



## NIXON PRESIDENTIAL MATERIALS STAFF

### **Tape Subject Log** (rev. 10/06)

Conversation No. 649-1

Date: January 17, 1972

Time: 3:46 pm - unknown before 6:38 pm

Location: Oval Office

#### The President met with Rose Mary Woods.

The President's schedule

- Cabinet dinner, January 20, 1972

- Seating

- Protocol

- Tables

- Shape

- Cabinet officers, White House staff, former Cabinet members

- Seating

- The President's table

- Kathleen (Carmody) Stans

- Sally Peterson

- Maurice H. Stans

- Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon

- Protocol

- Cabinet officers

- The President's table

- Smoking

- Kathleen Stans

- Sally Peterson

- Martha Love (Woods) Hardin

- Clifford M. Hardin

- Maurice Stans

- White House staff

- Protocol

- Cabinet

- William P. and Adele (Langston) Rogers

- Melvin R. and Barbara Laird

- John N. and Martha (Beall) Mitchell

- The President's table

- Martha Mitchell

- John Mitchell

- Forthcoming resignation

- Timing of announcement

- John Mitchell

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- Martha Mitchell
  - John Mitchell's resignation
  - Mrs. Nixon's views
  - Reception in White House family quarters

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[Duration: 42s ]

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- Woods's forthcoming talk with unknown person
- The Hardins
  - Clifford Hardin's resignation
  - Timing

Clifford Hardin

- Resignation
  - Christmas
  - Ford's Theater event
    - Woods's attendance
    - Patricia R. and Robert J. Hitt's attendance
  - The Hardins
    - Reception

The President's correspondence

- Allen S. Drury
- Don Shula
- Herbert Hill
  - Previous correspondence
  - Articles
  - Previous relationship with the President
  - Form of address
  - Articles

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-Views of Mrs. Nixon, Tricia Nixon Cox and Julie Nixon Eisenhower

Manolo Sanchez entered at an unknown time after 3:46 pm.

Refreshment

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 3:55 pm.

Cabinet dinner

-Arrangements

-Woods

-Lucy A. Winchester

-Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon

Dinner for DeWitt and Lila (Acheson) Wallace, January 28, 1972

-Musical entertainment

H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman entered at an unknown time after 3:46 pm.

-Lawrence Welk

-Ray Conniff

-Army Chorus

-Possible selections

-Medleys

-Members

Woods left at 3:55 pm.

The President's forthcoming speech on Vietnam peace plan

-William L. Safire's work

-Henry A. Kissinger's view

-Kissinger's draft

-Length

-Television presentation

-Kissinger's view

-Kissinger's role in negotiations

-References to Kissinger in draft

Speechwriting

-The President's efforts

-Raymond K. Price, Jr.'s work

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- The President's method
  - Compared with Franklin D. Roosevelt's method
- Kissinger's and Price's effort on the President's speech
  - Substance compared to form
- The President's method
  - Outline
    - Price's reworking
  - Compared with Roosevelt's method
    - Draft from speechwriters
    - The President's State of the Union addresses
    - Fireside chats
    - Campaign speeches
    - Speechwriters' methods
      - Cabinet Room
      - Samuel I. Rosenman
      - Robert Sherwood
      - Harry Hopkins
      - Interaction with Roosevelt
- Foreign policy

### The President's schedule

- Meeting with John B. Connally
- Meeting with Arthur F. Burns
  - Pay Board
  - Connally's and George Shultz's views
  - The President's State of the Union Address

Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 3:55 pm.

Connally's arrival

Bull left at an unknown time before 4:05 pm.

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Connally entered at 4:05 pm

Greetings

Seating arrangements

Oval Office furnishings

Connally's European trip

-Reception

Sanchez entered at an unknown time after 4:05 pm.

Refreshment

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 6:33 pm.

European meeting

-Progress

-William D. Eberle's talk with Paul A. Volcker

-Eberle's schedule

-Forthcoming meeting with Connally

-Japanese

-Grain Pricing

-As issue

-Price increase

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- US position
- Devaluation of dollar
- Citrus and tobacco
- Japan

Peter G. Peterson

Burns

- Possible meeting with the President
  - Connally's views
  - Connally's possible participation
  - Pay Board
  - Spending ceiling
    - Burns's conversations with Volcker and George P. Shultz
  - Congressional action
    - The President's State of the Union address or budget message
    - Deficit
  - The President's previous record
  - State of the Union address
  - The President's budget message
  - Shultz
    - Forthcoming talks with Connally and Haldeman
  - Timing
    - Congress
  - Deficit
- Scheduling

The President's schedule

- State of the Union address
- Meeting with Burns
- Safire's draft
- Connally's schedule
- Meeting with Burns
  - Connally
  - Herbert Stein and Shultz
  - Quadriad
    - Schedule for meeting, January 26, 1972
      - Timing
        - Burns
      - Troika
      - Budget and economic messages

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- Connally's schedule
- [Barend W. Biesheuvel]
- Photograph
- Publicity

### **-Burns**

### **Economy**

- Money supply
  - Interest rates
    - Prime rate
    - Short term Treasury Bills
    - Refinancing
      - Long term compared to short term loans
- Prime rate
  - Hubert H. Humphrey
  - Banker's Trust
  - First National Savings
  - Compared to 1964
- Money supply
  - December figure
  - Connally's conversation with Burns, January 15, 1972
    - Burns's meeting with Open Market Committee
      - Increase of money supply
  - New Federal Reserve Board [FRB] member [John E. Sheehan]
    - Compared with other members
    - Connally's and the President's view
    - Possible relationship with administration

### **Peterson**

- Secretary of Commerce position
  - Announcements
    - Stans's resignation
  - "Council for Competition" idea
    - The President's view
    - Possible effect on confirmation
    - Stans
    - Connally's knowledge
    - Peter M. Flanigan
- Work with James D. Hodgson
  - Unemployment issue
    - Speeches across nation

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- Compared with west coast operation
- Unknown man from Pennsylvania
- Reorganization plans
- Compared with Stans's work with Hodgson and Shultz
- Hodgson's view

### Unemployment

- Criticism of administration actions
  - Compared with inflation issue
  - Humphrey
- John F. Kennedy administration
  - Studies
- Administration strategy
  - Arthur J. Goldberg's previous actions as Secretary of Labor
- Combined effort by Commerce and Labor Secretaries
- State of the Union address draft
  - Connally's perusal
- Statistical analysis
  - "Outlook" column in *Wall Street Journal*, January 17, 1972
  - Connally's and Peterson's views
  - Current figure
    - Application of monetary or fiscal action
    - Social compared to economic problem
      - Employment of young people
      - Universal service
    - Peterson's possible role
    - Categories
  - Peterson's role
- Work by Peterson and Hodgson
  - Stein and Council of Economic Advisors [CEA]
- Commerce Department
- Labor Department
- Employment offices
- Possible meeting
- Shultz
- Forthcoming administration actions
  - Connally's coordination
    - Hodgson
    - Director of Census Bureau [George Hay Brown]
    - Shultz
- Study



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- Publicity
- Connally's coordination
  - Hodgson
  - Peterson
  - Commerce and Labor Departments
  - Employment offices
    - Statistics
      - Possible meeting with the President
- The President's schedule
  - Peterson
  - Forthcoming People's Republic of China [PRC] trip

## Economy

- International economic policy
  - Peterson
    - "Camp David operation"
- Flanigan
  - Conversation with Haldeman
  - Council on International Economic Policy [CIEP]
    - Role
      - Monetary and trade policy
      - Secretary of Treasury
      - Volcker Committee
      - Implementation and execution
      - Shultz's and Kissinger's view
      - Connally's control
        - State and Commerce Department
      - Connally's role
      - Flanigan's talk with Connally
      - Monetary compared to economic policy
      - Economic policy
        - Military and political policy
      - Peterson's previous actions
        - Monetary policy
      - Trade compared to monetary policy
        - Treasury Department role
          - State Department role
        - Ash Council
          - Roy L. Ash
      - Trade
        - Balance of payments problems

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- Defense Department
  - Laird's actions
    - Offset agreements
      - Effect
- Monetary policy
  - Flanigan's talk with Connally
    - Treasury Department
    - CEA
    - Kissinger
    - Shultz
    - State Department
    - Peterson
    - FRB
  - Diplomatic policy impact
    - State Department
    - Trade
      - Balance of payments
- Realignment
  - Responsibility
    - Treasury Department
- Connally's cable during European trip
  - State Department's actions
    - Nathaniel Samuels
    - Volcker's and Connally's calls
    - Rome meeting
      - Finance Ministers of France, West Germany, Great Britain
        - Trade representatives
      - Samuels
- Flanigan
- Peterson
  - Relations with Connally
  - Monetary policy
  - Secretary of Treasury
    - Peterson's role
      - Currency realignment
      - Possible meeting
  - Need for expertise
  - Burns
  - Need for unity
    - Gold prices
    - Currency realignment

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- Absence
  - Effect on negotiations
- Georges J.R. Pompidou's view
  - Private agreement
    - Announcement
      - Possible effect on French exchanges
        - Speculation
- Peterson, Burns and Shultz
- Flanigan
- Speechmaking
  - Flanigan
    - Compared to Peterson
- Connally's role
  - Negotiations
- Need for unity
- Treasury Department role
- Flanigan
- Treasury Department role
  - 1971
  - Rogers
  - Trade
  - Burden-sharing
  - Defense and State Department
    - Rogers and Laird
  - The President's approval
- Trade
  - Cordell Hull
    - State Department
  - Commerce Department
  - Treasury Department
  - Eberle's role
    - The President
    - State Department
    - Special Trade Representative
      - Congressional statute
        - Independence from State Department
    - Powers
  - Delegation of responsibility to Connally
    - Monetary policy
    - Philosophy
    - Eberle

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- Commerce Department
- State Department commercial representatives
  - Rogers
    - Contact with Connally
    - Contact with Stans
    - Future contact with Peterson
- Treasury Department
  - Monetary crisis
  - Secretary of State
  - The President
  - David M. Kennedy
  - Connally's role
    - Monetary policy
    - Burden-sharing
      - National Security Council [NSC]
- Eberle
  - Negotiations
- Meeting with Japanese at San Clemente
  - Kakuei Tanaka
    - Eberle
    - Stans
      - Conversation with Eberle
        - Connally
        - Stans
    - Mikio Mizuta
    - Europeans
  - Talks with Connally
    - Monetary policy
  - Revelation of intentions
- US unified position on trade
  - Eberle
  - Peterson
  - Samuels
  - Eberle
  - Connally
    - Authority
      - Peterson
  - Meetings with the President
  - Flanigan
    - Role
- CIEP

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- Trade
  - Jurisdiction
    - Treasury compared to State Department
  - CIEP
    - Chairmanship by the President
    - Rogers
      - Vice chairmanship
    - Organization
      - Meetings
    - Vice President Spiro T. Agnew
    - Peterson
  - Commerce Department
    - Reorganization
    - Prospects
  - State Department
    - Reorganization
      - Under Secretary for Economic Affairs
        - Rogers
        - Flanigan
        - Possible role
          - Embassies
          - Commerce Department
- CIEP
  - Flanigan
  - Chairman
    - Appointment by the President
      - Delegation of authority
        - Connally
          - Treasury Department
          - Paper
          - State Department
  - Role
- Flanigan
  - Desire for job
  - Frederic V. Malek
  - Relations with Connally
    - Staff for Connally in White House
  - Relations with State Department
- Restructuring of State and Commerce Departments
  - Timing
    - 1972 election

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- State Department
  - Flanigan
- Responsibility for economic matters
  - Monetary policy
    - Treasury Department
  - Commerce and State Departments
- Rogers
- Flanigan's role
  - Reorganization
    - Connally's forthcoming talk with Flanigan
- Flanigan
  - Efficiency
  - Compared with Peterson
  - Loyalty
  - Relations with Connally
  - Commerce and State Departments
    - The President's role
- Peterson, Stans, Flanigan shifts
  - Announcement
    - Timing
  - Flanigan
    - Possible talk with Haldeman
    - Opportunity
- CIEP
  - Peterson's tenure
    - The President
    - Connally
    - Kissinger
    - Shultz
- Peterson
  - Compared with Flanigan
  - New relationship with Flanigan
- Flanigan
  - Role
    - Trade
  - State Department
    - Under Secretary position
    - Credibility
    - Recommendations
- International monetary policy
  - CIEP

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- Peterson
  - Relations with Connally
- Trade
  - Eberle
    - Relations with Connally
  - Peterson
- Flanigan
  - Possible relations with Connally
    - Connally's schedule
    - Volcker

Treasury Department

- Departure of officials
  - Reorganization
- World Bank
- International Monetary Fund [IMF]
- Inter-American Development Bank [IADB]

Robert S. McNamara

- Trip
  - The President's forthcoming trip to the PRC
  - Report to the President
    - Meeting with the President, Connally and Kissinger
  - The President's talk with Kissinger
  - Foreign policy commitments
    - India
    - Bangladesh
    - Kissinger's dinner with McNamara
- Coordination with Administration foreign policy
  - Possible frequency

International monetary policy

- Export-Import [Ex-Im] Bank
- World Bank
- International Monetary Fund [IMF]
  - McNamara
- World Bank
- Ex-Im Bank
- Other banks
  - Votes
  - Heads

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- Latin Americans
- Asians
  - Japan
- Possible meetings
- IADB head
  - Peru
    - Antonio Ortiz-Mena
      - Expropriation of IPC
        - Standard Oil of New Jersey
        - John N. Irwin II
        - Treasury Department
        - Finance minister, ambassador
        - Possible payment
          - Copper company concession
- The President's meeting with McNamara
  - Henry Kearns
  - World Bank
  - Unknown bank
  - IADB
    - Ortiz-Mena
- World Bank, IADB, IMF
  - Impact on foreign policy
- IMF loans
  - Compared with World Bank
    - Accommodations of governments
    - Credit ratings
- McNamara meeting
- Ortiz-Mena meeting

### Raw materials development

- Connally's plan
  - Latin America and Asia
  - Japan
- Flanigan
  - CIEP
  - Forthcoming talk with Connally

### Peru

### Chile

- Elections



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- News summary
- Salvador Allende Gossens
- Administration posture

## Paris meeting

- Chilean credit
  - Connally's memorandum
  - Renegotiation of debts
    - Treasury and State Departments
      - Sidney Weintraub
    - Conversation with Chilean Ambassador
  - The President's instructions to Kissinger
  - Memorandum
  - Kissinger

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[National Security

[Duration: 4m 10s]

## INTELLIGENCE

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- Weintraub

## International economic situation

- McNamara meeting
- US influence
  - US military power
  - Effect
- India
- State Department
- World Bank

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- McNamara
  - Conversation with Connally, January 14, 1972
  - Views on Chilean debt renegotiation
- Chilean renegotiation
  - Paris Club
    - Default
      - Maturity date
      - Connally's view
      - Sanction
- Kissinger
  - State Department
- Flanigan
  - Kissinger
  - Rogers
- Weintraub's response
- US policy

### Cuba

- US policy
  - State Department
  - PRC
- Criticism

### William B. Camp

- Reappointment as Comptroller of the Currency
  - Connally's recommendation
  - Malek's view
- Tenure
- Support from banks
- Malek's view

### Robert S. Ingersoll

- Appointment as Ambassador to Japan
- Borg-Warner Corporation
- Forthcoming confirmation by Senate
- Forthcoming meeting with Connally
- Father, Roy Ingersoll
- New appointment

### Camp's reappointment

- Connally's memorandum

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- Malek's view
- Possible partisanship toward Democrats
  - Bank charters
  - Southern Republicans' views
- Connally's direction
  - Bank charters
- Bank charters
  - Wells Fargo
  - Richard P. Cooley
  - Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation [FDIC]
- Appearance
- Confusion with Wofford B. ("Bill") Camp
  - California
  - South Carolina
  - Agricultural field
  - Conservatism
- Bankers
- Background
  - Lyndon B. Johnson appointment
  - Possible relation with Wofford Camp
    - Democrat
    - South Carolina
    - Cotton business in San Joaquin Valley, California
    - Conversation with Haldeman in 1968
- Possible meeting with the President
- Loyalty
- Method of operation
  - Political loan made by unknown bank
    - Indictment by US attorney
    - Common practice
    - Legality
    - Bank examiners
      - Report to Justice Department
  - New law

The President's State of the Union speech draft

- Status
- Tone
- Strategy

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## Drugs

- As issue
  - Marijuana
- Compared with environment issue
  - Julie Nixon Eisenhower, Tricia Nixon Cox
- Compared with capital punishment
- Previous work by administration
  - Public impression
- Pushers
  - Incarceration
    - Demonstrators in Washington, DC
    - Japanese in World War II
- Courts
- Pushers
  - Arrest
    - Likelihood of conviction

## Federal court system

- Judges
  - School integration
  - Richmond, Virginia judge [Robert R. Merhige, Jr.]
    - Appointment by Johnson
- Accountability
  - Need for change
- Mandatory reconfirmation
- Limited terms
  - Possible criticism
- Accountability
- Mandatory retirement

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- Congressmen
  - Hugh Scott
  - Electorate
- William O. Douglas
- Integration

## Integration

- Democrats' stand
  - Republican National Convention
  - Edmund S. Muskie
  - Hubert H. Humphrey
  - Edward M. Kennedy
  - Housing, schools, busing
- Legislation
  - John D. Ehrlichman's work
- Administration action
  - Timing
  - Republican National Convention

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 13

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 2m 4s]

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## The President's stand on issues

- Drugs
- Court appointment
  - Clement F. Haynsworth
  - G. Harrold Carswell
- Public relations
- Busing
- Drugs
  - Pushers

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- Administration stand
- Arrests
- Sentencing
- The French Connection*

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The President's schedule

-Florida

- Fishing
- Invitation to Connally
- Robert H. Abplanalp's island
- Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo, Abplanalp, Connally and George A. Smathers
- Connally's itinerary
  - Speech at National Investment Conference Board [NICB]
- Abplanalp's invitation to Connally
- Key Biscayne
  - Helicopter
- Lincoln's Birthday weekend
- Itinerary
- Connally's schedule
  - Speech to NICB
  - Alfalfa Club
  - Fishing

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The President's schedule

-Florida

-Number of invitees

-Abplanalp's home

-Invitation to Connally

-Visit with Connally in Texas

-Idanell B. ("Nellie") Connally

Flanigan

-Forthcoming conversation with Connally

Connally left at 6:33 pm.

Request of an unknown person to come in

The President and Haldeman left at 6:33 pm.

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Date: January 17, 1972

Time: Unknown between 6:33 pm and 11:59 pm

Location: Oval Office

Unknown people [Secret Service agents] met.

Manolo Sanchez

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[An unknown man talked with an unknown person at an unknown time.]

[Conversation No. 649-2A]

The President's location  
-Residence

[End of telephone conversation]

The conversation was cut off at an unknown time before 11:59 pm.