



NIXON PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY AND MUSEUM

Tape Subject Log  
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Conversation No. 852-1

Date: February 7, 1973  
Time: Unknown between 9:46 am and 9:54 am  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

President's schedule

Bull left at an unknown time before 9:54 am.

Conversation No. 852-2

Date: February 7, 1973  
Time: Unknown between 9:46 am and 9:54 am  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

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[Begin segment reviewed under deed of gift]

Refreshments  
-Coffee

[End segment reviewed under deed of gift]

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Sanchez left at an unknown time before 9:54 am.

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Conversation No. 852-3

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The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

Henry A. Kissinger's schedule  
-Location  
-Appointment

Bull left at an unknown time before 9:54 am.

Conversation No. 852-4

Date: February 7, 1973  
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Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

Henry A. Kissinger's schedule

Bull left at an unknown time before 9:54 am.

Conversation No. 852-5

Date: February 7, 1973  
Time: 9:54 am-10:10 am  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Henry A. Kissinger.  
John C. Stennis

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- Physical condition
- President's visit
- President's telephone call
- Doctor's opinion
- W[illiam] Stuart Symington
- Grip

Vietnam Settlement

- Howard K. Smith
  - Aid to North Vietnam
  - Charles W. Colson's telephone call
  - Support for administration
- US aid for North Vietnam
  - Compassion
  - Reparations
  - Right-wing
  - Investment in peace
  - Smith's comment
  - Credit
    - Laos cease-fire
    - Ronald L. Ziegler
    - Kissinger's forthcoming trip
      - Purpose
      - Cease-fire
    - Vientiane
    - Prisoners of war [POWS]
- President's conversation with H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman
- J. William Fulbright
  - Enemies
  - State dinner for [Hussein, King of Jordan] Hussein ibn Talal
  - William P. Rogers
    - Meeting
  - Kissinger's trip

US-Europe relations

- Initiative
- Public relations
- Vietnam

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- Weariness
- Soviet Union
- “Grand new scheme for Europe”
  - Peter J. Peterson’s mission
  - Great Britain officials’ visit with Kissinger
  - Gen. Charles A. J. M. de Gaulle
    - Algeria
    - Relations with John F. Kennedy
      - Attention from Algerian War
  - Compared to Administration’s initiatives
    - Latin America [?]
    - Africa

US-Indian relations

- Daniel P. (“Pat”) Moynihan
  - Conversation with President
  - Indian ambassadorship
  - State Department
  - Indira Gandhi
  - Conversation with Kissinger
  - Harvard University
  - Snubs

Kissinger’s trip to Hanoi and People’s Republic of China [PRC]

- Departure
- Cables
  - Daily summary
  - Ziegler’s role
- Foreign press
  - Kissinger’s staff
    - Herbert G. Klein
- PRC
  - Sightseeing
  - Klein
- William A. Sullivan
  - Briefings
  - Economic aid to North Vietnam
  - Numbers

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Vietnam settlement

- Michael J. Mansfield
  - Telephone call to Kissinger
  - Economic aid to North Vietnam
    - Numbers
  - PRC
    - Kissinger's return to Harvard University
    - Economic aid to North Vietnam
      - Support for President
      - Mail in opposition
- Economic aid to North Vietnam
  - Defense
  - Proposals to North Vietnamese
  - Strategy
  - US political system
    - Difficulties in getting through Congress
      - North Vietnam's understanding
  - Common US-North Vietnam goals
    - Economic reconstruction
      - Number
    - Subtle methods
    - President's judgment
      - Increase in funds
    - Difficulties with Congress
      - Mansfield
    - North Vietnam's cooperation

Kissinger's trip to Hanoi and PRC

- Airplane for Kissinger
- Air Force One
- Quality

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4

[Privacy]

[Duration: 6s]

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END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4

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- Bangkok
  - Refueling
- Spain
- Tehran
- Bangkok
- Time of travel
  - Winds
- Vientiane, Laos
- Press
  - Contact with Ziegler
  - Accompanying Kissinger
    - North Vietnam
  - Accommodations
    - Application to North Vietnamese
  - Previous trips
    - Nguyen Van Thieu
    - Options
  - Hanoi
  - Uncertain outcomes

Vietnam Settlement

- Press
  - Chicago Tribune, Washington Star, Buffalo News, Los Angeles Times*
  - Editorials
  - Criticism of December 1972 bombing
  - Senate
  - President's explanation of bombing
  - George H. Gallup poll
    - Public support
- Administration's critics
  - Vietnam policies
  - John Kenneth Galbraith
    - Pride, arrogance
  - Communications with the administration

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- Shutout
- Academic critics
- Kissinger's television [TV] interviews
- “Doves”
  - Eventual support for the administration
  - Peace
  - Long range
  - Outsiders

Kissinger's trip to Hanoi and PRC

- Helicopter pad
- Car

Kissinger left at 10:10 am.

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Date: February 7, 1973  
Time: Unknown between 10:10 am and 10:23 am  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

- President's schedule
- John D. Ehrlichman
  - Request for meeting
  - Radio speech

Bull left at an unknown time before 10:23 am.

Conversation No. 852-7

Date: February 7, 1973  
Time: 10:23 am-12:21 pm

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Location: Oval Office

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

Henry A. Kissinger's departure

John C. Stennis's health

- Status
  - Consciousness
  - Hand-shaking
  - President's visit
  - President's conversation with Gen. Walter R. Tkach
- Stennis's chances of survival
- President's travel plans
  - California, Florida
  - Tkach's view of Stennis's prospects
  - Upcoming report

Speeches

- Revisions
- Delay
- John D. Ehrlichman's view
- International monetary situation
  - Devaluation
- Completion
- Television [TV]
  - Devaluation
  - Ehrlichman
  - George P. Shultz

International monetary situation

- Ehrlichman
- Shultz
  - Announcement of devaluation
  - Use of TV
- Devaluation
  - Japan
  - Revaluation



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- Percentage
- Negotiations
- Trade bill
- Shultz's ability to announce

- US economy
- Condition

Ehrlichman entered at 10:25 am.

- Trade and monetary situation
  - Negotiations
  - Public impressions
  - State of the Union economic message
  - Shultz
    - Cable to Kakuei Tanaka
    - Paul A. Volcker
    - Testimony
  - Devaluation
    - Trade message
      - Wording
      - Protecting American jobs, goods
      - US competitiveness
  - President's Phase I speech, August 15, 1971
  - President's message to Congress
    - Wording
    - Amount of revisions
  - Wilbur D. Mills
    - Discussion of monetary problem
    - Meeting with President
    - Shultz
    - Solutions
  - Tax meeting
    - Shultz
    - Ehrlichman's briefing

- Tax policy
  - Treasury Department's plan

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- Ehrlichman's view
- Criticisms
  - William E. Simon
  - Shultz
    - Disappointment
  - Treasury Department's bureaucracy
  - Lack of imagination
- Capital gains tax
  - Changes
    - Equitable rates
  - Disadvantages for President and friends
  - Anger
  - Ehrlichman's conversation with Russell B. Long
  - Shultz
  - Political implications
    - Rich voters
    - Long's views
    - Importance of issue
      - “Phony issue”
  - Republican congressional leaders
  - Compared to Barber P. Conable, Jr.
    - Eradication of mortgage deductions
    - Constituents
  - Loopholes
- Parochial schools and elderly real estate taxes
  - Long's views
    - Political implications of issues
    - Support for President
    - Meeting with President
- Shultz
  - Ehrlichman's briefing
  - President's meeting with Mills and Long

An unknown woman entered at an unknown time after 10:25 am.

Stephen B. Bull's location

President's schedule

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The unknown woman left at an unknown time before 11:23 am.

President's schedule

- Radio address
- Long

Watergate resolution

- Caspar W. ("Cap") Weinberger
  - Amendments
  - Delays
- Vote in Senate
  - Filibuster

Bull entered at an unknown time after 10:25 am.

President's schedule

- Cabinet breakfast
- Radio address
- Meeting with E. D. Kenna
- Long
  - Possible meeting
- Daniel P. ("Pat") Moynihan
  - Meeting with President
  - Senate confirmation
- Weinberger's confirmation
  - Swearing-in ceremony
  - President's departure
- Meeting with Long
  - Telephone call from Ehrlichman
    - Shultz
    - Trade legislation
    - Working of invitation

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

President's schedule

- Meeting with Long

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- Shultz's possible attendance
- Political discussions
- Subjects
  - Welfare
  - Energy
- Tax issues
  - Delays in decisions
    - President's trip to California
    - Shultz's role
- Welfare, energy
  - Cabinet
    - C. B. Rogers Morton
- Position on loopholes
  - Ehrlichman's conversation with Long
  - Shultz's knowledge

International trade and monetary situation

- Shultz
- Excitement
- Importance
  - Public attitudes
- Devaluation
  - TV
  - Radio talk
- Volcker
- Arthur F. Burns
- Balance of payments
  - Importance of issue
- Devaluation of dollar
  - Impact
- Volcker, Burns
  - Alarmism
- Stock market
- Trade bill
  - Balance
  - Protection of jobs
- Trading partners
  - Europe

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- Responsibility
- Shultz, Burns
- US responsibility
  - Compared to Europe, Japan, Germany
- Importance of issue
- Volcker
  - Trip to Japan
- Shultz
  - Possible trip to California
  - Devaluation announcement
    - Washington, DC
    - Volcker's trip to Japan

President's schedule

- Amount for trade problems
- Shultz
  - Length of meetings
  - Compared to John B. Connally
  - Possible trip to California
    - Tax decision
- Trips to California, Florida
  - Roy L. Ash
  - Meetings followed by press briefings
- Shultz
- Kissinger's trip
- Shultz
  - Decisions
    - Details
    - President's approval
  - Tax position
    - Guidance
    - Length of meeting with the President

Tax policy

- Commitments
- Property taxes for the elderly
  - Treasury Department officials
  - Details
  - Political implications

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- Deductibles
- Percentage
  - Political advantages
- Decision paper for Treasury Department

Manolo Sanchez entered at an unknown time after 10:25 am.

Refreshments

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

- Treasury Department's response
  - Administrative problems
- Congress
- Rent relief
- Deductibles
  - Political problems
  - Computers
- Presidential appointments and decisions
  - Federal Trade Commission [FTC]
    - Lewis A. Engman
      - Deal with Ehrlichman
        - Testimony to Congress
        - Confirmation
    - Administration's expectations
- Agriculture Department
  - President's decision
  - Audit of farmers' tax returns
  - Routine provision
    - Federal statute
    - Internal Revenue Code
    - Agency right
  - Democratic Congressman
  - Purpose of audits
    - Earl L. Butz
    - Statistical use
    - Right of access

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- Political ramifications
- Audits
- Friends, opponents
- Internal Revenue Service [IRS] Commissioner candidate
  - Interior Department
  - Age
  - Lawyer
  - Recommendations
  - Meeting with Ehrlichman
  - Offer to unknown man
    - Connally
  - Candidate
    - Political skill
    - Problem
      - Weinberger
      - [First name unknown] Kirkpatrick
    - Administration's control
    - Compared to Engman
- Federal Bureau of Investigation [FBI] Director
  - William D. Ruckelshaus
  - John N. Mitchell
  - Richard G. Kleindienst
- L[ouis] Patrick Gray, III
  - District Court seat
  - Connecticut
- Jack R. Miller
  - IRS
  - District Circuit Court
  - Patent Court
  - Postal Rate Commission
  - Military Court of Appeals
  - Attempt to see President
- - Patent Court
    - Appointment
    - Bryce N. Harlow [?]
- National Security Council [NSC] leaks
  - Pentagon Papers trial

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- Statute of limitations
- Neil Sheehan
  - New York Times*
- Watergate

Pentagon Papers trial

- Conclusion
- Daniel Ellsberg
  - Use of trial as political platform
- Anthony J. Russo, Jr. [?]
- Supreme Court decision

NSC leaks

- Jack N. Anderson, Neil Sheehan
- Les Whitten
  - Arrest
  - Anderson
    - Attacks on Haldeman
    - Washington Post*

Indians

- Attacks on court house in Dakota
  - Photograph
- Urban Indians
  - Radicalism
- Radical movement
- American Indian movement
  - “Fellow travelers”
- Bureau of Indian Affairs [BIA]
- Alcatraz takeover
  - Part Indian
    - Unknown Phillips Petroleum executive
- Radicalism
- Tribal leaders
- BIA
  - Appointments
  - Interior Department
    - Robert J. Hitt [?]



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-Rogers C. B. Morton

Congressional relations

-Cabinet

-Nominating committee hearings

-Testimony

-President's appreciation

-Briefing

-Ash

-Compared to Republican Congressional leaders meeting

-Timing

-Testimony

-Amount

-Shultz

-Chowder and Marching Society

-Social functions

-Dwight D. Eisenhower

-Visits to White House

-Budget

-Support for the President

-Clear signals from White House

-Veto prospects

-Gerald R. Ford

-Support for President

-Social visits

-Wives

-Reception

-Receiving line with President

-Donald H. Rumsfeld theory

-Breakfast

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[Begin segment reviewed under deed of gift]

-Campaigning in 1974

-Compared to 1970 campaign

-President's support for Republican Party

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- Credentials
- Pictures, tapes
- Development of winning candidates
- Target districts
- Clarence J. ("Bud") Brown, Jr., Bob Holdson, William E. Brock,
- White House help
- George H. W. Bush

Campaigning

- Minority party
- President's schedule
- Long, Mills
- Compared to Herman T. Schneebeli

End segment reviewed under deed of gift]

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Congressional relations

- Evening at the White House
- Reception for new members
- Wives
- Maurice H. Stans's list
- Frederic V. Malek
- Congressional wives
- Receptions
- Chowder and Marching Society
- Brock
- Junior Senators
- Dinner parties
- Wives
- Invitation to White House
- Reception for Congressional wives
- Scheduling annually

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Campaign surplus

- Amount
- Stans
- Complaints
- Congressional Campaign Committees
  - Amounts
- News summary
  - Bush
    - Follow up
- Robert L. ("Bob") Wilson, Peter H. Dominick, Robert J. Dole
  - Complaints about money
  - Committee to Re-Elect the President [CRP]
- President's support for candidates since 1972 Convention
  - TV clips
  - Visits to states
  - Eisenhower
  - Complaints
  - Press Reports
- Vice President Spiro T. Agnew
  - Campaigning for candidates
  - Appreciation

Edward R. F. Cox

- Campaigning in Washington state
  - Quality
- Julie Nixon Eisenhower
  - Impression

[End segment reviewed under deed of gift]

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White House social affairs

- Events for Congressmen
- Gerald R. Ford
- Congressmen
  - Inadequacy

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- Wives
- State dinners
  - Inconvenience
  - J. William Fulbright
- Reception
  - Purpose
    - Ford
  - Democrats
  - Number invited
- New Congressional members
  - Wives
    - Visit to White House second floor
      - Compared to John F. Kennedy and Lyndon B. Johnson
- administrations
  - Third floor
  - Oval Office
  - Letters to constituents
  - Importance
- Evening event
  - Entertainment
  - Congressmen
    - Finance types
  - Size
- Cabinet and sub-Cabinet
  - Swearing-in
- Congressmen
  - Stans's list
  - Evening at the White House
  - Cabinet
  - Kissinger
- State dinner
  - After dinner entertainment
  - Administrative people
    - Congressmen
- Mix of invitees
  - Administrative assistants
    - George H. Mahon, Robert C. Byrd
  - Congressmen, Senators

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- White House staffers
- List of people
  - Malek
  - William E. Timmons
- Congressmen
  - Elliot R. Richardson
  - William P. Rogers
  - Kleindienst
- Administrative people
  - Necessity
- White House staffers
  - Invitations
  - Compared to Kissinger, Ash
- New list
  - White House staff
  - Congressmen, Senators
  - Democrats, Republicans
  - Seniority
    - Sam Nunn
    - Georgia

Congressional relations

- Wildcard attendees at leadership meetings
  - Timmons
  - Harlow
  - Number invited
  - Craig Hosmer's conversation with Haldeman
  - Complaints from current leaders
    - Timmons
    - Jack E. Kemp
    - Teamwork
- President's courting
  - Harlow
  - Governors
- Compared to President's 1972 election showing
- Budget impoundment
- President's leadership
- Ford

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- Questions for President
- Leak from leadership
  - Frank E. ("Ted") Moss
  - Delay in Vietnam negotiations
    - Saigon, Hanoi

Ronald L. Ziegler entered at 11:23 am.

Press relations

- President's meeting with Mills
  - Public announcement
    - Subjects of discussion
      - Legislative matters
      - Tax
      - Trade
- Visit to Stennis
  - Publicity at hospital
  - TV tape
  - Wires

Watergate

- Ervin Committee hearings
  - Administration's response
  - Coverage
    - Partisanship
    - Bill of particulars
      - Resolution
      - Specifications
  - Make-up of committee
    - John G. Tower
  - Administration's cooperation
- Watergate defendants
  - Sentencing
    - John J. Sirica
      - Prejudice
  - Appeals
    - Senate investigation
    - Threat of reversal

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-Rights

-Senate investigation

-Appeals to Ervin

-Impact

-Injunction of Senate hearing

-Cooperation of administration with Congress

-No limitations

-Expansion of scope

-Other elections

-1960, 1964, 1968

-Barry M. Goldwater, Sr.

-1964 election

-Ervin Committee

-Ervin Committee

-Scope of investigation

-Non-partisanship

-Questioning of assistants

-Executive privilege

-Statement

-Charles W. Colson, Ehrlichman, Haldeman, Dwight

L. Chapin

-White House cooperation

-Executive privilege

-Administration's position

-Explanation

-Potential witnesses

-Protection

-Privileges

-Exceptions

-Peter M. Flanigan

-Chapin

-Donald H. Segretti

-Dual role of Presidential assistants

-Shultz

-Kleindienst [?]

-Kissinger

-Flanigan

-Assistant to the President

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- Staff Director, Council of International Economic Policy
- NSC
- Cooperation with Congress
  - Kissinger
- Ehrlichman
  - FBI interview
- Senate committee
  - Questions
- Press questions
  - Ziegler's answers
  - Administration's position
- Samuel J. Ervin, Jr.
  - Talk with Ehrlichman
  - Cooperation with White House
    - Limitations
    - Separation of powers
  - Scope of investigation
- Ziegler's statement
  - Testimony of White House officials
  - President's comments on executive privilege

Press relations

- Swearing-in of John T. Dunlop
  - President's statement
    - Shultz
  - Confirmation
  - Legislation
    - House of Representatives
      - Ash
      - Veto
      - Delays
      - Cost of living
        - Importance
        - Congressional inaction
- State of the Union
  - Questions
  - Ziegler's statement
  - Future announcement



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- Kissinger's itinerary
  - Bangkok
- Agnew
  - Return from trip
    - Timing
  - Meeting with President
- President's schedule
  - President's trip to California
    - Stennis's condition
      - Prognosis
    - Trip to Florida
  - Easter recess
    - Work
      - Compared to Congressional vacation
  - Trip to California
    - Rumors
    - Decision
      - Congress
      - Stennis's condition

Cable

- Ehrlichman

Press and Congressional relations

- Criticism of President
  - Frustration over Vietnam
- War
  - Compared to peace
- Frustration over President's successes
  - Press story
  - Lead

Ehrlichman and Ziegler left at an unknown time after 11:44 am.

Watergate

- New York Times*
- Seymour M. Hersh

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Segretti

-Article on Gordon C. Strachan's telephone call to G. Gordon Liddy and

- Earlier article
- Reasons for publication
- Administration's response

-Ervin committee

- Hearings
  - Public interest
  - Ziegler's comments
  - President's position

-Mitchell

- Lyndon B. Johnson bugging
  - Senate actions

-L[ouis] Patrick Gray, III

- Cartha DeLoach
  - Lyndon B. Johnson bugging
  - Statements

-Lyndon B. Johnson wiretapping

- J. Edgar Hoover
  - Statement to President and Mitchell

White House social affairs

-Entertainment

- Black female singer
  - New York
- Bill Berman
  - Producer of White House entertainment
- Leonard Garment
- Lionel Hampton
  - Band leader
  - Evening at the White House

-Les Brown

-Guy Lombardo

-Leslie T. ("Bob") Hope

-Francis A. ("Frank") Sinatra

-Berman

- Agent role
- Clients

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- Mike Curb
  - Mike [last name unknown]
  - Promoter
  - Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer [MGM]
- Someone to produce shows

White House personnel

- Pam Powell
  - Anne L. Armstrong
  - Speeches
  - Qualifications
  - Possible jobs
    - Julie Nixon Eisenhower
    - East Wing
- Patricia R. Hitt
  - Ehrlichman
- Colson
  - Problem between Ehrlichman and Peter J. Brennan
    - Under Secretary [?]
    - Shultz
    - Haldeman's role
    - Brennan
      - Advantage to administration
      - Malek, Ehrlichman
        - Managerial tilt
        - “Errand boys”
        - George W. Romney, John A. Volpe, Walter J.

Hickel

- Claude S. Brinegar
- Donald F. Rodgers
  - Cornell University
  - Dealings with Brennan
  - Loyalty to White House
- Haldeman's role
- Malek
  - Jerry H. Jones
  - Cooperation
- Colson

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Public relations

-Polls

-Spending

-Questions

-George H. Gallup

-Robert Teeter

-Louis P. Harris

-Albert E. Sindlinger

-Opinion Research Corporation [ORC]

-Gallup

-Release

-Compared to ORC

-Harris, Sindlinger

-Independence

-Questions

-Release

-Compared to ORC

-Spending

-Ehrlichman

-Individual Congressmen

-Polls

-Harlow

-Colson

-Organizations

-National Association of Manufacturers [NAM]

-Jaycees

-General Federation of Women's Clubs

-Business organizations

-Mailings lists

-Members writing to Congress

-Hugh Scott

-Support for cuts

-Constituent mail

-President's request

-Support for President

-Shultz

-Congress

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Conversation No. 852-7 (cont'd)

- General interest compared to special interests
- Mail program
  - Letters to Congress
  - Taxes, prices, programs
- Spending
  - Veto message
- Special message from President
  - Letters to Congress
  - Patrick J. Buchanan
- Domestic Council
  - Compared to peace issues and NSC
  - Ehrlichman
    - Kissinger
  - Haldeman's aid
  - William J. Baroody, Jr.
  - Colson
- Peace
  - Robert H. Finch's theory
  - Democrats, "doves"
    - Avoidance of issue
  - Compared to Eisenhower, Korean War, 1956 Election
  - South Carolina legislature
    - Resolution
  - Expression of thanks to President
  - Finch
    - Use of issue
  - TV stories
    - Vietnam
  - Importance of issue
  - South Carolina legislature
    - President's appreciation for resolution
- Congressional relations
  - Timmons
  - Capitol Hill Club
    - Dole
  - President's attendance at events
    - Problems

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Conversation No. 852-7 (cont'd)

- Lunch at Senate
  - Waste of time
- President's visits to Congress
- Haldeman's dealings with Congressmen
  - Administrative assistants
- President's visits to Congress
  - White House staff
  - Chowder and Marching society
  - Ford, Scott
  - Leaks
  - Compared to loyalist dinners
    - Camp David
    - Complaints
    - Samuel L. Devine
- White House attention
  - Self-confidence
- President as Congressman
  - Importance of work
  - Investigating committees

Watergate

- Ervin committee
  - Republican members
    - Tower
  - Robert Griffin
  - Marlow W. Cook
  - Edward J. Gurney
  - Publicity
    - Interest by public
  - Television
  - Trial judge in civil suit
    - Decisions
  - Sirica
  - Judge Charles R. Richey
    - Release of depositions
  - Joseph A. Califano, Jr.
  - Colson
    - Ehrlichman's statement

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Conversation No. 852-7 (cont'd)

-Story on Watergate

Press relations

- Arrangement of story placement by President
  - Watergate
- Ziegler
  - Events in news
  - Lyndon B. Johnson's death
  - Inauguration
  - Vietnam settlement
    - Peace
- Press conference
  - President's position
    - Questions
      - Connally
      - Hearings
      - Cooperation

White House social affairs

- Mike Curb singers
  - Youth
  - Purpose of singing
    - Uplift
    - Congress

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 8

[Personal returnable]

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END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 8  
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[End segment reviewed under deed of gift]

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Conversation No. 852-7 (cont'd)

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- Public attitudes
- Jewish women
  - Van Cliburn
  - Leonard Bernstein, Isaac Stern
  - Garment
  - Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon
- Cliburn
  - Lyndon Johnson
  - Concert in the White House
  - After dinner entertainment
  - Length of concert
    - Soviet Union
- State dinners
  - Compared to Evening at the White House

Congressional relations

- Church services
  - Number
  - Children
  - Adults
    - Invitations
- Difficulties

Stennis's health

- Dwight D. Eisenhower
  - Tkach
  - Death

Haldeman left at 12:21 pm.



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Conversation No. 852-8

Date: February 7, 1973  
Time: 12:21 pm-12:22 pm  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

Upcoming meetings

- President's schedule
- Staff departures
- Wallace B. Henley family
- Presidential gifts
  - Ash trays
  - Children
    - Tie clasps
  - Photographs

Bull left at an unknown time before 12:22 pm.

Conversation No. 852-9

Date: February 7, 1973  
Time: 12:22 pm-12:26 pm  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace B. Henley, Laurie Henley, Travis Henley, and Stephen B. Bull; the White House photographer was present at the beginning of the meeting.

Introductions

- Children

Photographs

The White House photographer left at an unknown time before 12:26 pm.

Henley family

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Conversation No. 852-9 (cont'd)

- Birmingham, Alabama
- President's appreciation
  - Job performance
- General Counsel
- Birmingham News*
  - RC Cola
  - Support for President
  - Editorials
- Birmingham
  - Hometown
- White House service
- Photographs
- Presidential gift
  - Ashtray
- White House entertainment
  - Singers
  - Chinese girl
- Appreciation

Henley et al. left at 12:26 pm.

President's schedule

- Meeting with J. Roy Goodearle and family
- Background
  - Texas
  - Advance man
  - Vice President's tour

Bull left at 12:26 pm.

Conversation No. 852-19

Date: February 7, 1973  
Time: 12:26 pm  
Location: Oval Office

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Conversation No. 852-19 (cont'd)

The President met with Manolo Sanchez [?].

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President's schedule  
-Briefcase [?]

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Sanchez [?] left at 12:26 pm.

Conversation No. 852-10

Date: February 7, 1973  
Time: 12:26 pm-12:29 pm  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Mr. and Mrs. Roy J. Goodearle, Harold Goodearle, Sarah Goodearle, Ellen Goodearle, Doris Goodearle, and Stephen B. Bull; the White House photographer was present at the beginning of the meeting.

Introductions

Appreciation for work  
-Past campaigns  
-1960, 1962  
-Experience

Photographs  
-Oliver F. ("Ollie") Atkins

Presidential ashtrays

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Conversation No. 852-10 (cont'd)

Oil

Goodearle, et al., left at 12:29 pm.

President's schedule

-Next meeting

-Frederick V. Malek's staff

-California

Bull left at 12:29 pm.

Conversation No. 852-11

Date: February 7, 1973

Time: 12:29 pm-12:33 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Mr. and Mrs. E. Pendleton James, Julie James, Rob James, and Stephen B. Bull; the White House photographer was present at the beginning of the meeting.

Introductions

Return to California

Appreciation for job

-[Frederick V. Malek's] staff

California

-Palos Verdes

-Public schools

-Ocean

-Fondness for Washington, DC area

Photographs

-Copies

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Conversation No. 852-11 (cont'd)

-Children

Presidential ashtrays

Goodearle's appreciation  
-Chair

Palos Verdes  
-1972 election

James, et al., left at 12:33 pm.

President's schedule  
-Meeting  
-Patrick E. O'Donnell

Bull left at 12:33 pm.

Conversation No. 852-12

Date: February 7, 1973  
Time: 12:33 pm-12:36 pm  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Mr. and Mrs. Patrick E. O'Donnell, and W. Richard Howard; the White House photographer was present at the beginning of the meeting.

Introductions

O'Donnell's appreciation  
-Charles W. Colson's staff

President's appreciation for work

Legal work  
-Politics

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Conversation No. 852-12 (cont'd)

-Justice Department  
-Colson

Children  
-Son

Photographs

Ashtray

Native states  
-Connecticut  
-Washington, DC  
-Georgetown  
-American University  
-Martin Webster College

Future plans  
-Children  
-Youth

O'Donnell's appreciation

O'Donnell, et al., left at 12:36 pm.

Conversation No. 852-13

Date: February 7, 1973  
Time: Unknown between 12:36 pm and 12:40 pm  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull and Manolo Sanchez.

Meetings with President  
-Length  
-Photographs

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Conversation No. 852-13 (cont'd)

- Out of town visitors
- Ease
- Mothers
- Congress
  - Constituents
    - Meeting with President
  - Congressional half hour
    - Length

Weather

- President's coat

President's schedule

- John T. Dunlop
  - Executive Office Building [EOB]
- Meeting
  - George P Shultz
  - Return to Oval Office
- Alexander P. Butterfield [?]
  - Office

The President, Bull, and Sanchez left at 12:40 pm.

Conversation No. 852-20

Date: February 7, 1973

Time: Unknown between 12:40 pm and 3:10 pm

Location: Oval Office

An unknown woman met with unknown man.

Oval Office

- Executive Office Building [EOB] [?]

The recording was cut off at an unknown time before 3:10 pm.

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Conversation No. 852-14

Date: February 7, 1973  
Time: 3:10 pm-3:15 pm  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Mr. and Mrs. John T. Dunlop, George Renercomb, George P. Shultz, John D. Ehrlichman, Herbert Stein, Donald H. Rumsfeld, and Jack Mahon; the White House photographer and members of the press were present at the beginning of the meeting.

Dunlop's oath of office  
-President's appreciation

Importance of assignment  
-Phase III and Cost of Living Council [COLC]  
-Fight against inflation, taxes  
-Dunlop's gratitude for President's support  
-Fiscal restraint  
-Cooperation of labor and management

Dunlop's qualifications  
-Confidence  
-Business  
-Labor  
-Phase II

Dunlop's appreciation  
-Tough job  
-Shultz

[General conversation]  
-Crawfish [?]  
-Stein

[Photograph session]

[General conversation]



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Conversation No. 852-14 (cont'd)

- Congratulations
  - Ehrlichman
- Tough job
- Opportunity

Dunlop, et al., left at 3:15 pm.

Conversation No. 852-15

Date: February 7, 1973  
Time: 3:15 pm-5:11 pm  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with George P. Shultz and John D. Ehrlichman.

Legislation

Tax policy

- Commitments
  - Property taxes
  - Tax credits
    - Private schools
- Simplified forms
- Tax reform
  - Political advantage for administration
    - Criticism
    - Budget
    - Wilbur D. Mills
    - Russell B. Long
  - Congressional and public's support
- Proposals
  - List
  - Compared to major goal strategy
- Mills
  - Reactions to proposals

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Conversation No. 852-15 (cont'd)

- Shultz's caution
- Tax reform proposals
  - Consultation with Congress
  - Commitments
  - Cooperation with Congress
  - Candidates

Foreign trade

- Important aspects
    - Taxes
  - Burke-Hartke bill
    - Taxable foreign earnings
    - American foreign investment
    - John B. Connally's assessment
    - Shultz's and Ehrlichman's assessments
    - Union support
      - George Meany
        - New York Newspaper Guild
        - Conversation with Shultz
          - Trade legislation
          - Jobs
      - Businessmen council meeting
  - Oil industry
    - Exploration abroad incentive
      - Losses
        - Early exploration
        - Deductible
      - Income
      - Tax
    - Loss to US
- Taxes

Energy

- Imports
  - Shultz's report
- Connally
- Independent oil operators
- Opposition

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Conversation No. 852-15 (cont'd)

- Oil prices
- Incentives for domestic production
- Oil Policy Committee
  - William E. Simon
    - Chairman
  - Restructuring
  - Imports
    - Necessity
  - Restrictions
    - Preferred market
    - Bargaining tool
      - Mohammed Reza Pahlavi [Shah of Iran]
      - [Faisal, King of Saudi Arabia] Malik Faisal ibn Abd al-Aziz
- al-Saud
  - Oil study
    - Shultz's staff
    - Political considerations
      - Earlier delays
      - Senators
        - Clifford P. Hansen
    - Quotas and tariffs
      - Differences
      - Long
        - Meeting with President
        - Oil and gas interests
          - Family
        - Meeting with Golda Meir
        - Restrictions on Arab oil
          - Domestic oil producers
          - National security
    - Tariffs
      - Domestic incentives
      - Reform
        - Liberalization
        - Experimental process
  - Tax reform proposal
    - Capital gains

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Conversation No. 852-15 (cont'd)

- Minimum tax
- Changes
- Capital losses
- Exploration for oil
  - Tax breaks
- Drilling costs and depreciation allowance benefits
  - Difficulties
- Drilling incentives
  - Dry holes
- Energy message
  - Trade bill
  - Foreign tax bill
  - Tax reform package
    - Hearings
    - Politics
- Oil companies
  - Dry holes
    - Appearance of loophole
  - Energy plan
    - Tandem with tax plan
- Trade energy packages
  - California
- Presentation to Congress
  - Integration of packages

Congressional relations

- Energy policy
  - Bipartisan leaders
  - Publicity
  - Meeting with President
    - Scheduling
- Trade policy
  - Bipartisan presentation
    - California
  - Message
  - Devaluation announcement
    - Timing
  - Consultation with Congress

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Conversation No. 852-15 (cont'd)

- Recess
- Difficulties
- Telephone calls from White House staff
- Timing
  - Trade bill announcement
- President's return to Washington
  - Meeting with Henry A. Kissinger
- Leaders' meeting
  - Radio speech
  - Support for President

Energy policy

- Connally's attendance
- Comprehensive paper
- Peter M. Flanigan
- Option paper
  - Decisions
  - Charles J. DiBona
    - Analysis
    - National security
    - Oil imports

Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 3:15 pm.

Wilbur D. Mills

- Arrival for meeting

Bull left at an unknown time before 3:44 pm.

Energy policy

- DiBona's analysis
  - National security
    - Oil reserves
      - Arab oil
      - Conservation
  - Contrast with Long's view
- Oil study
  - Levels of domestic production

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Conversation No. 852-15 (cont'd)

- Bargaining position
- Exploration
  - Long
  - Prices

Energy paper

- Nuclear power
  - Breeder reactor
    - Soviet prototype
  - Time before production
  - Budget
- Breeder reactor
  - President's conversation with Dr. Edward Teller
  - Feasibility
  - Theoretical stage
  - Soviet Union
  - France
    - Prototypes
  - Scientific community involvement
    - Consensus
  - Dr. H. Guyford Stever
    - Carnegie Mellon University
  - Dr. Edward E. David, Jr.
    - Involvement
  - Connally
- Connally's views
- Deregulation of gas prices
- Exploration
  - Price incentives
  - Continental shelf
    - Leases
  - Deep water ports
- Tankers
  - Connally

Mills and the White House photographer [?] entered at 3:44 pm.

Greetings

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Seating

- Edward R. G. Heath
- [Hussein, King of Jordan] Hussein ibn Talal
- Mills

Mill's appreciation

- Photograph [?]
- First Family

[Photograph session]

Ehrlichman and the White House photographer [?] left at 3:44 pm.

Congressional relations

- Legislation
  - Mill's vote
  - Farmers
- President's trip to Arkansas
  - Searcy, Arkansas
  - Harding College [?]
  - University of Arkansas
    - Little Rock
  - Hendrix College
    - Mill's alma mater
    - Arthur F. Burns
    - School of Social Sciences
      - Curriculum
      - Mill's interest
      - Liberalism
      - Compared to social services
      - Sociologists

Stennis

- President's visit
- Chances of survival
- President's telephone call
  - Tricia Nixon Cox
- Recovery

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Conversation No. 852-15 (cont'd)

- Gen. Walter R. Tkach
- Appearance
  - Hand-shaking
- Doctor's comments
  - Physical condition
    - Compared to James O. Eastland
    - Liver
- Habits
  - Compared with Eastland
    - John J. Flynt, Jr. [?]

Economic legislation

- Arkansas farmers
  - Price supports [?]
- Mills's knowledge
  - John W. Byrnes
  - [Herman T. Schneebli] [?]
    - Leadership
- Meetings with President and Shultz
  - Tax problems

Tax proposals

- Discussions with President
- Legislation
- Tax reform
- Energy
  - Oil, natural gas

Trade

- International monetary situation
- Mill's interest
- Public posture of administration
  - Markets
- Mills's work
- Administration's work
- Most favored nation [MFN] status
  - Soviet Union
  - Albania [?]



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Conversation No. 852-15 (cont'd)

- Jews
- Votes in House of Representatives
- 1948 United Nations [UN] agreement on emigration
- Soviet Union

Soviet Union

- Israel
- Jewish emigration
  - Administration's negotiations
- Jews
  - Mills's attendance at Philadelphia event
  - Fund raising

Trade

- Bipartisan meeting
  - Scheduling
  - Trade package
- Shultz's meeting with Mills
  - Mills's schedule
  - Byrnes's visit
- Protectionism
  - Burke-Hartke bill
  - Administration's opposition
- Balance of payments
- MFN status
  - Bargaining position
  - Compared to unilateral action

International monetary situation

- Shultz
- Consultation with Congress
- Balance of payments, trade deficit
- Need for surprise
- Great Britain
  - Currency flow
  - Dual arrangement
- Balance of payments

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Manolo Sanchez entered at an unknown time after 3:44 pm.

Refreshments

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 5:11 pm.

International monetary situation

- President's program
- Conversations with Burns
  - Publicity
- Surcharges
  - Amounts
  - Balance of payments
  - Imports
- Inflation
  - Wages
  - Compared to rates in France

Trade package

- Bipartisan meeting
  - Scheduling
  - Preliminary work
- Administration's approach
  - US jobs
  - Flooding of US market
    - Japan
- Bipartisan meeting
- Message to Congress
- Shultz's role
  - Meeting with Mills
    - Scheduling
  - Mill's schedule
    - Speaking engagements
      - New Orleans
      - Car dealers
    - Little Rock
    - Broadcasters

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George S. McGovern

International monetary situation  
-Shultz's telephone call to Mills  
-Prompt action

Manolo Sanchez entered at an unknown time after 3:44 pm.

Cigarettes  
-Smoking  
-Allergy

Refreshments  
-Iced tea

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 5:11 pm.

Trade proposals  
-Mills's speech  
-Economy  
-Future  
-International problems  
-Conference  
-International conferences  
-Number of countries  
-Value  
-Dealings with individual nations  
-Big five nations  
-US, Great Britain, France, Germany, Japan  
-Discussions over trade, money, defense  
-Defense expenditure  
-Link  
-Trade arrangements  
-Great Britain  
-Separate issues  
-Heath

Tax policy

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Conversation No. 852-15 (cont'd)

- Shultz
- Testimony

- Trade proposals
  - International Monetary Fund [IMF] speech
  - Negotiating authority for President
  - Tariffs

Unknown person entered at an unknown time after 3:34 pm.

Photograph [?]

Unknown person left at an unknown time before 5:11 pm.

- Trade negotiations
  - Balance of payments emergency
    - President's authority to declare
      - Surcharge
        - 1971 surcharge
        - Bargaining chip
  - Japan
    - Possible import surcharge in legislation
      - Effects
  - Balance of trade deficit, payments
    - Leaders' meeting
    - Bargaining
      - Japan
      - Europe
      - Bipartisan clout
  - Authority for President to restrict imports
    - Inflation
    - Selected items
      - Beef, cattle
      - Fear of flooding markets
        - Japan
        - Safeguards
          - Choices for President
  - Tariff commission

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- Compared to radio, television [TV]
- Protectionism
  - Burke-Hartke bill
  - Sentiment
    - Balance of trade deficit
- World trade
  - Concerns
  - Labor unions
    - Job safeguards
    - Adjustment assistance
    - Shultz's discussions
    - George Meany
- Trade bill
  - Safeguards for jobs
  - Unemployment compensation bill
    - Federal standards
    - Congressional support
    - Standards
      - States
        - New York compared to Arkansas
      - Ways and Means Committee
        - Social Security Act
      - State legislatures
        - Arkansas
          - Governor
- Income maintenance
  - Imports
    - Resulting loss of jobs
- Labor issues
  - Jobs
  - Vested pensions rights
  - Ways and Means Committee
    - Appropriations Committee
  - Education and Labor Committee
  - Contractors with government
    - Defense, National Aeronautics and Space Administration [NASA]
    - Employees

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Conversation No. 852-15 (cont'd)

- Length of employment
- Pension rights
- Pension funds
  - Pooling
  - Employer payments
  - Mobility of work force
  - Construction industry
  - Contractors
- Trade bill
- Pension bill
  - Employment termination
    - Guarantees
  - Labor unions
- Pensions
  - Expense
  - [David] [?] Leonard
  - Meany
  - Government supervised pension fund
  - Standards
  - Social Security buffer

Trade

- Possible legislation
  - MFN status
  - Developing countries
- Japan
- Europe
- Latin America
  - Special treatment
    - State Department
  - Africa
    - Common market
  - Commonwealth
- Great Britain, France
  - Special deals with former colonies
    - Mediterranean
- Latin America
  - US special deals

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Conversation No. 852-15 (cont'd)

- Formulas
- Brazil
  - Gold reserves
  - Political system

Philippines

- Ferdinand E. Marcos's government
- Internal situation
- US Support for Marcos
  - Necessity

Foreign policy

- Dealings with other nations
- Internal affairs
  - Genocide

Trade

- Congress
- Modification of President's authority to negotiate
  - Trade barriers
- Tariffs
  - Desirability
- International monetary situation
  - Undervaluation of dollar
- Tax policy
- Congressional relations
  - Japan
  - Leaders' meeting
  - Consultations
  - Pressures
  - Mills's role
    - Agreement with administration
  - Working together
- Long
  - Welfare reform meeting with President
- Bipartisan strategy
  - Tax policy
  - Difficulties

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- Demagogues
- Labor leaders
- Business leaders
- Mills's role

Congressional relations

- Consensus
  - Lyndon B. Johnson
  - Role of President
- Tax reform
  - Disagreements
- Trade
  - Jacob K. Javits
    - New York constituents
    - Free trade
  - Consultation
    - Bipartisan leaders
    - Shultz's role
      - Requesting support
      - Advice from Congress
- Mills
  - Nomination for Presidency as Democrat
- Fred Barkley
  - Mills's friend
  - President of Union Oil
  - Testimony on fuel shortages
  - John O. Pastore
  - Silvio O. Conte
- Bipartisan meetings
  - Taxes
  - Trade
  - Energy
    - Shultz
    - Ways and Means Committee
      - Quotas
      - Imports
  - Long
    - Ehrlichman



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-Oil interests

Energy policy

- Kerr-Mills
- Federal Power Commission
  - Gas
- Arkansas
  - Gas shortages
  - Atlantic Richfield Company [ARCO] gas field in Oklahoma and Texas
    - W. R. ("Witt") Stevens
    - Federal Power Commission
      - Request for pipeline
      - Chairman
      - Responsiveness
      - Report from staff
  - Study in administration
    - Shultz, Ehrlichman
    - DiBona
    - Simon
    - Flanigan
    - Rogers C. B. Morton
  - Importance of problem
  - Francis Case
  - Oil interests
    - Fred Barkley
  - Oil prices
    - Arabs
    - Bargaining leverage
    - Long
  - Intrastate gas
    - Price control
    - Compared with interstate gas
  - Meetings with Shultz, Ehrlichman and Connally [?]
  - Mills's recommendation
    - Campaign contributions

Tax policy

- Tax angles

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- Trade aspects
- Energy problem
- General tax message
  - Energy, trade messages
- Mills's schedule
  - Paul A. Volcker [?]
    - Bailout
    - Public witnesses
- President's views
  - Tax reform
  - Commitments
- Credit for private schools
  - Congressional action
  - President's problems
    - President's political commitments
  - Catholics
    - John F. Kennedy
  - Dual school system
- Property tax relief for elderly
  - Burden
  - New England
- President's political commitments
- Checklist on tax reform
- Tax reform
  - Important areas
    - Investment income
      - Amount
      - Tax rate
    - Capital gains
      - Changes
        - Nelson A. Rockefeller
    - Depreciation
      - Conversion
    - Rate structure
    - Wall Street
      - Reactions
      - Speculation
      - Taxation

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- Capital gains
  - Amount
  - Beneficiaries
  - Sale of homes
    - Exclusions
    - Mills's views on reform
  - Capital gains reinvestment

Bull entered at an unknown time after 3:44 pm.

President's schedule

Bull left at an unknown time before 5:11 pm.

- Tax policy
  - Capital gains
    - Payments over years
    - Political appeal
      - Conservatives
  - Estate taxes
    - Rates
  - Charity contributions
    - State taxes
    - Capital gains
      - Labor
    - Inherited assets
      - Market value
  - Inequities in tax structure
  - Mortgage deductions
  - Charity deductions
    - President's support
    - Hendrix College
    - Whittier College
  - Tax relief
    - Gasoline tax
    - Middle incomes
      - Silent Majority
      - Meany

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Conversation No. 852-15 (cont'd)

- Protests
- Poverty level income
- Minimum wage
  - Subsistence level
  - Whittier, California
  - Little Rock
  - Welfare reform
- Annual income

Unemployment

- Young people
- Breadwinners
  - Compared with late 1960s
  - Women
  - Youth
  - Meany
- Beginner's wage rate
  - US, Soviet Union
- Minimum wage
  - Unemployment rates
  - Meany
  - Labor market
  - Peter J. Brennan

Great Depression

- Unemployment
  - Percentage calculation
  - Welfare recipients
  - Social Security

Tax policy

- Credit for private schools
- Property tax relief for elderly
- Simplification
- Energy, trade
- President's checklist from Shultz
- Shultz's conversation with Mills
  - Areas of agreement

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Conversation No. 852-15 (cont'd)

- Inequities
- Incentives
- Equity
  - Problems
    - Conflict with national objectives
      - Charity
      - Social objectives
      - Employment of women
      - Energy
- Tax reform
  - President's law school
  - Charles Lown's [?] comments
    - Social purpose
    - Charles Lown's [?] comments

Stephen Bull entered at an unknown time after 3:44 pm.

Alice Roosevelt Longworth

Bull left at an unknown time before 5:11 pm.

President's schedule

- Ronald L. Ziegler's telephone call
- Longworth
- Illness

Congressional relations

- Consultations between Shultz and Mills
  - Energy
  - Trade
  - Tax
- Another meeting

Tax policy

- Mills's commitment
- Single taxpayers
  - Numbers
  - Importance

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Conversation No. 852-15 (cont'd)

- Burden of taxation
- Compared to families
- Women's longevity
- Unknown woman's support for President

President's schedule

- Future meetings with Mills and Shultz
- Camp David

Franklin D. Roosevelt

- Meeting with Winston S. Churchill, Josef V. Stalin, Chiang Kai-shek
- Seating arrangements

Shultz and Mills left at 5:11 pm.

Conversation No. 852-16

Date: February 7, 1973  
Time: 5:11 pm-5:12 pm  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

President's departure  
-Coat

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 5:12 pm.

Conversation No. 852-17

Date: February 7, 1973  
Time: 5:11 pm-5:12 pm  
Location: Oval Office

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Conversation No. 852-17 (cont'd)

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

President's visit to Alice Roosevelt Longworth  
-Gifts

The President and Bull left at 5:12 pm.

Conversation No. 852-18

Date: February 7, 1973  
Time: Unknown after 5:12 pm  
Location: Oval Office

Unknown people met.

Unknown person's location

President's location

The unknown people left at an unknown time at an unknown time after 5:12 pm.