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Tape Subject Log
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Conversation No. 597-1

Date: October 20, 1971
Time: Unknown between 9:05 am and 9:17 am
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with an unknown person [H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman ?]

Frederic V. Malek

Conversation No. 597-2

Date: October 20, 1971
Time: 9:17 am - 9:25 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman and Frederic V. Malek.

Appointments
-Women lawyers
-Jayne B. Spain

Telephone call from the Attorney General

Woman appointees
-Judges
-Unidentified woman

John N. Mitchell talked with the President between 9:19 am and 9:25 am.

[Conversation No. 597-2A]

[See Conversation No. 11-157; two items have been withdrawn from the conversation]

Haldeman and Malek left at 9:19 am.

[End of telephone conversation]

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Conversation No. 597-3

Date: October 20, 1971
 Time: 9:28 am - 12:20 pm
 Location: Oval Office

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

Congress

- Wayne L. Hays
 - Unknown event
 - Secret Service uniformed policeman
 - North Atlantic Treaty Organization [NATO] meeting
 - Voting record
- Harry S. Dent
- William E. Timmons
- Hays
 - Guest list for White House function
 - Clark MacGregor
 - Josip Broz Tito dinner
 - White House police
 - Reaction
- Michael J. Mansfield amendment
 - Charles W. Whalen, Jr.
 - Republican
 - Supporters of Administration's position
 - Democrats
- Dent's activities
 - Democrats
 - O. Clark Fisher
- The President's endorsement
 - Democrats
 - Vietnam War
 - House of Representatives
 - George H. Mahon
 - David N. Henderson
 - North Carolina
 - Leslie C. Arends
- Robert C. Wilson
 - Employees
- Incumbents
- Dent

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- Senate candidates
 - Financing
 - Support for the Administration

Supreme Court appointments

- Leaks
- American Bar Association [ABA]
- John D. Ehrlichman's staff
- The President's role
- G. Harrold Carswell
- Leaks
 - State Department
 - Henry A. Kissinger's office
 - Economic program example
 - The President's candidate
- John N. Mitchell
 - Philadelphia
- ABA
- The President's announcement
 - Television

The President's schedule

- Florida

John B. Connally's schedule

- Texas
- California
 - Bankers meeting in San Francisco
- Ranch
- Possible meeting with the President for October 26, 1971

The President's schedule

- Possible press conference, October 27, 1971
- Kissinger's return
 - Paris
- Press conference
 - Vietnam
 - Soviet announcement
- Meeting with Kissinger, October 25, 1971
- Budget meeting, October 26, 1971
- Meeting with Ehrlichman, October 26, 1971

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- Connally
- Nobusuke Kishi
 - Textile Agreement
 - Forthcoming meeting with the President
- William P. Rogers and George H. W. Bush, October 21, 1971
- Kishi
 - White House dinner
 - Alexander M. Haig, Jr.
- Bush
- Kishi

Unknown White House staff member [Connally ?]

- Compared with the White House staff members
 - Bryce N. Harlow
 - Robert P. Mayo

The President's schedule

- The President's work habits
- Pace
- Visitors
 - Jack Pardee
 - Maxie Baughan
 - Public relations
- Open door office hour
 - Previous meeting with Multiple Sclerosis Society
 - Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon
- Kishi
 - Dinner
 - Mrs. Nixon
 - Republican Women Reception
 - Blair House
 - F Street Club
 - John S.D. Eisenhower
 - Peter G. Peterson
 - David M. Kennedy
 - Foreign Service
 - Rogers
 - State Department
 - Marshall Green
 - Rogers
 - U. Alexis Johnson

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- Members of Congress
- Japanese Ambassador
- Haig
- Kishi's party
- Mitchell
- Arthur F. Burns
- George P. Shultz
- Paul W. McCracken
- Ezra Solomon
- Time, dress
- Entrance
 - Music
 - Honor guard
 - Photographers
- Connally
 - Schedule
 - Texas
 - Wright Patman

Connally

- Lyndon B. Johnson
- Health

The President's schedule

- Kishi dinner
 - Maurice H. Stans
 - Peterson
 - David M. Kennedy
 - Interpreters
- Winton M. ("Red") Blount
 - Postal situation
 - Board of Governors
- Kishi
 - Timing of dinner
- Republican woman
- Kishi
- Unknown location
 - Florida
 - Haldeman's schedule
- Proposed meeting with Peter H. B. Frelinghuysen
 - India, Pakistan, Greece

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- Frelinghuysen's visit
 - Haig
 - Agha Sadruddin Khan
 - United Nations [UN] High Commission for Refugees
 - Pakistani refugees
 - UN
 - US response
 - Public relations
 - Rogers
 - Kissinger
 - Francis L. Kellogg
 - The President's view
 - Vietnam veterans
 - South Vietnam
 - Hospitals
 - Charles W. Colson, Haig, Herbert G. Klein, John A. Scali, Ronald L. Ziegler
 - Colson
 - Possible press coverage
 - Thomas Vail
 - Klein, Ziegler
 - Interview
 - Kishi
 - Klein
 - National Catholic Youth Organization Federation
 - Director, Catholic Youth Activity
 - Monsignor Leonard
 - Sheraton-Park Hotel
 - Officers
 - Crown Prince of Ethiopia
 - The President's view
 - The President's forthcoming trip to the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics [USSR]
- Secretary of Agriculture appointment
- John C. Whitaker
 - Possible candidates
 - Criteria
 - Henry L. Bellmon
 - Earl L. Butz
 - Norbert ("Bobby") Tieman
 - Harlow
 - Louie B. Nunn

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- Butz
 - The President's view
- Bellmon
 - Mitchell's view
 - Senate seat
 - Edmond Edmonson
 - [Forename unknown] Wilkinson
 - David E. Bartlett
 - Mitchell's view
 - Qualifications
- Butz
- Tieman
- Harlow
- Nunn
- Butz
 - The President's view
 - Bellmon
 - Farm Bureau
 - Vocation
 - Clifford M. Hardin
 - Age
 - Experience
- Harlow
 - Bellmon
 - Clarence D. Palmby
 - Butz
- Hardin
 - Palmby
- Butz
 - Bellmon
 - Palmby
- Unintelligible name
 - Democrats
 - Fred R. Harris
 - Edmondson
 - Bellmon
 - Bartlett
 - Wilkinson

The President's schedule

-Vail

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- Interviews
- Dinner

Mrs. Nixon's schedule

- Marilyn B. ("Missy") Chandler [Mrs. Otis Chandler]
- Arts Council
- F Street Club
- JoAnn (Horton) Haldeman

Secretary of Agriculture appointment

- Possible candidates
 - Bellmon
 - Mitchell
 - Butz
 - Robert R. Spitzer
 - Whitaker
 - Hyde Murray
- Bellmon
- Palmby
- Butz
- Bellmon
- Whitaker
- Palmby
- Harlow
 - Farmers
 - Farm states
- Butz
 - Vocation
 - Bellmon
 - Harlow, Thomas Hart
- Bellmon

The President talked with White House operator at an unknown time between 9:25 am and 10:23 am.

[Conversation No. 597-3A]

[See Conversation No. 11-158]

[End of telephone conversation]

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Cabinet appointment

- Harlow
- Connally
 - Qualifications
- Bellmon

Cabinet

- Rogers
- Connally
 - Support for the President
 - Statements
- Jack J. Valenti

The President talked with Bryce N. Harlow between 10:23 am and 10:35 am.

[Conversation No. 597-3B]

[See Conversation No. 11-159]

[End of telephone conversation]

Secretary of Agriculture appointment

- Butz
 - Mitchell
 - Harlow
 - Ezra Taft Benson
- Bellmon

Appointment to the UN

- Haldeman's conversation with Rogers
- Andrew F. Brimmer
 - Ralph Bunche
- U Thant
 - Successor

Ziegler entered at 10:35 am.

Supreme Court appointments

- Relations with the news media
- Mitchell's schedule
 - Philadelphia

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- Timing of announcement
- Selections
- Mitchell
- Names under consideration
 - ABA
- Timing of announcement
 - ABA
- ABA
 - Possible veto power
 - Name submissions
 - Warren E. Burger
 - Mitchell
 - Mildred L. Lillie and Herschel H. Friday
 - The President's position

News media's actions

- People's Republic of China [PRC] trip
 - Economic policy
 - Soviet trip

Supreme Court appointments

- ABA
 - Burger
 - Press
- Timing of announcement

Nobel Peace Prize

- Willy Brandt
 - Announcement
 - The President's view
 - Soviets
 - Kissinger
 - Rogers
 - Gerard C. Smith
- Brandt

Relations with the media

- Mary McGrory
 - Kissinger
 - Peking
- Peter Lisagor

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- Klein, Scali
- New York Times*
- Lisagor
- Klein, Scali
- Robert B. Semple, Jr.
- Kissinger
 - Joseph A. Kraft
- Lisagor
 - Martin Z. Agronsky's television show
- Ziegler's schedule, October 19, 1971
 - Theodore H. White
 - Press
- Lisagor
- John F. Osborne
- Lisagor
- Klein
- Bill Potter of *Baltimore Sun*
- Lisagor
 - Klein
 - Ziegler's relationship with Lisagor
 - [Forename unknown] Sutherland
- The President's schedule for 1972
 - White House correspondents' dinner
 - Gridiron dinner
 - Cabinet officers
 - Supreme Court
 - White House photographers' dinner
 - Entertainment
 - Lyndon B. Johnson
- Ziegler's relationship with the press
 - Newsweek*, *Los Angeles Times*
 - Marty Schram
 - Los Angeles Times*
 - Newsday* magazine
 - PRC trip
 - Priorities
 - Wire services
 - Magazines
 - Television
 - New York Times*
 - Associated Press [AP], United Press International [UPI]

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Ziegler left at 10:58 am.

Employment

- Jonathan C. Rose
 - California
 - Office of Management and Budget [OMB]
 - Federal employment reduction
 - Department of Defense
 - Personnel policies
- Public broadcasting
- Peace Corps
- Rose
- Department of Health, Education and Welfare [HEW], Department of Housing and Urban Development [HUD], Department of Transportation, Peace Corps
- Defense
- Shultz
- Budget cuts

Eliot Janeway

- Comments

Personnel

- Burns
 - Kissinger
- Connally
- Stans
- Donald H. Rumsfeld
- Governors, Senate
- Flanigan
 - Talent survey
- Frederic V. Malek's work
- Gordon Gray
- Talent searches
 - Chicago, Los Angeles, St. Louis, Detroit

Textile Agreement

- Peterson
- Media's opinion
- Administration's tactics
- Rogers

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- Stans
- Kennedy
- Peterson
- Kissinger

US foreign policy

- Rogers
 - Trip
 - Kissinger
 - USSR
 - Andrei A. Gromyko
 - PRC
 - USSR
 - Kissinger
 - Haig and Dwight L. Chapin
 - John H. Holdridge And Chapin
- Stans
- USSR
 - Kissinger
- PRC
 - Personnel for trip
 - Congressmen
- USSR
 - Visit by governors
 - Mansfield
 - Hugh Scott
 - Senate
- Haig
 - Rogers
 - Stans
- Rogers
 - USSR trip
 - Kissinger
 - Media
 - Washington Star* story
 - Haldeman's conversation with Haig
- Kissinger
 - Impact on US foreign policy
 - Nixon's role
 - PRC, USSR
 - Romania

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- Vietnam
- Bombing

Ziegler entered at 11:14 am.

Possible media inquiry

- Brandt
- Haig's view
- Nobel Peace prize
- The President's reaction

Ziegler left at 11:16 am.

The President's schedule

- Forthcoming meeting with Ehrlichman
- John R. Price, Jr.
- Proposed radio address for veterans
- Robert Allen
 - Rose Mary Woods
 - Responses to question
- Media
 - The President's relations with reporters
 - Woods
- Robert H. Abplanalp
- Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo
- Ehrlichman
 - Tax cut

US foreign policy

- Haig
 - Rogers
 - Moscow trip plans
 - Haldeman's forthcoming conversation
- Rogers
 - Possible trip to USSR
 - Stans
 - Trade
 - Kissinger

H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman talked with an unknown person at an unknown time between 11:16 am and 11:23 am.

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[Conversation No. 597-3C]

Talking papers

[End of telephone conversation]

Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 11:16 am.

Meeting with Haig

Bull left at an unknown time before 11:23 am.

Media impressions

- The President's conversation with Harlow Mitchell
- Comments about the President
 - The President's physical appearance
 - Health
 - Comparisons
 - Johnson
 - John F. Kennedy
 - Dwight D. Eisenhower
 - Health
 - Franklin D. Roosevelt
 - Portrait of Dorian Gray

Haig entered at 11:23 am.

The President's trip to the USSR

- Rogers
 - Kissinger
- Washington Star* story on Sunday October 17, 1971
 - Story on foreign policy credits by George Sherman
 - Kissinger
 - PRC, Romania
 - Rogers
 - Haig's conversation with Kissinger
- Kissinger
 - Connally
 - Schedule

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- Rogers
 - Kissinger
 - Moscow
 - Compared with Kissinger in Peking
 - The President's view
 - Kissinger
 - Leonid I. Brezhnev
 - Anatoliy F. Dobrynin
 - The President's view
 - Trade talks in Moscow
 - Stans
 - Brezhnev
 - Dobrynin
 - Timing
 - NATO meeting
 - PRC trip
 - Moscow trip
 - Advance staff
 - Jacob D. Beam
 - Stans
- US relations with USSR
 - Kissinger's involvement
 - Middle East
 - Dobrynin
 - Rogers
 - Possible visit
 - Soviet view
 - European Security Conference
 - NATO
- Rogers
 - Dobrynin
 - Martin J. Hillenbrand
 - Gromyko
 - Middle East
 - European Security Conference
 - Kissinger
 - NATO
 - The President's view
 - Other negotiations
 - Dobrynin's contacts with administration
 - European Security Conference

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- Europeans
 - Brandt
 - Time* magazine
 - Man of the Year
 - The President's view
 - Nobel Prize
 - Martin Luther King, Jr.
- Possible Soviet Summit
 - Secretary of State's role
 - The President's view
 - Kissinger
 - Robert H. Finch
 - Latin America
 - Connally
 - Asia
 - Vice President Spiro T. Agnew
 - Greece
 - European countries
- Preliminary work for Four-power meeting
 - NATO
 - British position
 - Paris meeting
- Possible European tour
 - Consultations with allies
- Possible Latin American consultations
 - Finch
 - Brazil, Venezuela
 - Brazilia
 - Mexico City
- Haig's assignment
 - Kissinger
- Possible Latin American venture
 - Timing
 - Surcharge
 - Kissinger
 - Charles A. Meyer
 - The President's view
 - Rogers's role
 - Finch
 - Haig's responsibility
 - Meyer

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- Haldeman
- Organization of American States [OAS]
- Emilio Garrastazu Medici
 - Visit to US
 - Brazil
 - Brazilia
 - Rio de Janeiro
- Possible European tour
 - NATO meeting
 - Kissinger
- Possible Presidential meeting with Western European leaders
 - Timing
 - Haig's view
 - Moscow trip
 - Peking trip
 - Rogers
 - Georges J.R. Pompidou
 - Kissinger
 - Ecuador
 - Fishing nights
- Role of the State Department
- Africa
 - Latin America
 - Organization of African Unity [OAU]
 - The President's view
 - Mrs. Nixon's forthcoming trip
 - Liberia
- Asia
 - Connally
- European meeting
 - Haig's conversation with Kissinger
 - NATO
 - Kissinger
 - Security Conference
 - Strategic Arms Limitation Treaty [SALT]
 - Pompidou
 - Belgium, Holland, Greece, Turkey
 - British
 - Walter H. Annenberg
 - Paris
 - US embassy

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- Pompidou
 - Arthur K. Watson
 - Rogers
 - Paris
- Latin America
 - Rogers
 - Finch

Forthcoming UN vote on Taiwan

- US actions
- Greeks
 - Agnew's actions
- Turks
- Venezuela
 - Oil exports
- Argentina
- Haig's assessment
- Bush
- Ghana
- Israel
 - Yitzhak Rabin
- Rogers

Haig left at 11:58 am.

Rogers

- European Security Conference
 - The President's view
 - Kissinger
- Travel plans
 - Europe, Latin America

The President's schedule

- Europe
 - Big Four
 - Rogers
 - Holland
 - Luxembourg
 - NATO

Rogers

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-Melvin R. Laird

Latin America

- Democrats possible issue
- Colombia, Venezuela, Mexico

US foreign policy

- Latin America
 - Possible Presidential trip
 - Mexico
- Canada
 - Possible Presidential trip
 - Alekssei N. Kosygin's visit
 - Demonstrations
 - The President's possible schedule
 - USSR
 - PRC
 - Length of trip
 - Official dinner
 - Itinerary
 - Kosygin's visit
 - Foreign visitors to the US
 - Soviets
 - Tito
 - Washington
 - Los Angeles
 - European trip
 - Rogers
 - Kissinger
 - Democrats issues
 - Latin America

Economy

- School milk
 - Casper W. Weinberger, George P. Shultz
 - Parents' ability to pay
- Burns
 - Connally
 - Invitation to White House dinner
 - Connally
 - Federal Reserve Board [FRB] appointment

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- Connally
- Unknown man from Texas
- Connally's view

Personnel

- Romana A. Banuelos
- Senate confirmation
- Harris
- Vance Hartke
- Los Angeles Times*

Los Angeles Times news service

- AP
- UPI

US foreign policy

- Soviet trip
 - Kissinger
 - Rogers
- The President's forthcoming meeting with Chou En-lai
 - The President's instructions
 - Kissinger
 - Rogers
 - Kissinger
 - The President's instructions
 - Haig
 - Mao Tse-tung
 - Interpreters

Haldeman left at 12:20 pm.

Conversation No. 597-4

Date: October 20, 1971

Time: Unknown between 12:20 pm and 12:30 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with an unknown person.

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Conv. No. 597-4 (cont.)

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

The unknown person and the President left at 12:30 pm.

Conversation No. 597-5

Date: October 20, 1971
Time: Unknown between 12:30 pm and 11:59 pm
Location: Oval Office

Unknown people met.

Job assignments

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

The unknown people left at an unknown time before 11:59 pm.