

Tape Subject Log

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Conversation No. 893-1

Date: April 11, 1973

Time: Unknown between 9:40 am and 9:42 am

Location: Oval Office

The President talked with Rose Mary Woods.

[Dwight] David Eisenhower, II
-Schedule
-Meeting with President

President's schedule

-Oval Office

-Executive Office Building [EOB]

Conversation No. 893-2

Date: April 11, 1973 Time: 9:42 am - 9:50 am Location: Oval Office

The President met with Henry A. Kissinger.

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US-Spain relations
-Base agreements
-President's meeting with Gregoria Lopez-Bravo de Castro
-Letter from Gen. Francisco Franco
-Contents
-Presentation to President
-Photographs
-Arrangements
-Adm. Horacio Rivero, Jr.
-Scheduling
-President's schedule
-Length of meeting
-Robert J. McCloskey
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Conversation No. 893-2 (cont'd)

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-Cyrpus
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- -Lopez-Bravo
 - -Robert C. Hill [?]
 - -International Security Affairs [ISA]
 - -Elliot L. Richardson

President's State dinner for Lee Kuan Yew

- -Lee's toast
- -Lee
- -Profundity
- -Remarkableness
- -Compared to US liberals
- -Understanding of Southeast Asia
- -Meeting Kissinger [?]
 - -Thailand

Ambassadorships

- -Thailand
 - -Role of Ambassador
 - -Henry Kearns
 - -Bank
 - -Qualifications
- -William R. Kintner
 - -Pakistan, Cambodia
 - -Alexander M. Haig, Jr.
 - -Strength of Cambodia
 - -Qualifications for Ambassador to Pakistan

-Hill

Support for President

- -Lifestyle
- -State Department

Cambodia

- -Composition of possible government
 - -Haig
 - -State Department's attempts
 - -Lon Nol's view
 - -Cambodia domestic situation
- -Henry A. Kissinger's consultation with People's Republic of China [PRC]

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Lee Kuan Yew

-1967 meeting with President

-Dialogue

President's role in world

- -Lee's view
- -Thais' view
- -Senators' view
- -President's decision making
 - -Future President's

Kissinger's schedule

-Meeting with Lee

Kissinger's talks with Richardson

- -Strategic Arms Limitation Talks [SALT]
 - -Kissinger's confidence in progress

Forthcoming summit meeting

- -Anatoliy F. Dobrynin
- -Leonid I. Brezhnev
- -Soviet leadership
 - -Crisis
 - -Potential changes in leadership
 - -Nuclear treaty
 - -Importance to Soviets
 - -Kissinger's schedule
 - -Meeting with Dobrynin
 - -Haig's meeting

Kissinger left at 9:50 am

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Conversation No. 893-3 (cont'd)

Conversation No. 893-3

Date: April 11, 1973

Time: Unknown between 9:50 am and 10:00 am

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

President's schedule

-Letter from Whittier College

-Jack Pardee

-Meeting with Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon

-Cancer award

-Courage

-Pardee's bout with cancer

-Presentation by President

-Camp David trip

-Time

-Family

-Events on April 12, 1973

-National Security Council [NSC] meeting

-Vietnam Prisoners of War [POWs]

-Entertainment

-Music

-Army chows

-Hugh Scott, Joe D. Waggonner, Jr.

-Gerald R. Ford

-Representatives of Democratic Party

-Forthcoming meetings

-Henry A. Kissinger

-Gregorio Lopez-Bravo de Castro

-Gen. Francisco Franco's letter

-Joseph Marie Luns

-John B. Connally

-Reception for Congressmen

-Previous evening's dinner arrangements

-Julie Nixon Eisenhower

-Timing of courses

-Army chorus

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-Staging of performance

- -Camp David [?]
- -Letters to unknown person and Glenn Ford
 - -Ford's mother
- -Call to J. Strom Thurmond
 - -William E. Timmons
 - -Tom C. Korologos
 - -Congressional [?] resolution

Stephen Bull left at an unknown time before 10:00 am.

Conversation No. 893-4

Date: April 11, 1973

Time: Unknown between 9:50 am and 10:00 am

Location: Oval Office

The President talked with the White House operator.

[See Conversation No. 44-142]

Conversation No. 893-5

Date: April 11, 1973

Time: Unknown between 10:00 am and 10:08 am

Location: Oval Office

The President talked with Billy Graham.

[See Conversation No. 44-143]

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Conversation No 893-6

Conversation No. 893-6

Date: April 11, 1973

Time: 10:11 am - 10:59 am Location: Oval Office

The President met with [Dwight] David Eisenhower, II and Julie Nixon Eisenhower.

[Begin segment reviewed under deed of gift]

Greetings

Weather

-Rose Mary Woods

-Snow

President's schedule

-State dinner

-Arrangements

Oval Office

-Desk

-President's as Vice President

-Executive Office Building [EOB]

-Dwight D. Eisenhower

-John F. Kennedy

-Lyndon B. Johnson

-Johnson's removal of desk

[Dwight] David Eisenhower, II

-Plans

-George A. Goodling

-William F. Goodling

-Political Plans

-Position on staff

-Samuel L. Devine

-Pennsylvania Republican State Chairman, Cliffor J. Jones

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- -President's meeting with Goodling and Devine
 -George Goodling's planned retirement
 -David Eisenhower's announcement of candidacy
 -Goodling's retirement
 - -Potential opposition
 - -John Eaton [?]
 - -Plans
 - -Martin G. Hamberger
- -Hamberger
 - -Relations with other Pennsylvania Republicans
 - -President's assessment
 - -Announcement
 - -Eaton [?]
- -Strategy for nomination
 - -Timing of candidacy
 - -Goodling's staff
 - -Tacit endorsement of Eisenhower
 - -William Goodling's plans
 - -Goodling's plans
 - -Devine
- -District
 - -Residence
 - -Gettysburg, Pennsylvania
- -Strategy
 - -Reassessment of post-Naval career
 - -Political job
 - -Speaking engagements
 - -Washington, DC
 - -Meetings with local politicians
 - -Expression of interest
 - -Timing of announcement
 - -Residence location
 - -Washington, DC area
 - -Significance
- -Residence
 - -Farm

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1A	
rsonal returnable]	
[Duration: 24 s]	
END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1	
[Dwight] David Eisenhower, II	
-Plans for political office	
-Farm purchase in district	
-Tenant farmer	
-Tax payer	
-Investment	
-Equipment	
-Visits	
BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1B [Personal returnable] [Duration:1 m] END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1B	
[Dwight] David Eisenhower, II	
-Plans for political office	
-Farm purchase	
-Compared to apartment	
-Enterprise	
-Investment	
-Residence in Maryland house	
-Conversation with Jones	
-Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo	
-Contract	
-Employment	
-George H. W. Bush	

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-Republican National Committee [RNC]
                        -Finance Committee [?]
              -Internship with Roman Huiska
              -Value
              -Capitol Hill
                   -Problems
                   -Richard S. Schweiker
                        -Liberal staff
                   -Hugh Scott
              -Pennsylvania Republican State Chairman
                   -Recommendation
                        -Goodling
                        -Political employment
                   -Location
                        -Washington, DC area
BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1C
[Personal returnable]
[Duration: <u>1 m 15 s</u>]
END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1C
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    [Dwight] David Eisenhower, II
         -Plans for political office
              -Employment
                   -Campaign Committee
                        -House of Representatives
                        -Research
                        -Travel
                   -Bush
                   -Research
                        -Issue-based
              -Bush
                   -Recommendations
                        -Speeches
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-College campuses
           -Candidate search
-Campaign Committee
-Barber B. Conable, Jr.
     -Republican Policy Committee
     -New York
     -Travel
-Hobart D. ("Hobe") Lewis
     -Employment
           -Moonlighting
           -Articles
                 -Human interest
                 -Pennsylvania Congressional District
                      -Presence
                 -Fees
-Employment
     -Travel
     -Writing
     -Capitol Hill
           -House Armed Services Committee
                 -Defense Department
                 -Defense expenditures in district
                      -Carlisle Army barracks
-Defense Issues
     -Young people
-Employment
     -Bush
     -Devine's recommendations
-Goodling's plans
-Timing of candidacy
-District
     -Population
           -President's congressional district in California
-Announcement
     -Timing
     -Lincoln's birthday
     -Location
           -Gettysburg
           -Organized part
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-District
     -Editors
           -Harry McLaughlin
                 -Harrisburg [newspaper?]
                 -Friendship with Mamie Eisenhower
-Organization
     -Press relations
     -Manager
     -Recruitment
           -McLaughlin
                 -Support of Eisenhower family
-District
     -Coffee klatsches
           -Value
                 -Support
-Campaigning
     -Timing
     -Fatigue
     -Present activities
           -Politics in district
           -Expressions of interest
                 -Goodling
-Employment
     -Bush
           -RNC
     -Capitol Hill
     -RNC
           -Perception of work in potential district
     -Work with Schweiker
           -Travel around Pennsylvania
           -Record of support
     -Work with Hugh Scott
           -Hamberger
     -House Campaign Committee
           -Devine
           -House Policy Committee
           -Advantages
                 -Bush
                 -Research
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-Robert G. Michel
                            -Engagements
                                  -Pull from invitations to White House
                            -Publicity
                            -Television [TV] appearances
                                  -Today Show
                                  -Tonight Show
                                  -Hamberger
                 -District
                       -Residence
                            -Value to district
                                  -Investments
                                  -Writing fees
                                        -Reader's Digest
           -New house
                 -Occupation
[End segment reviewed under deed of gift]
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President's schedule
     -Camp David
     -Julie Nixon Eisenhower's trip to Boston
           -Middlesex Peace Award
                -Acceptance on behalf of President
           -Remarks
           -Speakers
                 -Charles W. Colson
                 -Frank E. Fitzsimmons
                 -Peter J. Brennan
                 -Margaret M. Heckler
                      -Supporter of President
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Brennan

- -Conflicts with George Meany
- -Work in administration
- -Conflicts with organized labor
 - -Labor secretaries

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-Wage differentials for teenagers -Support from economists Conversation No 893-6

-Minimum wage -Labor unions

[Dwight] David Eisenhower, II -Plans for political office -Farm
BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2A [Personal returnable] [Duration: 1 m 5 s] END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2A
Congressional district -Farmers -Hamberger's farm purchase
BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2B [Personal returnable] [Duration:35 s] END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2B
President's schedule

-White House open house

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-Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon
                -Tourists' visits
                -White House tour
                      -President's appearance
                            -Rose Garden
                           -Ronald L. Ziegler
     State dinners
           -Waiters
                -Stephen B. Bull
                -Rex W. Scouten
                -Clearing of tables
           -Delays
           -European customs
           -Delays
                -Spiro T. Agnew dinner
           -Toasts
           -President's instructions
                -Scouten
           -Future arrangements
           -Dinner for Lee Kuan Yew
           -Delays
           -Shape of tables
           -Agnew
                -State Department
           -Arrangements
     Oval Office
           -Lincoln painting
                -Change of location
                      -Tone of painting
BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2C
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END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2C

[Personal returnable]
[Duration: 1 m 7 s]

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[Dwight] David Eisenhower, II

- -Plans for political office
 - -District
 - -Primary race
 - -Hamberger
 - -William F. Goodling
 - -Battle
 - -George A. Goodling
 - -Endorsement
 - -Defense of Goodling's policies
 - -Political independence
 - -Residence in White House
 - -Issues
 - -Differentiation from administration
 - -Impoundment [?]
 - -Agriculture
 - -National defense
 - -President's assessment
 - -Poll of district
 - -Clifford J. Jones
 - -Robert Teeter
 - -Public's views of Eisenhower
 - -Timing
 - -Usefulness
 - -Timing
 - -Residence
 - -Employment
 - -Washington, DC
 - -Articles for Hobe Lewis
 - -TV appearances
 - -Tonight Show
 - -Opponents
 - -Campaigns
 - -Candidacy
 - -Expressions of interest
 - -Jones

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-District campaign managers
                           -Recruitment
                           -Charles Wolfe
                                 -Lawyer for Dwight D. Eisenhower
                                 -Delegate for President in 1968
                      -Approach
                           -One step removed
                           -Relations with party officials
                           -Finance people
                      -District
                           -Pennsylvania women
                                 -Julie's involvement
                                      -Luncheons
                                 -Mamie Eisenhower
                           -Party at Gettysburg farm
                      -Jones
                           -David Eisenhower's independence
                           -Wolfe
                -Residence
                      -Advice from Pennsylvania party officials
                           -House
                           -Farm purchase
                           -Decisiveness
BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2D
[Personal returnable]
[Duration: 1 m 4 s ]
END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2D
     [Dwight] David Eisenhower, II
           -Plans for political office
                -President's advice
                -Residence
                      -Alternatives
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-York County, Pennsylvania

-Hanover, Pennsylvania

-Gettysburg, Pennsylvania

-Farms

-Dwight D. Eisenhower

-Issues

-US Navy

-Dwight D. Eisenhower

-Candidacy

[End segment reviewed under deed of gift]

Julie Nixon Eisenhower and [Dwight] David Eisenhower, II left at 10:59 am.

Conversation No. 893-7

Date: April 11, 1973

Time: Unknown between 10:59 am and 11:05 am

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

President's schedule
-Photographs
-Foreign aid worker
-Prisoners of War [POWs]

Stephen Bull left at an unknown time before 11:05 am.

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Conversation No. 893-8

Date: April 11, 1973

Time: Unknown after 10:59 am and 11:05 am

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

President's schedule
-H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman
-Haldeman's schedule
-Forthcoming meeting
-John D. Ehrlichman
-Forthcoming meeting

Stephen Bull left at an unknown time before 11:05 am.

Conversation No. 893-9

Date: April 11, 1973

Time: Unknown between 10:59 am and 11:05 am

Location: Oval Office

The President met with an unknown man.

President's schedule
-Meeting with John D. Ehrlichman

The unknown man left at an unknown time before 11:05 am.

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Conversation No. 893-10 (cont'd)

Conversation No. 893-10

Date: April 11, 1973

Time: 11:05 am - 11:50 am Location: Oval Office

The President met with John D. Ehrlichman.

Pending legislation, teenage wage differential

- -George Meany
- -Peter J. Brennan
 - -Support for legislation
- -Ehrlichman's conversation with Brennan
 - -Deal making
- -Chances with Congress
 - -Teenage wage differential
- -Frederick B. Dent
 - -Criticism of Brennan
 - -John N. Erlenborn
 - -Public statement
 - -Administration proposals
- -Meany
 - -President's advice to Brennan

Watergate

- -John N., Mitchell's call to Ehrlichman
 - -Settlement of suit
 - -Robert S. Strauss
 - -Approval by Mike Mansfield, Carl B. Albert, and Sam J. Ervin, Jr.
 - -Conversation with Maurice H. Stans
 - -Lawrence F. O'Brien, Jr.
 - -Settlement
 - -Settlement of suit
 - -Stans's position
- -Leonard Garment
 - -Meeting with Ervin Committee staff, April 10, 1973
- -Ervin Committee
 - -Hearing schedule
 - -John J. Sirica's delay in sentencing James W. McCord, Jr.

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-Compared to Whittaker Chambers case
           -Alger Hiss's response
     -Ervin Committee
           -Slander of defendants
     -Garment's role
     -Leaks
           -New York Daily News
           -McCord's testimony corroborated
           -Jeb Stuart Magruder
           -H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman
           -Ehrlichman's meeting with Ervin
                 -Chambers case
                      -Hiss
     -Function
     -Garment's opinion of committee staff
           -Plans
                 -Donald H. Segretti
                 -Campaign finance
     -Fred D. Thompson
     -Howard H. Baker, Jr.
     -Samuel Dash
     -Effect of McCord's testimony
-Mitchell
     -Frederick C. LaRue
           -News story
     -Funds
           -Source
                 -W. Clement Stone [?]
                 -Gordon C. Strachan
                      -Reporting of expenditure
                      -Return to Stans
                 -La Rue
           -John W. Dean, III
                 -Source of Ehrlichman's information
                 -Knowledge of funds transactions
     -Richard A. Moore's conversation with Garment and Ehrlichman, April 11,
      1973
           -Focus on funds problem
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-Mitchell's attention

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Conversation No. 893-10 (cont'd)

- -Moore's conversations
 - -Dean
 - -Mitchell
- -Possibility of conversation with President
 - -Previous conversation with President

Supreme Court

- -Byron R. White
 - -Interest in directorship of Federal Bureau of Investigation [FBI]
 - -Life on the court
 - -Prestige
 - -Background
 - -Religion
 - -Marital status
 - -Political views
 - -Conservative
 - -Law and order
 - -Race
 - -Pace of decisions
 - -Replacement
 - -Discussions
- -Messages from Potter Stewart and Lewis F. Powell, Jr.
 - -Work of Jewell S. LaFontant
 - -Quality
 - -Richard G. Kleindienst's assessment
 - -Blacks
- -White
 - -Kleindienst
 - -Warren E. Burger
 - -Meeting about FBI position
 - -Ehrlichman meeting
- -Marvin Watson
 - -Background
 - -Lawyer
 - -Postmaster General
 - -Lyndon B. Johnson Administration
 - -Democrat
 - -Comparison with Abe Fortas
 - -Press reaction

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-Credibility

Watergate

- -Ervin Committee
 - -Schedule
 - -Ehrlichman's talk with Ervin
- -Executive privilege
 - -Kleindienst's attack on Edmund S. Muskie
 - -Ervin's opinion of President's position
 - -Aims of White House
- -Ervin Committee
 - -Strachan, Dwight L. Chapin, Segretti
 - -Herbert W. Kalmbach
 - -Ehrlichman's warning to Baker and Ervin
 - -Records of 1970 Congressional money
 - -Pre-1970 Edward M. ("Ted") Kennedy investigation
 - -Lowell P. Weicker, Jr.
 - -Alabama money
 - -Scope of subpoena
 - -Ehrlichman's conversation with Kalmbach's attorney
 - -Scope of investigation
 - -Ehrlichman's conversation with Ervin
 - -Kalmbach
 - -Subpoena
 - -Funds
 - -Movement of money for Stans
 - -Haldeman's use
 - -Polling
 - -Administration's explanation

Economic policy

- -Herbert Stein
- -Troika of economic advisors and Roy L. Ash to prepare written recommendations
- -Arthur F. Burns
 - -Ehrlichman's call
 - -Meeting with President
 - -Decision making process
- -Pierre Rinfret
 - -Paper

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- -Stein's list of options
- -Congress
 - -Mail from constituents
 - -Opposition to proposals
 - -Business community
 - -William J. Baroody's office
 - -Effectiveness
- -Control of inflation
 - -Stein's view on control
 - -Equilibrium
 - -Economy's momentum
- -Stock market
 - -Rise in prices
 - -Distortions
 - -Jewish influence
 - -Rinfret
 - -Retail sales figures

Inflation

- -Public reasoning
 - -Lack of confidence
 - -Cambodia
 - -Fiscal policy [?]
- -Federal spending
 - -President's vetoes
 - -Influence on Congress

Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 11:05 am.

President's schedule

- -Henry A. Kissinger
 - -Talking paper
- -Meeting with Gregorio Lopez-Bravo de Castro
 - -Length of meeting
- -Meetings with foreign ministers
- -Meeting with Lopez-Bravo
 - -Duration

Bull left at an unknown time before 11:50 am.

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President's schedule

-Meeting with Lopez-Bravo

-Length

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-Content of paper delivered to President
    Watergate
         -Mitchell and LaRue
              -Forthcoming testimony to Grand Jury
              -Nature of possible crimes committed
                   -Periury
              -Washington Post's allegations of funds for cover-up
                   -Legal importance of intent
                        -Committee to Re-Elect the President [CRP]
         -Segretti
              -Plea of self-incrimination
              -Meeting of attorney with Kalmbach's attorney
              -Connection with E. Howard Hunt, Jr.
                   -Strachan
                   -Chapin
         -Campaign organization
              -Watergate break-in
              -Management
                   -Magruder
                   -Mitchell
              -G[eorge] Gordon Liddy
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[Privacy]
[Duration: 33 s]
END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2
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Watergate

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-Sally Harmony's testimony before grand jury
              -Mitchell and Magruder
              -Haldeman
         -Dean's story concerning reports
              -Submission of report to Strachan
         -Possible involvement of Haldeman
              -Haldeman's response
Bull entered at an unknown time after 11:05 am.
    President's schedule
         -A meeting
         -Time
Bull left at an unknown time before 11:50 am.
    Watergate
         -Liddy
              -Sally Harmony's possible testimony
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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3
[Privacy]
[Duration: <u>13 s</u>]
END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3
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    Watergate
         -Liddy
              -Sally Harmony's possible testimony
                   -Source of information for Ehrlichman
                        -Richard A. Moore
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- -Memos to and from Liddy
 - -Charles W. Colson
 - -Haldeman
- -Ehrlichman conversation with Dean
- -Haldeman
 - -Defense by White House
 - -Forthcoming testimony
 - -Comparison with Mitchell's testimony
 - -Possible future reactions by Republicans
 - -Weicker
 - -Hugh Scott, Barry M. Goldwater, Gerald R. Ford
 - -Comparison with Sherman Adams case
 - -Possible White House reaction
- -Garment's reaction to investigation
 - -Interest of President's opponents
 - -Response by President
 - -Gannon's suggestions for President's activities
 - -Travel
 - -President's forthcoming meeting with Lopez-Bravo
 - -Ehrlichman's assessment
 - -President's meeting with Lee Kuan Yew
 - -Ehrlichman's assessment
 - -Effect on President's opponents
 - -Weicker
 - -Vetoes
 - -Effect on public pereption
 - -Role of Congress
 - -Baseball game attendance

Watergate

- -Responsibility for counterattack
 - -Colson
 - -Garment
 - -Baker
 - -Patrick J. Buchanan
 - -Strategy
 - -Stories in press
 - -Ervin Committee

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Ehrlichman left at 11:50 am.

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Date: April 11, 1973

Time: Unknown between 11:50 am and 11:51 am

Location: Oval Office

The President met with an unknown man.

President's schedule

-Meeting with Gregorio Lopez-Bravo de Castro

-Duration

-Photograph

The unknown man left at an unknown time before 11:51 am.

Conversation No. 893-12

Date: April 11, 1973

Time: 11:51 am - 12:02 pm Location: Oval Office

The President met with Gregorio Lopez Bravo de Castro and Henry A. Kissinger. The White House photographer and members of the press were present at the beginning of the meeting.

Greetings

President's schedule
-US Congress
-Vetoes

Relations with Spain

-Friendship over the past four years

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-President's previous visit to Madrid -Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon

Arrangements for photograph

[Photograph session]

Establishment of working group

-Crisis aversion

-European community

-Talks

-US Senate action

Spanish trade relations

-Rise in Spanish wealth

Spain's role in Atlantic community

-Gen. Francisco Franco

-Spanish reaction to communism in Europe

-Security

-United States

-Legacy of the Spanish Civil War

-Current conditions in spain

-Improvements

-European involvement

-Geographically

-Economically

-Politically

-Update of US – Spain relations

An unknown man entered at an unknown time after 11:51 am.

President's schedule

-Meeting with Roger E. Shields

The unknown man left at an unknown time before 12:02 pm.

Spain's role in the Atlantic community
-Practicality

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- -Franco
- -Relations with US
- -Relations with Europe
- -President's conversation with Edward R. G. Heath
 - -Great Britain relationship with Franco
 - -Domestic pressures
 - -France
- -Legacy of the Spanish Civil War
 - -US relations with Japan
 - -Attack on Pearl Harbor
- -Spain's development
 - -Economic power
 - -Improving political landscape
- -Working group
- -Breakthrough
 - -President's visit
 - -Europe

Morocco

Lebanon

Franco

-Health

Future visits to Spain

-Vacation

Lopez-Bravo and Kissinger left at 12:02 pm.

Conversation No. 893-13

Date: April 11, 1973

Time: 12:04 pm - 12:29 pm

Location: Oval Office

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Conversation No. 893-13 (cont'd)

The President met with Roger E. Shields and Brig. Gen. Brent G. Scowcroft. The White House photographer was present at the beginning of the meeting.

Greetings

-Shield's schedule

Seating

[Photograph session]

Shields's work with Prisoners of War [POWs]

- -Shield's meetings with officials
 - -Briefings
 - -Defense Secretary
 - -Chairman of Joint Chiefs of Staff [JCS]

-President's regard for Shields

- -Previous releases of POWs
 - -Influence of peaeniks
- -Cora Weiss
- -Efforts of Shield's staff
- -POWs' readjustment
 - -Emotional reaction
 - -Careers in military service
 - -President's desire
 - -Assets to US military
 - -Senior officers
 - -Recruitment
 - -College campuses
 - -Writing of their experiences
 - -National defense
 - -Meritocracy of the military
 - -Military families
 - -Use of POWs as media figures
 - -Promotions
 - -Duties
 - -Peacetime service
 - -Civic groups
 - -Problems
 - -Emotional letdown

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Conversation No. 893-13 (cont'd)

- -Psychiatric problems
- -Divorce
- -Inner strength
- -Reactions to changes in US
- -Education
 - -National War College
- -Enthusiasm and Spirit
 - -Aspirations
 - Experiences
 - -Effect on nation
 - Patriotism
 - -Religion
 - -Media reaction
 - -Left wing
 - -Accusations of staged events
 - -Brainwashing
- -Shields's conversation with Capt. Jeremiah P. Denton, Jr. during trip from Hanoi
 - -Denton's conduct
 - -Casualties
 - -Emotions
 - -Denton's address to troops
 - -Statement preparation
- -Shields's first visit to Hanoi to bring out POWs
 - -Shield's reaction
 - -Negotiations with North Vietnamese
 - -Procedures
 - -Consultation with doctor
 - -First sight of POWs
 - -Buses
 - -Shield's reaction
 - -Interaction
 - -C-141 aircraft
 - -Ray Vohden
 - -Crutches
 - -Comportment of POWs
 - -Diginity
 - -Capt. [First name unknown] Devlin [?]
 - -"Return with Honor"
 - -Slogan in camp

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Conversation No. 893-13 (cont'd)

- -POWs' support for President
 - -Airforce Capt. Galand G. Kramer's sign
 - -Determination

Missing in Action [MIA]

- -North Vietnam's cooperation
- -Need for maximum US effort
 - -Public relations
 - -Strive for certainty for families
- -President's letter to families
- -Suggested letter to families from Shields
 - -Shields's conversation with President
- -Confidence of families in President
- -December 1972 bombing
 - -North Vietnam's violations of peace agreement
 - -Conditions
- -Numbers of MIAs compared to POWs

Shields's background and education

- -Tenure at Defense Department
- -University of Texas
- -University of Florida
- -University of Virginia
- -Defense Department
- -Age
- -President's achievements at same age
 - -Election
 - -Hiss case

POWs

- -Shields's work
- -Effect on nation
 - -Morale
 - -Patriotism
 - -Determination
 - -Importance of homecoming

Shields's experience and background

-Economics

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Conversation No. 893-13 (cont'd)

-Economics of Vietnamization
-Defense Department
-Terry Leary [?]
-POW and MIA work

Football

- -Shields's career
- -University of Florida
 - -Tackle
 - -Injury
 - -1961 graduation
 - -Steve Spurrier
 - -Larry Lieberteller [?]
- -Miami University
 - -Key Biscayne
- -Florida State University
 - -Rivalry with University of Florida
 - -Quarterback
 - -Black players

Basketball

-University of California, Los Angeles [UCLA] -Black players

Football

-University of Texas

-President's call after victory

Presentation of gifts by President

- -Marriage
- -Golf

Shields and Scowcroft left at 12:29 pm.

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Conversation No. 893-14

Date: April 11, 1973

Time: Unknown between 12:29 pm and 12:34 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met Stephen B. Bull.

President's schedule

- -Dentist
 - -Time
- -Telephone call to Gerald R. Ford
 - -Telephone calls
 - -Letters
 - -Personal interaction
 - -Keepsakes
- -Form of congratulations
- -H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman
- -John D. Ehrlichman

Bull left at an unknown time before 12:34 pm.

Conversation No. 893-15

Date: April 11, 1973

Time: Unknown between 12:29 pm and 12:35 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President talked with the White House operator.

[See Conversation No. 44-144]

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Conversation No. 893-16 (cont'd)

Conversation No. 893-16

Date: April 11, 1973 Time: 12:34 pm - 1:20 pm Location: Oval Office

The President met with John D. Ehrlichman.

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Watergate
-White House counterattack
-H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman
-Availability
-Patrick J. Buchanan
-Public relations
-Need for staff
-Research
-John W. Dean, III
-Charles W. Colson
-Robert J. Dole
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The President talked with Gerald R. Ford between 12:35 pm and 12:39 pm.

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[See Conversation No. 893-16A]
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[See Conversation No. 44-145]

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President's telephone call to Ford

-Albert H. Quie

-Polling numbers [?]

-Older Americans

-Need for flexibility in negotiating with Democrats

-Changes

-Stephen Kurzman

-Ford

-Grand Rapids, Michigan

-White House Staff meeting

-Quie

-James H. Cavanaugh

-Negotiations
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Conversation No. 893-16 (cont'd)

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-Older Americans Bill
     -Disabled Americans bill
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-Veterans bill

-Veto option

-Administration negotiations with Quie

-Conversation with Ford

-Ford's call to Ehrlichman

-Veto vote

-Republican complaints

-White House event for Congressmen

-Republicans' support for vetoes

-Caspar W. ("Cap") Weinberger

-Ouie

-Political deals

-Influence

Watergate

- -White House counterattack
 - -Haldeman
 - -1972 campaign violations by Democrats
 - -President's ignorance
 - -Buchanan
 - -Public relations [PR] campaign
 - -Goals
 - -Violence
 - -Funding violations
- -John N. Mitchell
 - -Ehrlichman's conversation
 - -Maurice H. Stans
 - -New York Daily News story
 - -Paul L. O'Brien as attorney
 - -Robert S. Strauss's conversation with Mitchell
 - -Ervin's future conduct of hearings
 - -O'Brien's role
 - -Perjury
 - -Alger Hiss
 - -Possible justification by Mitchell
 - -O'Brien
 - -Politics

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Conversation No. 893-16 (cont'd)

- -News stories on forthcoming testimony
- -Effects of possible testimony
- -Haldeman
 - -Investigation of funding
- -Ervin Committee
 - -Minority report from Howard H. Baker, Jr., and Edward J. Gurney
 - -Roles of Baker and Gurney
 - -Baker
 - -Restraint on Sam J. Ervin, Jr.
 - -Ehrlichman's conversation with Ervin
 - -Lowell P. Weicker, Jr.
 - -Leonard Garment's opinion
 - -Relations with Ervin and Baker
 - -Scheduling of witnesses
 - -James W. McCord, Jr.
 - -Haldeman
 - -Ehrlichman's draft of ground rules
 - -McCord
 - -Colson
- -Possible positions for White House
 - -Investigation
 - -Search for the truth
 - -Results of White House investigation
 - -Garment
 - -Search for truth
- -Reasons for Garment's presence
- -Haldeman's possible testimony
- -Possible positions for White House to take
- -Garment's role
- -Dean
 - -Interrogatories
 - -Fred D. Thompson
 - -Samuel Dash
 - -White House position on testimony
 - -Possible subpoena
 - -Forthcoming negotiations, April 11, 1973, between John D. Ehrlichman and committee
- -Size of staff
 - -Division of labor

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Conversation No. 893-16 (cont'd)

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-Ervin
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-Age

-Dash

-Witness schedule

-McCord

-Sentencing by John J. Sirica

-Sirica's role

-Buchanan

-[First name unknown] Wilson [?]

-White House counterattack

-Roscoe Drummond

-Members of press favorable to President

Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 12:34 pm.

President's schedule

-Meeting with Haldeman

Bull left at an unknown time before 1:20 pm.

Watergate

-Ehrlichman's meetings

-Cabinet

-White House staff

-Statements

-Haldeman

-Defense to White house staff

President's schedule

-April 13, 1973, Cabinet meeting

-Postponement of meeting

-Forthcoming meeting with Congressional leaders

-April 19, 1973 Cabinet meeting on energy

-Party April 12, 1973

-Invitation to Cabinet

-Economic news

Economy

-George P. Shultz's memo

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Conversation No. 893-16 (cont'd)

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-President's schedule
           -Weekend reading
-Pierre Rinfret's advice
     -Strict controls
-Arthur F. Burns
-Forthcoming memo from Ehrlichman
     -Burns
     -John B. Connally
           -Meeting with John W. Dean, III [?]
     Ehrlichman's meeting with Burns
-Inflation
     -Herbert Stein's view
           -Change
           -Inevitability
           Equilibrium
     -Remedies
           -Effect on boom
                 -Harm
           -Rinfret
-Stock market
     -Attention span of Wall Street
     -Bernard J. ("Bunny") Lasker
     -Effects of news reports
           -Market fluctuations
           -Lebanon
           -Vietnam
           -Analysts
                 -Controls
                       -Effects
           -Israel and Palestine
                 -Market fluctuations
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Watergate

- -Garment
 - -Presence at Ervin hearings
 - -Effect
- -Legal approaches to Ervin hearings
- -Haldeman
- -Effects of possible testimony

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Conversation No. 893-16 (cont'd)

- -Republicans' demand for resignation
- -Effectiveness
- -Joseph C. Kraft
- -Possible meeting with leading Republicans
 - -Barry M. Goldwater
 - -Paul J. Fannin
 - -Seeking advice before testimony

Ehrlichman's schedule

-Tax policy meeting

Watergate

- -Haldeman
 - -Effects of possible testimony
 - -Comparison with Jeb Stuart Magruder
 - -Grand Jury
 - -Witness schedule
 - -Dean
 - -Dwight L. Chapin, Gordon C. Strachan, Donald H. Segretti

Ehrlichman's schedule

- -Tax message
- -Rescheduling of Cabinet meeting

Ehrlichman left at 1:20 pm.

Conversation No. 893-17

Date: April 11, 1973 Time: 1:20 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

President's schedule
-Briefcase

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Conversation No. 893-17 (cont'd)

Sanchez left at 1:20 pm.

Conversation No. 893-23

Date: April 11, 1973

Time: Unknown between 1:20 pm and 2:59 pm

Location: Oval Office

Manolo Sanchez met with an unknown man.

Executive Office Building [EOB] [?]

Inquiry about hearing something [?]

Sanchez and the unknown man left at an unknown time before 2:59 pm.

Conversation No. 893-18

Date: April 11, 1973

Time: Unknown between 2:59 pm and 3:05 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with an unknown man.

President's schedule

-Presentation of award

-Thelma C ("Pat") Nixon's attendance

-Arrangements

-Ronald L. Ziegler

Unknown man left at an unknown time before 3:05 pm.

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Conversation No. 893-19 (cont'd)

Conversation No. 893-19

Date: April 11, 1973 Time: 3:05 pm - 3:15 pm Location: Oval Office

President's schedule

- -Meeting with Jack Pardee
- -Departure for Camp David
- -Award for Pardee

Cherry blossom dinner

Pardee, Phyllis Lane (Perryman) Pardee, Mary D. Ebersol, Mrs. Charles R. Ebersol, Lane W. Adams, Mrs. Lane W. Adams, Irving I. Rimer, Steve Barrie, Minnie Pearl, Henry Cannon, and James Cavanaugh entered at 3:06 pm. The White House photographer and members of the press were present at the beginning of the meeting.

Greetings

Introductions

Photograph

-Arrangements

Super Bowl

Photographs

-Arrangements

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Conversation No. 893-19 (cont'd)

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American Cancer Society award
           -Presentation
           -Pardee
                 Admiration
                      Washington, DC
           -Accomplishments
                 -Athleticism
           -Background
                 -Illness
                      -Skin cancer
                      -Recovery
                            -Return to football
                            -Significance
           -Pardee's acceptance
                 -Admiration for President
                 -President's legislation for cancer research
[General conversation]
     Pardee's career [?]
     Oval Office
           -Functions
                 -Veterans [?]
                 -Ambassadors
     Health care
     President Lyndon B. Johnson
     Miami Dolphins football team
           -Nick Buoniconti
                 -Role on football team
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-Inspiration

Pardee et al. left at 3:15 pm.

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Conversation No. 893-19 (cont'd)

[Begin segment reviewed under deed of gift]

Mrs. Nixon's departure

[End segment reviewed under deed of gift]

Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon left at 3:15 pm.

Conversation No. 893-20

Date: April 11, 1973

Time: Unknown between 3:15 pm and 3:18 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with an unknown man.

President's schedule

-Car [?]

-Meeting with H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman and John D. Ehrlichman

The unknown man left at an unknown time before 3:18 pm.

Conversation No. 893-21

Date: April 11, 1973 Time: 3:18 pm - 4:49 pm Location: Oval Office

The President met with John D. Ehrlichman, H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman, and Ronald L. Ziegler.

Simplified tax return
-George P. Schultz

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Conversation No. 893-21 (cont'd)

-Evaluation

President's schedule

-Evening meetings

Watergate

- -Problems of presidency
 - -Excessive strength
 - -Lack of candor
 - -Role of Senate
- -Scheduling
- -Televised hearings
 - -Witnesses
 - -White House staff
 - -John N. Mitchell, Robert C. Mardian, Frederick LaRue, Jeb Stuart
 - Magruder
 - -Haldeman
 - -John W. Dean, III
 - -Possible presidential actions
 - -Popular perceptions
 - -Value of initiative
 - -Role of Ervin Committee

-Grand jury

- -Dean
 - -Instructions concerning privilege
 - -Ehrlichman, Leonard Garment
 - -Protection of Mitchell
- -Magruder
 - -Sally H. Harmony's testimony
 - -G[eorge] Gordon Liddy
- -Gordon C. Strachan's testimony
 - -Haldeman's hiring of Donald H. Segretti
 - -\$350,000
 - -Handling
 - -Haldeman's instructions
 - -LaRue
 - -Haldeman's hiring of Donald H. Segretti
 - -Possible press reports
 - -Gray's testimony about Segretti

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Conversation No. 893-21 (cont'd)

-Dwight L. Chapin, Herbert W. Kalmbach

- -Dean
 - -Effects of possible testimony on Mitchell
 - -Haldeman's possible testimony
- -Watergate investigation
 - -Warren Commission
 - -Special prosecutor
 - -Ervin Committee
 - -Exercise of privilege
 - -Ervin Committee's functions
 - -Protection of White House
 - -Haldeman
 - -Relationship with Magruder
 - -Long-term effects of testimony
 - -Future statements
 - -Washington Post
 - -Carl Berstein
 - -Robert U. ("Bob") Woodward
- -Ervin Committee
 - -Testimony by White House staff
 - -Conditions: voluntary vs. court-ordered
 - -Supreme Court ruling
 - -Effects of televised hearings
 - -John D. Ehrlichman's negotiations with Samuel J. Ervin, Jr.
 - -Dean's appearance before Grand Jury
 - -Ehrlichman letter on Dean
 - -Testimony by White House staff
 - -Haldeman
 - -Dean
 - -Committee staff's view of Haldeman or Mitchell's role
 - -Haldeman
 - -Allegations against
 - -Executive privilege
 - -John B. Connally's view
- -President's position
 - -Candor
 - -White Hosue staff testimony before Ervin Committee
 - -Investigation for President
 - -Ehrlichman's suggestion of appointing a justice to write report

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Conversation No. 893-21 (cont'd)

- -Ervin Committee Report
- -Leaks
 - -Grand Juries
 - -Strachan's testimony
 - -Harmony's testimony
- -Public impressions
 - -Press coverage
- -Ervin Committee
 - -White House staff testimony
 - -Dean
 - -Executive privilege
 - -White House cooperation
- -Dean
 - -Possible testimony before Grand Jury
 - -Grand Jury leaks
 - -Washington, DC
 - -Funds
- -Ervin Committee
 - -Executive Branch investigation
 - -Possible testimony against Dean
 - -Ehrlichman's hypothetical testimony example
 - -Statement by Dean
 - -Effect
 - -Ziegler's example of hypothetical testimony from a woman
 - -Linda Lovelace
 - -Possible testimony by Magruder
 - -Possible statements by Dean
 - -Attendance at Committee for the Re-election of the President [CRP] meetings
 - -Requests from Mitchell for money
 - -Kalmbach
 - -Role in raising money
 - -Popular impression
 - -Possible lack of testimony
 - -Mitchell
 - -New York Daily News story
 - -New York Grand Jury
- -Ervin Committee
 - -Televised hearings

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Conversation No. 893-21 (cont'd)

- -Successful witnesses
 - -Howard Hughes
 - -Francis A. ("Frank") Sinatra
- -Problems
- -Dean's availability
 - -White House position
 - -Possible future testimony on Dean
 - -Scope of possible testimony
 - -Grand Jury
 - -Public reaction
 - -Forthcoming Grand Jury testimony
- -Staff's discussions with Grament
- -Dean
- -Haldeman
- -Charles Colson, Chapin, Strachan
- -Availability of witnesses
 - -Hierarchy
 - -Executive privilege
 - -Haldeman
 - -Executive privilege
 - -Knowledge
 - -Comparison with Dean's situation
- -Layers of Executive privilege
- -Dean
 - -Forthcoming testimony
 - -Knowledge
 - -Federal Bureau of Investigation [FBI] raw files
 - -Contact with Donald H. Segretti
 - -Written interrogatories

Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 3:18 pm.

President's schedule

- -Trip to Camp David
 - -Departure time
 - -Transportation
 - -Marine One helicopter

Bull left at an unknown time before 4:20 pm.

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Conversation No. 893-21 (cont'd)

Watergate

- -Ervin Committee
- -Haldeman
- -Dean
 - -Arrangements for forthcoming testimony
- -Televised hearings
- -Forthcoming White House statements
 - -Dean report
 - -Mitchell
 - -Risks
 - -Timing
 - -Future attacks by committee
 - -Timing
 - -Wording
- -Possible statement by Haldeman
 - -Response to allegations
 - -New York Post story's contents
 - -Lowell P. Weicker, Jr.
 - -Involvement with Segretti
- -Document by Ehrlichman for negotiations
 - -Televised hearings
 - -Changes

Ziegler left at 4:20 pm.

Watergate

- -Ervin Committee
 - -Ehrlichman's negotiations
 - -Televised hearings
 - -Impact on possibility of White House staff testimony
 - -Approval by committee
 - -Information given to Garment
 - -Discrepancies
 - -Ratification by committee compared to gentleman's agreement
 - -FBI raw files
 - -Televised hearing
 - -Objections by witnesses
 - -Ehrlichman's negotiations

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Conversation No. 893-21 (cont'd)

- -Committee process
- -Circus atmosphere
- -Dean's testimony
- -Dean
 - -Forthcoming appearance before Grand Jury
 - -Possible treatment by committee members
 - -Weicker
 - -Joseph M. Montoya
- -Erhlichman's forthcoming negotiations with Ervin, April 11, 1973
 - -Timing of deal
 - -Televised hearings
 - -Testimony of White House staff
 - -Conditions
 - -Press reaction
 - -Televised hearings
 - -Other media
 - -Press attendance
 - -Motion pictures
 - -Radio
 - -Comparison with courtroom rules
 - -Televised hearings
 - -Duration of meeting

Ehrlichman left at 4:32 pm.

Watergate

- -Ervin Committee
 - -Ziegler's opinions
 - -Statements by White House staff
- -Haldeman
 - -Possible statement
- -Strachan
 - -Testimony
 - -Hugh W. Sloan, Jr.'s testimony concerning \$350,000
 - -Haldeman's connection with Segretti
 - -Watergate break-in
 - -Discussions with James Keough and Haldeman prior to testimony
 - -Haldeman's instructions about testimony
- -Mitchell

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Conversation No. 893-21 (cont'd)

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-Dean
                 -Discussions about funds
                      -Haldeman
                      -Ehrlichman
                      -Haldeman's response to Dean's request
           -$350,000
                 -Haldeman's instructions concerning disposition
                 -Origin
                -Kalmbach's role in 1970 election
                -Haldeman's suggestions
[Background noise from aircraft obscures conversation.]
     Watergate
           -$350,000
                 -Expenditure
                      -Concerns about campaign spending violations
                            -Responsibility
                      -Haldeman's forthcoming statement
                      -Use
                            -Haldeman's involvement in postelection use
                            -Strachan's testimony
                            -Sloan's testimony
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-Strachan's testimony -Original size of fund

-Maurice H. Stans

-Watergate break-in

-Comparison with Democrats' funds

-Dean

-Involvement with funds for burglars

-Use for funds

-Contact with burglars

Haldeman's schedule

Haldeman left at 4:49 pm.

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Conversation No. 893-22

Date: April 11, 1973 Time: 4:49 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

Manolo Sanchez
-Briefcase

The President and Bull left at 4:49 pm.