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Monday, January 29.

Got into a PR follow-up and so on this afternoon when he came back from Walkers, where he'd been last night. He wants Henry and me to see Teddy White before he finishes his book, wants to follow-up with the wife of Lt. Colonel Nolde, the last man to be killed in Vietnam. He wants to be sure that no one talks to Sidey. He's very distressed with *Time*, especially since they did the Marlon Brando cover on Inauguration Week, instead of covering the Inaugural as the cover story. He says he wants no more State visits this year. He's concerned about getting a master schedule for State visits, visits in the United States, "Evenings at the White House", all the general activities. He wants to develop a policy toward press and media, not just going on the President's hunches, and policy toward what social events, dinners and so on he goes to.

He got back into the Secret Service question again, and also some ideas on miscellaneous personnel points. On the plane back to Washington, he got into the Vietnam follow-up. He had read Henry's briefing and discovered that he had missed our points. There was nothing regarding the President's role. He never used "peace with honor". He's all the more determined to keep Henry from meeting with Preston or Gwertzman of the *Times*.

End of January 29.