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Tape Subject Log
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Conversation No. 451-1

Date: February 18, 1971
Time: 9:47 am - 9:52 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with John D. Ehrlichman

Soviet Union

-European security conference

Economic forecast

-Commerce Department

-Maurice H. Stans

-Efforts

-Ehrlichman's conversation with Stans

Alexander P. Butterfield entered at 9:50 am

-American business

-Cooperation with administration

-Media coverage

Ehrlichman's schedule

Ehrlichman and Butterfield left at 9:52 am

Conversation No. 451-2

Date: February 18, 1971
Time: Unknown between 9:52 am and 9:56 am
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with the White House operator

Call to William L. Safire

Conversation No. 451-3

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Date: February 18, 1971
Time: Unknown between 9:52 am and 9:56 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull

Schedule
-Henry A. Kissinger

Bull left at an unknown time before 9:56 am

Conversation No. 451-4

Date: February 18, 1971
Time: 9:56 am - 10:09 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Henry A. Kissinger

Visit of Emilio Colombo
-Photograph with the President
-Timing
-Aldo Moro
-Political future
-Kissinger's presence

[The President talked with William L. Safire at an unknown time between 9:56 am and 9:57 am]

[Conversation No. 451-4A]

Forthcoming speech at [Thomas] Woodrow Wilson Foundation
-Changes
-Kissinger's role
-Wilson
-President's view
-Franklin D. Roosevelt
-Dwight D. Eisenhower
-World situation
-Kissinger's role

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-Length

[End of telephone conversation]

Ronald L. Ziegler entered at an unknown time after 9:57 am

Speech

-Revisions

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Ziegler left at an unknown time before 10:05 am

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

[National Security (B) withdrawal reviewed under MDR guidelines case number LPRN-T-MDR-2014-008. Segment exempt per Executive Order 13526, 3.3(b)(1) on 09/20/2017. Archivist:MAS]

[National Security]

[451-004-w002]

[Duration: 55s]

ITALY

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

Arms control

-Opposing views

-Antiballistic Missile [ABM] agreement

-US negotiators

-Kissinger's talks with Anatoliy F. Dobrynin

-Joseph C. Kraft column

-William P. Rogers and Gerard C. Smith

-The President's proposals

-Soviet reaction

-Kissinger's position

-Kraft's column, 2/18

-Timing

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- History
 - Effect on elections
 - Smith's view
- "ABM only" agreement

Ziegler entered at 10:05 am

Schedule

- The Vice President
- Lawyers

Conv. No. 451-4 (cont.)

Vietnam

- Press conference coverage
- Charles W. Colson

Ziegler left at 10:06 am

Arms control

- Soviet Union press
- Kraft column
 - Effect of media on United States' position
 - Administration reaction
 - Ziegler's role
- Kissinger/Dobrynin meeting
- Vietnam
 - Press accounts
 - Need for public relations effort
 - Laos operation
 - US strategy
 - US position

Kissinger left at 10:09 am

Conversation No. 451-5

Date: February 18, 1971

Time: 10:12 am - 10:30 am

Location: Oval Office

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

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[Thomas] Woodrow Wilson Foundation speech

- Woodrow Wilson Award
- George P. Shultz

John B. Connally

- John D. Ehrlichman
- Conversation concerning George W. Romney [?]
- Event
- Conversation with Haldeman
- Activities

Conv. No. 451-4 (cont.)

The President's schedule

Connally's schedule

- Joseph W. Alsop
- David S. Broder
- Press briefings

Head of State visits

- Briefing for President
 - Department of State personnel
 - National Security Council [NSC] staff
 - Compared to [Forename unknown] Cook

Arms control

- Joseph C. Kraft column
 - Anatoliy F. Dobrynin
 - Antiballistic Missile [ABM] views
 - Soviet reaction

Media coverage

- State of the world
- "Face the Nation" appearance
 - Henry A. Kissinger
 - William P. Rogers
 - Melvin R. Laird
 - Conversation with Haldeman
- Kissinger's press activities
- Peter G. Peterson
 - Public relations skills
- Connally

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- Public relations efforts
- Administration efforts
 - Laos and Cambodia
 - President's role
- Alsop article
 - Laos decision
 - Kissinger
- Peregrine Worsthorne article
- Administration efforts
 - Peterson, Connally, Daniel P. ("Pat") Moynihan
- Vietnam
 - Networks
 - Newspapers
 - Washington Post*
- Press appearances
 - Lyndon B. Johnson
 - Franklin D. Roosevelt
 - Dwight D. Eisenhower
 - Harry S Truman
 - President's previous press conference
 - Dan Rather's comments
 - Robert B. Semple, Jr.'s comments
- Preparation

Conv. No. 451-5 (cont.)

Alexander P. Butterfield entered at 10:21 am

Emilio Colombo's arrival

Butterfield left at 10:22 am

- Preparation
- Questions and issues

Evening at the White House for Prime Minister John M. ("Jack") Lynch

- Approval by the President for reporters to attend
- List

Haldeman left at 10:30 am

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Conversation No. 451-6

Date: February 18, 1971
Time: 10:30 am - 10:36 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Mark I. Goode and Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon

Welcoming ceremony for Italian Prime Minister

- Schedule
 - Orchestration
- White House tour
 - East Wing
- Works of art
 - Charles Willson Peale
 - Rembrandt Peale
 - George Washington
 - Gilbert Stuart

The President, et al. left at 10:36 am

Conversation No. 451-7

Date: February 18, 1971
Time: 11:13 am - 12:22 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Emilio Colombo, Neil A. Seidenman, and A. Jose De Seabra

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[National Security]
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Oval Office

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Cabinet Room

[Unintelligible]

Italy

- The President's previous meeting with Emilio Colombo
- Italian domestic politics
 - Emilio Colombo's analysis
 - Ruling coalition
 - Italian political parties
 - Right and left
- Vietnam's effect on Italian politics
- "United front" politics
 - Italian political parties
- People's Republic of China [PRC]
 - Emilio Colombo's opinion
- The President's position on importance of non-Communist Italy
 - Place in Europe
- Relations with the US
 - Anti-US sentiment abroad
- Middle East and the US
- Alliances
- US' Southeast Asian policies
 - Laotian operations
 - Goals
 - Withdrawal program
 - Prisoners of war [POWs]
 - Vietnam
 - William P. Rogers
 - Middle East
 - February 19, 1971 briefing
 - Arabs and Israelis
 - History and future
 - Cease-fire March 1971
- Mediterranean nations
 - Italy
 - Role
 - West compared to Communists
 - The President's previous trip to Rome
 - Spain
 - Greece

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- North Africa [?]
- Egypt
- North Atlantic Treaty Organization [NATO]
- Japan
- Social and economic issues
- Textiles
- The President's stance against quotas
- Trade
- British
- Barriers
- US sentiment
- Agriculturalists [?]
- The President's opinion
- Importance of avoiding trade war
- People's Republic of China [PRC]
- The President's concern
- Emilio Colombo's analysis
- Common Market
- Drawbacks to trade aspects
- Agriculture
- Germans
- French
- British
- Agriculture modernization
- Grain
- German costs
- Protectionism sentiment in US
- The President's description
- Jews [?]
- Impact
- Trade liberalization
- The President's belief in free trade
- Collective solutions
- Italian perception
- Agriculture
- North Atlantic Treaty Organization [NATO]
- The President's summation of Emilio Colombo
- US-Italian relationship
- Economic problems
- Communists
- Development
- Social services

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- Organized labor
- Italian press accounts
 - Labor unrest
 - Transformation
 - Psychological tests [?]
 - Response

The President, et al. left at 12:22 pm

Conversation No. 451-25

Date: February 18, 1971
 Time: Unknown between 12:22 pm and 1:09 pm
 Location: Oval Office

Unknown men met

[Previous non-historical (H) withdrawal reviewed under deed of gift 08/05/2019. Segment cleared for release.]

[Non-Historical]
 [451-025-w001]
 [Duration: 5m 40s]

[This portion of the tape is mostly room noise with some muffled background conversation.]

The unknown men left at an unknown time before 1:09 pm

Conversation No. 451-8

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Date: February 18, 1971
Time: Unknown between 12:40 pm and 1:09 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with the White House operator

Call to Mrs. Lieutenant Colonel Ralph D. Albertazzie

Conversation No. 451-9

Date: February 18, 1971
Time: 1:09 pm - 1:10 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with Lieutenant Colonel Ralph D. Albertazzie

[Previous PRMPA Privacy (D) reviewed under PRMPA regulations 08/07/2019. Segment cleared for release.]

[Privacy]
[451-009-w001]
[Duration: 30s]

Ralph D. Albertazzie
-Health
-Modern medicine

Conversation No. 451-10

Date: February 18, 1971
Time: Unknown between 1:10 pm and 1:20 pm
Location: Oval Office

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The President met with Manolo Sanchez

Location of papers

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 1:20 pm

Conversation No. 451-11

Date: February 18, 1971

Time: Unknown between 1:10 pm and 1:20 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield

Request

Butterfield left at an unknown time before 1:20 pm

Conversation No. 451-12

Date: February 18, 1971

Time: 1:20 pm - 2:32 pm

Location: Oval Office

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

Speech changes

[The President talked with the White House operator at an unknown time between 1:20 pm and 1:22 pm]

[Conversation No. 451-12A]

Call to Raymond K. Price, Jr.

[End of telephone conversation]

Dedication of [Thomas] Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars
-Dean Francis B. Sayre

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-Hubert H. Humphrey

[The President talked with Raymond K. Price, Jr. between 1:22 pm and 1:23 pm]

[Conversation No. 451-12B]

Speech revisions

- Wilson's speeches in Italy
- Use by the President
- William L. Safire

Conv. No. 451-12 (cont.)

[End of telephone conversation]

Schedule

Speech delivery

- Wilson
- Preparation

Schedule

- Future events

Boston Globe story

- Quality
- Content
 - Possible administration response
- Reaction
- John D. Ehrlichman's [?] view

Public relations

- John B. Connally

Allen S. Drury

- Trip to California
- Questions submitted to the President
 - Clemency
- Schedule
 - Interview with the President

J. Edgar Hoover

- Patrick J. Buchanan's view
- Hoover's performance

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- Polls
- Retirement
- Criticism of Hoover
 - George S. McGovern
- Retirement
 - General Lewis B. Hershey
- Political impact
 - Appointment of new Director
- President's view

Conv. No. 451-12 (cont.)

Appointment

- Unknown person
 - John A. Volpe
- Announcement

White House Stag dinners

- Dwight D. Eisenhower
 - Number

Schedule

- Unknown woman

Press conference

- Coverage of foreign versus domestic policy
 - Preparation
- Television
 - Benefits
- Focus on a single area
 - Foreign policy press conference
- "Grab bag" approach
- Preparation

Head of State visit on March 16

- Press coverage
 - Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon's birthday
 - Tricia Nixon
- President's view
 - Invitations
 - Isabelle Shelton
 - Bonnie Angelo

Speech revisions [?]

- Buchanan

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- Ronald L. Ziegler
- Safire

Unknown man

- Possible interview with the President
- Schedule
- Contract with Columbia Broadcasting System [CBS]
 - Negotiations

Conv. No. 451-12 (cont.)

Ziegler entered at 1:42 pm

- Use of Air Force One

Press conferences

- Value
 - Preparation
 - Haldeman's view
 - Columnists
- Previous press conference, 2/17
 - Questions
 - Preparation
 - Ziegler
 - North Vietnam and Laos
 - Domestic policy
 - Revenue sharing

Buchanan entered at 1:45 pm

- Reaction
 - Buchanan's view
- Preparation
 - Requirements
 - Time allotment
 - American Legion speech
- Use of television
 - Problems
 - Preparation
 - Impact
 - Reporting of press conference
 - Buchanan's view
 - Ziegler's view
 - Health statements

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- Power of Presidency
- Health message
 - Announcement
 - Elliot L. Richardson
- Format
 - Topic selection
 - Pros and cons
 - Suggestions and options
 - Domestic versus foreign policy
 - Follow-up questions
 - Henry A. Kissinger
 - Preparation
 - Flexibility
- Frequency and timing
- Reaction
 - Robert B. Semple, Jr.
 - Peter Lisagor
 - James J. Kilpatrick, Jr.
 - Drew Pearson
 - John F. Osborne
 - New Republic*
 - Ideology of press

Conv. No. 451-12 (cont.)

Press

- Henry Brandon
 - Book
 - Influence
 - Conversation with President
- Victor Lasky
 - Book
- Past reporters
 - Joseph W. Alsop
 - James B. ("Scotty") Reston
 - Walter Lippman
 - Arthur Krock
 - Roscoe Drummond
 - Richard ("Dick") Wilson
 - Lieutenant General Vernon A. Walters
 - Memory
 - Compared with reporters
- Interviews
 - Notes

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- Unknown reporter
- Tape recorders
 - Use
 - Compared with notes
- Vietnam
 - Kissinger
 - Press story
- Winston S. Churchill
 - Journalistic experience
 - South Africa
- The President's programs
 - Coverage
 - President's view
 - Dorothy McCardle
 - Frances Lewine
 - Criticism
 - Crosby S. Noyes
- News report
 - CBS
 - Walter L. Cronkite, Jr.
 - Administration response
 - Martin Z. Agronsky
 - Content

Conv. No. 451-12 (cont.)

Vietnam

- Joint interview with [unknown man] and Charles H. Percy
 - Statement
- Edward M. ("Ted") Kennedy
 - Lasky
- Edmund S. Muskie

[Previous PRMPA Personal Returnable (G) withdrawal reviewed under deed of gift 08/07/2019.
Segment cleared for release.]

[Personal Returnable]

[451-012-w002]

[Duration: 1m 6s]

Vietnam

- Edmund S. Muskie

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- John Alston [?]
- View of Edmund S. Muskie's prospects [?]
- Victor Lasky's view
- Comparison to George W. Romney

Conv. No. 451-12 (cont.)

News summary

- Revenue sharing
- President's notes
- Policy line
- Administration position
- Follow-up

Press conference

- Frequency pattern
- Subjects
- Effects
- Effect of surprise appearance by the President
- Frequency
- Questions
- Focus
- Domestic policy
- Environment
- Administration policy

Democratic criticism of administration

- Muskie
- Kennedy
- McGovern

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[Personal Returnable]

[451-012-w001]

[Duration: 5m 14s]

Partisan politics

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- Recent news story [?]
- Use of issues
- Florida
- The President's opinion of unknown individual
- Edmund S. Muskie
 - Labor supporters
 - Lack of strength
- Adlai E. Stevenson, III
- California
- Republican Party
- Democrats
- Nelson A. Rockefeller
- Jacob K. Javits
- James L. Buckley
- John V. Lindsay
- Age of unknown individual
 - Retirement
- Senate qualifications
- New York Republican Party
- Nelson A. Rockefeller
- George W. Wilson
 - Anti-communist
- Mario Procaccino
 - The President's dinner February 18, 1971
- John J. Marchi
- Henry Salvatori
- Republican Party
- Supreme Court

Conv. No. 451-12 (cont.)

Vietnam

- Public relations
 - Conservatives
 - Administration position
 - Laos
 - Cambodia
- Alsop
- Kilpatrick
- James L. Buckley
- Charles W. Colson

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- American Legion
- Veterans of Foreign Wars
- Veterans' groups
- Vietnam veterans
- Administration efforts

Ziegler and Buchanan left at 2:28 pm

Conv. No. 451-12 (cont.)

Wilson Center speech
-Schedule

Haldeman's meeting with unknown man

Haldeman left at 2:32 pm

Conversation No. 451-13

Date: February 18, 1971
Time: Unknown between 2:32 pm and 3:32 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull

Cancellation of meeting
-John D. Ehrlichman and George P. Shultz
-Call from Shultz

Request for Mark I. Goode

Bull left at an unknown time before 3:32 pm

Conversation No. 451-14

Date: February 18, 1971
Time: 3:32 pm
Location: Oval Office

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The President talked with the White House operator

Call to George P. Shultz

Conversation No. 451-15

Date: February 18, 1971
Time: 3:32 pm - 3:40 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Mark I. Goode

Briefing for forthcoming media appearance
-Teleprompter
-Use

[The President talked with George P. Shultz at an unknown time between 3:32 pm and 3:38 pm]

[Conversation No. 451-15A]

National economy
-Inflation
 -Adjustments
 -Briefing
-Prices
 -Food
 -Compared to other prices
-Patrick J. Buchanan
 -News summaries
-Consumer Price Index [CPI]
 -Adjustment
-Wholesale Price Index [WPI]
 -Food
-Rate of investment

Commerce Department story
-Herbert Stein
-Bureau of Labor Statistics

Schedule

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[End of telephone conversation]

The President's schedule

The President and Goode left at 3:40 pm

Conversation No. 451-16

Date: February 18, 1971

Time: Unknown between 3:40 pm and 3:52 pm

Location: Oval Office

Unknown people [Secret Service] met

The President's schedule

The unknown people [Secret Service] left at an unknown time before 3:52 pm

Conversation No. 451-17

Date: February 18, 1971

Time: Unknown between 3:40 pm and 3:52 pm

Location: Oval Office

An unknown woman met with an unknown person

[Previous archivists categorized this section as unintelligible. It has been rereviewed and released 08/05/2019.]

[Unintelligible]

[451-017-w001]

[Duration: 36s]

Candice [surname unknown]'s boyfriend

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The unknown people left at an unknown time before 3:52 pm

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Date: February 18, 1971
Time: 3:52 pm - 3:55 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Mark I. Goode

Filming of the President

- Camera shots
 - Goode's view
 - Angles
 - Ronald H. Walker
- "60 Minutes" film segment taping
 - Morley Safer
 - Introduction
 - Goode's view
 - Questions
 - Camera angles

Forthcoming dinner coverage

- Filming
- Problems
- Chef interview
 - Content
- Lucy A. Winchester
- Filming
 - Various events during the evening
 - Goode's role

Goode left at 3:55 pm

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Date: February 18, 1971
Time: 3:55 pm - 4:52 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with John D. Ehrlichman

[Unintelligible]

Public relations

- Administration efforts
 - William P. Rogers
 - Henry A. Kissinger
- Commerce Department
 - Herbert Stein
 - Statements
 - Problem
- Need for credibility
 - Maurice H. Stans

George P. Shultz entered at an unknown time after 3:55 pm

Commerce Department

- Trade with Soviet Union
 - President's position
 - Stans
 - News summaries
- Stans
 - Peter G. Peterson
 - Kissinger
- Ehrlichman's forthcoming lunch with Rocco C. Siciliano

Department of Commerce

- Stans
 - Administration policies
 - Commerce Department and Labor Department
 - Role

H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman entered at an unknown time after 3:55 pm

- Siciliano

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- Public relations efforts
 - Siciliano's conversation with Stans
 - Results
- Replacement
 - James T. Lynn
 - Role
- Public relations
 - Department of Justice
 - John N. Mitchell
 - Richard G. Kleindienst

Conv. No. 451-19 (cont.)

Domestic economic policy

- Forecasting
- Gross National Product [GNP] figures
- Arthur K. Laffer
 - Econometrics
 - Consumer Price Index [CPI]
 - Adjustments
- Unknown writer
- Milton Friedman forecast
 - Inflation
 - Laffer's model
 - Money supply
- CPI
 - Administrations policies
 - Publicity
 - Figures
- Washington Star*
- National Broadcasting Company [NBC]
- Economic trends
 - Food prices
- Interest rates
 - Mortgage interest rates
- Used car prices
 - New car prices
- Trade bill
 - Trade adjustment assistance
 - Peterson
 - Administration's position on quotas
- Anti-trust
 - Trade bill
 - Mitchell role

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- Administration policy
- Stanley N. Barnes
 - Ehrlichman's conversation
 - Herbert Brownell
 - Dwight D. Eisenhower
 - Richard W. McLaren
 - Mitchell
- John B. Connally Conv. No. 451-19 (cont.)
- President's view
- World-wide applications
 - Airlines
- Need for coherent policy
- George J. Stigler, head of Task Force on Anti-Trust
 - Policy recommendation
 - McLaren
- Mitchell
 - Kleindienst
 - Role
- The President's schedule
 - Quadriad meeting
- Arthur F. Burns
 - Increase money supply/interest rates
 - Balance of payment
 - Interest rates
- Troika meeting
 - Paul W. McCracken
 - Peterson
- Possible meeting with Connally
- David M. Kennedy
- Connally
 - Balance of payments
 - Burns' concerns
 - Peterson
 - American Enterprise Institute [AEI] statement
 - [Forename unknown] Habland [sp?] or Hubler [?]
- Wage and price freeze
 - Burns' views
 - James D. Hodgson
 - Potential problems
 - Effect on construction
 - Unemployment
 - Federal government's \$14 billion in contracts

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- Davis-Bacon Act
 - Building trade
- Stephen D. Bechtel
 - View of Davis-Bacon Act
- Davis-Bacon Act
- Productivity Commission
- Hodgson
 - Apprenticeship rules
- Charles W. Colson
- Hubert H. Humphrey's statements
- George Meany
- Edmund S. Muskie's statements
- Productivity Commission
 - Labor union tactics
- Construction industry
 - Wage increases
 - Effect on public
 - Federal spending
 - State and local government tactics
 - John A. Volpe
 - Effect on employment
- CPI
 - Bureau of Labor Statistics
 - Announcement
 - McCracken
 - Administration efforts
 - Public relations
 - Press briefing
 - Trends
 - Food prices
 - Television statement by the President
 - Shultz
 - Administration policies
 - Public relations
 - Statements
 - William L. Safire
 - Clark MacGregor
 - Effect of statement
 - Economic stimulus
 - [Thomas] Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars speech
 - White House statement
 - Ronald L. Ziegler

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-Washington Star

-Bureau of Labor Statistics role in public relations

Wilson Center speech

-Meeting with Humphrey

-Revenue sharing

Appointment

Conv. No. 451-19 (cont.)

-James C. Fletcher

-National Aeronautics and Space Administration [NASA]

Haldeman left at 4:43 pm

CPI

-Connally and balance of payments

-Burns's role in public relations

-Role

Federal-state/local government relations

-Nelson A. Rockefeller [?]

-Office of Inter-governmental Relations

-Problems

-The Vice President

-Roy Kerderhoff [?]

-Colson

-President's position

-Conversation with the Vice President

-Howard H. Baker, Jr.

-Samuel W. Yorty

-Warren Gorn [?]

-Carl B. Stokes

-Richard G. Lugar

-Rockefeller

-Daniel P. ("Pat") Moynihan

-Davis-Bacon Act

-Administration position

-Statements

-Barber B. Conable, Jr.

-John B. Anderson

-John V. Lindsay

-Funds for New York City

-Problems with revenue sharing

-James H. J. Tate

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- New York City problems
 - Revenue sharing
 - Patrick J. Buchanan
- Romney
- Connally
 - Wilbur D. Mills

Ehrlichman and Shultz left at 4:52 pm

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Conversation No. 451-20

Date: February 18, 1971
Time: 5:10 pm - 5:14 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield

Schedule

- Dedication speech for [Thomas] Woodrow Wilson Center
- Wilson

Butterfield left at 5:14 pm

Conversation No. 451-21

Date: February 18, 1971
Time: Unknown between 5:14 pm and 5:25 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President rehearsed portions of his remarks for the dedication of the [Thomas] Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars

[A transcript of the final version of this speech appears in *Public Papers of the Presidents, Richard M. Nixon, 1971*, pp. 187-189]

Conversation No. 451-22

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Date: February 18, 1971
Time: Unknown between 5:14 pm and 5:25 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull

Schedule
-Henry A. Kissinger

The President and Bull left at 5:25 pm

Conversation No. 451-23

Date: February 18, 1971
Time: 6:16 pm - 6:37 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Henry A. Kissinger

Vietnam
-Military developments
-Troop deployment
-Tactical situation
-Melvin R. Laird
-President's view of war
-Presidential election
-Bombing
-Missions
-Khe Sanh
-Laos
-North Vietnamese losses
-South Vietnamese Army
-Effect

[Previous National Security (B) withdrawal reviewed under MDR guidelines case number LPRN-T-MDR-2014-020. Segment declassified on 10/10/2018. Archivist: MAS]

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Vietnam

- Plan to use Cambodian troops
 - Behind Vietnamese troops
- Lon Nol
 - US occupation

Vietnam

- Troops
 - Reserves
 - General Creighton W. Abrams, Jr.
- Helicopter losses
 - Admiral Thomas H. Moorer
 - Laos operation
- Communist influence in United States' government
 - John W. Gardner
 - Morton H. Halperin
 - William A. K. ("Tony") Lake
 - Edmund S. Muskie
 - Halperin
 - Role on Kissinger's staff
 - Gardner
 - Lyndon B. Johnson's comment
- Kissinger's forthcoming luncheon with John Dutton
- Gardner
- Effect of liberal positions on the war
- South Vietnamese military activity
 - Laos
 - Progress
 - Future prospects

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

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VIETNAM, ITALY

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

Conv. No. 451-23 (cont.)

The Vice President

- Possible foreign trip
- President's view
- Priority
- Laos operation

Vietnam

- Kissinger's conversation with Joseph C. Kraft
- President compared with Democrats
- Hubert H. Humphrey
- 1968 election
- Danger of radicals on policy
- George C. Wallace
- Ronald W. Reagan

Peace prospects

- Kissinger's suggestions
- Forthcoming meeting with Le Duc Tho
- Withdrawal
- Cease-fire
- Prospects
- Bombing
- General Nguyen Van Thieu agreement

Kissinger left at 6:37 pm

Conversation No. 451-24

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Date: February 18, 1971
 Time: 6:40 pm - 7:27 pm
 Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield

Schedule

- Ronald L. Ziegler and discussion groups
- Henry Salvatori
- Unknown Lieutenant Governor

Conv. No. 451-23 (cont.)

H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman entered at 6:45 pm

- State dinner
 - Entertainment
 - Guests

Letters to be signed
 Schedule for 2/19

Butterfield left at 6:50 pm

[Thomas] Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars speech

- Coverage of the President's speech
 - Washington, DC press
- Dean Francis B. Sayre's comments
- Length
 - William L. Safire

Public relations

- Speeches
 - Benefits of short speeches
 - Television
 - Richard A. Moore
 - Role
 - Ziegler
 - Television
 - Wilson Center speech
 - Alvin Snyder
 - Herbert G. Klein
 - Safire
 - Raymond K. Price, Jr.

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- Columbia Broadcasting System [CBS]
- John D. Ehrlichman
- George P. Shultz
- Peter M. Flanigan
- John N. Mitchell
- Peter G. Peterson and Ehrlichman
 - Efforts
- John B. Connally
 - Importance
 - Role
- Speech revision
- State of Union speech
- Press conferences
 - The President's handling
 - Franklin D. Roosevelt's handling
 - Safire and Leonard Garment [?]
 - Preparation
- Connally
- Press conference preparation
- Moore's advice
 - Speech content
 - Anecdotes

Conv. No. 451-24 (cont.)

Butterfield entered at 7:20 pm

- Speech material
 - Politics and the Presidency
 - President's parents

Ziegler entered at 7:21 pm

Schedule

- Dwight L. Chapin

White House State dinner

- Entertainment

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White House State dinner
-Emilio Colombo

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White House State dinner
-Schedule

Dwight D. Eisenhower's speeches

Lyndon B. Johnson's domestic policy
-Compared to John F. Kennedy
-Democrats
-Daniel P. ("Pat") Moynihan
-President's policy

[Previous archivists categorized this section as unintelligible. It has been rereviewed and released 08/07/2019.]

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Speech at Wilson Center
-Unknown member of Congress
-Teacher at university

Speech at Wilson Center
-Ziegler's analysis
-Press comments
-Dissemination
-Educational television

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- Schools
- Content
- Public relations
 - Haldeman's comments
 - White House efforts
 - President's instructions

The President, *et al.* left at 7:27 pm

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