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Saturday, October 7.

The President did his radio talk from Camp David this morning at noon. Came off fine. He called afterwards, made the point that radio's really an easy way to do it and he's now anxious to do a few more because it's so easy to cover. He does feel we need better coordination of the preparation. Apparently they were working right up to the last minute trying to get this one together with the things he wanted in it. There was quite a debate between Price and Ehrlichman and so on, on trying to get stuff out of it that Buchanan had put in.

He wants to get busy immediately on a farm speech with emphasis on farm exports and one on aid to private schools, which he wants to do instead of a letter. Only one or two on the high level goals for America thing, not too many of that type. He wants to get the speech team humping so we can do one next week, not on national defense. He got back on the need for an ad on amnesty and one on turning Vietnam over to the Communists. He feels those are the two most potent issues we've got and that we should be pushing them in the advertising.

End of October 7.