Conversation No. 471-1

Date: March 19, 1971
Time: Unknown between 7:01 pm and 7:03 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with Henry A. Kissinger

President’s schedule
- Meeting with Kissinger

Conversation No. 471-2

Date: March 19, 1971
Time: 7:03 pm - 7:27 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Henry A. Kissinger

Vietnam
- Troop withdrawal
  - President’s conversation with William P. Rogers
    - Forthcoming announcement
    - Kissinger’s previous conversation with Rogers
    - Forthcoming announcement
    - Number
      - Forthcoming announcement
  - Effect on South Vietnamese
  - Timing
    - Figures
  - General Nguyen Van Thieu
  - Timing
    - Number
  - Rogers
  - Melvin R. Laird
- Potential problems
  - Laird
  - General Creighton W. Abrams, Jr.
    - Ellsworth F. Bunker
-Timing of announcement
-Laird

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1
[Privacy]
[Duration: 6s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

-Abrams and Bunker
-Kissinger’s schedule
-President’s forthcoming trip to California
-Support for President’s position
-Rogers
-Abrams, Laird, and Bunker
-Rogers
-Possible press story
-Bunker
-Laird

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2
[Privacy]
[Duration: 33s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2
- Laird’s position
  - Number
    - Compared with White House position
  - Number
    - Timing of withdrawal
    - President’s goal
- Laird
- Bunker
  - Abrams
  - Thieu
  - Admiral Thomas H. Moorer

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3
[Privacy]
[Duration: 6s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3

-Air strikes
  - Kissinger’s dissatisfaction
  - President
  - Moorer
  - Trucks
    - Lack of visibility
    - Timing
- Troop withdrawal
  - Rogers’s view
    - Laotian operation (Lam Son)
- Laotian operation (Lam Son)
- Possible speech by President
  - Effect on North Vietnamese Army
    - Supplies
    - Sihanoukville [Kompong Som]
- Army of the Republic of Vietnam [ARVN]
  - Withdrawal
-Effect on North Vietnamese Army
  -Kissinger’s analysis
  -Supplies
  -Forthcoming withdrawal announcement
-Possible speech by President
  -Laotian operation (Lam Son) success
  -Forthcoming troop withdrawal
    -Number
    -Timing
    -President’s position
-Thieu
-Anatoliy F. Dobrynin
-US objectives
  -Public opinion
    -North Vietnam
-Troop withdrawals
  -Number
  -Timing
  -Effect on South Vietnam
    -Kissinger’s view
-Negotiations with North Vietnam
  -Effect of troop withdrawals
  -Timing
-Lieutenant General Vernon A. Walters
-Laos operation
  -Effect on North Vietnamese Army
    -Compared with Dien Bien Phu
-North Vietnamese supplies
  -Soviet Union
  -People’s Republic of China [PRC]
  -Effect of Sino-Soviet split

Soviet Union and PRC relations
  -Public pronouncements

Communist world
  -President’s view
  -Kissinger’s view
-Poland
  -Riots
-Aleksei N. Kosygin’s visit to North Vietnam
  -Ho Chi Minh’s funeral
Vietnam
- Possible negotiations
  - President’s view
  - Troop withdrawals
  - Return of Prisoners of War [POWs]
- Troop withdrawals
  - Possible effects
    - US prestige
    - Public opinion
    - Forthcoming Presidential election
- US Air Force
  - Need for strikes
    - Trucks
  - Equipment

President’s schedule
- Camp David

President’s forthcoming speech
- Laos operation (Lam Son)
- Middle East
  - Rogers’ statement
    - Problems
  - Arabs
- Laos operation (Lam Son)
  - ARVN troop withdrawal
  - Howard K. Smith’s forthcoming interview with the President
    - ARVN success
    - Effect on future negotiations
    - Effect on North Vietnamese Army
      - Supplies
        - Compared with previous years
  - Forthcoming Presidential speech
    - Troop withdrawals

Vietnam
- Troop withdrawals
  - Timing of announcement
    - Peace demonstrations
    - Kissinger’s view
  - H. R. (“Bob”) Haldeman
  - Rogers
- Possible lack of announcement
- Events
  - President’s November 3, 1969 Speech
  - Demonstrations
  - Cambodia, Laos
- Laos operation (Lam Son)
  - Media coverage
    - Future debates
- Senate
- President’s forthcoming interview with Smith
- President’s forthcoming speech
  - Effect on North Vietnamese
    - Supplies
    - Casualties
    - Supplies
- Kissinger’s conversation with Henry Hubbard
  - Effect on North Vietnamese troops
    - Supplies
    - Food
    - Ammunition
    - Sihanoukville [Kompong Som], Cambodia
- Compared with German offensives in 1918
  - Effect on ammunition and supplies
- Results
  - Objectives achieved
    - President’s assessment
    - Kissinger’s assessment
- Effect on media coverage
- Possible losses of ARVN forces
  - Compared with North Vietnamese losses
- Objectives
- President’s forthcoming speech
  - Justification for ARVN withdrawal

Kissinger’s schedule
- Camp David

Kissinger left at 7:27 pm
Conversation No. 471-3

Date: March 19, 1971
Time: Unknown between 7:27 pm and 7:30 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with an unknown man

President’s coat

The President and the unknown man left at an unknown time before 7:30 pm

Conversation No. 471-4

Date: March 24, 1971
Time: 9:32 am - 9:47 am
Location: Oval Office

The President with Henry A. Kissinger and Alexander P. Butterfield
[Recording begins while the conversation is in progress]

President’s schedule
- Meeting with Clifford P. Hansen
- Other meetings with Senators
- Louie B. Nunn
- Kissinger’s schedule
  - Luncheon
  - James J. Kilpatrick, Jr. [?]
  - William P. Rogers

Harvard University faculty
- A petition

Items for the President
- Letters

Butterfield left at an unknown time before 9:38 am
President’s television interview
   - Ellsworth F. Bunker’s view
     - Kissinger’s previous conversation with Bunker
     - Reception in Vietnam

Harvard University faculty petition

Vietnam
   - Current situation
   - Moscow Radio
     - Laotian operation (Lam Son)
   - Bunker
   - Forthcoming military action
   - President’s forthcoming speech
     - Timing
     - Kissinger’s assessment
   - An unknown man’s position
   - Effect of media coverage
   - President’s forthcoming speech
     - Tone
   - Liberals’ position

Supersonic Transport [SST]
   - Ecology
   - Soviet Union
   - Environment
   - George Meany
   - A report by President
   - Outcome

H. R. (“Bob”) Haldeman entered at 9:38 am

President’s interview, March 23, 1971
   - Follow-up
     - Public relations efforts
     - Kissinger’s role
       - Meeting with Max Frankel
     - Melvin R. Laird and Rogers’ role
     - Role of departments
       - Public relations efforts
       - A March 25, 1971 meeting
- Senators’ role
- Speeches
  - Robert J. Dole
- Vice President Spiro T. Agnew
- Laird and Rogers’ role
  - Laird’s 3:00 event
- Monday’s speeches
- Dole’s speech
- Al Capp
  - National Association of Broadcasters
- Mailings
- Columns
- Meany’s statement on Vietnam
  - Support for the President
- Agnew
- Possible re-broadcast
  - American Broadcasting Company [ABC]
  - Public Broadcasting Service [PBS]

President’s previous televised interview
  - White House phone poll
    - Ratings
    - Viewership
    - Response
    - Format

Kissinger left at an unknown time before 9:47 am

  - Job approval rating for President
    - Compared with George H. Gallup poll
    - Party alignment

  President’s schedule
    - Hansen

An unknown man entered at an unknown time after 9:38 am

  - Marlow W. Cook and John Sherman Cooper
  - Nunn
    - Whitney M. Young, Jr. memorial

Haldeman and the unknown man left at 9:47 am
Date: March 24, 1971
Time: 9:47 am - 10:02 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Clifford P. Hansen and Clark MacGregor

Supersonic Transport [SST]
- Hansen’s support
  - H. R. (“Bob”) Haldeman, Charles W. Colson
  - Public statements
- President’s televised interview
  - Martha E. (Close) Hansen’s response
- C. P. Hansen’s support
- President’s conversation with James L. Buckley, March 23, 1971
  - President’s position
- Ecology and economy
- Importance to US
  - Soviet Union
- Ecology
  - Buckley
  - Anti-ballistic Missiles [ABM]
  - Dr. Edward E. David, Jr.
  - President’s position
    - Ecological policy
- C. P. Hansen’s support
- President’s position
- Importance
- George Meany
  - Breakfast with President
  - National pride
- Ecology
  - C. P. Hansen’s view
- Local air service
  - Frontier Airlines’ service to Wyoming
    - Current situation
      - Compared with period when C. P. Hansen was governor
    - Jackson, Wyoming
    - Civil Aeronautics Board [CAB]
      - Secor D. Browne
-Cost
  -Compared with local airline service
    -Denver and Salt Lake City
  -Compared with reclamation projects

C. P. Hansen’s public statements
  -SST
    -Previous opposition
      -C. P. Hansen’s concerns
    -Local airline service
      -President’s use of Frontier Airlines
      -Possible White House action
      -Casper-to-Billings service
      -Sheridan service
        -President’s visit
    -Importance to constituents
      -C. P. Hansen’s opposition
  -SST
    -Importance of meeting with President
    -C. P. Hansen’s talks with other Senators
    -Importance of meeting with President
    -C. P. Hansen’s opposition

SST
  -Under secretary of Interior job
    -Senate Committee on Interior
      -C. P. Hansen, Gordon L. Allott, B. Everett Jordan
    -President’s position
    -C. P. Hansen’s position
      -1972 election
      -Public statements
        -President and MacGregor’s experience in Congress
      -Previous support for President
    -Local airline service
      -Wyoming
        -President’s assurances
BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2
[Personal Returnable]
[Duration: 25s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

SST
-C. P. Hansen’s position
-Public statements to constituents

C. P. Hansen left at 10:02 am

-Forthcoming meeting of President and Peter H. Dominick

MacGregor left at 10:02 am

Date: March 24, 1971
Time: Unknown between 10:02 am and 10:05 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Clark MacGregor

President’s schedule
- Meeting with Peter H. Dominick

MacGregor left at an unknown time before 10:05 am
Conversation No. 471-7

Date: March 24, 1971
Time: 10:05 am - 10:43 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Peter H. Dominick and Clark MacGregor

Greetings

President’s previous conversation with MacGregor

Supersonic Transport [SST]
- Current count in Senate
  - Hubert H. Humphrey
  - George Meany
  - Previous conversation with the President
- Margaret Chase Smith
  - A letter from the President to Smith
  - Portsmouth, New Hampshire naval facility

An unknown person entered at an unknown time after 10:05 am

Refreshment order

The unknown person left at an unknown time before 10:43 am

Ernest F. (“Fritz”) Hollings [?]

A letter signed by the President

Kenneth E. BeLieu’s schedule

A letter signed by the President concerning Portsmouth, New Hampshire
- Campaign promise
- Norris Cotton
- Smith
- George D. Aiken
- Louis C. Wyman

Dominick’s March 23, 1971 meeting with the President
- Future series of meetings
- Robert C. ("Bob") Wilson [?], Robert J. Dole
- Charles H. Percy

President’s interview with Howard K. Smith
- Cotton’s comments
- Access to the President
- Consultation with Congress

Columns
- A personal secretary

Republican leadership meeting
- A leak
  - H. Allen Smith
  - Possible solutions
  - Problems
  - Dominick’s concerns
  - Dominick’s notetaking

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1
[Personal Returnable]
[Duration: 3m 56s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

Environment
- William H. Chisholm
  - Relations with Dominick
  - Former president of Rockford Paper Company
  - Ethyl Corporation plant in Maine
    - Operations
    - Environmental Protection Agency [EPA] study
      - Results
      - Injunction
      - Violation of Clean Water Act
- Justice and Interior Departments
  - Walter J. Hickel
    - Call from Dominick
  - Walter L. Cronkite, Jr. story
- Court action
- Plant closing
- Hickel’s statements concerning Kennebec River
  - Pollution
- DuPont research on nitrilotriacetic acid [NTA] chemical
- Unleaded gasoline
- American and/or General Motors
- Department of Health, Education, and Welfare [HEW] action
  - Hickel
  - Relations with Dominick
- Congress
  - Legislation
- Administration position
  - White House staff
  - President’s position
- Business
  - Procter and Gamble
- Movement supporters
  - President’s view
  - Florida barge canal
    - Letter-writing campaigns
    - White House staff action
- Alaskan pipeline
  - President’s position
    - Location
  - Rogers C. B. Morton’s position
  - Opponents’ position
  - Hickel
  - Possible action
    - John N. Mitchell
- Location
  - President’s position
  - Canadian alternative
- SST
  - Opponents
  - Position
    - Danger of cancer
- Legitimate environmental issues
  - Water
- Business
  - Oil and manufacturing industry
    - Effect
  - Automobile industry
    - Effect
- Chisholm
  - Administration action
    - Bureaucracy
      - Interior Department
- Future action by Dominick and White House
- Movement supporters
  - Position
- Resources
  - Use
    - The West
  - Alaska
  - Florida
  - Colorado
    - Views of Colorado residents
      - SST
- SST
  - Polls
    - Public opinion

Farm reorganization
- A luncheon, March 23, 1971
  - Milton R. Young
    - Department of Agriculture
    - Farmers
    - Farm vote in 1972
      - Support for the Administration
- Agriculture Department
  - Farmers’ view
  - School lunch program and farm surplus
    - Pork
    - Publicity
- Public relations
  - Dominick’s view
    - Need for better publicity
Vice President Spiro T. Agnew
-Relations with press
-Relations with youth
  -Credibility problems
  -Speeches by Agnew
-Relations with press
-Dominick’s view
  -Agnew’s speeches
  -Press attacks
-1972 election
-Relations with youth
  -Dominick’s children
-Fundraising
-Relations with youth
  -1972 election
-An unknown person’s suggestion to Dominick
-Jack N. Anderson

Republican leadership meetings with President
-Cotton
-President’s style
  -Decision-making
  -Congressional briefings
  -Input from Congress
- Scope
-Gordon L. Allott
  -Suggestions for changes
-President’s programs
  -Republican support
-Leaders’ relations with constituents
  -Walter F. Mondale, Gaylord Nelson
President’s March 23, 1971 meeting with mayors
   - *Washington Post*
   - Picture
   - Three Democrat mayors
   - Statements on Edmund S. Muskie
   - Joseph Alioto

An unknown man

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2
[Personal Returnable]
[Duration: 30s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

Vietnam War
   - Possible action
   - Effect on future
     - 1972
   - Hue

Economy
   - Stock market
     - Current and future levels
   - President’s view
     - Targets
   - Money supply
     - Milton Friedman’s prediction
       - Summer and fall 1972
   - Stock market
     - Effect
     - Levels
Dominick and MacGregor left at 10:43 am

Date: March 24, 1971
Time: Unknown between 10:43 am and 10:45 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull

President’s schedule
- Louie B. Nunn
- Harry F. Byrd, Jr.

Bull left at an unknown time before 10:45 am

Date: March 24, 1971
Time: 10:45 am - 10:55 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Harry F. Byrd, Jr. and William E. Timmons
Greetings

A filibuster
   -Michael J. (“Mike”) Mansfield’s statement
   -Southern senators
   -William Proxmire

Supersonic Transport [SST]
   -Byrd’s statements
     -Byrd’s position
       -Fiscal concerns
       -Private sector role
     -Importance
       -President’s view
       -Space program, industry comparison
         -Technology innovation
       -US position as a power
         -Leadership
         -President’s view
     -Economic and environmental considerations
       -President’s view
     -Importance
       -American competition with Soviet Union, France
       -National defense
       -US prestige
   -Byrd’s position
     -Opposition
     -Cost to government
     -Environment
     -Public statements
     -President’s view
       -Need for Senate support
         -Byrd

Vietnam
   -Byrd’s view
   -President’s critics
   -Forthcoming troop withdrawal announcement
   -Laotian operation (Lam Son)
     -Army of the Republic of Vietnam [ARVN]
       -Withdrawal
       -Enemy losses
-President’s actions
  -Troop withdrawals
    -Forthcoming announcement
    -American troops
    -Decreases
  -Byrd’s position
  -Effect
  -Byrd’s statements
  -Effect
    -Middle East
  -Support for Administration actions

SST
  -President’s position

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2
[Personal Returnable]
[Duration: 18s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

Byrd and Timmons left at 10:55 am

Conversation No. 471-10

Date: March 24, 1971
Time: 10:56 am - 11:15 am
Location: Oval Office

Jack Miller met with Clark MacGregor

President’s location
Miller’s schedule
- A meeting on trade and European Economic Community [EEC]
  - Citrus issue
  - Pesticides
- A meeting with Henry A. Kissinger
- A meeting with the President

Supersonic Transport [SST]
- President’s position
- Economy, jobs

The President entered at an unknown time after 10:56 am

President’s schedule

Taxes

An unknown person entered at an unknown time after 10:56 am

Refreshments

The unknown person left at an unknown time before 11:15 am

SST
- March 24, 1971 vote
  - Tally
  - Miller’s statement to press
  - Margaret Chase Smith
  - David H. Gambrell
    - Richard B. Russell’s successor
  - Herman E. Talmadge
    - Position
  - Gambrell
    - Meeting with Henry M. (‘‘Scoop’’) Jackson
    - Relation with John Sherman Cooper
    - Position
    - Meeting with Jackson
- President’s position
- Environmental concerns
- Economy
  - DC-6 production in Great Britain
  - Boeing
-Government role
  -Subsidy
-Importance
  -President’s view
  -Exploring the unknown
    -Space program
      -President’s position
      -Satellites
      -Computer technology
  -US prestige
    -National interest
    -Communists
    -Miller’s view
    -History
      -French, British, Spanish empires
    -US leadership
    -President’s position
    -Miller’s view
  -Effect on economy or ecology
    -Development of prototypes
      -Miller’s view
    -John A. Volpe’s statement
-Government and private sector role
  -Investment
-Benefits
  -London-to-Paris flights
  -Tokyo
  -Compared to costs
  -Economic issues
  -Future
-Use
  -Military and commercial aviation
-US position in aviation
  -Barry M. Goldwater
-Political considerations
  -Miller
  -George S. McGovern
  -Miller’s opponent, John C. Culver
    -Edward M. (“Ted”) Kennedy connection
  -Possible effects of Miller’s SST vote
    -Culver
- American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations
  [AFL-CIO] support
  - Kennedy
  - Miller’s previous SST vote
  - Constituent response
  - Miller’s position
  - Opposition
  - Compared with President’s votes while Congressman
  - Cost and benefit analysis
  - Soviet Union
  - Cost and benefit analysis
  - An unnamed Miami friend of Miller’s
  - Possible alternative use of money
    - Education
    - Iowa constituents
    - State government experiences
  - Political considerations
    - Pairing
      - Karl E. Mundt
    - Iowa constituent reactions
      - Effect on Miller
    - Culver
    - Miller’s previous statements
      - Opposition
    - Clifford P. Hansen
      - Possible 1972 opponent
      - Voting record
    - Pairing
      - B. Everett Jordan
      - Health
      - Procedures
        - Absences
        - Jordan
      - Mundt, Hansen
BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1
[Personal Returnable]
[Duration: 39s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

1972 issues
   -Economy
   -Vietnam War

SST vote
   -Miller’s position
   -President

Miller and MacGregor left at 11:15 am

Conversation No. 471-11

Date: March 24, 1971
Time: 11:16 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull

   President’s schedule
      -John Sherman Cooper
      -Location

Bull left at 11:16 am
Date: March 24, 1971
Time: 11:16 am - 11:25 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Louie B. Nunn, Whitney M. Young, Sr., James D. Hodgson, Dr. Arthur A. Fletcher, and Robert J. Brown

Greetings

Young and family
  - Background
  - Work with a school

Arrangements for photo

Members of the press entered at an unknown time after 11:16 am

[Unintelligible]

Members of the press left at an unknown time before 11:25 am

Whitney M. Young, Jr. ’s work

W. M. Young, Sr.

A school
  - Vocational training
    - Fletcher
    - Importance
    - Jobs, skills
    - Blacks
      - Opportunities
        - Occupations
        - Training
      - An unnamed boy

Gifts

President’s schedule
Nunn

Farewells

Nunn, et al. left at 11:25 am

Date: March 24, 1971
Time: 11:26 am - 11:37 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Joseph H. Blatchford, Carol M. Khosrovi, and George P. Shultz

Greetings

Arrangements for photo

Government reorganization
- President’s speech in Nebraska
- Peace Corps, Volunteers in Service to America [VISTA]
- Benefits
- Publicity
- Teaching Corps
- Congress
  - Possible legislation
- Administration’s actions
- Peace Corps
  - Office of Education
  - Dr. Sidney P. Marland, Jr.
- Teaching Corps
  - Peace Corps
  - Service
- Members
- Elliot L. Richardson
- Marland
- Office of Economic Opportunity [OEO]
  - Headstart, Job Corps, VISTA
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-Future
- Shultz’s view

Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 11:26 am

Press photograph

Government reorganization
- Chet Holifield

Arrangements for photo

Members of the press entered at an unknown time after 11:26 am

Arrangements for photo

[Unintelligible]

Members of the press left at an unknown time before 11:37 am

Weather
- Tulips
- August, March

Youth
- Administration’s policy
- Blatchford’s trip to Northwestern University
- Opinions
  - Outlook
- Vietnam War
  - Draft

Gifts

Blatchford, et al. left at 11:37 am
Conversación No. 471-14

Fecha: 24 de marzo de 1971
Hora: 11:37 am
Lugar: Oval Office

Presidente se reunió con Alexander P. Butterfield

- Programa del presidente
  - John A. Scali
  - Ceremonia de firma

Butterfield se fue a las 11:37 am

Conversación No. 471-15

Fecha: 24 de marzo de 1971
Hora: 11:38 am - 11:43 am
Lugar: Oval Office


- Introducciones
- Arreglos para foto

Un fotógrafo entró a una hora indeterminada después de las 11:38 am

[Conversación general]

El fotógrafo se fue a una hora indeterminada antes de las 11:43 am

- Presentación al Presidente
- Consejo Internacional Deporte Militar
- Fotografía de prensa
Members of the press entered at an unknown time after 11:38 am

[Unintelligible]

Members of the press left at an unknown time before 11:43 am

Gifts

Council’s work
  -Presentation
  -Role of military

Massarini, et al. left at 11:43 am

[Butterfield remained in the Oval Office]

President’s schedule
  -Signing of proclamation
  -United Service Organization [USO] day

Butterfield left at 11:43 am

Date: March 24, 1971
Time: 11:44 am - 11:50 am
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with Charles W. Colson [?]

[Conversation No. 471-16A]

President’s schedule
  -Meeting with John A. Scali
    -Length, location
      -Choir tour

[End of telephone conversation]
The President met with Harvey Firestone, General Emmett O’Donnell, Jr., and George T. Bell at 11:44 am

Greetings

[General conversation]

Arrangement for photo

A photographer entered at an unknown time after 11:44 am

[General conversation]

The photographer left at an unknown time before 11:50 am

Signing of proclamation

O’Donnell’s previous position
  -Military aide
  -Bell’s association

Signature

Presentation to President of a photo
  -Nixon Library

Leslie T. (“Bob”) Hope
  -Call from President
  -Work for United Service Organization [USO]
    -Criticism by New York religious leaders
    -Attitudes toward military

Gifts

President’s work

Gifts

Photo

Firestone, et al. left at 11:50 am
Conversation No. 471-17

Date: March 24, 1971
Time: 11:50 am - 11:51 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull

President’s schedule
   -Forthcoming meeting
     -Charles R. Larson

Gold cufflinks

Bull left at 11:51 am

Conversation No. 471-18

Date: March 24, 1971
Time: 11:51 am - 11:54 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Commander Craig S. Campbell, Charles R. Larson, and Major General James D. (“Don”) Hughes; a photographer was present at the beginning of the meeting

Introductions

Larson’s career
   -forthcoming assignment

Arrangements for photos

Larson’s new assignment
   -San Diego, San Clemente
     -Submarines

Hughes
   -Submarines
Gifts

President’s appreciation

Campbell, et al. left at 11:54 am

Conv. No. 471-19

Date: March 24, 1971
Time: Unknown between 11:54 am and 11:58 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield

President’s schedule
   - Creston High School Choir

Butterfield left at an unknown time before 11:58 am

Conv. No. 471-20

Date: March 24, 1971
Time: Unknown between 11:54 am and 11:58 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield

President’s schedule
   - Creston High School Choir
      - Selections
      - Tour of Oval Office

The President left at an unknown time before 11:58 am
Date: March 24, 1971
Time: Unknown between 11:54 am and 11:58 am
Location: Oval Office

Alexander P. Butterfield met with Gerald R. Ford

[Unintelligible]

The President entered at an unknown time after 11:54 am

Weather

The President and Ford left at 11:58 am

Date: March 24, 1971
Time: Unknown between 11:58 am and 12:10 pm
Location: Oval Office

Unknown men [Secret Service agents?] met

[Unintelligible]

The unknown men [Secret Service agents?] left at an unknown time before 12:10 pm

Date: March 24, 1971
Time: 12:10 pm - 12:12 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield
Conv. No. 471-23 (cont.)

President’s schedule
- Charles W. Colson and John A. Scali
- Location

Creston High School Choir
- Gifts
- Tour

Butterfield left at 12:10 pm

Conversation No. 471-24

Date: March 24, 1971
Time: 12:12 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield

President’s schedule

The President and Butterfield left at 12:12 pm

Conversation No. 471-25

Date: Unknown between March 24 and March 25, 1971
Time: Unknown between 12:12 pm, March 24 and 8:30 am, March 25, 1971
Location: Oval Office

An unknown man [Secret Service agent?] entered

President’s location

Unknown people entered at an unknown time after 12:12 pm

President’s location

Recording was cut off at an unknown time before 8:30 am, March 25, 1971