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Tape Subject Log
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Conversation No. 828-17

Date: December 27, 1972
Time: Unknown between 8:47 am and 9:20 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

The President's schedule
-Meeting with a secretary

Bull left at an unknown time before 9:20 am.

Conversation No. 828-1

Date: December 27, 1972
Time: Unknown between 8:47 am and 9:20 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with an unknown woman.

Copies of memoranda
-Talking papers
-H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman
-The President
-Memoranda for the file
-Attachments

The unknown woman left at an unknown time before 9:20 am.

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Conversation No. 828-2

Date: December 27, 1972

Time: Unknown between 8:47 am and 9:20 am

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

The President's schedule

- Harry S. Truman memorial service
 - Plans
 - Confirmation
 - Bull's telephone conversation with an unknown person
 - Itinerary
 - Time on ground
 - Richards Gebaur Air Force Base
 - Bess (Wallace) Truman
- December 27-30, 1972
 - Appointments
 - Speeches, messages
 - Telephone calls
 - Camp David
 - Residence
- Items for the President's signature
 - Alexander P. Butterfield
 - Frequency
- Staff meetings
 - George P. Shultz
- Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon's schedule
 - Camp David
 - Rose Bowl

Bull left at an unknown time before 9:20 am.

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Conversation No. 828-3

Date: December 27, 1972
Time: Unknown between 8:47 am and 9:20 am
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with an unknown person.

The President's schedule
-Meeting with Col. Richard T. Kennedy
-Location
-Oval Office

Conversation No. 828-4

Date: December 27, 1972
Time: Unknown between 8:47 am and 9:20 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Marjorie P. Acker.

Rose Mary Woods's schedule
-Ohio
-Return

Letter to W[illiam] Stuart Symington
-First names
-Evelyn (Wadsworth) Symington
-Bryce N. Harlow
-Signature

Woods left at an unknown time before 9:20 am.

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Conversation No. 828-5

Date: December 27, 1972

Time: Unknown between 8:47 am and 10:12 am

Location: Oval Office

The President dictated a memorandum to H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman.

Instructions

- Talking paper
- Original and copies

The President's schedule

- [Presentation of mementos]

The President replayed the dictation.

The President resumed the dictation.

The President's schedule

- Presentation of mementos
- Cessation
 - Cabinet Room, Oval Office
 - Guidelines
 - Commonness
 - Appreciation
 - 1973
 - Routine

Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 8:47 am.

The President's schedule

- Meeting with Col. Richard T. Kennedy

Bull left at an unknown time before 9:20 am.

[The President resumed his dictation]

The President's schedule

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-January 20, 1973

[This memorandum continues as Conversation No. 828-6]

Kennedy entered at 9:20 am.

Henry A. Kissinger's and Alexander M. Haig, Jr.'s schedule

Haig's health

- Tiredness
- Puerto Rico
- Age
- Physical fitness

Kissinger's health

- Work habits
 - Energy
 - Negotiations
 - Temper
- Winston S. Churchill
 - Naps
- Handling of staff

Vietnam War

- US bombing north of 20th Parallel
 - B-52s
 - Reports
 - Number
 - December 26, 1972
 - Losses
 - North Vietnam's claims
 - Accuracy
 - Damage
 - Losses
 - Tactics
 - Targets
 - The President's conversations with Kissinger
 - [Hanoi]
 - Defenses

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Conversation No. 828-5 (cont'd)

- Percentages
 - Estimates
- Defenses
- Tactics
 - Targets
 - Time
 - Waves
 - Number per day
 - Directions
 - Fighter cover
 - MIGCAP [Anti-Mikoyen and Gurevich Combat Air Patrol]
 - Iron Hand aircraft
 - Electronic countermeasures [ECM]
 - Intensity of air traffic
- Tactical Air [TACAIR] sorties
 - Number
 - Weather
 - Electronic guidance
 - Long Range Airborne Navigation [LORAN]
 - Visual bombing
 - F-4s and PATHFINDERS
 - A-7s
 - Accuracy
 - Compared to visual bombing
 - Laser guidance
 - Weather
- Weather
 - People Republic of China [PRC]
 - B-52s
 - Expectations
 - North Vietnam
 - February, March 1973
 - Washington Special Actions Group [WSAG]
 - Monsoons
- December 26, 1972
- December 27, 1972
 - Number of sorties
 - Targets
 - Timing

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Conversation No. 828-5 (cont'd)

- TACAIR sorties
 - Number
 - Targets
 - Timing
 - Weather
 - Cancellation
 - Changes
- Aircraft losses
 - F-4s

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

[National security]

[Duration: 3s]

[Subject: Intelligence]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

- MIG-21s
- Search and Rescue [SAR]
 - Helicopter
 - Laos
 - Crew
 - MIG-21s

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

[National security]

[Duration: 2s]

[Subject: Intelligence]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

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Conversation No. 828-5 (cont'd)

- Attacks on MIG fields
 - Soviet Union
 - Location
 - Hanoi
 - Northwest
- Destruction of cities
 - Hanoi
 - Effect
 - World War II damage
 - Germany, Italy
 - The President's trip to Germany, 1947
 - Essen
 - Krupps plant
 - Berlin
 - Soviet Union
 - Living conditions
- Power plants and grids damage
 - Hanoi, Haiphong
 - Lights
 - Gasoline generators
- Shipyard damage
 - Haiphong
- Vehicle repair shops
 - Hanoi
 - Photographs
- Rail yards damage
 - Rolling stock damage
 - Disruptive effect
- Federal civilians' morale
 - WSAG
 - Cambodia
 - National Security Council [NSC]
- Negotiations
 - Resumption
 - Timing
 - January 8, 1973
 - North Vietnam's offer, December 26, 1972
 - Publicity
 - The President's conversation with Kissinger

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Conversation No. 828-5 (cont'd)

- William H. Sullivan
 - Press relations
 - Newspapers
 - “Doves”
 - Cessation of US bombing north of 20th Parallel
 - Announcement
 - Cessation of US bombing north of 20th Parallel
 - December 31, 1972
 - January 8, 1973
 - The President’s conversation with Kissinger
 - Congressional relations
 - Reconvention
 - Pre-January 1, 1973
 - Experts meeting
 - Issues
 - Demilitarized Zone [DMZ]
 - Signing problem
 - Four parties
 - People’s Revolutionary Government [PRG]
 - Nguyen Van Thieu
 - Possible statement
 - Recognition of juridical right as a government
 - Changes
- Resumption of war
 - North Vietnam’s capacity and determination
 - Resiliency
 - The President’s May 8, 1972 decision
 - Tempo of war
 - Spring offensive
 - Soviet Union, PRC
- Thieu
 - Legalistic position
 - Withdrawal of North Vietnamese troops from South Vietnam
 - Survival of government
 - Elections
 - Attitude, credibility
 - North Vietnam’s position

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Conversation No. 828-5 (cont'd)

- 1954, 1962 Geneva Conferences
- Surrender
- South Vietnam
 - US sea, air, ground power
 - Army
 - Will
- Will
 - North Vietnam
 - South Vietnam
 - Response to North Vietnam's offensive, Summer 1972
 - The President's May 8, 1972 decision
 - Effect
 - Trieuphong
 - Quang Tri
 - US role
 - Dependence
 - Decisions
 - North Vietnam
 - Soviet Union and PRC aid
 - Moral and material support
 - Lessons for US
 - US relations with allies
 - Paternalism
 - Communists
 - People's liberation movement
 - Korean War
 - Duration
 - “Gooks”
 - The President's experience as Senator
 - Gen. James A. Van Fleet
 - South Koreans
 - Toughness
 - Relations with US
 - Negotiations
 - Settlement agreement
 - North Vietnam's demands
 - Future of South Vietnam
 - Congressional relations
 - Cut off of US aid

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Conversation No. 828-5 (cont'd)

- Thieu
 - Meeting with Haig
 - The President's letter
- Kissinger
 - North Vietnam
 - South Vietnam
 - Leaks
- North Vietnam
 - South Vietnam
 - Thieu
 - US costs
- US bombing north of 20th Parallel
 - Safety of aircraft crews
 - Parachutes
 - B-52s
 - Losses
 - Surface to air missile [SAM]
 - Hanoi
 - POWs
 - Duration of bombing campaign
 - Size
 - Bombs
 - Stability
 - Control
 - Utapao Air Force base
 - Lending efforts
 - Survivors
 - Casualties
 - Damage
 - Number
 - Landings
 - Repair
 - Number
 - Replacements
- Negotiations
 - Resumption
 - North Vietnam's offer
 - Rhetoric
 - Experts, principals meetings

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- Settlement agreement
 - Kissinger
- Effect of bombing
- Lack of conditions
- Cessation of US bombing north of 20th Parallel
 - Timing
 - US messages
- Tone
- Breakdown
 - Resumption of US bombing north of 20th Parallel
 - North Vietnam's intransigence
 - Record
- Public relations [PR]
 - Kissinger's briefing
 - Debate
 - North Vietnam
 - Discontent
 - Demonstration, Christmas 1972
 - Ground warfare
 - Television [TV]
 - Disappointment
 - Expectations
 - Laos [Lam Son], 1971
 - Timing
 - Congressional relations
 - Christmas
 - Press relations
 - Christmas
 - Football
- Press relations
 - Network requests for Hanoi photographs
 - Columbia Broadcasting System [CBS]
 - National Broadcasting Company [NBC]
 - Bomb damage
 - Editorials and news stories
 - Process
 - US bombing north of 20th Parallel
 - Failure, success
 - Access

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- Availability of new material
 - NSC
 - US Information Agency [USIA]
 - Washington Post*
 - 1972 campaign
 - Editorials and news stories
 - Process
- US bombing north of 20th Parallel
 - B-52s
 - Number
 - North
 - Follow up attacks
 - Psychological effect
 - Targets
 - Bomb damage assessments
 - Military, strategic effects
 - World War II
 - Germany, Japan
- Psychological warfare
 - Use of radio
 - Leaflets
 - Ecology
 - Themes
 - Negotiations
 - Breakdown
 - Resumption
 - Cadre
 - South Vietnam
 - North Vietnamese government
 - Peace
 - Victory
 - Purpose of leaflets
 - Questioning of cadres
 - Effect
- Radio themes
 - Peace
- WSAG meetings
 - Central Intelligence Agency [CIA]
 - Richard M. Helms

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Conversation No. 828-5 (cont'd)

- Schedule
 - Lt. Gen. Vernon A. Walters
 - State Department
 - U. Alexis Johnson
 - William J. Porter
 - Defense Department
 - William P. Clements, Jr.
 - Confirmation
 - [David] Kenneth Rush
 - State Department
 - Effectiveness
- Nicaragua earthquake relief
- Engineer company
 - Airlift
 - Firefighting
 - Debris moving
 - Water purification
 - Plants
 - Engineers
 - Firefighting
 - Population
 - Movement
 - Epidemic control
 - Field hospitals
 - Medical supplies
 - Food supplies
 - Ships
 - Guatemala
 - Wheat, flour, rolled oats
 - Refugees
 - Epidemic control
 - Deaths
 - Estimate
 - Compared to Peru
 - Homeless
 - Managua
 - Destruction
 - Reconstruction

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Conversation No. 828-5 (cont'd)

-Location

-Anastasio Somoza Debayle

-Fault

-Previous earthquakes

-US efforts

Disaster relief

-Romania

-Yugoslavia

-Peru

-Bangladesh

-Iran

-Earthquakes

-Distribution and collection

-Voluntary agencies

-House of Representatives

-Title II, Public Law [PL] 480

-Church World Services

-World Health Organization [WHO]

-Cut off

-Foreign policy

-Appropriations

-Management problems

-Merit

-Nicaragua earthquake relief

-Red Cross

-Church groups

-Federal government's role

-Supplements

-Food

Vietnam War

-Press relations

-Network requests for Hanoi photographs

-Bomb damage

-Editorials and news stories

-US bombing north of 20th Parallel

-B-52s

-Number

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Conversation No. 828-5 (cont'd)

- Losses
- Timing
- Tactics
 - Timing
 - Effect
 - Radar

Kennedy left at 10:12 am.

Conversation No. 828-6

Date: December 27, 1972
Time: Unknown between 10:12 am and 10:44 am
Location: Oval Office

The President replayed a portion of his dictated memorandum to H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman.

[This is a continuation of Conversation No. 828-5]

The President resumed dictation.

- The President's schedule
 - Meetings with foreign leaders
 - Timing
 - Vietnam War
 - Henry A. Kissinger
 - Meeting with George P. Shultz
 - The President's conversation with Shultz
 - Timing
 - Tax and trade policy
 - Meeting with John D. Ehrlichman
 - The President's conversation with Ehrlichman
 - Domestic initiatives
 - Timing
 - Meetings with Shultz and Ehrlichman
 - Cabinet meeting
 - Timing

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Conversation No. 828-6 (cont'd)

- Attendance
- Congressional leadership meeting
 - Timing
 - Republicans
- Bipartisan meetings
 - Frequency
 - Vietnam War
 - Meeting with Michael J. Mansfield
 - The President's conversation with Mansfield
 - Timing
 - Republican leadership meeting
 - William E. Timmons's recommendation
 - Reorganization plans
 - Ehrlichman's recommendations
- Meetings
 - Exceptions
- Master schedule
 - January-June 1973

Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 10:12 am.

Copy of memorandum

Memoranda

- Kissinger
- Mailing

The President's schedule

- Meeting with Clay T. ("Tom") Whitehead
 - Charles W. Colson
 - Timing
- Meetings
 - Postponement
 - The President's dictated memorandum to Haldeman
 - 1973 Inauguration

Bull left at an unknown time before 10:44 am.

The President replayed a portion of his dictation.

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Conversation No. 828-6 (cont'd)

The President resumed dication.

The President's schedule

-Master schedule

-January-June 1973

-Heads of State visits

-Foreign trips

-Europe

-Stag dinners

-Maurice H. Stans

-Evenings at the White House

-1972 campaign

-State dinner

-1972 campaign

-Contributors

-Church services

-Press conferences

-Trips

-Domestic

-Foreign

-White House correspondents, Gridiron dinners

-Vice President Spiro T. Agnew

-Political people

-Kissinger

-Ehrlichman

-George P. Shultz

-Timmons

-Breakfasts, lunches, dinners, briefings

-Political people

-Second term

-Special interests

-Haldeman's conversations with Ehrlichman, Timmons, Shultz,
Kissinger, George H. W. Bush and Stans

-Labor and ethnic groups

-Haldeman's conversation with Colson

-John B. Connally

-1972 campaign

-Contributors, political people

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Conversation No. 828-6 (cont'd)

- Committee to Re-elect the President [CRP]
- Colson-Connally group
- Congress, governors, mayors
- Ehrlichman
- Administration personnel
- Celebrities
- Media
- Presidential Commission
 - President's Foreign Intelligence Advisory Board [PFIAB]
- Cabinet Room
 - Use
 - Productivity Commission
 - Labor
 - Administration personnel

The President changed dictabelt tapes.

[Begin segment reviewed under deed of gift]

[Pause]

[End segment reviewed under deed of gift]

The President's dictated memorandum to Haldeman

- Introduction to second part
- Previous tape

The President resumed dictation.

The President's schedule

- Planning by Haldeman
 - Master schedule
 - Telephone calls
 - First term
 - Colson

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Conversation No. 828-6 (cont'd)

- Timmons
- Harry S. Dent

The President replayed a portion of his dictation.

The President resumed dictation.

The President's schedule

- Master schedule
 - Telephone calls
 - Colson
 - Dent
 - Effectiveness
 - White House social affairs
 - Dinners
 - Stans
 - Financial contributors
 - Government officials
 - Clark MacGregor's recommendations
 - Priorities
 - Number per day
 - Recommendations
 - Birthdays, anniversaries
 - Parties
 - Letters

National Security Council [NSC] staff

- Second term reorganization
 - Cuts
 - Haldeman's possible meeting with Kissinger
 - List
 - Loyalists
 - Departments
 - Retentions
 - Priorities
 - White House
 - Direction of effort
 - Handling of problem
 - The President's role

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-Report from Haldeman

Second term reorganization

-Intelligence

-Memorandum from Ehrlichman

-Dr. James R. Schlesinger's report

-Schlesinger's role vis-à-vis Kissinger's role

-Instruction for Haldeman

-Authority

-NSC

-Congressional relations

-Central Intelligence Agency [CIA]

-Kissinger's schedule

-Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

-The President's efforts

-Schlesinger's report

-Implementation

-Kissinger's relationship with Haig

-PFIAB

-Haldeman's possible meetings with Kissinger, Ehrlichman and Schlesinger

-Management

-Ehrlichman's recommendation

-Roy L. Ash

-Independent study

-Recommendation

-Schlesinger's memorandum

-Weakness

-Haldeman's conversations

-Overlap in functions

-Expenditures by Defense Department

-Number of CIA personnel

-Quality

-Quantity

-“Liberal establishment bureaucracy”

-State Department

-Cuts

-Attitudes

-Foreign policy

-Georgetown

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Conversation No. 828-6 (cont'd)

-State Department

-Recommendations

-Timing

Conversation No. 838-7

Date: December 27, 1972

Time: Unknown between 10:12 am and 10:44 am

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

The President's schedule

-Meeting with [Marjorie P. Acker]

-Harry S. Truman's memorial service

-Folder

-Fact sheet

-Lack of speech

-The President's conversation with Bess (Wallace) Truman

Bull left at an unknown time before 10:44 am.

Conversation No. 828-8

Date: December 27, 1972

Time: 10:44 am - 10:48 am

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Marjorie P. Acker.

Paperwork

-Memorandum

-Enclosure

-Item for the West Coast [for Henry A. Kissinger?]

-Dr. James R. Schlesinger report

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Conversation No. 828-8 (cont'd)

Tricia Nixon Cox and Edward R. F. Cox's schedule

-Trip to Europe and the Soviet Union

-Embassies

-Henry J. Tasca

-Edward R. G. Heath [?]

-Letters to ambassadors

-Instructions for [Jeanne W. Davis] of the National Security Council [NSC]

-Rose Mary Woods

-Acker's meeting with Tricia Nixon Cox

-[Walter H. and Leonore (Cohn)] Annenberg

-Soviet Union and Yugoslavia governments

-Preparation

-Raymond K. Price, Jr.'s office

-Acker's meeting with Tricia Nixon Cox

Acker left at 10:48 am.

Conversation No. 828-9

Date: December 27, 1972

Time: Unknown between 10:48 am and 10:53 am

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

The President's schedule

-Meeting with Patrick J. Buchanan

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 10:53 am.

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Conversation No. 828-10

Date: December 27, 1972
Time: Unknown between 10:48 am and 10:53 am
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with the White House operator.

[See Conversation No. 35-10]

Marjorie P. Acker entered at an unknown time after 10:48 am.

Acker left at an unknown time before 10:53 am.

Conversation No. 828-11

Date: December 27, 1972
Time: Unknown between 10:48 am and 10:53 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

The President's schedule
-Meeting with Patrick J. Buchanan

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 10:53 am.

Conversation No. 828-12

Date: December 27, 1972
Time: 10:53 am
Location: Oval Office

The White House operator talked with the President.

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Conversation No. 828-12 (cont'd)

[See Conversation No. 35-11]

Conversation No. 828-13

Date: December 27, 1972
Time: 11:01 am - 12:01 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Patrick J. Buchanan.

Buchanan's schedule
-Christmas

The President's schedule
-Trip to Florida
-Weather
-Sun
-Pool
-Family
-Trip to Florida
-Thanksgiving
-Florida

Buchanan's possible book
-Arrangements
-Deadline
-Outline
-Deadline
-Theme
-Richard M. Nixon administration
-Outline
-Chapter one
-1968 election
-Points to make
-Administration
-Philosophy
-Buchanan's memorandum to H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman

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- Telephone call
- Buchanan's *New York Times* article
- Theodore H. White
- Press relations
 - Jeffrey Hart's book
 - 1972 election
- 1972 campaign
- 1964 campaign and election;
 - 1966 campaign
 - Effect on Republican Party
 - Press coverage
 - Attacks on Barry M. Goldwater
 - Nelson A. Rockefeller
 - Liberal and conservative Republicans
 - Republican Party reconstruction
 - The President's role
 - 1962 election
 - 1960 election
 - Press conference
 - Vice Presidency
 - Handicaps
 - Lack of staff, funds, retirement benefits
 - Post-1962 election
 - New York
 - Travel
 - International
 - Coach flights
 - Lack of entourage, stenographers
 - Southeast Asia, Europe Africa
 - 1967
 - 1963, 1964
- Republican National Convention
 - Goldwater
- The President's travels
 - Commercial flights
 - Goldwater, Congressmen, Senators
- The President's relationship with Goldwater
- Lyndon B. Johnson
- Republican Party reconstruction

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- The President's role
 - 1966 campaign
 - New York
 - Travel
 - Predictions
 - Congressmen, Senators, governors
- Press relations
 - [Arnold] Eric Sevareid
 - Martin Z. Agronsky
 - James B. ("Scotty") Reston
 - Predictions about the President's career
 - Cambodia
 - The President's May 8, 1972 decision
- Chapters
 - Organization
 - Buchanan's *New York Times* article
 - Adversity
 - 1966 campaign and election
 - The President's travels
 - Sevareid
 - Television [TV]
 - The President
 - Predictions
 - Rockefeller, Ronald W. Reagan, George W. Romney
 - News magazines
 - Unknown commentator
 - The President
 - Romney
 - Polls
 - The President's travels
 - 1967
 - 1968 campaign and election
 - 1964 election
 - Congressmen, Senators
 - Johnson
 - Congressmen, Senators, governors, state legislators, voters
 - Republicans
 - George H. Gallup
 - 1972 election

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Conversation No. 828-13 (cont'd)

- 1972 election
 - Republican Party
 - Dwight D. Eisenhower
 - Political balance
 - Congress, Senate, governors
 - Political balance
 - Goldwater
 - 1964 and 1966 elections
- 1970 election
 - Republican Party
 - Congressmen, Senators, governors, voters
- Press relations
 - Editorial endorsements
 - Washington, DC
 - National TV
 - Liberal establishment
 - Johnson
 - Eisenhower
 - 1968 campaign
 - Hubert H. Humphrey
 - George S. McGovern
 - Edith Efron
 - 1968 campaign
 - Tone
- The President's career
 - Guts, determination, stamina
 - Luck
 - 1962
 - 1961 – November 5, 1968
 - Vice Presidency
 - Funds
 - Public
 - Republican Party
 - 1966 campaign
 - Travel
 - Airplane
 - Earnings
 - Winston S. Churchill
 - Books

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- 1932
- US lectures
- Networth
- 1969
- Spending
- 1968 campaign
 - Republican Party
 - Minority status
 - Congress
 - Press relations
 - Opposition
 - Exceptions
- Press relations
 - Opposition
 - Exceptions
 - The President's trips to the People's Republic of China [PRC] and the Soviet Union
 - First term
 - Edmund S. Muskie, Humphrey, McGovern
 - Administration reaction
 - Actions
 - TV
 - The President's November 3, 1969 speech
 - Cambodia, the President's May 8, 1972 decision
 - Chapter
 - Trips
 - Chapter Two
 - The President's November 3, 1969 speech
 - Camp David
 - Tone
 - David S. Broder's article "The Breaking of the President"
 - News magazines
 - Demonstrations
 - Confrontation
 - Gallup polls
 - New Majority
 - The President's May 8, 1972 decision
 - Cambodia

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Conversation No. 828-13 (cont'd)

- Predictions
 - The President's May 8, 1972 decision
 - World War III
 - US-Soviet Union summit
- Criticism
 - Respect
 - Single standard
 - First term
 - The President's lack of critical meetings or telephone calls to editors, publishers, TV commentators
 - The President's supporters
- Johnson
 - TVs
 - News tickers
 - 1967
 - Eugene J. McCarthy
 - Compared to the administration
- The President's experience
 - 1962 election
 - Vice Presidency
 - Alger Hiss case
 - Post-public life [1962-1968]
- The President's view
 - Reading
 - News summary
 - “Puff pieces”
 - Self-adulation and self-pity
 - Press releases
 - Time*
 - Covers
 - The President's trip to the PRC
 - Effect
 - Personalizing issues
 - Detachment
 - Friends and foes
 - Substance
 - News summary
 - TV, news ticker
- 1968 election

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- 1964
 - 1962
 - Lack of funds, support
- First term
 - Criticism by supporters
 - Cambodia
 - 1970 campaign
- 1972 election
 - Victory margin
 - Press relations
 - McGovern
 - Man and ideas
 - Issues
 - Busing
 - Permissiveness
 - Drugs, crime
 - Vietnam War
 - US withdrawal
 - Social issue
 - National scope
 - South
 - Massachusetts
 - Southern strategy
 - The President's trips to the PRC and the Soviet Union
 - Economy
 - The President's announcement
- Outline
 - Chapter one
 - 1968
 - Triumph
 - Election
 - Tragedy
 - Triumph
 - 1962
 - Tragedy
 - Tet Offensive
 - McCarthy
 - Robert F. Kennedy
 - Johnson

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- Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr.
 - Washington, DC riots
- Kennedy
- Triumph
 - Election
- Victory margin
- Administration opposition
 - Media, universities, foundations, Congress
 - Supreme Court
 - Earl Warren
 - Resignation
 - Timing
 - Liberal establishment
 - Compared to Eastern establishment
 - The President's interview with Garnett D. ("Jack") Horner
 - "Washington establishment"
- Chapter two
 - Confrontation
 - The President's speech
 - Summer 1969
 - Moon landing
 - Guam Doctrine
 - The President's trips to Vietnam and Romania
 - The President's speech on welfare reform
 - The President's trip to California
 - Left
 - Demonstrators, media, Congressional relations
 - Press relations
 - News magazines
 - Broder
 - Tone
 - The President's public approval rating
 - Chapter length
 - Left
 - Silent Majority
- Chapter three
 - Media relations
- Speechwriting
 - The President's role

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- 1973 Inaugural speech
- Franklin D. Roosevelt
- Samuel I. Rosenman
- Chapter three
 - Media relations
 - Establishment
 - Vice President Spiro T. Agnew's Des Moines speech
 - Washington Post*
 - Networks
- Sales
- Syndication
 - Chapter length
 - Outlook section
 - Op-ed articles
- Outline
 - Chapter four

Manolo Sanchez entered and left at an unknown time after 11:01 am.

Buchanan's book

- Outline
 - Chapter Four
 - Blacks on Supreme Court
 - Supreme Court
 - Philosophy
 - Blacks
 - Hostility
 - 1972 election
 - The President's personal commitment, working relationships
 - Busing, welfare
 - Liberal establishment
 - Supreme Court
 - Rockefeller
 - Republican Party
 - Eisenhower
 - 1960 campaign and election
 - Catholics
 - John F. Kennedy's telephone call to [Coretta Scott King]
 - Robert Kennedy

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-[Martin Luther King's release from jail]

- Foreign policy chapter
 - The President's trip to the PRC
 - Photographs
 - Oliver F. ("Ollie") Atkins
 - Philosophy
 - The President's trip to the PRC
 - Vietnam War
 - Chronology
 - Success
 - US force level
- Deadline
 - Foreign policy chapter
 - Vietnam War
 - US bombing north of 20th Parallel
- Outline
 - New Majority chapter
 - McGovern
 - The President's May 8, 1972 decision
 - Labor relations
 - George Meany
 - The President's Miami trip
 - Patriotism
 - Business leaders, press relations
 - Work ethic
 - Politics
 - Respect
 - Meany
 - 1972 campaign
 - Neutrality, support
- Final chapter
 - Future
 - Second term reorganization
 - Bureaucracy
 - Spending, taxes
 - Responsibility
 - Congressional relations
 - 1972 election
 - Victory margin

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- Length
- Organization
- Writing
 - Press relations

Press relations

- Ronald L. Ziegler's press conferences
- Accommodations
- Compared to Johnson
- Press conferences
- Opposition
 - Networks
 - Power
 - Public opinion
 - 1968 campaign
 - 1972 campaign
 - McGovern
 - Welfare
 - \$1000 per person proposal
 - Vietnam War
 - Redistribution of wealth

- News
- Strategy
 - Networks
 - Power
 - Public support
 - Louis P. Harris poll
 - Polls
 - Reliability

- Vietnam War
 - End

- Effect

- Opposition
 - John D. Ehrlichman's and Henry A. Kissinger's briefings
 - Administration reaction
 - Tone
 - Influence
 - Subscriptions
 - US bombing north of 20th Parallel

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- Morale
- Compared to Johnson
 - Telephone calls
 - Effect
- Change
 - Walter L. Cronkite, Jr., Dan Rather, John Chancellor
 - Women
 - Blacks
 - Administration
 - Possible actions
 - Buchanan's lunch with William Small
 - Cable TV
 - License renewal
- Bias
 - Clay T. ("Tom") Whitehead's speech
 - Local stations' responsibility
 - New York
 - El Paso
- Buchanan's book
 - Buchanan's schedule
 - Controversy
 - Liberals
- Press relations
 - Bias
 - Efron
 - Effect
 - Networks
 - Public opinion
 - Networks
 - Agnew's Des Moines speech
 - Networks
 - Public awareness
 - Buchanan's book
 - Public relations [PR]
 - Washington establishment
 - “Intellectual incest”
 - The President's conversation with unknown European ambassador

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- Presentation of credentials
- Ambassador's US trip
- US
 - Goodness
 - Mental and emotional sickness
- Dissipation
- Commentators
- 1972 campaign
 - Robert D. Novak's article
 - McGovern
 - Reported gains
 - Polls
 - News summary
 - Accuracy
- Vietnam War
 - TV coverage
 - South Vietnamese
 - Battles
 - Compared to North Vietnamese
 - Provincial capitals
 - Battles
 - Countryside
 - Provincial capitals
 - Network requests for Hanoi photographs
 - Bomb damage
 - The President's meeting with Col. Richard T. Kennedy
 - North Vietnamese atrocities against South Vietnamese civilians
 - Rocketing of cities
 - Assassination, murder
 - US military action
 - Military targets
 - Double standard
 - Spanish Civil War
 - American Revolution
 - Army
 - Continentalists
 - Loyalists
 - Tories
 - Spanish Civil War

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- Communists
 - Loyalists
- Gen. Francisco Franco
 - Rebels
- Loyalists
- Civil War
 - South
 - The War of the Rebellion
 - The War between the States
- The President's use of TV
 - 1972 campaign
 - Press conferences
 - Vietnam negotiations
 - Breakdown
 - Kissinger
 - Resumption
 - Press conferences
 - Purpose and location
 - Bureaucracy
 - Oval Office
 - National audience
 - East Room
 - Single point
 - Desk
 - Questions
 - Guidelines
 - Timing
 - Scheduling
 - Programs
 - Congressional relations
 - PR
 - Commentators
 - Frequency
 - Eisenhower
 - Republican Party
 - John Kennedy
 - Johnson
 - Johnson
 - Kennedy
 - Kennedy

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Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 11:01 am.

The President's schedule
-Walk from Oval Office

Bull left at an unknown time before 12:01 pm.

Buchanan's book
-Preparation

Buchanan left at 12:01 pm.

Conversation No. 828-14

Date: December 27, 1972
Time: Unknown between 12:01 pm and 12:03 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

Briefcase

The President's coat

The President's schedule
-Walk to helicopter
-Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 12:03 pm.

Conversation No. 828-15

Date: December 27, 1972
Time: Unknown between 12:01 pm and 12:03 pm

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Conversation No. 828-15 (cont'd)

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

White House gifts

-Women [Bess (Wallace) Truman]

-Pins

-Diamonds

-Location

-[Executive Office Building]

-Pearls

The President's schedule

Bull left at an unknown time before 12:03 pm.

Conversation No. 828-16

Date: December 27, 1972

Time: Unknown between 12:01 pm and 12:03 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon's schedule

-Arrangements

White House gifts

-Pins

The President's schedule

-Bull's schedule

Bull left at an unknown time before 12:03 pm.