Conversation No. 797-1

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: Unknown between 9:37 am and 9:44 am
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with the White House operator.

[See Conversation No. 31-36]

Conversation No. 797-2

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: 9:44 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield.

The President's schedule
- Meeting with H.R. (“Bob”) Haldeman

Butterfield left at 9:44 am.

Conversation No. 797-3

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: 9:44 am - 9:47 am
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with Raymond K. Price, Jr.

[Conversation No. 797-3A]

[See Conversation No. 31-37]
H.R. ("Bob") Haldeman entered at an unknown time after 9:44 am.

[End of telephone conversation]

Education speech

The President's schedule

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1
[Personal returnable]
[Duration: _6m 57s_]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

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Campaign practices
-George S. McGovern
  -Vietnam veteran
  -Recording on radio
    -Henry A. Kissinger
    -Vietnam speech, October 10, 1972
    -Anonymous phone call
      -Use by McGovern
      -McGovern’s appearance at the University of Minnesota
        -Staging
        -Press coverage
    -Vote fraud accusations

Campaign practices
-Edmund S. Muskie fund-raising dinner hoax
  -[African] ambassadors
  -Demonstrators
    -Republican National Convention
  -[Arnold] Eric Sevareid
  -Response to charges
Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 9:47 am.

The President's schedule
- Meeting with members of the Pay Board

Bull left at an unknown time before 10:05 am.

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2
[Personal returnable]
[Duration: 1m 35s ]
END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

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Watergate
- Source of information
  - FBI
  - Justice Department's Criminal Division
  - Grand Jury
  - John W. Dean, III

Haldeman left at 10:05 am.

Conversation No. 797-34

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: Unknown between 10:06 am and 10:51 am
Location: Oval Office


  The President’s location
  - Cabinet Room

An unknown agent talked with an unknown person at an unknown time between 10:06 am and 10:51 am.

[Conversation No. 797-34A]

  The President’s location
  - Cabinet Room

[End of telephone conversation]

[Unintelligible]
Conversation No. 797-4

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: 10:51 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield.

Rough draft of the President’s Radio Address on Crime and Drug Abuse, October 15, 1972
- The President’s schedule

Butterfield left at 10:51 am.

Conversation No. 797-5

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: 10:51 am - 11:17 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with John D. Ehrlichman.

Water bill
- Edmund S. Muskie
  - Congressional schedule
  - Letter to the President
    - Pocket veto
      - Layoffs possibility
      - Continuing resolution
    - Spending as discretionary
  - Spending as discretionary
  - House of Representatives
  - Senate
    - Muskie
    - Speech
    - Letter
-Veto possibility
  -Override
  -Pocket
-Length of Congressional session
  -House Resolution [HR] 1
  -William E. Timmons's view
    -HR 1
    -Debt ceiling bill
  -Leslie C. Arends
    -House of Representatives
  -Michael J. Mansfield
  -Carl B. Albert
    -Deadline
  -Timmons’s view
    -HR 1, debt ceiling bill, continuing resolution

HR 1
  -Social Security changes (Titles I, II and III)
    -Impact on payroll taxes, budget deficit
      -Amount of net increase
  -Possibility of veto
    -Department of Health, Education, and Welfare [HEW]
    -Pocket

Water bill
  -Possibility of signing
    -Ehrlichman’s and Timmons’s view
  -Mandatory spending
    -Tax increase
  -Justice Department
  -Budget
  -Political implications
    -Possible veto
    -Discretionary spending provisions
      -Possible action taken
      -Legislative history

Ronald L. Ziegler entered at 10:58 am.

The President's schedule
  -The President's Radio Address on Crime and Drug Abuse, October 15, 1972
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Tape Subject Log
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- Announcement
  - Text
  - Timing
- Vietnam negotiations
  - Henry A. Kissinger’s staff

Ziegler left at 11:00 am.

Water bill
- Veto possibility
  - HR 1
- Discretionary spending provisions
  - Cities
- Ehrlichman’s and Rogers C.B. Morton’s schedules
  - Issues and Answers television [TV] program
- Budget impact
  - Possible raising of taxes
- Veto message
- Discretionary spending provisions
  - Possible congressional actions
    - Anti-ballistic missiles [ABMs]
    - Office of Management and Budget [OMB]
- Veto possibility
  - Low-key approach
    - Ehrlichman and Morton [appearance on Issues and Answers]
    - Announcement

Arthur F. Burns
- Spending ceiling bill
  - Russell B. Long
    - Senate Finance Committee
- Trip to Japan
  - Taiwan, Republic of China
    - Kissinger
    - US economic policy
- Wendell Wyatt, Henry C. Bellmon memoranda

H.R. 56
- Veto possibility
- Timber land purchases
- Congressional relations
  - Staff efforts
Consumer protection

Spending ceiling bill
  -Cloture
  -Hubert H. Humphrey
  -Leonard B. (“Len”) Jordan’s schedule
  -The President’s October 12, 1972 breakfast meeting and meeting with Senate leaders
  -Wilbur D. Mills
    -Conference
      -The President’s actions
      -Possible vetoes
      -Water bill
  -Water bill
    -The President's October 12, 1972 meeting with Senators
  -Long
    -The President’s telephone call to the Senators

Presidential power

1972 campaign
  -Election prospects
    -South
  -George S. McGovern
  -Daniel J. Evans
    -Washington state
    -Albert D. Rossellini
      -Similarities to the President’s positions
        -Property taxes, government power
          -Fiscal conservatism
  -Income tax
  -Second term
    -Tone
      -National defense, peace, honor, justice, revenue sharing
  -Welfare
    -Public opinion
      -Busing
        -Racism
        -Crystallization of national attitude
          -Compared to 1969
          -Family Assistance Plan [FAP]
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Tape Subject Log
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-Congress’ involvement
-The President’s recent trip to Atlanta
-George P. Shultz
-Civilian contract services
-Youth Conservation Corps
-Compared to Civilian Conservation Corps [CCC]
-Henry M. (“Scoop”) Jackson
-Possible signing
-OMB
-Cost
-Ghettos
-Need for positive programs
-The President’s constituencies
-Ethnic groups
-Blacks
-South
-North
-Midwesterners, westerners
-Hippies
-McGovern as issue
-Stance on issues
-National defense, the flag, honor, decency, morality
-Atlanta
-Amnesty, patriotism
-South
-Moral, spiritual beliefs
-Moral, spiritual beliefs
-Midwest
-Upper New York
-California
-Ethnic groups
-Catholics
-Tenor of the times
-William F. (“Billy”) Graham
-Fundamentalism
-Permissiveness, anti-Americanism
-George Meany and Eugenia (McMahon) Meany
-McGovern
-Foreign policy, lifestyle, patriotism
-Supporters
-Atlanta
-College students
The President met with Joe D. Waggonner, Jr., Richard K. Cook, and Helmut (“Hal”) Sonnenfeldt. The White House photographer and members of the press were present at the beginning of the meeting.

Waggonner’s forthcoming trip to Romania

Photograph session
-Press

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1
[Personal returnable]
[Duration: __45s__]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1
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Bucharest
-People
-Mediterranean Sea people
Waggonner’s status as the President’s representative to the Bucharest Trade Fair

- The President’s recommendations
  - Trade status
    - Most Favored Nation [MFN]
    - Cooperation from Congress
  - Economy
    - Josef V. Stalinist system
    - Foreign policy
      - Independence
      - Yugoslavia
- Waggonner’s schedule
  - Market
    - Conveying the President’s well wishes
    - Reception for the President
- The President’s meetings with Ceausescu in 1967 and 1969
- Romanian people
  - As “Iron Curtain States Righters”
  - Ceausescu
- Congress
  - Carl D. Perkins, John H. Dent
    - Minimum wage legislation
- Gifts for Romanians
  - Protocol staff
  - Value
- MFN status
  - Corneliu Bogdan
    - Wilbur Mills
      - House Ways and Means Committee
      - Trade bill status in Congress
      - Post-1972 election
      - Commitment from the President
      - Soviet Union
- Josep Broz Tito
  - Policies
    - Level of economic success
    - Hotels, bottling plants
- Compared with Romania
- Hard currency
- US involvement
  - Chase Manhattan
  - American metals
- Romanian trading commodities
- Raw materials
- MFN status
- US perception of communist nations
- Definition
  - Romania
  - Soviet Union
  - Europe
  - Japan
  - Latin America
  - Origin of term
    - 19th century
  - Removal of discrimination
  - Congress
  - Czechoslovakia
  - Soviet Union, Romania
    - US relations
  - Japan
  - Western Europe
  - Latin America
  - Africa
  - Tariffs

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3
[Personal returnable]
[Duration: ___17s___]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3

Gifts for Romanians
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Tape Subject Log
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- Quality and type of gift
  - Glass, silver
  - Bow pins, tie pins
  - Jack N. Anderson
    - View of Waggonner

Gifts for Waggonner
  - Cuff links
  - Pin

Debt ceiling bill

Arthur F. Burns
  - Trip to Japan

1972 campaign
  - Waggonner
    - Support for the President
  - George S. McGovern
    - Cambodia, Laos
      - North Vietnam
  - North Vietnam
    - South Vietnam
    - Bombing
  - Demonstrators
    - Security for the President
      - James O. Eastland’s view
  - Louisiana
    - Waggonner
      - Senate
      - Ways and Means Committee
  - Ben C. Toledano
    - David C. Treen
  - The President's schedule
  - Waggonner’s schedule
    - Romania
      - United States Information Agency [USIA]

Waggonner, Cook and Sonnenfeldt left at 11:40 am.
Conversation No. 797-7

Date: October 13, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 11:40 am and 11:43 am  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

H.R. (“Bob”) Haldeman's schedule

Bull left at an unknown time before 11:43 am.

Conversation No. 797-8

Date: October 13, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 11:40 am and 11:43 am  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

H.R. (“Bob”) Haldeman's schedule
   -Barber

Charles W. Colson's schedule

Ronald L. Ziegler's schedule
   -Briefing

Bull left at an unknown time before 11:43 am.

Conversation No. 797-9

Date: October 13, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 11:40 am and 11:43 am  
Location: Oval Office
The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

Ronald L. Ziegler's schedule
-Briefing

Charles W. Colson's schedule

Bull left at 11:43 am.

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: 11:43 am - 11:45 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield.

The President’s Radio Address on Crime and Drug Abuse, October 15, 1972
-Copies
  -Egil G. (“Bud”) Krogh, Jr.
  -James S. Copley meeting
    -Timing of delivery to the President

The President’s signing

Butterfield left at 11:45 am.

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: 11:45 am - 12:02 pm
Location: Oval Office
The President met with Ronald L. Ziegler.

Press relations
- Possible press conference
  - Clark R. Mollenhoff
    - Recent press conference
      - Invitation

Charles W. Colson entered at 11:46 am.

- Watergate
  - Ziegler’s knowledge
    - Questions from Mollenhoff
      - Committee to Re-elect the President [CRP]
  - Mollenhoff’s story
    - Denial
- Possible press conference
  - The President’s view
    - Chicago
  - Mollenhoff
  - Philip Potter
    - Atlanta
  - 1972 election
    - Chicago
  - Chicago
    - Announcement of trip
      - Timing
- Watergate
  - Double standard on campaign practices
    - White paper
      - Preparation
    - Democratic party activities
      - [Flyers from] Berkeley [office]
    - Telephone calls from Los Angeles office
    - Republican National Convention
    - Richard (“Dick”) Tuck

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1
[Personal returnable]
Ziegler left at 11:53 am.

Vietnam
- Statements by the President
- Possible press conference
- US allies
- George S. McGovern
  - Minnesota television [TV] appearance
    - Question and answer [Q & A] answer
  - US troops
    - Asia
      - Turkey
      - Israel
      - US Jews
      - New York
        - Rita E. Hauser
      - Thailand
- McGovern
  - Use of tape in campaign
    - News summary
    - Media coverage
      - Jerry Williams
        - Colson’s view
          - Boston
        - Radio station
  - Possibility of fraud
    - Federal Communication Commission [FCC]
      - Warnings from the administration
    - Comparison with Ku Klux Klan [KKK] charge

1972 campaign
- Media and press relations
  - McGovern
  - Sabotage charges
Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 11:53 am.

The President's schedule
- Utility workers group
- Cabinet Room size

Bull left at an unknown time before 12:02 pm.

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2
[Personal returnable]
[Duration: ___1m 30s__]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2
Colson left at 12:02 pm.

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Date: October 13, 1972
Time: 12:02 pm - 12:20 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Donald F. Rodgers, Willie J. Usery, Jr., Harold T. Rigley, James Joy, Jr., Patrick Gallager, C.J. Luciano, and Valentine Murphy. The White House photographer and members of the press were present at the beginning of the meeting.

Greetings and introductions
- New York

[Photograph session]

Utility Workers Union of America [UWUA]
- Canadians
- Democrats
- Murphy
  - Central Labor Council-Boston
    - American Federation of Labor-Congress of Industrial Organizations [AFL-CIO]
- Presidential cuff links
  - The President’s meeting at Waldorf Astoria
- Gifts for wives
- Endorsement of the President
  - Union membership
    - Minorities
  - New York
  - President’s appreciation
  - Support from the President
- Goals of President
  - Jobs
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Tape Subject Log
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-Construction trades
  -Nuclear industry
    -San Clemente
    -Environmentalists
      -Fishing lakes
      -Suit

[General conversation]

- The President's acquaintances
  - Eugene McGovern
    - Death
      - 1968 election
  - Barry Griffin
    - Consolidated Edison [Con Ed]
    - Golf
      - 1966-67
    - Construction
      - Bernard E. Gallagher
        - Retirement
  - Golf balls
    - Frank E. Fitzsimmons
    - Executive Board
    - George Meany
  - Golf
    - Puerto Rico
    - Laurance S. Rockefeller
  - Putting
    - Ben Hogan
    - Sam Snead
    - The President’s game
      - 1972 election

UWUA
- Usery, Rodgers
  - 1972 campaign
- Usery
  - Role in settling postal strikes
    - Fitzsimmons
    - California
- Airline strike
  - Pilots
Conversation No. 797-13

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: Unknown between 12:20 pm and 12:22 pm
Location: Oval Office
The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

The President's schedule
- Meeting with Bobby Thomson, Ralph Branca, Claire (Hodgson) Ruth
  - [Tony Butrico]
- Photograph session
- Gift presentation
  - Golf balls

Bull left at an unknown time before 12:22 pm.

Conversation No. 797-14

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: 12:22 pm - 12:40 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Claire (Hodgson) Ruth, Bobby Thomson, Ralph Branca, and Henry C. Cashen, II. The White House photographer and members of the press were present at the beginning of the meeting.

Greetings
- 1954

Thomson’s pennant-winning home run in 1951 New York Giants-Brooklyn Dodgers National League playoff game
  - The President’s reminiscence

[Photograph session]
- Baseball
  - Giants-Dodgers rivalry
  - Johnny Mize
  - Ty Cobb
    - George H. (“Babe”) Ruth
- The President's reminiscences
  - Thelma C. (“Pat”) Nixon
    - Autographs
Baseball
 - The President’s television [TV] viewing
 - The President’s letter from baseball fans
   - Football
   - TV
 - Los Angeles Dodgers
 - San Francisco Giants
 - Washington Senators
   - Texas
 - Herb Taney [sp?]

Mr. and Mrs. Harry O'Donnell and Tony Butrico entered at 12:24 pm.

Greetings
 - Harry O'Donnell

[Photograph session]

Baseball
 - Walter Johnson
 - Sports figures
   - Off the field characteristics
   - Drugs
   - Patriotism
     - The President’s view
     - Sports as a metaphor for life
 - John Roosevelt (“Jackie”) Robinson
   - 1947
 - Joseph McCarthy
 - Mickey Lolich and Carl M. Yastrzemski
   - Previous visit with the President
 - Vision
 - Thomson’s home run
   - Strike count

The President's athletic experience

Gift presentation
 - Cuff links
   - Presidential seal
 - Pin
   - Presidential seal
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Tape Subject Log
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-Golf balls
  -Presidential seal
  -Vice President Spiro T. Agnew

Places of residence of Thompson, Branca, and Claire Ruth
  -New York
    -White Plains
    -Plainfield
    -Manhattan

Baseball
  -Home run record
    -Claire Ruth’s age
    -Death
      -“Babe” Ruth
    -Henry L. (“Hank”) Aaron
      -Age
      -At bats
  -“Babe” Ruth
    -As a pitcher
    -Boston Red Sox
    -Win-loss record
    -1933
    -Pat Summerall
  -Branca
  -Robert W. A. (“Bob”) Feller
  -Christy Mathewson
  -Babe Ruth
    -Aaron
  -1932 World Series
  -Charlie Root
    -Chicago Cubs
    -Los Angeles Angels
    -Ruth’s “called shot” home run
      -Veracity of story
        -Norman Vincent Peale
  -1927 New York Yankees
  -Babe Ruth
  -Earle Combs
  -Lou Gehrig
  -Bob Meusel
  -Tony Lazzeri
"Murderers Row"

Claire Ruth
- Expression of support
  - Mrs. Nixon
- TV appearance

Thompson and Branca
- Size
  - Baseball players
  - Football players
    - Larry Brown
    - Washington Redskins
      - Compared to past football players

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1
[Personal returnable]
[Duration: 1m 14s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

Claire Ruth et al. left at 12:40 pm.

Conversation No. 797-15

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: Unknown between 12:40 pm and 12:45 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.
Ralph Branca and Bobby Thompson
  - Age and size
  - Bull’s experience
  - Ebbetts Field
  - New York Giants-Brooklyn Dodgers rivalry

The President's schedule

Bull left at an unknown time before 12:45 pm.

Manolo Sanchez entered and left at an unknown time before 12:45 pm.

Conversation No. 797-16

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: Unknown between 12:45 pm and 3:00 pm
Location: Oval Office

An unknown man [Secret Service agent] talked with an unknown person at an unknown time between 12:45 pm and 3:00 pm.

[Conversation No. 797-16A]

[Unintelligible]

[End of telephone conversation]

An unknown man [Secret Service agent] talked with an unknown person at an unknown time between 12:45 pm and 3:00 pm.

[Conversation No. 797-16B]

[Unintelligible]

An unknown man [Secret Service agent] talked with an unknown person at an unknown time between 12:45 pm and 3:00 pm.

[Conversation No. 797-16C]
Conversation No. 797-17

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: Unknown between 3:00 and 3:05 p.m.
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with an unknown person.

The President's schedule
- Unknown person's schedule

Conversation No. 797-18

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: 3:05 pm - 4:03 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with H.R. ("Bob") Haldeman.
[John B. Connally’s television [TV] appearance]
  -George S. McGovern
  -Defense plan
    -Patrick J. Buchanan
    -George E. Christian
    -Henry A. Kissinger
  -Tone
  -John F. Kennedy
  -Franklin D. Roosevelt
  -Henry M. ("Scoop") Jackson
  -Hubert H. Humphrey
  -Harry S. Truman
  -Dwight D. Eisenhower
  -Israel
  -Defense
  -The President’s handshake with Chou En-lai
  -Peking

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2
[Personal returnable]
[Duration: 4m 53s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

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-Truman Doctrine
  -1947 vote on Greece-Turkey aid bill
    -Congressional Record
      -Carey Estes Kefauver
      -Eugene J. Keogh
      -Kennedy
      -Lyndon B. Johnson
      -The President as Congressman
BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3
[Personal returnable]
[Duration: 1m 25s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3

Vietnam negotiations
- Status
- The President’s recent conversation with Kissinger
  - Obstacles to settlement
    - Nguyen Van Thieu
    - North Vietnamese
      - Le Duc Tho

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO.
[Personal returnable]
[Duration: 19m 21s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 5

Kissinger entered at 3:35 pm.

Vietnam negotiations
- William H. Sullivan
  - Contributions
  - National League of Families of prisoners of war [POWs]
-Speaking invitation
  -McGovern
-The President
-Kissinger’s schedule
  -Paris
-Spiro T. Agnew
-William P. Rogers
-Brig. Gen. Daniel (“Chappie”) James, Jr.
-Adm. John S. McCain, Jr.
-R. Sargent Shriver
  -Speech
    -Charge against the administration
    -Kissinger’s trips
-National League of Families
  -The President
  -1971
  -McGovern
    -Debate
-Kissinger's schedule
  -Paris
    -Timing
    -Announcement
-McGovern's schedule
  -Los Angeles Hilton
    -Labor meeting
-Kissinger's schedule
  -Melvin R. Laird’s previous conversation with Kissinger
  -Paper

The President's schedule
  -Frank L. Rizzo

Vietnam negotiations
  -National League of Families
    -Kissinger’s possible speech
    -Record
    -Thailand
-Political aspects
  -McGovern
  -North Vietnamese
  -Administration opponents
    -Settlement timing
- Briefings
- Hanoi Trip
- State Department
- Radio address
  - Announcement
  - Timing
    - [Ronald L. Ziegler]
- Laird’s recommendation
  - Gen. William C. Westmoreland
- Ellsworth F. Bunker
  - Abrams
    - Upcoming meeting with Kissinger
    - Timing

Haldeman left at an unknown time before 4:43 pm.

- State Department
  - Rogers
    - Communique during the People's Republic of China [PRC] trip
      - Kissinger’s recent conversation with Rogers
      - Shanghai and Hangchow
      - Number of word changes
        - Marshall Green
    - Conference Date
    - Timing
- Laird
  - Abrams
  - Rogers
  - Sullivan
- National League of Families
  - The President’s instructions to Kissinger
- McGovern
- Walter L. Cronkite, Jr.
  - Recent conversation with Kissinger
    - 1972 election’s possible impact on negotiations
      - Kissinger’s trips
      - McGovern’s position
    - Le Duc Tho
      - Meetings with Kissinger
    - North Vietnamese
      - Possible stalemate in negotiations
  -Possible motives
    -Fear of success
    -Casualties, napalm
    -1972 election
- mcGovern’s charges
  -Settlement timing
- Kissinger’s trips
  -Quest for peace
- State Department
  -The President’s view
  -Kissinger’s view
    -Disloyalty, philosophy of foreign affairs
    -Leadership
-South Vietnam
  -Victory prospects
    -The President’s May 8, 1972 decision
Saigon
-Nguyen Van Thieu
  -Bunker’s responsibilities
  -Overthrow
  -Cease-fire
  -Alexander M. Haig, Jr.
  -Military Strategy
    -III Corps
    -Leadership
    -Kissinger’s forthcoming trip to Saigon
  -The President’s possible letter
-Kissinger’s forthcoming trip to Saigon
-North Vietnam
  -Settlement
    -Political aspects
    -Kissinger
    -Hanoi
    -1972 election
-Analysis of North Vietnamese decision on peace
  -Haig and Kissinger
  -PRC
    -Kissinger’s view
-North Vietnam
  -Outstanding issues
-Kissinger's Schedule
-Le Duc Tho
-Xuan Thuy
-Thieu’s possible actions
-Resignation
-Public statement
-Resignation
-Kissinger’s schedule
-Paris
-Xuan Thuy
-Hanoi
-Settlement timing
-1972 election
-Bombing

-Thieu
-Haig’s deal
-Comparisons
-Resignation
-Unity
-Substance

-Bunker
-Thieu
-Agreement Possibility
-Prisoners in South Vietnam
-Thieu
-Vietcong [VC]
-Economic aid program
-Robert S. McNamara
-Possibility of Thieu's resignation
-Kissinger’s handling
-1972 election
-Hanoi
-Settlement
-US domestic conditions

-Laird
-Possible cease-fire
-US equipment
-Abrams
-Sullivan
-Bangkok, Phnom Penh, Vientiane
-Kissinger’s schedule
-Hanoi
-Chou En-Lai
Kissinger left at 4:03 pm.

Conversation No. 797-19

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: Unknown between 4:03 pm and 4:04 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

The President's schedule
- Gerald L. Warren
- James S. Copley

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

Conversation No. 797-20

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: 4:04 pm - 4:05 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Rose Mary Woods at 4:04 pm.

Copies
- The President's schedule

Woods left at an unknown time before 4:05 pm.
Date: October 13, 1972
Time: Unknown between 4:04 pm and 4:05 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Gerald L. Warren.

- The President's schedule
  - James S. Copley
    - Meeting duration
    - Physical appearance
  - Helen (Kinney) Copley
  - Victor H. Krulak
    - US Marines Corps

Warren left at 4:05 pm.

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Date: October 13, 1972
Time: 4:05pm - 4:06 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

- The President's schedule
  - [James S. Copley]
    - Meeting duration
      - Henry A. Kissinger
  - Victor H. Krulak
    - Gerald L. Warren
    - Nickname

Bull left at 4:06 pm.
Date: October 13, 1972
Time: 4:06 pm - 4:33 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with James S. and Helen (Kinney) Copley, Victor H. Krulak, and Gerald L. Warren. The White House photographer was present at the beginning of the meeting.

Greetings

[Photograph session]
- Oliver F. ("Ollie") Atkins
- James and Helen Copley’s schedule
  - Associated Press Broadcasting Association [APBA]
    - New York

James Copley papers
- Support during the President’s political career
- The President’s recent conversation with Samuel I. Newhouse
  - California
- Washington Post, New York Times
- The President’s previous trip to Atlanta
- San Diego

The President’s reading of news stories
- Washington Post
- News Summaries
- Washington Post and New York Times
  - Editorials
  - Columns
  - Congressmen and Senators
- Washington Star
  - The President’s view
- Washington Post
- Democrat National Committee [DNC]
- Pentagon Papers
- Katharine L. Graham
  - Relationship with James and Helen Copley

Press relations
The President’s November 3, 1969 speech
-Hard hats
-The US flag
-New left
-National defense
-US international responsibilities
-US economic system
-Washington Post and New York Times
-Washington Post
-Sports pages
-San Diego Union
-Editorials
-News Summaries
-Cartoons
-George S. McGovern
-Vietnam
-Vietnam speech, October 10, 1972
-Cambodia and Laos
-North Vietnamese
-Soviet Union tanks

Refreshment
-Thelma C. (“Pat”) Nixon

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2
[Personal returnable]
[Duration: __14m 37s__]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 4:06 pm.

The President's schedule
-Henry A. Kissinger
Bull left at an unknown time before 4:33 pm.

Gift presentation

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3
[Personal returnable]
[Duration: ___16s___]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3

Gift presentation
- Cuff links
  - Presidential seal
- Pin
  - Presidential seal

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4
[Personal returnable]
[Duration: ___1m 5s___]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3

Gifts on display in Oval Office
- Carpet
- Head of state
  - Vase
    - Kakuei Tanaka
  - Edward M. Boehm bird sculpture
  - Walter H. Annenberg
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Tape Subject Log
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-Stueben Glass
-“Star of the President”
-Dwarf tree
-Peking
-Jade elephant

John B. Connally’s television appearance

James Copley's health

Krulak

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cm Copley et al. left at 4:33 pm.

Conversation No. 797-24

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: Unknown between 4:33 pm and 4:39 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with H.R. (“Bob”) Haldeman.

The President's schedule
-Haldeman's schedule

Conversation No. 797-25

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: Unknown between 4:33 pm and 4:39 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.
BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1
[Personal returnable]
[Duration: 2s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 4:39 pm.

Conversation No. 797-26

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: Unknown between 4:33 pm and 4:39 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

The President's schedule
- Meeting with Charles W. Colson
- Television tape

Bull left at an unknown time before 4:39 pm.

Conversation No. 797-27

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: Unknown between 4:33 pm and 4:39 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

[Charles W. Colson's] schedule
Bull left at an unknown time before 4:39 p.m.

Conversation No. 797-28

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: Unknown between 4:33 pm and 4:39 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield.

  Radio Address on crime and Drug Abuse, October 15, 1972
  -Egil (“Bud”) Krogh, Jr.
  -Anecdote
  -Death of [Frank Tummino]

Butterfield left at an unknown time before 4:39 pm.

Conversation No. 797-29

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: 4:39 pm - 5:43 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Charles W. Colson.

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1
[Personal returnable]
[Duration: 8m 19s]

H.R. (“Bob”) Haldeman entered at 4:47 pm.
END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

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Welfare
- George E. Christian’s previous conversation with Colson
  - Black demonstrators
  - New Summary
- Black demonstrators
  - Arrests
  - Washington, DC police
  - Statements
- Radio Address on Crime and Drug Abuse, October 15, 1972
  - Length
  - Broadcast time
  - Raymond K. Price, Jr.

The President's schedule
- Frank L. Rizzo
  - Campaign practices
  - Support for Nixon
    - Philadelphia wards

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2
[Personal returnable]
[Duration: __10m 5s__]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

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1972 campaign practices
- White Paper
  - Patrick J. Buchanan
  - 1701 [Pennsylvania Avenue] [Committee to Re-elect the President]
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Tape Subject Log
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[CRP]
-Research problems
  -John E. Nidecker
    -Richard (“Dick”) Tuck
  -L. Nicholas Ruwe
  -Dwight L. Chapin
  -John C. Whitaker
-Democratic Party activities
  -Publications, demonstrators
  -Donald F. Rodgers
    -New York office
  -Phoenix headquarters
-George S. McGovern's forthcoming speech on corruption
  -Response
    -Robert J. Dole
    -Clark MacGregor
    -Kenneth W. Clawson
-Libel Suits
  -Clawson
  -Washington Post
    -New York Times Co. v. Sullivan
    -Clawson’s background
      -Nieman Fellowship
    -Reporter
    -Marilyn Berger
-Effect on public confidence
  -Colson’s experience
  -Clawson
  -Washington Post building dedication ceremony
-Negative posters
  -International Brotherhood of Teamsters
  -William P. Rogers
  -Clawson

Alexander P. Butterfield entered at an unknown time after 4:47 pm.

The President's crime and drug abuse speech
  -Length
  -Reduction

Butterfield left at an unknown time before 5:25 pm.
1972 campaign practices
   - White paper
     - Violent activity in campaign
       - Memorandum to all the President’s campaign offices
   - Clawson
     - Open letter to editors
       - Washington Post
         - New York Times
       - Nieman Fellowship
       - Op-Ed article
       - Effect of Washington Post reporting on other newspapers
   - White House press corps
   - Clawson’s ex-colleagues
   - Washington Post’s Watergate coverage
     - Effect on the 1972 campaign
     - John B. Connally’s forthcoming television [TV] appearance

1972 campaign
   - Colson’s recent conversation with Louis P. Harris
   - Polls
     - Harris
       - Watergate
     - George H. Gallup
       - George S. McGovern’s Vietnam speech
         - Timing
   - Daniel Yankelovich
     - Timing
   - Gallup
     - Strategy
     - Harris
   - Albert E. Sindlinger
     - Approval
       - The President
         - Compared to McGovern
   - Tone
     - Mood of the country
       - Connally’s forthcoming TV appearance

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3
The President's schedule
   - Meeting with John D. Ehrlichman, William E. Timmons

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4
[Personal returnable]
[Duration: __1m 31s__]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4

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1972 campaign practices
   - Heckling
     - Eleanor (Stegeburg) McGovern
       - Teamsters
     - R. Sargent Shriver
     - Dole
     - Thelma C. (“Pat”) Nixon
     - Julie Nixon Eisenhower
     - Tricia Nixon Cox
     - Eleanor McGovern
       - Health

Bull entered at an unknown time after 4:47 pm.

Ehrlichman, Timmons

Bull left at an unknown time before 5:35 pm.
1972 campaign practices
   - Demonstrators
     - Eleanor McGovern
     - Shriver
     - Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon
     - Julie Nixon Eisenhower
       - Vermont
     - Tricia Nixon Cox
     - Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon
     - Eleanor McGovern
     - Claudia A. (Taylor) ("Lady Bird") Johnson
       - 1960 campaign
       - Texas
       - Hotel

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 5
[Personal returnable]
[Duration: ___1m 4s___]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 5
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Vietnam negotiations
   - Henry A. Kissinger’s trips
     - Shriver statement
     - North Vietnamese
     - *Washington Star* editorial cartoon
       - Le Duc Tho and Kissinger
     - George S. McGovern-Shriver button
     - Press reaction

Past elections
   - Kevin P. Phillips
   - 1800 election
     - Thomas Jefferson
     - John Adams, Federalists
Ehrlichman and Timmons entered at 5:25 pm.

Congressional relations
  -Adjournment
    -House Resolution [HR] 1
      -Welfare reform bill
      -Timing
  -Quorum
  -The President's schedule
    -Camp David
    -Speech
    -Telephone calls
  -HR 1
    -Possibility of veto
      -Wallace F. Bennett
      -John W. Byrnes
  -Water bill
    -Possibility of veto
  -Office of Economic Opportunity [OEO]
  -HR 1
    -Effect on payroll taxes, budget
    -The President’s recent conversation with Ehrlichman
    -Tax increases, spending
    -Civilian contract services
      -George P. Shultz
      -Kitchen Police [KP]
      -George Meany
  -Sine die resolution
  -Water bill
    -Quorum
    -Pressure groups
      -Mayors, governors
      -Telephone calls, mail
      -Heavy industry
        -Pulp companies
        -House of Representatives
  -H.R. 1
-Bennett
-Byrnes
-Possibility of the President's signing
  -The President’s instructions
-Water bill
  -Veto possibility
    -Legal aspects
    -Edmund S. Muskie
    -Gerald R. Ford
    -Leslie C. Arends
    -Howard H. Baker, Jr.
    -Peter H. Dominick
  -HR 1
  -Colson’s view
  -Discretionary funding
  -Tax increase possibility
  -Post water projects
    -1960-67
-Vetoes
  -Senior citizens
  -George S. McGovern
  -Labor support
    -Civilian contract services
      -Non-union work
-HR 1
  -Wilbur D. Mills
    -Byrnes
    -Welfare reform
      -Type IV
  -Byrnes
  -Bennett
  -Adjournment

Haldeman, Colson, and Timmons left at 5:36 pm.

Washington, DC jail takeover by inmates
  -Walter E. Washington
    -Possible statement
  -Judge [Albert C. Bryant]
    -Class action suit from prisoners
    -Corrections Department head [Kenneth L. Hardy]
      -Decision on punishment
-Shirley Chisholm
Frank Tummillo
 -Meeting with the President, February 1972
  -Murder
   -Thomas J. Devine
    -Injuries
   -Age

Washington, DC jail
  -Administration
   -Possible administration action
    -Timing
     -1972 election
      -[Washington]
       -Hardy
  -Guards
   -Compared to White House in 1969

Prison reform
  -Expense
  -Need for positive action
  -The President's schedule
   -Prison visit
  -Egil (“Bud”) Krogh, Jr. program
   -Williamsburg
  -Prisoners
   -Blacks
    -Age
  -San Quentin
   -The President’s trip as Senatorial candidate
    -Future
  -Prison farms in California
   -San Clemente
  -Federal prisons
  -Washington, DC prisoners
   -Federal system
    -Krogh
    -Lorton
    -Washington Post
     -Watergate
    -Washington Star story
     -Garnett D. (“Jack”) Horner
Ehrlichman left at 5:43 pm.

Conversation No. 797-30

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: 5:43 pm - 6:03 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with H.R. (“Bob”) Haldeman.

Fredrick V. Malek

Oval Office furnishings
- Thelma C. (“Pat”) Nixon
- Lyndon B. Johnson
- Mrs. Nixon

Ronald L. Ziegler entered at 5:44 pm.

Media relations
- Cincinnati television [TV] station
  - 1972 World Series
  - The President's schedule
  - Non-attendance
  - John K. Andrews, Jr.
  - Detroit Tigers-Oakland Athletics [A’s] playoff game
    - TV viewed by the President
    - Amount of time
- The President’s view
  - Cincinnati Reds hitting
  - A’s pitching
Tape Subject Log
(rev. Nov-03)

- Reds
  - Johnny Bench
  - Pete Rose
- A’s
  - Bert Campaneris
  - Johnny Lee (“Blue Moon”) Odom
  - James (“Catfish”) Hunter
  - Reggie Jackson
- Reds
  - Johnny Bench
  - Pete Rose

Ziegler left at 5:49 pm.

Oval Office furnishings
  - Abraham Lincoln statue

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1
[Personal returnable]
[Duration: __4m 46s__]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

Vietnam Negotiations
  - Henry A. Kissinger
    - Schedule
    - Recent conversation with the President
      - Nguyen Van Thieu
    - Return from Saigon
      - Hanoi
    - North Vietnamese
    - Settlement timing
      - 1972 election
      - National effect
      - Cease-fire
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Tape Subject Log
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- Timing
- US troop withdrawals
- Prisoners of War [POWs]
- The President’s schedule
  - October 25, 1972
    - TV speech
    - Kissinger’s schedule
    - Speech
    - Announcement

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3
[Personal returnable]
[Duration: 2m 21s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4
[Personal returnable]
[Duration: 1m 47s ]

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Haldeman left at 6:03 pm.

Conversation No. 797-31

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: 6:03 pm - 6:10 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Rose Mary Woods.

Gift types
- Tie tack, pins, cuff links
  - The President’s residence
  - Instruction to Zosimo T. Monson

Saudi Arabia
- Franklin B. Lincoln, Jr.
  - Recent telephone call
    - Camp David
  - 1970 trip
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Tape Subject Log
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-[Faisal, King of Saudi Arabia] Malik Faisal ibn Abd-al-Aziz al-Saud
-Conversations with Saudi Arabian Ambassador [Ibrahim Al-Sowayel]
- Gas
  - Arabian American Oil Company [ARAMCO]
  - Lincoln’s possible conversation with King Faisal
    - [Mudge, Rose, Gutherie, Alexander] and El Paso Natural Gas
  - King Faisal’s invitation to Lincoln
- Timing
  - 1972 election

US Jews
  - Taft Schreiber
    - Joseph Levine
    - Telephone calls
      - The President’s trip to New York
  - Soviet Jewish emigration
    - Public statements
      - Max M. Fisher

Walter H. Annenberg
  - Letter to Woods
    - Photograph of the President [regarding Munich Olympic massacre]
      - [John McMullen]
    - Form letter

National Association of Manufacturers [NAM]
  - Presidential seal
    - Bracelets for outgoing president’s wife

Gift of plates
  - Lucy A. Winchester
  - Library
  - Cost
  - Thelma C. (“Pat”) Nixon
    - Office of Protocol
      - Purchase
        - Lindberg [sp?]
  - Use as State gifts

Weather
Manolo Sanchez entered at an unknown time after 6:03 pm.

Instructions

Sanchez and Woods left at 6:11 pm.

Conversation No. 797-32

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: 6:11 pm - 6:15 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield.

Eleanor (Stegeberg) McGovern
- Health
  - Possible telephone call from Thelma C. (“Pat”) Nixon

Radio address on Crime and Drug Abuse, October 15, 1972
- Copy
- Ronald L. Ziegler
- Length
- Typists
  - Rose Mary Woods, Marjorie P. Acker
- Responsibilities

Butterfield left at 6:15 pm.

Conversation No. 797-33

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: 6:15 pm - 6:22 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with H.R. (“Bob”) Haldeman.
Eleanor (Stegeberg) McGovern
- Health
  - Possible telephone call from Thelma C. (“Pat”) Nixon or the President
  - The President’s instructions
  - Gen Walter R. Tkach

George S. McGovern
- Campaign practices
  - Possibility of invitation to White House
    - Harry S. Truman
    - Dwight D. Eisenhower
    - John F. Kennedy
    - The President
      - Bay of Pigs
    - Lyndon B. Johnson
    - The President
    - Hubert Humphrey
      - 1968 campaign compared to 1972 campaign

Eleanor McGovern
- Telephone call recommendation
  - Patrick J. Buchanan
- Ralph de Toledano’s recommendation to the President as Vice President
  - Letter to James B. (“Scotty”) Reston’s son
    - Health
    - Herbert E. Kaplow
      - Herbert G. Klein
      - Ronald L. Ziegler
      - Press relations

George McGovern
- Humphrey
  - Compared to McGovern’s campaign

Eleanor McGovern
- Health
- Campaigning
  - South Dakota
  - California
  - Vietnam speech by George McGovern

Press relations
- Standards
- Allegations
- Democratic campaign practices
  - Violence at rallies
  - Fake tickets

Campaign practices
- Richard ("Dick") Tuck
  - Dirty tricks
  - Anonymous letters
    - Use
- Edmund S. Muskie

Democratic Party
- [McGovern]
  - Prospects of success

Vietnam negotiations
- Henry A. Kissinger
  - Settlement timing
  - Nguyen Van Thieu
    - Johnson
    - George McGovern

Haldeman left at 6:22 pm.

Conversation No. 797-35

Date: October 13, 1972
Time: 6:22 pm - 6:25 pm
Location: Oval Office


The President’s schedule
- Alexander P. Butterfield

An unknown agent talked with an unknown person at an unknown time between 6:22 and 6:25 pm.
[Conversation No. 797-35A]

The President’s unknown location

[End of telephone conversation]

The unknown agents left at an unknown time before 6:25 pm.