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Friday, October 29.

The President had a fairly intensive schedule for a couple of hours in late morning, including Red Blount for his resignation, Cliff Hardin for his resignation, and a review of his recommendations for Agriculture candidates. We're having a problem there—in that there just isn't a really good option—although the President was rather positive on the possibility of Don Johnson moving into that slot, but others seem to feel that wouldn't be very good, particularly since he's not a farmer, although he's been in farming-related business all along.

We got back into the question again of the Rogers problem. The President really has come to the point that he feels that it's practically not soluble and wants me to talk to the AG about it, among other things. He feels that Bill is totally unreasonable and irrational in his approach, and that somehow we may have to face up to it and deal with it.

End of October 29.