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Monday, June 2.

We kept today clear so President could work on his speeches. He had apparently done more than I thought at Key Biscayne because he had Rose typing first thing this morning, and was pretty well cleaned up by noon - even with time out for an appointment with Japanese Foreign Minister Aichi. He seemed pleased with both speeches - Mundt library and Air Force Academy. Kept calling me at home tonight with more ideas on how to distribute them.

Spent quite a while at midday reviewing trip plans - was generally very pleased.

Big problem regarding leaks in Kissinger's operation. Gave me a couple of reports - very hard to know how to handle. Fear a couple may be conscious or unconscious agents. Wants me to talk with Kissinger.

Lot of plans for expanded activity at San Clemente, sort of dry run for August.

Decided late in afternoon to have Kissinger go to Texas and brief LBJ on his way to California. Picked up phone and called LBJ to set up. We've been trying to get him to call for two weeks. He waited until he had something to offer - in return for ABM support. (He'll also send Harlow to cover ABM status).

Some more ruminating regarding Yorty victory - now wants a complete analysis. Back to need for better staff at Residence - chef, waiters, housekeepers, etc. More fretting over plans for baseball dinner. General review of future schedule - especially plans for time off, Camp David and Key Biscayne.

President went over to EOB for his lunch - and stayed almost all afternoon - mainly conferring with Kissinger, but also with Price. Decided to follow my recommendation to take all key writers along on the trip. Mainly for therapy. Will have a session with them at San Clemente.



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Intrigued with reviewing all Kissinger's plans for secret actions regarding Vietnam, special strikes, sabotage, etc. Really anxious to do something with the war and get it done. Not too optimistic about Thieu talks.

Ehrlichman uncovers some new Don Nixon problems - as a result of Secret Service activity.