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Conversation No. 607-001

Date: October 29, 1971 Time: 8:24 am - 8:25 am Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield.

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[607-001-w001]

[Previous tapes archival review indicated this was a conversation. Upon review of the digital copy, archivists did not discern conversation. For the sake of clarity and continuity, this conversation designation will not change.]

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Butterfield left at 8:25 am.

[Duration: 11s]



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Conversation No. 607-002

Date: October 29, 1971 Time: 8:26 am - 8:30 am Location: Oval Office

The President talked with Hugh Scott.

[See Conversation No. 013-023]

Conversation No. 607-022

Date: October 29, 1971

Time: Unknown between 8:30 am and 8:40 am

Location: Oval Office

The President praises King Timahoe.

Conversation No. 607-003

Date: October 29, 1971

Time: Unknown between 8:30 am and 8:40 am

Location: Oval Office

The President met with an unknown person.

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[607-003-w001] [Duration: <u>15s</u>]

Manolo Sanchez's location
-The President's request

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The unknown person left at an unknown time before 8:40 am.

Conversation No. 607-023

Date: October 29, 1971

Time: Unknown between 8:30 am and 8:40 am

Location: Oval Office

The President praises King Timahoe.

Conversation No. 607-004

Date: October 29, 1971 Time: 8:40 am - 10:35 am Location: Oval Office

#### The President met with H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman.

Previous dinner for Josip Broz Tito

- -Haldeman's mother
- -Previous State Dinners
- -Strolling strings
- -Dancing
- -Trumpets



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-Pageantry
-Entertainment
-Gail Robinson
-The President's view
-Peggy Lee
-Social aides
-Mrs. Broz's conversation with Mrs. Haldeman
-Paul W. Trousdale
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# Sanchez entered at an unknown time after 8:40 am.

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Cigars
-Tito
-Gift from the President
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# Sanchez left at an unknown time before 9:58 am.

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Tito

-The President's view
-Travels

-Compared with Haile Selassie
-Communist countries
-Europe
-Spain
-Latin America
-Middle East
-Far East

Yugoslavia
-People
-Croatia
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-The President's view -Haldeman's view

-Serbia

-History



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#### Arrival ceremonies

#### Clifford M. Hardin

- -Possible successor
  - -Clarence D. Palmby
  - -Donald E. Johnson
    - -John C. Whitaker
    - -Background
      - -Education
      - -Farm implement business
      - -Chicken feed business
      - -Farm accounting
  - -Nelson A. Rockefeller
  - -Johnson
    - -The President's view
    - -Letter after the President's election
    - -Proposed meeting with the President
- -Forthcoming meeting with the President
  - -Haldeman's schedule
  - -Possible press announcement
  - -Hardin's forthcoming trip to Turkey

# Winton M. ("Red") Blount

- -Forthcoming resignation as Postmaster General
  - -Possible press announcement
  - -John G. Tower
  - -Unknown man
- -John J. Sparkman's appearance
  - -The President's view
    - -Compared to Tito

#### Tito

-The President's view

#### Previous Senate vote

-The President's previous telephone call to Hugh Scott



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- -Robert C. Byrd's efforts
- -Vietnam negotiations
  - -Cambodia

#### Henry A. Kissinger

- -Previous conversation with Haldeman
  - -Haldeman's view
- -William P. Rogers
  - -Kissinger's view
- -Views on United Nations [UN] vote to expel Taiwan
  - -Schedule
- -Previous trips to People's Republic of China [PRC]
  - -Press coverage
    - -The President's view
      - -The President's forthcoming trip to People's Republic of China [PRC]
      - -Kissinger's proposed trip to People's Republic of China [PRC] -Rogers

#### Rogers

- -Role on the president's forthcoming trip to People's Republic of China [PRC]
- -Comments regarding the President's statement on United Nations [UN] vote
  - -Kissinger
    - -Rogers's appearance before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee
      -Television
    - -Previous conversation with Ronald L. Ziegler
  - -Haldeman's view
- -Treatment by the White House
  - -Proposed trips to Europe and Latin America
  - -Haldeman's view
    - -Compared to John B. Connally
    - -Statements by Rogers
      - -Compared to other Cabinet officers
- -Congressional testimony

United Nations [UN] vote to expel Taiwan

-The President's statement



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-Connally's views

#### Connally

- -Haldeman's view
  - -Views on William L. Calley, Jr.
- -Reaction to United Nations [UN] vote
  - -George H.W. Bush

#### Bush

- -Haldeman's view
  - -Compared to Connally
- -Comments to the President on United Nations [UN] vote

## Rogers

- -Comments on the President's statements
  - -United Nations [UN] vote
  - -Nguyen Van Thieu
    - -Kissinger
      - -The President's view
      - -Haldeman's view

#### United Nations [UN] vote to expel Taiwan

- -Kissinger's reaction
  - -The President's view
    - -Conservatives' reaction
      - -Ronald W. Reagan
      - -Jews
      - -Haldeman's view

#### John W. Rollins

- -Previous conversation with Haldeman and John N. Mitchell
  - -Supreme Court nominees
  - -Support for fourth party
  - -Possible candidates
  - -Shirley Chisholm
  - -Jessie L. Jackson



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- -Financial support
- -Chisholm
- -Julian Bond
- -Jackson
- -Possible pay off for candidate

# United Nations [UN] vote to expel Taiwan

- -Press coverage
  - -Follow-up votes
- -Conservatives' reaction
  - -The President's telephone call to Reagan
  - -Rogers

#### Conservatives

- -White House treatment
  - -Supreme Court nominees
  - -Taiwan
    - -Forthcoming US-PRC talks

#### Neo-isolationism

- -The President's view
  - -United Nations [UN]
    - -Elmer H. Bobst
    - -Delegates' reaction to vote on Taiwan
      - -Reaction of average voters

#### Louis L. Banks

- -Fortune magazine
- -Editorial director of *Time* 
  - -Hedley W. Donovan
  - -Henry A. Grunwald
- -Haldeman's view
  - -People's Republic of China [PRC]
  - -Economy
  - -Donovan
- -Selecting for "Man of the Year"



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- -Banks and Donovan
- -Donald McI. Kendall's role
- -Kissinger
- -Rogers

## News magazines

- -Supreme Court nominees
  - -Richard A. Moore
  - -Presidential appointments

#### "Man of the Year"

- -Possible selection of the President
  - -Kissinger
  - -Timing
    - -President's forthcoming trips to PRC and Soviet Union
    - -1972 election
  - -Alternatives
    - -Foreign individuals
    - -George E. Allen
- -Willy Brandt's efforts in 1970
  - -Time editorial board
  - -Norway

#### Rogers

- -Forthcoming Congressional testimony
  - -Frank F. Church
- -Efforts
- -Views on the President and Kissinger
- -Kissinger
  - -The President's view
    - -United Nations [UN]
      - -People's Republic of China [PRC]
- -White House treatment
  - -White House comments on the State Department
  - -State Department's comments on the President's policy
- -Kissinger's actions



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- -Haldeman's view
- -Views on People's Republic of China [PRC]
  - -The President's view
- -Role in US foreign policy
  - -Haldeman's view
    - -People's Republic of China [PRC]
    - -Vietnam
    - -People's Republic of China [PRC]
    - -Berlin
    - -Strategic Arms Limitation Talks [SALT]
    - -Soviet Union [USSR]
- -Relations with State Department
- -Compared with Kissinger
  - -The President's view
  - -Haldeman's view

# The Administration's foreign policy advisors

- -Alexander M. Haig, Jr.
- -Rogers
  - -The President's view
- -Kissinger
  - -Haldeman's view
- -Kissinger
  - -Haldeman's view
  - -The President's view
    - -United Nations [UN]
    - -Thieu

# Connally

- -Advice to the President
  - -Calley
- -Haldeman's view
- -Staff selection
- -Advice to the President
  - -United Nations [UN]
    - -Bush



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-Advice to the President
          -Calley
                -Popular reaction
                     -Cambodia
                     -Haldeman's view
                           -Street demonstrations
                           -State legislatures
United Nations [UN] vote to expel Taiwan
     -Ziegler's handling
     -The President's statement
          -Rogers
          -People's Republic of China [PRC]
          -United Nations [UN]
     -Connally's advice
          -Bush
     -Ziegler's statement
Ziegler
     -Performance
          -Compared to Kissinger
          -Compared to Herbert G. Klein
          -James E. Bassett
          -Background
                -Haldeman's view
Public relations
     -The President
          -Press coverage
                -Reaction
                     -John F. Kennedy
                     -Lyndon B. Johnson
Kissinger
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-Staff needs

-Rogers



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-Possible conversation with Mitchell

Previous State dinner for Tito
-Spiro T. Agnew's schedule

US Ambassador to Spain
-Cornelius V. ("Sonny") Whitney
-Louie B. Nunn
Mitchell
-The President's view
-Wife

Previous State dinner for Tito

-Mrs. John E. Swearingen

-Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Coors

-Haldeman's view

-Vocational Guidance Committee

-Golden, Colorado

# Secretary of Agriculture

- -Committee
- -Donald E. Johnson
  - -Haldeman's possible conversation with Bryce N. Harlow
  - -The President's view

#### Veterans Administration [VA] head

- -Possible retired military officer
  - -Marines
  - -Navy
  - -Army

-Adm. Elmo R. Zumwalt, Jr.

#### Agnew

-Forthcoming foundation speech -Barry M. Goldwater -Possible controversy



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#### -Edith Efron's book [The News Twisters]

#### Efron's book

- -Roscoe Drummond
- -Sales
  - -Charles W. Colson
- -Drummond's comments
  - -Federal Communications Commission [FCC]
  - -Congress

# The President's forthcoming trip to People's Republic of China [PRC]

- -Ziegler
- -Selection of media representatives
- -Rogers's role
- -Kissinger's role
  - -Haldeman's view
- -Rogers's role
  - -The President's view

#### Kissinger

- -Health
- -Schedule
  - -Proposed meeting with Rogers

#### **Rogers**

- -Proposed trip to the Soviet Union [USSR]
  - -Advance for forthcoming US-Soviet Summit
    - -Role of the Secretary of State
      - -Advance staff
        - -Dwight L. Chapin
        - -Kissinger
    - -Advance for President's forthcoming trip to People's Republic of China [PRC]
    - -European Security
    - -Normal diplomatic relations
    - -People's Republic of China [PRC]



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Previous State dinner for Tito

- -Activities
  - -Dancing
  - -Reception line
- -President's previous conversation with Rose Mary Woods
- -Attendees
  - -White House staff
    - -Helmut Sonnenfeldt
    - -Kissinger
    - -Haig
    - -The President's instructions

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#### Women

- -Sally (Hornbogen) Peterson
- -Deborah Anne (Spaeth) Shakespeare
- -Loraine (Guyer) Percy
  - -Murder of Valerie Percy
- -Potential appointment of Peter G. Peterson
  - -Cabinet wives

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Martha (Beall) Mitchell

- -The President's view
- -Haldeman's view
- -John N. Mitchell



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## Women

- -Claudia A. (Taylor) ("Lady Bird") Johnson
- -Cabinet wives
- -Joyce (Pierson) Rumsfeld

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Wives of Administration officials

- -Carol (Crothers) Finch
  - -Haldeman's view
- -Brigid Peterson
  - -Haldeman's view
  - -The President's view
- -Sally Flanigan
  - -Peter G. Peterson
  - -The President's view
  - -Haldeman's view
- -Wives of public officials
  - -Haldeman's view

# Secretary of Agriculture

-Haldeman's forthcoming conversation with Harlow



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#### The President's schedule

-Arthur F. Burns

-Timing

-James D. ("Don") Hughes

-Gen. Brent G. Scowcroft

-Timing

#### Scowcroft

-Air Force

-Haldeman's view

-Compared to Hughes

-Requirements for position

#### The President's schedule

-Boy Scouts

-Silver Buffalo award

-The President's view

-Forthcoming meeting with Tito

-Arrival ceremony

-Honor guard

#### Manolo Sanchez entered at an unknown time after 8:40 am.

Dog

## Sanchez left at an unknown time before 9:58 am.

The President's schedule

-Hotel

# Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 8:40 am.

Kissinger's location

-State Department

Congress



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#### Bull left at an unknown time after 9:58 am.

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Kissinger's schedule
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Conservatives
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-Comments on the President's policies

-Strategic Arms Limitation Talks [SALT]

-Press conferences

-Harry S. Dent

-The President's policies

-The South

-Supreme Court nominees

-Textiles

-Busing

#### **Burns**

-Actions

The President's schedule

-Previous meeting with Connally

William H. Sullivan

## Rogers

-Loyalties

-State Department

-Sullivan

-The President's view

#### Kissinger entered at 9:58 am.

George P. Shultz

-Possible memorandum

-The President's forthcoming meeting with Burns

#### Haldeman left at 9:58 am.



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Kissinger
     -Jet lag
          -Hughes
     -Schedule
          -New York
Tito
     -Visit to United States [US]
     -Previous visit in John F. Kennedy Administration
          -Lyndon B. Johnson
          -Photographs
     -Comment on UN vote to expel Taiwan
Lt. Gen. Vernon A. Walters
     -Forthcoming meeting with PRC officials
          -United Nations [UN]
United Nations [UN]
     -People's Republic of China's [PRC] role
          -Taiwan
     -Possible expulsions
          -Israel
          -Portugal
          -South Africa
          -United States [US] policy
Bush
     -Activities
          -The President's view
     -Colson
United Nations [UN]
     -Delegates' reaction to Taiwan vote
     -Vote on Taiwan
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-Timing



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- -Kissinger's previous conversation with Shirley Temple Black
- -New York Times previous editorial
  - -United States [US] policy
    - -People's Republic of China [PRC]
    - -Soviet Union [USSR]
    - -Thieu
- -Europeans
  - -Netherlands
  - -Brandt

#### Bull entered at 10:04 am.

The President's schedule

-Telephone call from Rogers

#### Bull left at an unknown time before 10:36 am.

United Nations [UN] vote to expel Taiwan

- -New York Times previous editorial
- -Great Britain
- -W. Averell Harriman's previous comments on "Today" show
  - -United States [US] reaction
    - -Dunkirk
- -Connally's views
  - -Bush
- -Harriman
- -New York Times
  - -Kissinger's view

The President's forthcoming trip to People's Republic of China [PRC]

- -Selection of news media
  - -Wire services
  - -Television
  - -New York Times

Kissinger's schedule



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-Rogers
-Fo
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-Forthcoming conversation

-Communiqué

-The President's forthcoming trip to People's Republic of China [PRC]

#### Tito

-Comments on Soviet Union [USSR]

-Leonid I. Brezhnev

# Europe

-Relations with United States [US]

-United Nations [UN] vote on Taiwan

-New York Times editorial

-North Atlantic Treaty Organization [NATO]

-Norway

-Denmark

-Iceland

-Scandinavian countries

-Great Britain

-France

-Belgium

-Italy

-Austria

# United Nations [UN] vote on Taiwan

-Recording of delegates reaction

-US reaction

-Colson

-William L. Calley, Jr. court martial

# Kissinger's forthcoming conversation with Rogers

-United States [US] reaction to United Nations [UN] vote to expel Taiwan

-United States [US] foreign policy

-Rogers's views

-Berlin

-People's Republic of China [PRC]



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-The President's view
           -The President's forthcoming trip to People's Republic of China [PRC]
                -Rogers's role
                     -Communiqué
                           -Kissinger's view
                                -President's forthcoming trip to the Soviet Union [USSR]
                                -State Department
                                -Kissinger's previous trip to PRC
                           -The President's instructions
                -The President's view
                     -Soviet Union [USSR]
                -India
                -Japan
                -Taiwan
           -Haig's possible visit
United States [US] support of the United Nations [UN]
     -Tito
     -Haldeman
          -United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization [UNESCO]
     -Multi-national aid
          -Paul G. Hoffman committee [United Nations Development Program]
          -Kissinger's view
           -Views of Connally and Rogers
          -The President's instructions
                -National Security Council [NSC]
                     -Multilateral aid compared to bilateral aid
           -Congress
Previous Senate vote
     -John Sherman Cooper-Church amendment
           -Scott
                -Comments
                     -United Nations [UN] vote on Taiwan
                     -Cooper-Church vote
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#### Vietnam

- -Negotiations
  - -Le Duc Tho
  - -Possible Congressional action
  - -Article by Foreign Minister of North Vietnam

#### -Future

- -Thieu
- -South Vietnamese military capability
- -Kissinger's view
- -Military situation
  - -United States [US] Prisoners of war [POWs]
  - -South Vietnamese situation
  - -North Vietnamese situation
  - -Infiltration by North Vietnamese
    - -Flooding
    - -Typhoon

#### Press relations

- -UN vote to expel Taiwan
  - -New York Times
  - -News magazines
  - -The President's forthcoming trip to the Soviet Union
    - -Press coverage
      - -John F. Kennedy's test ban

**Polls** 

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# Polls

- -Potential opponent
  - -Edmund S. Muskie
  - -Edward M. ("Ted") Kennedy
  - -Hubert H. Humphrey
  - -Impact of television [TV]
  - -Kennedy
    - -Ireland

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United Nations [UN] vote to expel Taiwan

- -Edmund S. Muskie
- -Hubert H. Humphrey's comments
  - -Chiang Kai-Shek

The President's proposed meetings

- -Europeans
  - -Forthcoming European Summit
  - -Georges J.R. Pompidou
  - -Brandt
- -Kissinger's view
  - -Pompidou
  - -Brandt
  - -Edward R.G. Heath

United States [US]-British relations

- -Common Market
- -Kissinger's forthcoming conversation with Earl of Cromer
  - -United States [US]-People's Republic of China [PRC] relations
  - -British-People's Republic of China [PRC] relations
    - -State Department
      - -United Nations [UN]



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## -Kissinger's previous trip to People's Republic of China [PRC]

- -The President's view
- -British relations with Europe
  - -Kissinger's view

#### Connally's forthcoming trip

- -Forthcoming memorandum from Kissinger
- -The President's forthcoming letters to Chiefs of State
  - -Eisaku Sato
  - -Ferdinand E. Marcos
- -The President's instructions
  - -National Security Council [NSC]
- -Meetings with f leaders
  - -United States [US] Ambassadors
    - -Leonard Unger
    - -Ellsworth F. Bunker
    - -Kissinger's message to Sato's assistant
    - -Lt. Gen. T.N.J. Suharto
- -Kissinger's preparation of talking paper
- -Connally's previous television appearance
  - -Kissinger's view

# The forthcoming year

-1972 election

## United States [US] foreign policy

- -People's Republic of China [PRC]
- -Vietnam
- -Middle East
- -Soviet Union [USSR]
- -Middle East
  - -Kissinger's view
    - -Israel
    - -Soviet Union [USSR]
    - -Yitzhak Rabin
- -International monetary situation



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- -Roles of Kissinger, Shultz, Peterson
  - -Peterson memorandum
- -Burns's views
- -Connally's views
  - -Popular views
    - -Trade
- -Europeans
  - -Kissinger's view
- -Kissinger's forthcoming conversation with Shultz
- -Connally

Blount

Kissinger left at 10:35 am.

Conversation No. 607-005

Date: October 29, 1971

Time: 10:35 am

Location: Oval Office

The President talked with White House operator.

[See Conversation No. 013-024]

Conversation No. 607-006

Date: October 29, 1971

Time: Unknown between 10:35 am and 10:36 am

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.



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King Timahoe -Praise
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Sanchez left at an unknown time before 10:36 am.
Conversation No. 607-007
Date: October 29, 1971 Time: 10:36 am - 10:45 am Location: Oval Office
The President talked with William P. Rogers.
[See Conversation No. 013-025]



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Conversation No. 607-008

Date: October 29, 1971

Time: Unknown between 10:45 am and 10:46 am

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

The President's schedule
-Winton M. ("Red") Blount

Bull left at an unknown time before 10:46 am.

Conversation No. 607-009

Date: October 29, 1971

Time: Unknown between 10:45 am and 10:46 am

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

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King Timahoe



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Sanchez left at an unknown time before 10:46 am.

Conversation No. 607-010

Date: October 29, 1971 Time: 10:46 am - 11:00 am

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Winton M. ("Red") Blount and Alexander P. Butterfield; the White House photographer was present at the beginning of this meeting.

#### Alabamians

#### Post Office

- -Board of Governors appointments
  - -Confirmation hearings
    - -Hiram L. Fong
    - -Gale W. McGee
    - -Michael J. Mansfield
    - -Hugh Scott
    - -Fong
    - -Blount's previous conversations with Bryce N. Harlow
    - -Harlow's possible conversation with Fong
      - -Fortune 500
    - -Butterfield's forthcoming conversation with Harlow
      - -The President's instructions
    - -Partisanship
      - -Blount's view

#### -Status

- -Employment
- -Amount of mail delivered



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-Blount's replacement
             -Blount's previous meeting with Robert V. Hansberger
             -Hansberger
                  -The President's view
             -Requirements
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    Blount's political plans
         -Senate
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    US Senate
         -John J. Sparkman
             -Age
                  -Appearance
                      -The President's view
             -Health
                  -Effect
                      -Committee hearings
             -The President's view
                  -Vietnam
             -Blount's view
             -Primary election
                  -Potential opponents
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-Blount's view



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-The President's view
-Allen J. Ellender
-Age
-The President's view

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Blount's prospects
-George Wallace
-Sparkman
-George Wallace's opinion

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#### Alabama

-The President's view

-George C. Wallace

-College football

-James B. Allen

-The President's view

-Blount's view

-J. Lister Hill

-Blount's possible activities

-Urbanization

-Birmingham

-Mobile

-Montgomery



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-"Heart of Dixie"
-"Cradle of the Confederacy"
-Jefferson Davis

#### **Blount**

-Service with Administration

-The President's view

-Letter of resignation

-Announcement

-Timing

-The President's forthcoming response

-Announcement

-Blount's political plans

-Sparkman

President's approval rating

-Forthcoming trip to People's Republic of China [PRC]

-Economy

#### Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 10:46 am.

**Blount** 

#### Bull left at an unknown time before 11:00 am.

Auburn University football team -Ralph ("Shug") Jordan

University of Alabama football team -Paul W. ("Bear") Bryant

Blount's wife

#### Blount and Butterfield left at 11:00 am.



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Conversation No. 607-011

Date: October 29, 1971 Time: 11:01 am - 11:30 am Location: Oval Office

# The President met with Arthur F. Burns.

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Winton M. ("Red") Blount
-Political plans
-John J. Sparkman
-Announcement
-Timing
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## Sparkman

-The President' view
-Age
-Appearance

# National economy

- -Economic indicators
- -International monetary situation
  - -Henry A. Kissinger's role
    - -John B. Connally
    - -George P. Shultz
    - -Peter G. Peterson
    - -Burns's forthcoming conversation with Kissinger
      - -Gold
  - -Kissinger's views
    - -Willy Brandt
    - -Georges J.R. Pompidou
    - -Edward R.G. Heath
      - -European Common Market
        - -France
      - -Middle East policy



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#### France

- -Burns's view
  - -Popular opinion
- -The President's relations with Pompidou

# An unknown person entered at an unknown time after 11:01 am.

#### The President's schedule

-Forthcoming meeting with Gen. Brent G. Scowcroft

## The unknown person left at an unknown time before 11:30 am.

#### France

- -The President's previous meeting with Pompidou in New York
  - -Chicago
- -Kissinger's view
- -Kissinger's relationship with Valery Giscard D'estang

#### National economy

- -Economic indicators
  - -Burns's view
- -Charles W. Colson's possible arrangements for dinner
  - -Gustave L. Levy
  - -Bernard J. ("Bunny") Lasker
  - -Previous dinner
  - -Liquidity
- -Money supply
  - -Critics of the rate of growth
- -Unemployment
  - -The President's view
  - -Connally's views
  - -Council of Economic Advisors [CEA]
- -Interest rates
  - -Burns's views
- -Liquidity



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-Banks
           -Corporations
     -1960s
           -The President's view
                -Capital investment
     -Prospects for 1972
           -Recession
          -Recovery
     -The President's program
           -George Meany
                -Possible action
                     -Burns's view
                           -Possible speech by the President
                                -Wage and price freeze
                                -1972 election
           -Burns's view
                -Business Council
                     -Cost of Living Council [COLC]
                           -Criticism
                     -Profits
                           -The President's statement to unknown steel worker
                           -Detroit
           -Meany
                -Participation
                -The President's view
International Monetary Fund [IMF]
     -Leadership position
           -Burns's conversations
                -Great Britain
                -Germany
                -France
           -Pierre-Paul Schweitzer
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Alcoholic drinks

-Burns's views



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- -The President
  - -Public speaking
  - -Political campaigns
  - -State dinners
- -Josip Broz Tito
- -The President's view
- -Yugoslavia
  - -Burns's experience
- -The President

## International Monetary Fund [IMF]

- -Leadership position
  - -Jelle Zijlstra
    - -Connally's dispute with Burns
    - -Burns's research
    - -Burns's previous conversation with Connally
      - -Burns's credibility
        - -Connally's credibility
    - -Connally's Views
    - -Possible meeting with Connally
    - -Conversations
    - -Views on US economy
      - -Rate of appreciation
      - -Balance of payments
        - -International Monetary Fund [IMF]
        - -Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development [OECD]
    - -Burns's views
      - -Paul A. Volcker

# An unknown person entered at an unknown time after 11:01 am.

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#### Connally

-Burns's view

#### Federal Reserve Board [FRB]

- -Vacancies
  - -Andrew F. Brimmer
    - -President's previous conversation with William P. Rogers
    - -Possible role with administration
      - -United Nations [UN]
- -Appointments
  - -Carl Thompson
    - -Burns's view
    - -Biographical sketch
    - -The President's view
    - -Connally's views
      - -Texas
  - -Requirements
  - -Unknown man from Atlanta
  - -Martin C. ("Marty") Anderson
    - -Burns's view
  - -Timing
  - -Burns's forthcoming conversation with Frederic V. Malek
  - -Burns's possible conversation with Connally

#### Burns's schedule

-Forthcoming meeting with Kissinger

Burns left at 11:30 am.

Conversation No. 607-012

Date: October 29, 1971

Time: Unknown between 11:30 am and 11:33 am

Location: Oval Office



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## The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

The President's schedule
-John D. Ehrlichman
-Clifford M. Hardin

Bull left at an unknown time before 11:33 am.

Conversation No. 607-013

Date: October 29, 1971

Time: Unknown between 11:30 am and 11:33 am

Location: Oval Office

The President talked with White House operator.

[See Conversation No. 013-026]

Conversation No. 607-014

Date: October 29, 1971 Time: 11:33 am - 12:25 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with William D. Ruckelshaus, John D. Ehrlichman, and John C. Whitaker; the White House photographer was present at the beginning of this meeting.

Greetings



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The President's schedule -Boy Scouts
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The President talked with Glenn Davis between 11:34 am and 11:35 am.

[Conversation No. 607-014A]

[See Conversation No. 013-027]

[End of telephone conversation]

Certificates

-High school

Ruckelshaus

-Duties

-Indiana

-Vance Hartke

-The President's view

-Birch E. Bayh, Jr.

-Ruckelhaus's view

-The President's view

Presentation of gifts by the President

**Boy Scouts** 

#### Ruckelshaus left at 11:36 am.

Secretary of Agriculture

-Possible announcement

-Timing

-Timing of Clifford M. Hardin's resignation

-Donald E. Johnson

-Possible views of Farm Bureau

-Frank Willoby



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- -Agribusiness
- -Robert R. Spitzer
- -Roger Fleming
- -Clarence D. Palmby
  - -The President's view
- -Earl L. Butz
- -Johnson
- -Palmby
- -Farm Bureau
- -Requirements
- -Bryce N. Harlow
  - -Ehrlichman's view
  - -Confirmation
  - -Possible reaction by farmers

#### Hardin entered at 11:39 am.

- -Hardin's resignation
  - -Successor
  - -Timing of announcement
    - -Farm union
    - -Farm Bureau
    - -Charles M. Teague
    - -Jack R. Miller
    - -Hardin's forthcoming trip to Turkey

## Food and Agriculture Organization [FAO]

- -Forthcoming conference in Rome
  - -Announcement of Hardin's resignation
  - -Hardin's forthcoming trip to Turkey
- -Previous conference
- -International Labor Organization [ILO]
  - -George Meany

#### Grain sale to the Soviet Union

-Amount of sale



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-[Thomas] Hale Boggs
-Thomas W. ("Teddy") Gleason
     -Alexander M. Haig, Jr.'s possible role
     -James D. Hodgson
     -George P. Shultz's comments
     -Hodgson's views
          -National Security Council [NSC]
     -Charles W. Colson's possible role
          -Jesse M. Calhoon
     -Price of corn
     -Possible administration action
          -Great Britain
          -Duluth
          -Chicago
          -Great Lakes
          -The President's instructions
                -Colson
                -Hodgson
                -Haig
-Continental Grain's statement
-Gleason
     -Haig's possible conversation with Hodgson
     -The President's view
-Value
-Future
-US-Soviet relations
-Palmby
-Gleason
     -Possible administration actions
          -Haig
          -Henry A. Kissinger
          -Hodgson
          -Colson
                -"Hardhats"
                -Calhoun
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-Embargoes



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-Special grain price
          -Kansas City
     -Shippers
          -Continental grain
     -Previous grain sale to Soviet Union [USSR]
          -1963
          -John F. Kennedy
          -Wheat
          -US bonds
          -Shipping
          -Use of Agriculture Department funds
     -Seafarers' union
     -Diversion of Continental Grain shipments
          -Rotterdam
          -Berlin
Secretary of Agriculture
     -Hardin's successor
          -J. Phil Campbell
                -Hardin's view
                     -Political plans
                           -Georgia
                           -Fire ants
          -Palmby
                -Hardin's view
          -Campbell
                -Farm Bureau
          -Richard E. Lyng
          -Palmby
          -Claude W. Gifford
                -Hardin's view
          -Butz
                -Hardin's view
                     -Ezra Taft Benson
                     -Nebraska
          -John A. Love
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- -Hardin's views
- -Robert C. Hill
  - -Hardin's view
  - -The President's view
- -Johnson
  - -Hardin's view
    - -Iowa
    - -Views of Farm Bureau
    - -Veterans Administration [VA]
    - -The President's view
- -Clayton K. Yeutter
  - -Hardin's view
    - -Background
    - -Role at Department of Agriculture
  - -Palmby
  - -John N. Mitchell
    - -Campaign
  - -Ehrlichman's view
  - -Wife
    - -Hardin's wife
  - -South America
  - -Previous conversation with Hardin
  - -Farm Bureau
  - -William H. Rehnquist
  - -Background and experience
- -Requirements
  - -The President's view
- -Yeutter
  - -Whitaker's previous conversation with Harlow
  - -Experience
    - -The President's view
    - -Ehrlichman's view
    - -South America
    - -Congress
- -Roman L. Hruska
  - -Mitchell



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- -Relations with Norbert Tieman
- -Potential
- -Harlow
- -Forthcoming meeting between Hardin and the President
- -Palmby
  - -The President's view
- -Hardin's tenure in office
  - -Possible comments by White House and Hardin

Hardin's wife

### Hardin, et al. left and Stephen B. Bull and Ronald L. Ziegler entered at 12:13 pm.

The President's schedule

- -Forthcoming meeting with Boy Scouts
  - -Photograph
  - -Presentation of Silver Buffalo Award
  - -White House tour

#### Bull left at an unknown time before 12:14 pm.

Unknown photographer -Birth of daughter

Ziegler left at 12:14 pm.

William Harrison Fetridge, John W. Starr, Walter L. Lingle, Jr., Alden G. Barber, Tony Allen, Paul Grimes, Kevin Ivery, Dennis L. Spencer, Robert L. Avery, Robert Meek, Grant Soukup, Darry L. Bellard, Michael S. Jones, Kenneth Spann, Ehrlichman, William F. Rhatican, and Bull [?] entered; the White House photographer was present at the beginning of this meeting.

#### Introductions

- -Mount Vernon, Virginia
  - -New York
- -Washington, DC
- -California



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- -Philadelphia
- -Baltimore
  - -Baltimore Orioles
  - -Baltimore Colts

Arrangements for photograph

Presentation of Silver Buffalo award

Presentation of certificate by the President

- -Operation Reach
  - -Lingle
  - -Athletes' efforts against drug abuse
  - -World Series
  - -Football

Presentation of gifts by the President

Tour of the White House

-Mrs. [Michael J.?] Farrell

The President's schedule

Photographer's baby daughter

- -Associated Press [AP]
- -Presentation of gifts by the President
  - -Photographer's wife

Fetridge, et al. left at 12:25 pm.

Conversation No. 607-015

Date: October 29, 1971 Time: 12:25 pm - 12:27 pm



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Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

The President's schedule
-Forthcoming meeting with Marjorie ("Miss Wool") Sharp
-Sherman P. Lloyd

Bull left at an unknown time before 12:27 pm.

Conversation No. 607-016

Date: October 29, 1971 Time: 12:27 pm - 12:32 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Sherman P. Lloyd, Marjorie Sharp, [Forename unknown] McCormick, Edwin E. Marsh, and John E. Nidecker; the White House photographer was present at the beginning of this meeting.

Introductions

Marjorie Sharp
-University of Utah
-Mormon pioneers
-Grandfather

Presentation to the President of sheep skin
-Camp David
-Australia

Presentation of gifts by the President

White House tour



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### Sharp, et al. left at 12:32 pm.

<u>Carroll Kilpatrick, Mary Jo Kilpatrick, Frank Kilpatrick, and Ronald L. Ziegler entered at 12:33</u> pm; the White House photographer was present at the beginning of this meeting.

University backgrounds

- -Medical School
  - -University of Wisconsin
  - -University of Vermont

#### Southern accents

- -North Carolina
  - -The President's education at Duke University
- -South Carolina

Presentation of gifts by the President

#### Medicine

- -Pediatrics
- -General practice
  - -The President's view
  - -Psychosomatic illness

Kilpatrick, et al. left at 12:35 pm.

Conversation No. 607-017

Date: October 29, 1971

Time: Unknown between 12:35 pm and 12:36 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

The President's schedule



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-Forthcoming meeting with John R. Price, Jr.

Sheep skin

Bull left at an unknown time before 12:36 pm.

The President left at 12:36 pm.

Conversation No. 607-018

Date: October 29, 1971 Time: 12:36 pm - 12:59 pm

Location: Oval Office

John D. Ehrlichman met with John R. Price, Jr.; the White House photographer was present at the beginning of this meeting.

Sheep skin

The President entered at an unknown time after 12:36 pm.

Arrangements for photographs

Gail Robinson

- -The President's view
- -Experience
  - -"Lucia di Lammermoor"
  - -Franco Corelli

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     Price's political future
          -New York
                -Compared to California
                     -The President's experience
          -Joseph M. Margiotta
                -Primary
                -Protégé
                -Stillwell's code name "Peanut"
          -Sidney S. Hein
                -Queens
          -Redistricting
                -Nelson A. Rockefeller
                     -Conversation with John N. Mitchell
                -Seymour Halpern
                     -Lester Wolff
                     -President's polling
          -Wolff
                -Dwight D. Eisenhower
                -President's opinion
                -Airplane ride from Japan with the President
                -Campaign skill
          -Age
       Republican Party organization
              -Candidates for Congress
                     -Age
                            -Pennsylvania
              -Young people
                     -New York State
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Price's political future

-James L. Buckley

-Possible campaign themes



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-New Deal dead, new ideas
-Donaldson, Lufkin and Jenrette, Inc.
-Dan W. Lufkin
-Connecticut
-Environmental Director
-Future candidacy

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**Domestic Council** 

- -Policy formulation
- -New towns/national growth policy

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Price's political future

- -The President's advice
  - -Experience
  - -Honesty
  - -Prospects
    - -Age, intellect
  - -Margiotta's support
- -Conversation with Margiotta
  - -Money

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Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 12:36 pm.



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The President's schedule

-Forthcoming meeting with James D. ("Don") Hughes

Bull left at an unknown time before 12:59 pm.

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Price's political future

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- -Campaign manager
  - -Experience with Glenwood Stuart and Carl Motze [?]
  - -Conservatism
- -Margiotta
  - -Desire for power
- -Ideology
  - -John V. Lindsay
- -Lindsay
  - -Nelson A. Rockefeller's opinion
- -Rockefeller
  - -President's opinion
- -Apportionment
- -Robert R. Douglas
- -Jack Kemp
  - -Scalera (Governor's staff)
- -Mitchell's efforts
- -Margiotta



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-Statement by Prices friend
-Abraham Lincoln
-Benito Mussolini
-Party designation
-Possible primary election
-Margiotta
-Protégé

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Price's experience as an Administration official

Presentation of gifts by the President

Price's experience as an Administration official
-Welfare reform
-Camp David

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Campaign strategy

- -California
- -New York
- -Margiotta
- -Price's future

-Lunch with Stephen B. Derounian

-Wolff

-President's opinion



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Terence Cardinal Cooke
-Al Smith dinner
-Leslie T. ("Bob") Hope
-The President's schedule

Price and Ehrlichman left at 12:59 pm.

Conversation No. 607-019

Date: October 29, 1971

Time: 12:59 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

[Unintelligible]

The President's schedule
-Executive Office Building [EOB]

Sanchez left at 12:59 pm.

Conversation No. 607-020

Date: October 29, 1971 Time: 1:00 pm - 1:06 pm Location: Oval Office

The President met with James D. ("Don") Hughes and Gen. Brent G. Scowcroft.



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## Hughes's forthcoming assignment

- -Bergstrom Air Force Base
  - -Austin, Texas
  - -9<sup>th</sup> Air Force
  - -University of Texas
  - -Bette Hughes

# Hughes's role on White House staff

- -The President's view
  - -Camp David
  - -Cabinet officers
- -H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman
- -Constance M. Stuart
- -Lucy A. Winchester

# Military aides

- -John V. Brennan
- -Vernon C. Coffey, Jr.
- -Coast Guard
- -Duties
  - -Florida
  - -California

#### Scowcroft's domestic situation

- -Wife
- -Home
  - -Bethesda, Maryland

## Hughes's schedule

- -Timing of departure
- -Scowcroft's promotion

## The President's forthcoming trip to People's Republic of China [PRC]

- -Coffey
- -Scowcroft



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#### -Henry A. Kissinger

# Scowcroft and Hughes left at 1:06 pm.

Conversation No. 607-021

Date: October 29, 1971 Time: 1:06 pm - 1:28 pm Location: Oval Office

#### The President met with H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman.

The President's schedule

-Forthcoming event

-Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon

-Stephen B. Bull

-Boy Scouts

-The President's view

## Secretary of Agriculture

-John D. Ehrlichman

-Clayton K. Yeutter

-Age

-Clifford M. Hardin's views

#### White House staff

-Age

-The President's view

-Haldeman's view

-Ronald L. Ziegler

-Dwight L. Chapin

-Daniel Patrick Moynihan

-Walt Disney organization

-Haldeman's previous conversation with unknown man at Disney World



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-Youth compared to age
-Henry A. Kissinger
-Possible conversation with William P. Rogers
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#### Secretary of Agriculture

-Donald E. Johnson

-Bryce N. Harlow's views

-Department of Agriculture staff

-Farm organizations

-Harlow

-Hardin's views

-Clarence D. Palmby

-Harlow's views

-Harlow

-Qualifications

-Haldeman's view

-John B. Connally

-Henry L. Bellmon

#### Arthur F. Burns

-Previous conversation with Haldeman
-Forthcoming meeting with Frederic V. Malek

#### The President

-Possible vacation

-Golf

United Nations [UN] vote to expel Taiwan

#### Israel

-Rogers

-Previous conversation with John N. Mitchell

-United Nations [UN]

-Arab countries

-New York



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#### Rogers

- -Forthcoming vacation
- -The President's previous meeting with Burns, Connally and George P. Shultz
- -Haldeman's view
  - -Compared to Kissinger
  - -John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts
  - -Charity event

[Unintelligible]

The President and Haldeman left at 1:28 pm.