

**NIXON PRESIDENTIAL MATERIALS STAFF****Tape Subject Log**  
(rev. 10/06)

Conversation No. 327-1

Date: March 27, 1972

Time: Unknown between 8:42 am and 9:21 am

Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

Henry A. Kissinger

-Schedule

-Possible actions

-Marshall Green

-Arthur K. Watson

-Green

-Schedule

Vietnam

-Military activities

-Aircraft

-North Vietnamese

An unknown person entered and left at an unknown time between 8:42 am and 9:21 am.

-Possible offensive

-Reports

Northern Ireland

Vietnam

-Negotiations

-Kissinger

-The President's view

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Conversation No. 327-2

Date: March 27, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 8:42 am and 9:21 am  
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

Dictabelt memoranda  
-Filing  
-Transcription

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 9:21 am.

Conversation No. 327-3

Date: March 27, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 8:42 am and 9:21 am  
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with the White House operator.

Unknown request

Conversation No. 327-4

Date: March 27, 1972  
Time: 9:21 am - 9:22 am  
Location: Executive Office Building

H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman talked with the President.

[See Conversation No. 22-23]

Conversation No. 327-5

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Date: March 27, 1972

Time: 9:25 am - unknown before 10:55 am

Location: Executive Office Building

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

Weather

John B. Connally

- Call from H. Ross Perot
- Prisoners of war [POWs]
- Desire to meet with the President
  - Henry A. Kissinger
  - Alexander M. Haig, Jr.
  - The President's view

Perot

- Haldeman's view
  - Bernard M. Baruch
- Schedule
  - The President
  - Kissinger
- Scheme regarding POWs
  - Medical supplies
  - Haig's views
- Previous call to Haldeman
  - Possible meeting with the President
  - Democratic presidential candidates
- William F. ("Billy") Graham
- Relationship with Connally
- Schedule
  - Possible meeting with The President and Connally
  - Haig
  - Peter M. Flanigan
  - Lt. Gen. Vernon A. Walters
  - Brent G. Scowcroft
    - The President's view
      - Maj. Gen. James D. ("Don") Hughes
  - Haig
  - Walters
    - Secret initiatives

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- The President's knowledge
- Conversations with the President
  - The President's view
  - Haldeman's view
  - Deniability
- Views
  - Bureaucracy
- Schedule
  - Haig
  - Walters
  - Paris
- Possible conversation with Haldeman
  - Secret initiatives
    - Ambassadors
    - White House
    - State Department
    - Walters
      - Central Intelligence Agency [CIA]
      - Paris
      - The President's view
        - Scowcroft
- Connally's possible views
- Walters
- Use of staff for political purposes
  - Administration's role
- Stock market deal
  - Flanigan
  - Wealth
  - Aid to administration
  - Haldeman's view
- Possible meeting with the President
  - Haldeman's view
- Schedule
  - Possible meeting with Walters

### **Kissinger**

- The President's previous conversation with Haig
  - News summary
  - William P. Rogers
  - Arthur K. Watson
  - Marshall Green

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- Calls from the President
- Perot
  - The President's view
  - Job performance

## White House gifts

- Paperweights
  - Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo
  - Jim Garrity [sp?]
  - Possible number
  - Inscriptions
  - Possible distribution
    - Purposes
    - Good luck pieces
  - Presidential seal

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4

[Political Returnable]

[Duration: 42s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4

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- Oval Office

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 5

[Political Returnable]

[Duration: 48s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 5

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-Hangers

Walters

-Confirmation

-W[illiam] Stuart Symington

-Possible appointment

-CIA

Mitchell

-Schedule

-Florida

-Martha (Beall) Mitchell

International Telephone and Telegraph [ITT]

-Dita D. Beard

-Edward M. Kennedy's questions

-Testimony

-Call from the White House to William R. Merriam [?]

-San Diego

-Robert H. Finch, Herbert G. Klein

-Charles W. Colson

-San Diego convention

-Financing

-White House involvement

-Finch, Klein

-William E. Timmons

-Finch

-Jack Gleason

-Colson's views

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- White House contact
- Congressional hearings
  - James O. Eastland
    - Schedule
  - Conversation with Phil Hart
    - Harold S. Geneen
  - Abe Fortas
  - Jacob K. Javits
  - Possible administration action
    - Appointments in the South
  - Possible reconsideration of Richard G. Kleindienst's confirmation
    - Eastland
- Kleindienst's confirmation
  - Eastland
  - Confirmation
    - Votes
  - John N. Mitchell
  - Clark MacGregor

### Confirmations

- Walters
- Ambassadors
  - Career Foreign Service officers
  - Political appointees
- Importance
- Possible questions
  - Campaign contributions
- Kleindienst confirmations

### Jack N. Anderson

- 60 Minutes*
- News magazines
- Haldeman's view
  - Clark R. Mollenhoff
- Possible Administration action
  - Colson [?]

### ITT

- Beard
  - Alleged call from the White House
  - Financing of San Diego convention

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- Alleged call from White House
- Congressional hearings
  - Merriam [?]
  - Geneen
  - Gleason

## National economy

- Food prices
  - Butz
    - Consumers
  - Esther Peterson
  - Connally's possible meeting
    - Earl L. Butz
    - Donald H. Rumsfeld
    - Colson
    - Richard Lyng
    - The President's role
      - Cost of Living Council [COLC]
    - Colson
    - Herbert Stein
    - George P. Shultz

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 11m 11s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

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## National issues

- Busing
- Tax reform
- Unemployment
- Abortion
  - Michigan



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- Ballot of referendum
- Motives of proponents
- The President's view
- Haldeman's view

Civil rights march  
-Administration response

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 1m 52s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

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Administration public relations

- Marshall Green
  - Television appearance
    - Haig's views
    - Kissinger
    - Taiwan, Republic of China
- State Department
  - Knowledge of the President's policies
  - Kissinger's conduct
    - The President's view
    - The President's previous conversation with Green
      - Shanghai Communiqué
      - Green's television appearance compared with Kissinger's backgrounder
    - Promoting the President's policies
- Rogers
  - Chicago
  - Regional television
- Return from the President's trip to the People's Republic of China [PRC]
  - Busing

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- The President's statements on PRC
- Scali
- Kissinger
- Rogers
- Cabinet
- John D. Ehrlichman
  - Domestic programs
  - Television
- Regional television
  - Cabinet
  - Vice President Spiro T. Agnew
    - Treatment by national media
    - Speech regarding American accomplishments
      - George S. McGovern
      - Edmund S. Muskie

## 1972 campaign

- Issues
  - National economy
    - Taxes
      - Connally's view
        - George C. Wallace
          - Wisconsin
            - Florida
            - Busing
            - Taxes
              - Efforts of Democratic Senators
  - Cutting spending
    - Welfare
      - School programs
      - Food stamps
      - Intercontinental ballistic missiles [ICBMs]
      - Submarines
      - The President's view
        - Shultz
        - Ehrlichman

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[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 3m 29s ]

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Ehrlichman

-Schedule

-Visit to California

-Son

-Stanford University

-Compared to Kissinger

-Conversation with Haldeman regarding Peter Lisagor

-Lisagor's television show

-The President's previous press conference

The President's previous press conference

-Newspaper coverage

-Television coverage

-The President's view

-Ehrlichman's views

1972 campaign

-States

Famine

The conversation was cut off at an unknown time before 10:55 am.

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Conversation No. 327-6

Date: March 27, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 10:55 am and 2:53 pm  
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1  
[Personal Returnable]  
[Duration: 8s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

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Sanchez left at an unknown time before 2:53 pm.

Conversation No. 327-7

Date: March 28, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 2:10 pm and 3:15 pm  
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

The President's schedule  
-John B. Connally  
-Photograph  
-Florida

Bull left at an unknown time before 3:15 pm.

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Conversation No. 327-8

Date: March 28, 1972

Time: 3:15 pm - 5:30 pm

Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with John B. Connally and H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman.

## National economy

- Connally's schedule
  - Previous television appearance
    - Charts
    - Today* show
  - Forthcoming meeting with Food chain executives
    - Giant
    - Wage and price controls
      - Southland Corporation
      - 7-11 stores
    - Earl L. Butz
    - Herbert Stein
    - Clifford M. Hardin [?]
- Food prices
  - Connally's charts
    - Trends
      - Meat prices
  - Price Commission hearing
    - C. Jackson Grayson, Jr.
  - Farm organizations
    - Connally's forthcoming meeting with Butz
  - Butz's statements
    - Connally's view
- Automobile sales
- Economic indicators
- Balance of trade
  - Trade deficit
- Competitiveness
  - Currency exchange rates

An unknown person entered and left at an unknown time between 3:15 pm and 5:16 pm.

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- Connally's view
  - Taxes
  - US dependents in Europe
  - Possible Defense Department activities
    - Banking activities
  - The President's possible action
  - US banking operations overseas
    - Compared to domestic banking
      - New York
      - California
      - Ohio
      - Texas
  - Currency speculation
    - Deutsche marks
    - Yen
  - Convertibility
    - Suspension
      - The President's August 15, 1971 statement
  - Stock market
    - Businessmen's confidence
- George P. Shultz
- Arthur F. Burns
- Peter G. Peterson
- Grayson
- Herbert Stein
- Leaks
  - OBurns
- The President's Democratic opponents
  - Issues
    - International Telephone and Telegraph [ITT] case
    - Tax reform
    - George C. Wallace
- Tax reform
  - Connally's efforts
    - Democrats' intentions
      - Raise taxes
      - Close loopholes
        - Mortgage interest
        - Municipal bonds
    - The administration's possible response
  - Government spending

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- Congress's possible action
  - Family support programs
    - Welfare
  - The President's view
    - Poor
      - Example
    - Labor leaders
    - Senior citizens
    - Media
- Inflation
- US business competitiveness in the world
  - Japan
  - Europe
  - Trading blocs
    - Japan
    - Europe
      - Consolidation
  - The President's view
    - Europe
    - Japan
      - US-Soviet relation
    - The People's Republic of China [PRC]
  - Connally's view
    - Japan
      - US economic capacity
      - National Defense
  - The President's view
    - Possible trading bloc with South America
      - Japan
      - Europeans
      - Soviets
- US foreign policy
  - Middle East
    - Jewish influence
  - Dwight D. Eisenhower
    - Response to Suez crisis in 1956
      - Gamal Abdel Nasser
    - The President's view
      - British
      - French

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- Lebanon
- Relations with Israel
  - The President's view
    - Harry S Truman, John F. Kennedy, Lyndon B. Johnson  
Administrations and current Administration
  - Arab nations
    - United Arab Republic [UAR]
    - Syria
    - Iraq
    - Saudi Arabia
    - Jordan
  - US financial support
    - Bonds
- Soviet Union
  - Possible withdrawal from Egypt
    - Israeli territorial concessions
- US-Arab relations
  - Arab views
    - Great Britain
    - Japan
    - France
    - US
    - Soviet Union
- Democrats' views
  - Henry M. ("Scoop") Jackson
  - Edmund S. Muskie
- Israel
  - Occupation of territory
- Africa
  - Northern Africa
  - South Africa
  - Central Africa
    - The President's view
  - Europeans
- Latin America
- Japan
- Indonesia
- Thailand
- India, Pakistan
- Middle East



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## National economy

- Federal budget
  - Balance
  - Possible cuts
- International economy
  - The President's forthcoming trip to the Soviet Union
- Tax reform
  - Connally's possible role
    - George S. McGovern
    - Muskie
    - George Meany
    - Democratic candidates
  - Democratic candidates
    - Social security
    - Welfare education
    - Defense spending
    - Tax increases
    - Price increases
    - Press coverage
      - Tax reform
      - Connally's review
        - Capital gains
          - Stock market
          - Real estate
        - Administration's possible actions
          - Congress
          - Capital gains
  - Trade balance
    - Foreign exchange markets

An unknown person entered and left at an unknown time between 3:15 pm and 5:16 pm.

- Congress
- The President's role

## The President's schedule

- News
  - ITT case
  - The President's forthcoming trip to the Soviet Union
  - Press conferences
    - Frequency

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-Television

- Speeches
- Televised press conferences
  - 1972 election
  - Democrats

National issues

- Possible Republican response strategy
  - Congress
  - Republican National Committee
  - Cabinet
  - Democratic primaries
    - Wisconsin
  - Busing

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

[Personal Returnable]

[Duration: 2m 26s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

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Manolo Sanchez entered at an unknown time after 3:15 pm.

Refreshments

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 5:16 pm.

ITT case

- Richard G. Kleindienst confirmation hearing
- Peter M. Flanigan
  - Harry F. Byrd
  - William E. Brock, III
  - Charles McC. Mathias, Jr.
  - John N. Mitchell
    - Clark MacGregor

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- Samuel J. Ervin, Jr.
- Roman L. Hruska's possible letter
  - John D. Ehrlichman
- Executive Session
- William P. Rogers, Arthur K. Watson
- Executive privilege

Sanchez entered at an unknown time after 3:15 pm.

- Flanigan's possible statement
- Kleindienst's confirmation
- Kissinger's conversations with Congressional committees

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 5:16 pm.

- Hruska
- Ervin's opposition
- Executive privilege
  - Truman, Franklin D. Roosevelt, John .F. Kennedy, Lyndon B. Johnson
- Separation of powers
  - Congressmen
  - Warren E. Burger
- Flanigan's possible statement
- Witnesses' affidavits
  - James O. Eastland
- Harold S. Geneen's conversations
  - President
- Haldeman
  - Connally, Peter Peterson
  - Mitchell, Spiro T. Agnew

The President's schedule

- Jews
  - United Jewish appeal
  - B'nai B'rith
- Kissinger
- William L. Safire
- Burns

ITT case

- Kleindienst's confirmation

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- Congressional hearings
  - Strategy
  - Floor vote
- Michael J. Mansfield's statement, March 28th
- Prospects
- Possible withdrawal
- Erwin N. Griswold
- Kleindienst's possible statement
  - ITT settlement
  - Withdrawal
  - Strategy
- Congressional hearings
- Administration's options
- Democrats' intentions
- Committee's actions
  - Mansfield
- Kleindienst's possible actions
  - Withdrawal
    - Reaction
      - Haldeman's view
  - Scenarios
    - Haldeman's view
      - Continued hearings
      - Vote on the nomination
      - Withdrawal
  - The President's view
  - Connally's view
  - Mansfield
    - National economy
    - Tax reform
- The President's possible actions
- Emoluments for individuals
  - Flanigan, Mitchell, Kleindienst
- San Diego convention
  - Contributions
- San Diego convention
  - Contributions
- Democrats' motives
- Effect of repetition
- Kleindienst's possible actions
- ITT settlement

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- Philip A. Hart
- Dita D. Beard memorandum
- Involvement of Mitchell and Kleindienst
- Hart's possible actions
  - Eastland
- Haldeman's view
  - President's statement
- Mitchell's views
- Robert J. Dole
- Kleindienst's possible actions
- Senate
- Mansfield's possible actions
  - Dole's possible response
- Senate
  - Mansfield
  - Jack N. Anderson
    - The Administration actions
- Committee hearings
  - Eastland, Hart
    - Washington Post, New York Times*
- Alternatives
- Kleindienst
- Alternatives
  - L. Patrick Gray, III
- Kleindienst's possible actions
- Committee hearings
  - Abe Fortas's nomination
    - Lyndon B. Johnson
    - Fortas
- Kleindienst's possible actions
- Unknown man during Dwight D. Eisenhower's administration
- Committee hearings
  - Effect of continuation
    - Television
    - Richard W. McLaren
    - Joseph McCarthy
    - Television
- Kleindienst's possible actions
- Hugh Scott
  - Statement
- Connally's conversation with John Chancellor

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- Joseph C. Kraft
- Senators
  - Hruska
  - Marlow Cook
  - Membership in the committee
- Justice Department
- G. Harrold Carswell, [Clement F. Haynsworth, Jr.]
- William H. Rehnquist, Lewis F. Powell, Jr.

### Leadership in the US

- The President's previous meeting with the General Advisory Committee on Arms Control and Disarmament
  - John J. McCloy
  - Lauris Norstad
  - William W. Scranton
  - The President's view
- Middlesex Club
- Governors
  - Ronald W. Reagan
  - Nelson A. Rockefeller
  - Preston Smith
  - Richard B. Ogilvie
  - Milton J. Shapp
  - John J. Gilligan
  - Reubin O. Askew
  - James E. ("Jimmy") Carter
  - Republican Governors Conference
- William T. Cahill
- Thomas J. Meskill
- Senate
- House of Representatives
  - [Carl B. Albert]
  - [[Thomas] Hale Boggs]
  - Gerald R. Ford
  - Clarence J. Brown
  - James T. Broyhill
  - Elford A. Cederburg
  - Edward J. Derwinski
  - William J. ("Jack") Edwards
  - John N. Erlenborn
  - Louis Frey, Jr.

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- Jack F. Kemp
  - John H. Kyl
  - Robert H. Michel
  - Albert H. Quie
  - William A. Steiger
  - John B. Anderson
  - Barber B. Conable, Jr.
  - Richard H. Poff
  - John J. Rhodes
  - Robert C. ("Bob") Wilson
  - Steiger
  - Kemp
  - Frey
  - Education system
  - Media
  - Vietnam War
  - “Captains of industry”
    - President of General Motors [GM]
    - President of US Steel
  - Cabinet
    - Kleindienst
    - Connally
    - Butz
    - George W. Romney
    - John A. Volpe
    - Elliot L. Richardson
    - Rogers
    - Melvin R. Laird
    - Possible changes
      - Connally’s view
      - Necessity
  - The President’s opponents
    - Wallace
    - John N. Ashbrook, Paul N. (“Pete”) McCloskey, Jr.
  - Kleindienst
- ITT case
- Kleindienst’s confirmation
    - Committee hearings
      - Mansfield
      - Hart, Quentin Burdick, John V. Tunney

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- Hart
- Beard
- Edward M. Kennedy
- Administration's position
- The President's forthcoming press conference
- ITT settlement

Connally left at 5:16 pm.

The President left at 5:16 pm.

The President returned at an unknown time before 5:30 pm.

Connally

- The President's view
- Charles W. Colson

ITT case

- Kleindienst's confirmation
- Administration's position
- Press
- Committee hearings
- Mitchell
- Duration
  - Washington Post*
  - Possible allegations of cover-up
  - Length
  - Strategy

The President talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 5:16 pm and 5:30 pm.

[Conversation No. 327-8A]

[See Conversation No. 22-37]

[End of telephone conversation]

- Haldeman's possible conversations with Colson and MacGregor

Haldeman left at 5:30 pm.



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Conversation No. 327-9

Date: March 28, 1972  
Time: 5:30 pm - 5:31 pm  
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with Stephen B. Bull.

[See Conversation No. 22-38]

Conversation No. 327-10

Date: March 28, 1972  
Time: 5:31 pm - 5:32 pm  
Location: Executive Office Building

Stephen B. Bull talked with the President.

[See Conversation No. 22-39]

Conversation No. 327-11

Date: March 28, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 5:32 pm and 5:48 pm  
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

Briefcase

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Sanchez left at an unknown time before 5:48 pm.