions

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- Banks
- Charles C. Tillinghast, Jr.
- Banks, airlines, Lockheed
- George R. S. Baring [Earl of Cromer]
- Tillinghast

James S. McDonnell of McDonnell-Douglas

Conv. No. 462-13 (cont.)

- Previous conversation with Connally
- DC-10 compared with L-1011
- Lockheed
- Trans World Airlines [TWA]
- United Airlines
 - Sales
- Future problems
 - L-1011s
 - DC-10s
- Possible merger with Lockheed
 - John N. Mitchell
 - President's position
 - Pratt and Whitney
 - TriStar
 - Financial obligations
 - Subcontractors

Aircraft industry

- Outlook
- Administration policy
- Secor D. Browne
- Richard W. McLaren
 - View of possible merger
- Peter M. Flanigan
- American Airlines, TWA
- Braniff
 - President's position
 - Lyndon B. Johnson's position
- Need for White House staff expert
 - The President's view
 - Department of Transportation
 - General Lucius DuB. Clay, Jr.
 - Thomas E. Dewey
 - Herbert Brownell
 - Pan American Airlines' interests

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- Dewey
- Connally's concerns
- Banks' and insurance companies' concerns
 - Lockheed-Rolls-Royce merger
- Financial situation
 - United, American, Eastern, TWA, and Pan American Airlines
 - Profits
 - Effect on Wall Street
 - Thomas S. Gates, Jr.
- A possible meeting
 - Flanigan's work
- Possible need for White House expert
 - Jeb Stuart Magruder
 - Supersonic Transport [SST] work
- Qualifications
 - Banking, insurance, airline, and Civil Aeronautics Board [CAB] jurisdictions
 - Chief executive officers
 - Bert S. Cross
 - Robert C. Tyson
 - Clay
 - Dewey
 - Albert H. Smith, Jr.
 - Walter N. Thayer
 - Frederic G. Donner
- List of recommendations
 - Shultz's role
- Lockheed merger
 - Mitchell
 - McLaren
 - President's position
 - Possible Connally conversations
 - President's goal
 - Mitchell
 - Dan [Surname unintelligible]
 - Justice Department
 - Possible leak

Conv. No. 462-13 (cont.)

Unemployment

- Figures
- Trend
- Average work week

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- Rates of employment
- Size of workforce
 - Factors
- Figures
 - Administration stance
 - Public relations
 - Public statements
 - President's position
 - Unity
 - Comparison to 1930s
 - Franklin D. Roosevelt's speeches
 - Confidence
 - Credibility
 - McCracken, Shultz
 - Confidence
 - President's position
 - Roosevelt's example
 - Public statements
 - Administration spokesman
 - President's comments
 - Laos
 - Cambodia
 - Compared with Dwight D. Eisenhower's D-Day landing
 - Compared with President's Vietnam policy
 - Press position
 - Bias
 - Administration position
 - Possible wage and price controls
 - Figures
 - Administration position
 - Credibility
 - Press
 - Federal Reserve Board
 - Burns
 - Economic policy
 - Effect of criticism
 - Need for unity
 - Eisenhower administration example
 - Federal Reserve Board
 - George T. Humphrey
 - Robert B. Anderson
 - Jim Bains [sp?] [?]

Conv. No. 462-13 (cont.)

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- Burns' position
- Press
 - Credibility
 - President's timing of press conferences
 - President's statement about press at March 4, 1971 press conference

Quadriad

- Relationship with the President Conv. No. 462-13 (cont.)
- Burns
 - President's relationship
- Advisory capacity
 - Compared with President's use of Henry A. Kissinger, William P. Rogers, and National Security Council
 - Response to press conference question
- Federal Reserve Board
 - Burns
 - Position
- Shultz
- McCracken
- Connally
 - Uses
 - SST testimony

SST

- President's decision
 - Burns' position
- Testimony
 - George H. Mahon's assessment
 - Connally
 - Warren G. ("Maggie") Magnuson
 - William Proxmire
 - Support
 - Compared with Wayne Morse
 - A previous filibuster
- Administration's position
 - Importance

Interest rates

- Need for a decrease
 - Connally's view
- Percentage
- M1 money supply

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- Need for administration action
- Prime rate decrease
 - Extent
 - Effect
 - General Motors
 - Average American
- Foreign capital
- Burns' view
- M1 money supply
- Federal Reserve Board action
 - Long-term rates
- New public offerings of corporate securities
 - Trends in recent years
 - Current situation
 - Reasons
 - Expansionary effect
 - Effect on interest rates
- Federal actions
 - Monetary policy
 - Possible negative effect
- Banking
 - Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo's view
- Effect of prosperity
- Statements by Burns and Connally
 - Internal, public
 - Alfred Hayes' press conference
 - New York Times*
- Possible Federal actions
 - Short-term rates
 - Long-term rates
 - Burns' forthcoming Congressional testimony

Conv. No. 462-13 (cont.)

Dupont brokerage firm

- Possible insolvency
- Connally's previous conversations
 - Gustave L. Levy of Goldman Sachs
 - Bernard J. ("Bunny") Lasker
- H. Ross Perot
 - Financial support
 - Connally's efforts
- Possible Securities and Exchange Commission [SEC] action
- Possible action by Burns and Connally

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- Call from Connally to Perot
- Possible action by Perot
 - SEC
 - Possible actions
 - Possible meeting between Perot and SEC
- Securities Investors Protection Insurance Corporation [SIPIC]
- SEC and Federal Reserve Board rules
 - Violations
 - SIPIC
 - Possible actions
 - Burns' view
- Connally's forthcoming call to Perot
 - Administration efforts
- President's instructions
 - Lockheed and Penn Central comparisons
- Anti-trust actions
 - Shultz's instructions
 - Study
 - Domestic Council review
 - John D. Ehrlichman
 - John W. Dean, III and Egil ("Bud") Krogh, Jr.
 - President's position
 - Enforcement
 - Mergers
 - Criteria
- Dupont family actions
- Perot's actions
 - Withdrawal of financial support
 - Purpose
- Stanford University research study
- Connally's forthcoming call to Perot

Conv. No. 462-13 (cont.)

Milk price supports

- Parity level
 - Clifford M. Hardin
- Importance
- Wilbur D. Mills
- Department of Agriculture, Shultz's position
- Cost estimates
 - Department of Agriculture
 - Mills
- Importance

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- Mills
- Cheese
- President's position on parity level
- Cost estimates
 - Land O' Lakes of Sarasota, Florida
- Possible effects
- Mills
- Hubert H. Humphrey Conv. No. 462-13 (cont.)
- Mills
- Farmers' lobby
 - 1970 campaign
 - Compared with Congress of Industrial Organizations [CIO]
 - Mills
- Cheese, school milk
- Farmers' lobby
 - Program
- Effect on textile quotas
- Government actions to date
 - Cheese for school lunch program
 - Office of Management and Budget [OMB] response
 - Political and trade implications

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

[National Security]

[Duration: 58s]

JAPAN

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

Milk price supports

- Farmers' lobby
 - Price goal
- Possible effect on production

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- Hardin
- US consumption of dairy products
 - School lunch program
- Effect on farm program, economy as a whole
 - Mills
- Possible action
- Cheese and school milk program
- Possible meeting between the President and Mills
- An anecdote
- House Ways and Means Committee
 - John W. Byrnes
 - Mills
 - Byrnes
 - Social Security and Welfare Reform
- Possible meeting between Connally and Byrnes

Conv. No. 462-13 (cont.)

President's schedule

- Nelson A. Rockefeller
- Rochester trip cancellation
- Forthcoming Evening at the White House
 - Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon's birthday party
 - Invitations
 - Entertainment
 - Irish singers
 - Irish Prime Minister [John M. ("Jack") Lynch]
 - Refreshments
 - Shultz's wife

Ireland

- Lynch
- History
 - Great Britain
 - Potato Famine
 - Immigration to US
- View of US

Economy

- Capital expenditures
 - Increases
 - Trend
 - Importance
- Commerce Department figures

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- Need for credibility
 - Press
 - President's relations with the press
 - Statement at March 4, 1971 press conference
- Money supply
 - Report by Burns
 - President's understanding
 - Federal Reserve Board action
 - Hayes
 - President's understanding
 - Weekly figures
 - President's staff's understanding
 - Bankers' position

Conv. No. 462-13 (cont.)

President's staff

- Kissinger and Rogers
- Need for unity
- Comparison with Johnson's staff
 - Clark M. Clifford
 - Vietnam policy
 - H. H. Humphrey
- Need for unity
 - Teamwork
 - James B. ("Scotty") Reston
 - Winston S. Churchill's On the Eastern Front
 - Lessons of World War I
 - Leadership
 - Austria
 - Soviet Union
 - Germany
 - Erich F. W. Ludendorf
 - Helmut von Moltke

Economy

- Quadriad
 - Press comments
 - President's response
 - Meetings
 - Frequency of President's contacts with individual members
- Money supply
 - Connally's testimony
 - Shultz's, McCracken's, and Burns' responses

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- Wage and price increases
 - Effect on individual savings
 - President's position
- Need for unity
 - Burns, McCracken, Connally
 - Effect
 - President
 - Ronald L. Ziegler

Conv. No. 462-13 (cont.)

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3

[National Security]

[Duration: 3m 59s]

MIDDLE EAST

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3

Economy

- Need for unity
- Interest rates
 - Burns' forthcoming Congressional testimony
 - Connally's response
 - President's position
 - Federal Reserve Board
 - Press reports
- Burns' report to the President

President's schedule

- Forthcoming Rockefeller meeting
 - Time
 - Purpose
 - Revenue sharing
 - Reorganization

Connally's schedule

- Possible meeting with Rockefeller
 - New York

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Burns and McCracken left at 12:47 pm

-Possible press briefing

Rose Mary Woods entered at an unknown time after 12:47 pm

Evening at the White House

Conv. No. 462-13 (cont.)

-Invitations

-Cabinet members

-Mr. and Mrs. Burns

-McCracken

-Connally

Woods left at an unknown time before 1:00 pm

Ziegler entered at an unknown time after 12:47 pm

Unemployment

-July 1

-Press coverage

-James D. Hodgson's statement

-Post-Quadriad briefing

-Press questions

-Connally's possible statement

-Compared with confirmation testimony

-Connally's role

-Compared with confirmation testimony

-New plant and equipment figures

-Shultz's view

-Tone, content

-Shultz's view

-President's view

Ziegler left at an unknown time before 1:00 pm

Burns

-Actions

-Effect on Administration

-Shultz

-Position

-Interest rates discussion

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-President's demeanor

Building trades

- Agreements
 - Davis-Bacon Act
 - Acceptance prospects
 - Administration follow-up
 - Possible problems
- Wage and price freeze
 - Possible labor response
- Davis-Bacon Act
- Wage and price controls
 - President's position

Conv. No. 462-13 (cont.)

Alexander P. Butterfield entered at 1:00 pm

President's schedule

Butterfield left at 1:02 pm

Milk price supports

- Shultz's preparation
- Mills
- Administration position
- Possible announcement
 - Effect
- Department of Agriculture
 - President's position
- Political implications
- Compared to steel
 - Connally's view
- Farmers
 - Importance
 - Parity levels
 - Importance compared to other industries
 - Grain negotiations with Great Britain
 - Connally's conversation with Hardin
 - President's position
 - Cheese

President's schedule

- Rockefeller meeting

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-Shultz's attendance

Connally's schedule

-Hardin

-New job

-Confirmation testimony

-A party in New York

-John Loeb [?]

-Rockefeller

Conv. No. 462-13 (cont.)

Connally and Shultz left at 1:05 pm

Conversation No. 462-14

Date: March 5, 1971

Time: 1:06 pm - unknown before 1:17 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull

President's schedule

-General Walter R. Tkach

Tkach entered at 1:06 pm

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 3m 53s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman entered at 1:08 pm

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Tkach left at 1:10 pm

John A. ("Jack") Mulcahy

- Possible meeting with the President
- Meeting with William H. Carruthers
 - Evening at the White House, March 16, 1971
 - Location
- Meeting with President

Conv. No. 462-14 (cont.)

Haldeman left at an unknown time before 1:17 pm

Conversation No. 462-15

Date: March 5, 1971

Time: 1:17 pm - 2:20 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with John A. ("Jack") Mulcahy and H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman

Greetings

Evening at the White House, March 16, 1971

- Mulcahy's arrival
- Mulcahy family
 - Schedule
 - Daughter
 - Kevin Mulcahy

A story about a cemetery

- Henry C. Cashen, II
- Mulcahy

Mulcahy's tour of duty in Ireland

Mulcahy's briefing, March 5, 1971

- Peter M. Flanigan [?]

Mulcahy's previous meeting with Jerry Brown [?]

- A list on union activities

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Tape Subject Log (rev. 9/08)

-Transmittal to President

Plans for an addition to Afrin [?] Castle

-William P. Rogers' previous visit

-Location

Possible trip by President to Ireland

Conv. No. 462-15 (cont.)

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 1m 29s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

Jack McCarthy

-Position

-Coverage of St. Patrick's Day parade

-Trip from Ireland

-Evening at the White House, March 16, 1971

-Invitation

-Mr. and Mrs. McCarthy's attendance

-Arthur F. and Helen (Bernstein) Burns' attendance

-Support for the President

Presidential gifts

-Golf balls, cuff links, and tie clasps for Mulcahy and McCarthy

Mulcahy's schedule

Mulcahy left at 1:23 pm

Mulcahy

President's schedule

-Camp David

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- Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon
- Departure time
- Nelson A. Rockefeller meeting and briefing
- Time

An unknown person entered at an unknown time after 1:23 pm

Wrong buzzer

Conv. No. 462-15 (cont.)

The unknown person left at an unknown time before 1:25 pm

Mulcahy

- Compared with Robert H. Abplanalp
- Background

A telegram from Charlton Heston

- Leslie T. ("Bob") Hope's previous conversations with the President
- Receipt
- Haldeman's instructions to Bruce A. Kehrli
- Kehrli's effort to locate Heston

Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 1:23 pm

President's schedule

- John B. Connally

Bull left at an unknown time before 1:25 pm

Telegram from Heston

- A call from Kehrli
 - Hope
 - White House efforts
 - Content of telegram
 - Pornography

Connally entered at 1:25 pm

Connally's press briefing

- Ronald L. Ziegler's response

Connally's schedule

- Work at Treasury Department

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- Social schedule
 - Purpose
 - Cyrus R. ("C. R.") Smith, Robert S. Strauss, and Henry H. ("Joe") Fowler
dinner at the Metropolitan Club
 - Andre Meyer [?], Lewellyn A. Jennings, Frank Stanton, Clark M.
Clifford, Hubert H. Humphrey, John D. Harper
 - Thomas C. ("Del") Barger, Gustave L. Levy, Joseph A. Thomas
 - Political orientation Conv. No. 462-15 (cont.)
 - Purpose
- Work at Treasury Department
- National security work
 - The President's view
 - Purposes

US foreign policy

- Middle East

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3

[National Security]

[Duration: 1m 1s]

MIDDLE EAST

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3

- World War II
 - "Operation Overlord"
 - Dwight D. Eisenhower
 - Omaha Beach

-Vietnam

- US military forces
- General Creighton W. Abrams, Jr.
- Connally's possible public comments

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- President's possible actions
 - President's March 4, 1971 press conference
 - Outcome of war
 - Possible Connally conversations
- Possible US military actions
 - Reasons
 - Prisoners of War [POWs]
 - Vietnamese elections
- US strategy
 - Critics
 - Polls
 - Laos (Lam Son)
- President's position
 - US strategy
 - Outcome
- President's advisors
 - Connally's role
 - Kissinger
 - Rogers
- Economic policy
 - Connally's role
 - Charls E. Walker's role
 - Connally's work at Treasury Department
 - Paul W. McCracken
 - Burns
 - Knowledge
 - Personnel at Treasury Department
 - Walker
 - Paul A. Volcker
 - Walker
 - James E. Smith
 - Staff
 - Need for additional staff
 - Frederic V. Malek's role
- Economic policy
 - Statements to "New York crowd"
 - Confidence
 - Compared to foreign policy statements
 - Stock market
 - Trend
 - Interest rates

Conv. No. 462-15 (cont.)

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Tape Subject Log

(rev. 9/08)

- Connally's statements to Burns
 - President's response
 - Banker's response
- Burns
 - George P. Shultz's role
 - Connally's role
 - The President's handling
 - Quadriad meetings
 - Leaks to press
 - Relations with Congress
 - Humphrey
 - Federal Reserve Board
 - President
 - Connally
 - Quadriad meeting, March 5, 1971
 - Bonds
- Interest rates
 - Burn's forthcoming Congressional testimony
 - Response
 - Effect on banks
 - Tax payments
- Disposition
 - Connally's view
- Time deposits
 - Response
- Interest rates
 - Burns
 - Connally
 - Banks
 - Long-term
- Connally's finances as an example
 - Ranch
 - Loan
 - Interest rate
 - Discussions with bankers
 - Decreases in interest rates
 - Loans
- Banks
 - Money supply
- Interest rates
 - Administration policy
 - Short-term

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Tape Subject Log

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- Prime rate
- Connally's discussion with Jake Jacobson
 - Lyndon B. Johnson administration work
 - Jacobson's bank
 - Loans
 - Number
 - Rates
- President's position
 - Administration policy
 - Rates
- Connally's check of other banks
- Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo's bank
- Average citizen
- Trends in economy
 - Unemployment figures
- Stock market levels
 - Increases
 - Confidence
 - Burns' view
 - Other economists' views
 - Shultz
 - McCracken
 - Connally's view
 - Rate of economic growth
 - Unemployment decrease
 - President's budget
 - Corporate taxes and profits
 - Unemployment
 - Federal revenue
 - Comments to press
 - Press view
- Connally's schedule
 - New York trip
 - Transportation
 - Rockefeller
 - Albany, New York City
 - John T. Logan

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Connally left at 1:50 pm

Connally

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- Future
- Work at Treasury Department

Manolo Sanchez entered at an unknown time after 1:50 pm

Refreshment order

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 2:05 pm

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Burns

- Quadriad meeting, March 5, 1971
- President's statements

An unknown man entered at an unknown time after 1:50 pm

Sanchez's schedule

The unknown man left at an unknown time before 2:05 pm

President's schedule

- Cancellation of Rochester trip
- Possible problems
- J. Edgar Hoover

President's March 4, 1971 press conference

- Charles W. Colson
- Calls
- Senate
- Possible public response
- Cambodia issue
- Press
- Ziegler
- Washington Post, New York Times*
- President's response
- Vice President Spiro T. Agnew
- President's response to a question
- Tone
- Content
- Coverage

Vietnam

- News coverage

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- Public opinion
 - Effect
 - Editorials
- Tchepone battle
 - Coverage
 - Possible outcome
 - Kissinger
 - Troops
- National Security Council [NSC] meeting, March 5, 1971
- US military action
 - The President's instructions
 - Bombing
 - Reasons

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President's press conferences

- Preparation
 - Results
 - Importance
- Possible office press conferences
 - William H. Carruthers
 - Meeting with President

[The President talked with an unknown person at an unknown time between 1:50 pm and 2:05 pm]

[Conversation No. 462-15A]

President's schedule

- Carruthers

[End of telephone conversation]

An unknown man entered at an unknown time after 1:50 pm

President's schedule

- Carruthers

The unknown man left at an unknown time before 2:05 pm

[Unintelligible]

An unknown man

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Tape Subject Log

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Polls

- An analysis
- Vietnam War
 - George H. Gallup poll
 - Questions
 - Laos (Lam Son)
 - Compared with White House poll and another Corp. No. 462-15 (cont.)
- Results
 - Compared with previous Opinion Research Corporation [ORC] poll
 - Chilton, ORC
 - Compared with previous polls
 - Chilton

Carruthers entered at 2:05 pm

President's future press conferences

- Oval Office
 - Camera coverage
 - Carruthers' view
 - Seating options
 - Camera locations
 - President's and press positions
 - Camera positioning
 - President's and press positions
- Briefing room
- Oval Office
 - President's view
 - Lighting
 - Types of cameras
 - President's and press positions
 - Camera positions
 - History
 - Franklin D. Roosevelt
 - Camera positioning
 - Coverage
 - Lighting
- Blue Room
 - Lighting
- Briefing room
- Blue Room
- Radio simulcast

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-Old Executive Office Building [EOB] office

-Radio coverage

-Capacity

-Radio coverage

-Locations

-Radio, film considerations

-Pool coverage

-Types of cameras

Conv. No. 462-15 (cont.)

-Oval Office

-Atmosphere

-Photo coverage

-Atmosphere

-Photo coverage

-Lighting

-Set-up time

-Lead-time

-Scenario

-Costs

-Photo coverage

President's schedule

-Rockefeller meeting

-Location

President's future press conferences

-Carruthers' work

-Make-up

-Importance

-President's preparation

-Importance

-Time needed

-Importance

President's March 4, 1971 press conference

-Carruthers' response

-Ziegler

-Press response

-Compared to the Vice President's comments

-President's preparation

-President's statement to audience

-Effect

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President's schedule
-Rockefeller

Carruthers' schedule

Haldeman and Carruthers left at 2:20 pm

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Conversation No. 462-16

Date: March 5, 1971
Time: 2:20 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Manolo Sanchez

The President's schedule [?]

The President and Sanchez left at 2:20 pm

Conversation No. 462-17

Date: March 5, 1971
Time: Unknown between 2:20 pm and 4:20 pm
Location: Oval Office

Unknown Secret Service agents met

[Unintelligible]

The unknown Secret Service agents left at an unknown time before 4:20 pm

Conversation No. 462-18

Date: March 5, 1971
Time: Unknown after 4:20 pm until 4:28 pm
Location: Oval Office

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Tape Subject Log

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President met with Robert H. Finch

[Recording begins while the conversation is in progress]

President's March 4, 1971 press conference

- Young people's response
 - Finch children
 - Vietnam policy
 - Effect of Laos (Lam Son)
 - Interdiction of North Vietnamese supplies
 - US withdrawal
 - R. Sargent Shriver
- Middle East
 - Jewish response
 - W[illiam] Stuart Symington
 - Henry A. Kissinger
 - William P. Rogers
 - President's comments
 - Jewish response
 - Symington
 - J. William Fulbright
- Rogers
 - Critics
 - President's response
 - Effect on press

President's press conferences

- Television
- Frequency
- Possible office press conferences
 - Frequency
 - Coverage
- Frequency
- Importance of television

President's March 4, 1971 press conference

- Finch's previous conversation with a barber
 - President's familiarity with press
 - Peter Lisagor, Lucian C. ("Lou") Warren, Robert B. Semple, Jr.
- Laos (Lam Son)
 - Effect of President's statements
 - Compared with Cambodia
 - Justification

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Ronald W. Reagan

- A proposal
 - Funding problems
- A poll
- Medicaid proposal
 - Congressional and California state legislature

Conv. No. 462-18 (cont.)

Polls

- President's support
 - George H. Gallup poll
 - Laos (Lam Son)
 - Vietnam
 - Economy
 - Stock market level
 - Revenue sharing
 - Welfare reform
 - Effect of President's policies

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 32s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

Cabinet

- George W. Romney
- John B. Connally
 - Press, Congress
- Committee on education
 - Atlanta trip

President's schedule

- Meeting with Finch
 - Laos

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Tape Subject Log

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-Youth

President's appeal to youth

- Question and answer technique
 - Compared with Edmund G. Muskie, Hubert H. Humphrey, Edward M. ("Ted") Kennedy
 - Finch children
- President's responses at March 4, 1971 press conference Conv. No. 462-18 (cont.)
 - Nixon daughters
 - Rogers
 - Vietnam
- President's phraseology, tone

President's March 4, 1971 press conference

- Unasked question
 - Finch's uses
 - Tone of answer prepared
 - Humphrey, Henry M. ("Scoop") Jackson, John C. Stennis
 - Vietnam
 - 1961 compared with 1969
 - US plans
 - Clark M. Clifford's 1968 statement
 - Withdrawal of US forces
 - President's record
 - Withdrawal of US troops
 - Casualty rate
 - Compared with Lyndon B. Johnson administration
 - 1961 situation
 - Compared with John F. Kennedy administration
- Humphrey, Muskie
 - Use of surrogate speakers
- Administration plans

Mexicans

Finch left at 4:28 pm

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Conversation No. 462-19

Date: March 5, 1971
Time: 4:29 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with an unknown person

Conv. No. 462-18 (cont.)

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1
[Personal Returnable]
[Duration: 2s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

The unknown person left at 4:29 pm

Conversation No. 462-20

Date: March 5, 1971
Time: 4:29 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with the White House operator

Call to Charles W. Colson

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Conversation No. 462-21

Date: March 5, 1971

Time: Unknown between 4:30 pm and 4:40 pm

Location: Oval Office

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

Stock market

- Dow Jones average
- Volume

Alexander P. Butterfield entered at 4:30 pm

President's schedule

- Ronald L. Ziegler meeting
- President's departure time

Butterfield left at an unknown time before 4:32 pm

Stock market

- Previous day's Dow Jones average
- Volume
- Dow Jones average

[The President talked with Charles W. Colson at an unknown time between 4:30 pm and 4:33 pm][Conversation No. 462-21A]

President's March 4, 1971 press conference

- Response
 - Colson's findings
 - Unknown persons (members)
 - Laos
 - Administration action
- Ziegler

[End of telephone conversation]

Henry A. Kissinger entered at 4:33 pm

Kissinger's schedule

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President's schedule

-Camp David

Vietnam

-Developments

-Reports

Conv. No. 462-21 (cont.)

Middle East

-A meeting

-A statement on Israel

-President's statement in March 4, 1971 press conference

-Possible settlement

-Joseph J. Sisco's statement

-Response

Nelson A. Rockefeller

-Meeting with President

-Meeting with Kissinger

Press coverage of Vietnam War

-A tape of Howard K. Smith and [Arnold] Eric Sevareid

-Laos (Lam Son) commentary

-President's critics

-White House news summary

-Press coverage

President's schedule

-Helicopter

Public relations

-Vice President Spiro T. Agnew

-Comments on Vietnam

-Press

-President's comments

-Press

President's critics

-Brookings Institute meeting

-Kissinger's comments to John W. Gardner

-President's policies

-President's March 4, 1971 press conference comments

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Tape Subject Log
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- President's policies
- Effect of the "Establishment"

Recording was cut off at an unknown time before 4:40 pm

Conv. No. 462-21 (cont.)