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Friday, January 2.

Another long session, this time on schedule plans. He called Chapin in too - which I hope will be a new habit. Covered whole first quarter in general terms. Trying to figure a way out of the Congressional Prayer Breakfast. Maybe a trip to Midwest. Also wants to go to Ireland for St. Patrick's Day, with three or four other European stops. Good idea. Wants to keep time very clear before State of the Union. Meetings OK from 11:00 -1:00, but rest of day clear to work. He's obviously doing nothing on it here, and probably won't. Really needs the rest, so that's OK. President went to Pendleton in the afternoon for golf, then had the Annenbergs for dinner. Chapin and I had dinner at El Adobe.