

Date: September 10, 1971
Time: Unknown between 2:05 pm and 3:03 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with an unknown person.

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Delivery of item

The unknown person left an unknown time before 3:03 pm.

Date: September 10, 1971
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Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with an unknown person [John D. Ehrlichman?].

Meeting with the President

-Time

-Location

-Executive Office Building [EOB]

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Request

-Coffee

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Conversation No. 276-4

Date: September 10, 1971

Time: 3:03 pm - 3:51 pm

Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with John D. Ehrlichman.

Refreshments

Environment

- Offshore oil drilling
 - Santa Barbara Sound
 - Offshore oil leases
 - Rogers C. B. Morton
 - William T. Pecora
 - Drilling
 - Responsibilities
 - Offshore oil
 - Jobs
 - Amount of cash flow
 - Local economy
 - Existing lessees
 - Additional drilling
 - California
 - Moratorium on leasing and drilling
 - Santa Barbara Channel
 - Administration policy
 - Moratorium
 - Two-year freeze
 - Drilling
 - Exceptions
 - Department of the Interior
 - Proposals
 - Los Angeles Times*
 - Headline
 - Santa Barbara drilling
 - John C. Whitaker
 - Robert H. Finch
 - Political effect of government action
 - California
 - Options
 - Denial of permits

- Suits by oil companies
- Legal advice
 - Lessees
 - Union Oil Company
 - Sun Oil Company
 - Observers familiar with issue
 - Possible result of suits
 - [Fred L.?] Hartley
 - Possible administration response
 - Political problem
 - Suit
- Redress
- Environmental arguments
 - Drilling
 - Geologists
 - Whitaker
 - Public opinion
- Council on Environmental Quality
 - Position on drilling
 - Report
 - Dr. Lee A. DuBridge's committee
 - Drilling in the Santa Barbara Channel
 - Public opinion
 - Problem
 - Public relations
 - Possible poll
 - Los Angeles Times*
 - Circulation area
 - Los Angeles County, Orange County
 - Santa Barbara, Ventura
 - Southern California
 - San Diego
 - Geologists

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Site for Nixon Presidential Library

- Nixon Foundation land
 - San Clemente
 - Surveys of land
 - Legislation
 - Clark MacGregor
 - General Services Administration [GSA]
 - Site for presidential library
 - GSA and the National Archives
 - Nixon Foundation
 - Construction of building
 - Improvements
- Lyndon B. Johnson Library
 - Ownership of land
 - GSA
 - State
- GSA

- Administration of buildings
 - Personnel
 - Maintenance and services
- Ownership of building
- Land on beach
- Meeting of trustees of the Nixon Foundation
 - Selection of site
- Meeting with F. Edward Hèbert
- Legislation
- Whittier College

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Medicine

- Jack J. Dreyfus, Jr.
 - Telephone calls
 - New medicine
 - DPH [Diphenylhydantoin anticonvulsant]
 - Finch
 - Degree of federal co-operation
 - Finch
 - Dr. W. Kenneth Riland
 - Dreyfus's conversations with Dr. Walter R. Tkach
 - Drug
 - Use
 - Epilepsy
 - Dreyfus
 - Effects
- Dreyfus's involvement in research
- Tkach
 - Use of drug
 - Effect
- Finch
 - Tkach
 - Dreyfus
 - Elliot L. Richardson
 - Dr. Sidney P. Marland, Jr.

Research and Development [R&D]

- Briefing
 - William M. Magruder
- Length of briefing
- Meeting of the Domestic Council
 - Time
- Timetable
- Private sector
- Dr. Edward E. David, Jr.
- Peter G. Peterson
- Media interest
 - Reaction to the President's speech, September 9, 1971
 - National Aeronautics and Space Administration [NASA]
 - Peter Lisagor
 - Charles L. Bartlett

- Announcing ideas and programs to the public
- Raymond K. Price, Jr.

Budget

- Caspar W. ("Cap") Weinberger
 - Support
- Ehrlichman
- Dialogue with farmers
 - Rural development
 - Hubert H. Humphrey
- Model cities
- Peace Corps
- Volunteers in Service to America [VISTA]
- Office of Economic Opportunity [OEO]
- Ehrlichman
 - Bill for reduction
- Economy
 - Grievances
 - Benefits
- Weinberger
- Problems
- Reduction of government
- Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon and the President's drive to Capitol Hill
 - Number of federal employees
- Five per cent personnel cut
 - Government
 - William M. Magruder
 - Traffic safety
 - Highway fatalities
 - Design for stop signs
 - Anti-collision devices
 - Government
 - Governors
 - Congress
 - Parochial interests

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Magruder

- Congress
- Work
 - Magruder's staff
 - Committee meetings
- The President's speech
- The press
 - NASA
 - Supersonic transport [SST]

Pentagon Papers

- Congressional hearings
 - Status of progress on report
- Robert C. Mardian, Egil G. ("Bud") Krogh, Jr., David R. Young
- Congressional committee
 - Control of scope

- Henry A. Kissinger
 - Relations with Leslie H. Gelb, Morton H. Halperin, Daniel Ellsberg
 - Outcome of investigation
- Kissinger
 - Concern
 - Attacks
 - Repression
- Pentagon Papers issue
- Ellsberg
 - Investigation
 - Paul H. Nitze
 - Gelb
 - Halperin
- Nitze
- Secret documents
 - National Archives
 - Deposit
 - Nitze, Gelb, Halperin
 - Ehrlichman's forthcoming actions
 - Robert L. Kunzig, Administrator [GSA]
 - Archivist of the United States
 - Documents
 - Storage and safekeeping
 - Agreement
 - Access to documents
 - Safe-deposit box analogy
 - Nitze
 - Clark M. Clifford
 - Discussion of issue

Conv. No. 276-18/278-33 (cont.)

- Krogh's and Young's schedule
 - H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman's office
 - Ehrlichman's telephone call

The President left at an unknown time after 3:03 pm.

Ehrlichman talked with Haldeman at an unknown time between 3:03 pm and 3:51 pm.

- Meeting with Krogh and Young
 - Time
 - Location
 - Ehrlichman's location
 - Question

Ehrlichman talked with an unknown person at an unknown time between 3:03 pm and 3:51 pm.

Request for Krogh

- Pentagon Papers
 - Halperin
 - Gelb

-Nitze

[End of telephone conversation]

The President returned at an unknown time before 3:51 pm.

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- Paul Warnke
 - Nitze
 - Clifford
 - Position at Department of Defense
 - Clifford
- Congressional investigation
 - Memorandum
 - Richardson
 - Cooke episode
 - Ellsberg
 - J. William Fulbright
 - Hearings
 - Johnson decisional process
 - Administration's participation
 - Witnesses
 - White House staff
 - Effort
- Administration's strategy
 - Media release
- Declassification of documents as response
- Edward M. Kennedy
- Sources of leaks and information
- Democrats
 - Fulbright
 - Hearings
- Declassified version of the Pentagon Papers
 - Congress
- Kissinger
 - Acquaintances
 - Gelb, Halperin
 - Appearance at congressional hearings
 - Dilemma
 - Self-defense
 - Immunity
- Nitze
 - Ehrlichman's forthcoming conversation with the President
 - Ehrlichman's conversation with Haldeman
 - Documents
- Journalists
 - Surveillance
 - New York Times*
 - William Beecher
 - Tad Szulc
 - Ehrlichman's forthcoming conversation with Haldeman
 - Beecher

- Szulc
- Surveillance
 - Within the government
- Identity of contact
 - Department of Defense
 - State Department
 - Hired by Nixon Administration
- Paris bureau

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Leaks

- Henry M. ("Scoop") Jackson's office
 - Beecher
- Edmund S. Muskie
- Jackson
 - Department of Defense contacts
- Ehrlichman's forthcoming conversation with Haldeman

The Economy

- The President's speech, September 9, 1971
 - Public reaction
- Phase II
- The President's meeting with union leaders
 - Cooperation
 - Union leaders' position
 - Public support
- Democrats
- End of 90-day freeze on prices and wages
 - Extension
 - Inflation control
- Phase II
- Poor
 - Administration's efforts
 - Public opinion
 - Edward W. Brooke
 - Jobs
 - Welfare
- National spirit
 - Reaction
 - Youth
 - Degree
 - Hardin-Simmons College
 - Mindset
- Work ethic
 - Parents
 - Professors
 - Evaluation of system
 - Haldeman's family

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The Economy

-Work ethic

F. Donald Nixon

-Donald Nixon

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The economy

-Ehrlichman's family

-Summer jobs

-reaction

-Arnold A. Hutschnecker

-Effects of physical work

-"I Remember Mama"

-Winston S. Churchill

-Bricklaying hobby

-Problems of modern society

-Labor-saving devices

-Leisure time

-Television

Speechwriting

-The President's speech, September 9, 1971

-Quality

-The President's delivery of speech

-Structure of speech

-Outline

-The President's conversation with H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman

-Speechwriters

-Price

-Patrick J. Buchanan

-William L. Safire

-Staff

-Dwight D. Eisenhower

-"Speech doctor"

-Examination of speech

-Cheerlines

-Speech to Congress

-Text of speech

-Price

-Safire

-Substance

-Timing

-President's September 9 speech

- Text on welfare program
 - Richardson
 - Change of system
 - State, local governments
 - Incentives to work
 - Welfare
- Public reaction
 - Line of text
 - "Workfare"
 - Safire
- Welfare system
 - Provisions
- The President's new welfare system
 - Incentives to work
- Text of speech
- Speech doctor
 - Samuel I. Rosenman
 - Raymond C. Moley
- Domestic Council
- Kissinger's first drafts of speech
 - Quality
 - Public statement
 - Oral delivery
 - Written delivery
- Speeches
 - Staff member
 - Rewriting and editing of speech for President
- Economics

Conv. No. 276-18/278-33 (cont.)

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Speechwriting

- Economics
 - Tricia Nixon Cox's comments

Speechwriting

- Economics
 - Perception as dull subject
 - Required style of speech
 - Uplifting
 - John B. Connally

- The President's delivery of speech
- Arthur F. Burns

Welfare reform

- Eugene S. Cowen
- Senate
- Abraham A. Ribicoff
 - Compromise
- Ribicoff
 - Day-care centers
 - Riders to welfare reform bill
- Division of support for welfare reform
 - No reform
 - Ribicoff's supporters
 - House Resolution [H. R.] 1
- Compromise
- Senator Russell B. Long
 - Strategy
 - December
- The President's meeting with Long
 - Subject of conversation
- Long

Conv. No. 276-18/278-33 (cont.)

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[Privacy]

[276-004-w006]

[Duration: 20s]

Welfare reform

- Russell B. Long
 - Drinking problem
 - Excessively talkative

School busing

- Support
 - Representative Albert H. Quie
 - Amendment
 - Emergency school money
 - Possible motivation
 - Conviction
 - Clark MacGregor's conversation with Quie
 - Office of Education
 - Technical work on legislation
 - Technical requirements

- Control over amendment
- Endorsements
- Congressional request for technical assistance
- MacGregor
- Passing of amendment
 - Use of federal money for busing under court order
 - Southern support
- Administration's position
 - Reiteration of past statement
 - Use of federal money for education
 - Connection between transportation and education
 - Busing
 - Local decision
 - Possibility of amendment passing
 - Legislation
 - Mandate to bus
 - Financing

Conv. No. 276-18/278-33 (cont.)

Ehrlichman left at 3:51 pm.

Conversation No. 276-5

Date: September 10, 1971
 Time: Unknown between 3:51 pm and 3:53 pm
 Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with the White House operator.

[See Conversation No. 8-83]

Conversation No. 276-6

Date: September 10, 1971
 Time: Unknown between 3:51-3:53 pm
 Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman.

- The President's schedule
 - Meeting with Donald H. Rumsfeld
 - The President's location

Date: September 10, 1971
Time: 3:53 pm - 4:17 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with Charles W. Colson.

Conv. No. 276-18/278-33 (cont.)

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[276-007-w001]
[Duration: 20s]

[See Conversation No. 008-084-w001]

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[Personal Returnable]
[276-007-w002]
[Duration: 2m 38s]

[See Conversation No. 008-084-w002]

[End of telephone conversation]

Date: September 10, 1971
Time: Unknown between 4:17 pm and 4:30 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

- The President's schedule
- Donald H. Rumsfeld
- H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman
- Paul W. McCracken
- Rumsfeld

- Henry A. Kissinger
 - Meeting with the President
 - Rumsfeld

Bull left at an unknown time before 4:30 pm.

Conv. No. 276-18/278-33 (cont.)

Conversation No. 276-9

Date: September 10, 1971
Time: Unknown between 4:17 pm and 4:30 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Henry A. Kissinger.

Foreign aid

- Latin America
 - Conference in Panama
- Ten percent cut in foreign aid
 - Handling
 - Exemption of Latin America
- Kissinger's conversation with John B. Connally
- Surcharge

Japanese

- Takeo Fukudo
 - Meeting with the President

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[National Security]

[276-009-w001]

[Duration: 22s]

Japanese

- Takeo Fukudo
 - Meeting with the President
 - Referendum vote
 - Need for President to be discreet
- William P. Rogers
 - [First name unknown] Golden's [?] speech
 - Classified

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[Unintelligible]

[276-009-w002]

[Duration: 40s]

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- Forthcoming United Nations [UN] vote on Taiwan
 - People's Republic of China [PRC]
 - Perception of US stance
 - Retaliation
 - Retention of Taiwan seat

Vietnam

- Henry M. ("Scoop") Jackson
 - Liberals
 - Kissinger's conversation with Clark MacGregor
 - Congress
 - Nguyen Van Thieu
- Negotiations
 - MacGregor
- Soviets
- Thieu
 - President's forthcoming trip to PRC

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[Unintelligible]

[276-009-w003]

[Duration: 8s]

Vietnam

- Nguyen Van Thieu
 - Canada
 - Secretary [first name unknown] Rose [?]

Vietnam

- Troop withdrawal
 - Television
- Negotiations
 - Effect of elections in South Vietnam

- Kissinger's schedule
 - Geneva
 - Soviets
 - Meeting
 - Moscow

Conv. No. 276-18/278-33 (cont.)

- Vietnam
 - Communists
 - Forthcoming elections in South Vietnam
 - US position
 - Thieu
 - Free election
 - Thieu
 - Le Duc Tho
 - Negotiations
 - US strategy
 - Le Duc Tho

Kissinger left at 4:30 pm.

Conversation No. 276-10

Date: September 10, 1971
Time: 4:30 pm - 4:31 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

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[Unintelligible]
[276-010-w001]
[Duration: 22s]

Manolo Sanchez's comments on unknown person

Sanchez left at 4:31 pm.

Date: September 10, 1971
Time: 4:31 pm - 6:15 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Donald H. Rumsfeld and H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman. Copy No. 276-18/278-33 (cont.)

The President's speech, September 9, 1971

- Congressional response
 - Unknown Congressman
- Election
- Television
- [Phase II]
 - Timing of announcement
 - Peter G. Peterson
 - Congressional spending
 - October 7, 1971

Reform

- Disadvantages
- Timetable
 - Announcement
 - Consultation
- Meeting dateline
 - Difficulty
- Effect on businesses

Rumsfeld

- Charles W. Colson
- Gallup poll
- Relationship with George H. Gallup
- Colson
 - Harris poll
- Progress report
- Rumsfeld's previous meeting with Howard H. Baker, Jr.

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[Privacy]
[276-011-w001]
[Duration: 40s]

Joy (Dirksen) Baker

- State institution
 - Prognosis
 - Health
 - Emotional and physical

- Location
- Joyce (Pierson) Rumsfeld

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[Duration: 10s]

Campaign

- John N. Mitchell
 - Work for Donald H. Rumsfeld
 - Task force
 - Spokesman resources
 - Celebrities
 - Cabinet
 - Use

Public Affairs

- Sammy Davis, Jr.'s performance at the Sands
 - Members of the audience
 - Ronald V. Dellums
 - Richard [?] Hatcher
 - Alan Cranston
 - Davis's remarks on drug laws
 - Davis's remarks about the President
 - James F. ("Jimmy") Durante
 - Durante's remarks about the President
 - Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo
 - Attitude
 - The President's new supporters
 - Davis
 - Durante
 - Durante's possible performance at the White House
 - Blue Room
 - Durante's age
 - Events before start of campaign and convention
 - Durante
 - Performance at the White House

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[Duration: 12m 15s]

Illinois

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- Donald H. Rumsfeld's conversation with H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman
 - Memorandum
- Stance
 - Leak to newspapers
- Richard B. Ogilvie
 - Lee R. Nunn's visit
 - Polls
 - William Grant Stratton
- Donald H. Rumsfeld's meeting with John N. Mitchell
 - Preparation time
- Robert J. Dole
 - Donald H. Rumsfeld's telephone call to Robert J. Dole
 - Richard B. Ogilvie's theory
- Donald H. Rumsfeld's assessment
 - Governor
 - Income tax
 - Transportation
- Governor
- Pep rallies
- California
 - Ball game
 - Edmund G. ("Pat") Brown
 - Ronald W. Reagan
 - 1959
 - Edmund G. ("Pat") Brown
 - Oakland-San Francisco stadium
 - Crowd's response to Edmund G. ("Pat") Brown's appearance

Campaign

- Charles H. Percy
 - Strategy
 - John D. Ehrlichman
 - Primaries
 - Richard B. Ogilvie in general election
- Politicians
- Charles H. Percy
- Politicians
- Richard B. Ogilvie
- Strategy
 - 1960
 - Endorsement of gubernatorial candidates
 - Re-election
- Richard B. Ogilvie
 - Supportive of the President

- Endorsement of local candidates
- Changes
- William Grant Stratton
 - Problems
- Richard B. Ogilvie
 - Lack of positives
 - Lack of popular support
 - Personal appearance
 - Business community
 - Personal appearance
 - President's comments on weight
 - Health
 - Richard B. Ogilvie's Secretary of State
 - Relations
 - Appointment
- Illinois
- Walter E. Powell
 - 1952
 - Orville Hodge
 - Dwight D. Eisenhower
 - [First name unknown] Green
 - Early [?] Brooks
- Candidates
 - President's assessment
- Donald H. Rumsfeld's conversation with John N. Mitchell
 - Re-appointment of Secretary of State
- Press
 - Assessment
- Richard B. Ogilvie
- Ron Altor [?]
 - Donald H. Rumsfeld assessment
 - President's opinion
- Illinois
- Republicans
- Edmund S. Muskie
 - Compared with other Democrat candidates
 - Polls
 - Standing in race
 - Staying power
- Reliance on party people
 - Donald H. Rumsfeld's contacts
- Charles H. Percy
 - Importance to the Republican Party
 - President's ability to work with
- John N. Mitchell
- Thomas J. Houser
 - Reliability of support
 - The President compared with Charles H. Percy
 - Health
 - Operation
 - 1968 campaign

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- Charles H. Percy
 - Support for Nelson A. Rockefeller
 - Charles H. Percy's telephone call to the President in California
 - H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman's assessment
- Thomas J. Houser's actions
 - Support for President in 1968
- Nelson A. Rockefeller

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Charles H. Percy

- Ability to be trusted to support President
- The President's support
 - Other candidates
 - Richard B. Ogilvie
- Election
 - Weak areas
 - Edmund S. Muskie
 - Election time
 - Charles H. Percy's appreciation

Social events

- Charles H. Percy's call to Rumsfeld
 - Gen. C. William Westmoreland and James Henry Van Alen
 - White House tennis court
 - Tennis game
- Van Alen
 - Development of new scoring system [VASSS]
 - Reception
 - Age
 - White House tennis court
 - Effect of White House visit
 - Photograph
 - The President's acquaintance
 - New York City
- Socializing
 - Alen
 - Percy
- Social relationship
- Possible trip for Percy
 - National Governors Conference

Public affairs

- Mitchell
 - Vice President Spiro T. Agnew's speech
 - Mitchell
 - Agnew's appearance
 - Governor's conference
 - Robert J. Dole
- Rumsfeld's schedule

- Speaking engagements
 - Las Vegas
 - Length of stay
 - Puerto Rico
- University of Illinois
- Tulane
- Senator Henry L. Bellmon
 - Oklahoma
- National Conference of University Presidents
 - Student body presidents
 - Washington, DC
 - Number attending conference
 - Washington, DC
 - The President's previous meeting with members of Conference
 - Meeting at White House
 - 1969
 - Representative group
 - Student body's presidents
 - Presidents of universities and colleges
 - Meeting in Washington
 - Rumsfeld's speech
 - University presidents
- Administration
- Education
- Speaking engagements

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Public Affairs

- Speaking engagements
 - Republican fundraisers
 - Georgia
 - Michigan

Public Affairs

- Speaking engagements
 - Birmingham, Alabama
 - Business group
 - Mississippi
- Speech
- Press coverage

- Television
- Support
 - Government
 - Speaking invitations
 - Speechwriting
 - Amount expended
 - Difficulty
 - Unknown local or state problems
- White House organization
 - Channels
 - Presidency
 - Suitable events for speaking engagements
 - Speaking invitations
 - Colson's staff
 - Scheduling
 - Processing
 - Assignment
- Veterans of Foreign Wars [VFW] speech
- Las Vegas
 - National associations
- National association
 - Rumsfeld, Robert H. Finch
 - Suitable for speaking engagements
- Colson
 - Organization
 - Speaking invitations received by the President
 - Generating other speaking engagements
- Other speakers
 - Maurice H. Stans
 - Business group
 - Television
 - Mitchell
 - Speaking ability
 - Newsworthy
 - Mitchell's recent speech on crime
 - John B. Connally
 - Rumsfeld
 - Finch
 - Television
 - George W. Romney
 - Television
- Rumsfeld
 - Speechmaking
 - Constant practice
 - Cabinet Committee on Narcotics
 - Europe
 - Lobby
 - Speaking
 - Involvement
 - Credibility
- Portfolio connotation

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- Finch, Rumsfeld
 - Public appearances
 - Importance of a portfolio
 - Contents
 - Credentials
 - Counsel to the President
 - Property Review Board
- National news
- Foreign economic policy group
 - Future meetings on economy
 - Rumsfeld's involvement in speech circuit
 - Counsel to the President
 - Member of Cabinet
- Rumsfeld's presence at events

Youth

- Speeches
- Criticism
- Democratic majority
- Appointment
 - Cabinet minister for youth
 - Special White House youth job
- Speeches for youth
 - Need for content to make sense to youth
 - Issues that appeal to youth
- Issues
 - Foreign policy
 - War
 - Diplomatic moves
 - Employment

Speechwriters

- Raymond K. Price, Jr.
- Richard K. Cook
- John K. Andrews, Jr.
- John J. McLaughlin
- Quality of speechwriting
- The President's speech, September 9, 1971
 - Price
- Assistance to Rumsfeld

Speeches

- Knowledge of subject
 - Newsworthy remarks
- Television shows
 - Speaker with expertise on subject
 - Newsworthy

Rumsfeld's schedule

- Upcoming speeches
 - Miami

- Indiana
- Des Moines
- Michigan
- New Orleans
- Dallas
- Georgia
- Detroit
- Birmingham
- Oklahoma
- Washington, DC
- Rumsfeld's staff
 - Preparation for speaking engagements
 - Group
 - Program
 - Other speaking guests
 - Schedule
 - Reaction
- Finch
 - Speaking engagements
 - Nationwide and in California

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Questions and answers [Q&A] staff

- Development
- Circulation of Q&A books
 - Rumsfeld's turn
- Answers
- Patrick J. Buchanan
 - Abilities
 - Answers
- Answers
- Q&A books
 - Buchanan's work
 - Use of government for information

Melvin R. Laird

- Spokesperson role
- Department of Defense
- Congress
- Politician
- Speaking engagements
 - Non-partisan groups
 - Opportunities
- 1960 campaign
 - Secretary of Defense
 - World travels
- Using Laird as speaker
- Information
 - Clark M. Clifford
- Politics
 - Congress
 - Democratic

-Laird as spokesperson during forthcoming campaign period

National defense

- Laird
- Right wing issue
 - People's Republic of China [PRC], defense
- Polls
- American public
 - US position in world
 - US compared to the Soviet Union
 - Superiority in defense
- Laird
 - Right wing
 - Reassurance
- 1960 campaign
 - John F. Kennedy
 - Missile gap issue
- Henry M. ("Scoop") Jackson
 - Nomination
- Democratic candidate
 - "Dove" ticket
 - Defense
 - Social issue emphasis
 - Bomb
- Democratic Party
 - Withdrawal of US troops
 - Excess fund
 - Sophisticated weapons
 - Relief for ghettos
- Proxmire-Harris proposal
- Mansfield proposal
 - Michael J. Mansfield
 - Total withdrawal of US troops
 - Matter of conviction
 - Defense budget cuts
- Laird's role
 - Department of Defense [DOD]
 - Conservatives
 - Haldeman's relation with Laird
 - Republicans
 - Conservative group
- Conservative group
 - Defense capability
 - US compared with the Soviet Union
- Laird
 - DOD
 - Budget

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William P. Rogers

- The President's previous conversation with Haldeman
 - Use of Rogers as speaker

- College campuses
- Secretary of State
- Speeches
 - Activists
- Secretary of State
- Lutheran [?] convention
- Further speaking engagements
- Campuses
 - Henry A. Kissinger
 - Professor
- Rogers
 - Type of colleges
 - Type, size of audience
 - Seminar-type setting
 - Closed-circuit television
 - Effects of appearance
 - Target audience
 - John D. Ehrlichman's theory
 - Political activism
 - Administration's concerns
 - Princeton University
 - Kissinger
 - Guest lecturer
 - Seminars
 - Votes
 - Bigger audiences
 - Q&A

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Administration spokesmen

- College campuses
 - Kissinger and Rogers
 - Administration's foreign policy
 - Publicity
 - Size of crowd
- Publicity
 - Kissinger
 - Rogers
 - Press
 - News
 - Kissinger
 - Appearance at college campus
 - Rogers
 - Secretary of State
 - Public opinion
 - Impression of the President
 - Apathy
 - White middle class
 - Presidential candidate
 - Relationship with youth
 - Guilt complex
 - Blacks

- Indians
- Mexicans
- Catholics
- Jews
- White Protestants
- Jews
 - Jews in administration
 - Intellectuals
 - Chicago
 - New York City
 - Democrats
 - Middle East

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Youth

- The President's visit to college campuses
 - As Vice President
 - Attention of the office
- College campuses
 - Rogers
 - Meeting with undersecretaries
- As voter blocs
 - Whites
 - Parents
 - Blacks
 - Jewish
 - Elderly
- Percentage
 - Parents
- High schools
- Non-college youth
 - Eligible to vote
- 18-year old voters
- Voting requirements in US history
 - Voting Rights Act
 - Property
 - Taxpayers
 - Slaves
 - Blacks
 - Voting

Speeches

- Congressmen
 - Support for the President
 - Economy
 - Fight unemployment
 - Fight inflation
 - Numbers

Rumsfeld's schedule

- State dinner

Rumsfeld left at 5:34 pm.

William F. ("Billy") Graham

-Luncheon

-Inclusion in invitation of mother, Mrs. W F. Graham

-Age

-Situation

-Invitation

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Kissinger's schedule

-Vietnam

Trip to the People's Republic of China [PRC]

-Groundwork

-October trip by Kissinger

-Press contingent and coverage

-The President's meeting with Kissinger

-Media coverage of trip

-Television

-Public viewing of the President's trip to the PRC

-Duration

-Film coverage compared to live coverage

-Time difference

-Walter L. Cronkite, Jr.

-Great Wall of China

-John W. Chancellor

-The President's trip to the PRC

-Visual coverage

-Benefits to President

-Live coverage

-Transmission

-Equipment necessary

-Transmitter tower

-Personnel need for installation

-Time of arrival

-Film coverage

-Tape

-Satellite

-Press corps

-Number

-Network television

-PRC

-Kissinger

-Permission for live coverage

-Soviet Union in 1959

-Kitchen Debate

-Censors

-PRC stance

-Kissinger

-Administration's need

-Size of press corps

- Ronald L. Ziegler
- Broadcast
- Wire services
- Columnists
- Members of press corps
 - Theodore H. White
 - Book
 - Press
 - Columbia Broadcasting System [CBS]
 - Peter Lisagor
 - Charles W. Bailey
- Coverage of trip
 - Life in PRC
- Crews
- Transmission problems
 - PRC communication systems
- Coverage
- Kissinger's forthcoming efforts
- Press Corps
 - Size of Corps
 - Wire services
 - Syndication
- Networks
 - Cronkite, Chancellor
 - Crews
 - Howard K. Smith
- Size of Press Corps
 - Television broadcast
 - Newspapers
- Foreign press
 - The PRC's decision
- Kissinger
 - Agenda
 - Press Corps
- The President's possible entourage
 - Astronaut
 - Analogy
 - Circus
- Trip to the Soviet Union
 - Milton S. Eisenhower
 - Admiral Hyman G. Rickover
- Trip to the PRC
 - Rogers, Kissinger
 - Department of State
- Assistants
- Other members in the President's entourage
 - Communications staff
 - Composition
 - Equity
- PRC trip compared to European trip
 - Substance

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- Cabinet members
- Unknown person
- PRC

Schedule

- The President's meeting with college and student body presidents group
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- Q&A

Haldeman talked with an unknown person at an unknown time after 5:34 pm.

President's schedule

- Meeting with college and student body presidents

[End of conversation]

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Donald H. Rumsfeld

- Candidacy
- Vice President
- President's opinion
- Robert H. Finch and Donald H. Rumsfeld
- H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman's opinion
- President's appraisal of respective personalities
- President's appraisal of respective intelligence
- Abilities to win Senate seats
- California and Illinois

The President's schedule

- Meeting
- Time
- Treasury Department
- Meeting
- Cost of Living Council
- White House
- Cabinet Room
- Time
- Treasury
- Cabinet Room
- Time of meeting
- Meeting with the President

- Time
 - Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon
- Purpose of meeting
- Announcement of program
- Consultations
- The President's press conference
 - Economy
 - General audience
 - The President's trips
- PRC
 - Rumsfeld
- Pentagon Papers
- Effect of events on public opinion polls
 - Economy
 - Supreme Court decision

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Alexander P. Butterfield entered at 5:57 pm.

Visit of Takeo Fukuda

- Japanese press
- Japanese delegation
 - The President's meeting with Fukuda

Kissinger

- Peter G. Peterson's memos
 - Attachments
- Kissinger
- The President's review of memos

Report

- Meeting between Ambassador David M. Kennedy and Fukuda

Butterfield left at 6:01 pm.

Meeting with Fukuda

Appointments

- Secretary of Commerce
- Rumsfeld
 - Peterson's position
 - Peter M. Flanigan

The President's schedule

- Fukuda's visit
 - Adele (Langston) Rogers
 - Patricia R. Mosbacher
 - Mrs. Nixon
- Oval Room

Speech

- Price

-William L. Safire's draft

Haldeman left at 6:15 pm.

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Conversation No. 276-12

Date: Unknown between September 10 and September 13, 1971

Time: Unknown between 6:15 pm, September 10 and 7:39 pm, September 13, 1971

Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

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[Personal Returnable]

[276-012-w001]

[Duration: 23s]

Manolo Sanchez's comments on an unknown person

-Intelligence

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 7:39 pm, September 13, 1971.

Conversation No. 276-13

Date: September 13, 1971

Time: 7:43 pm - 7:47 pm

Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman.

[See Conversation No. 8-115]

Attica State Prison riot

-Press coverage

-New York

-Blacks

-Guards

-Whites

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[Personal Returnable]
[276-013-w001]
[Duration: 13s]

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[See Conversation No. 008-115-w001]

The President talked with John D. Ehrlichman.

Federal prisons

Conversation No. 276-14

Date: September 13, 1971
Time: 7:51 pm - 7:54 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with Rose Mary Woods.

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[Personal Returnable]
[276-014-w001]
[Duration: 15s]

[See Conversation No. 008-117-w001]

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[Personal Returnable]
[276-014-w002]
[Duration: 49s]

[See Conversation No. 008-117-w002]

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[Personal Returnable]

[276-014-w003]

[Duration: 27s]

[See Conversation No. 008-117-w002]

The President's schedule
-Forthcoming press conference
-Timing

Conversation No. 276-15

Date: September 13, 1971
Time: 7:55 pm - 7:58 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman.

[See Conversation No. 8-119]

Conversation No. 276-16

Date: September 13, 1971
Time: Unknown between 7:58 pm - 8:50 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President talked with an unknown person.

Henry A. Kissinger
-Arrival
-The President's location
-Old Executive Office Building [EOB]

Date: September 13, 1971
Time: Unknown between 7:58 pm and 8:50 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

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The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

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[Personal Returnable]
[276-017-w001]
[Duration: 1m 17s]

- King Timahoe
 - Instructions on door position
 - Rash
 - Location
 - Medicine
 - Dosage
 - Position of door

- Television set
 - Paul W. Keyes
 - “Laugh In”
 - Time

Manolo Sanchez wheels television into Executive Office Building.

- Television
 - Position

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 8:50 pm.

Date: September 13, 1971
Time: 8:50 pm - 10:15 pm
Location: Executive Office Building

The President met with Henry A. Kissinger.

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[Personal Returnable]

[276-018-w002]

[Duration: 20s]

The President's schedule

- Paul W. Keyes
- The President's television viewing
- First show of the Fall season

Vietnam negotiations

- Alexander M. Haig, Jr.'s previous conversation with the President
- Hanoi
 - Agreement
 - Statement
 - Publicity
 - Xuan Thuy
- George S. McGovern's statement
 - Ceasefire
 - United States
 - Vietnamese
 - Laos
 - Cambodia
 - South Vietnam
 - Bombing targets
 - Supply lines
 - Date of ceasefire
- McGovern
- US troop withdrawal
- Domestic discord
- Timetable
- US troop withdrawal
- Nguyen Van Thieu
- Unilateral approach
- Options
- Ceasefire
 - Troop withdrawal
- Cambodia
- Infiltration
- Negotiations
 - Effect
- Vietnamization

- Government of National Concord
 - Elections
- Saigon
- Hanoi
- North Vietnam
- People's Republic of China [PRC]
- Soviet Union
- North Vietnam
 - Proposal
- PRC
- Paris
- Hanoi
- Memorandum
- Strategy
 - Unilateral withdrawal
- Jack N. Anderson
- Timing
 - Announcement on troop withdrawal
 - Television

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PRC

- Announcement of President's visit
- Timing

Kissinger's Schedule

- Trip to the PRC
- Trip to the Soviet Union
- Announcement
- Dates
- Andrei a. Gromyko's Visit to the US
 - Meeting with the President
- Soviets
 - Announcements
- PRC
- Gromyko

The recording of this conversation was cut off at an unknown time before 10:15 pm.