



**NIXON PRESIDENTIAL MATERIALS STAFF**

**Tape Subject Log**  
*(rev. Nov-03)*

Conversation No. 787-1

Date: September 26, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 9:20 am and 9:45 am  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with an unknown woman.

The President's schedule  
-Forthcoming trip

The unknown woman left at an unknown time before 9:45 am.

Conversation No. 787-2

Date: September 26, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 9:20 am and 9:45 am  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull

The President's schedule  
-Forthcoming trip

Bull left at an unknown time before 9:45 am.

Conversation No. 787-3

Date: September 26, 1972  
Time: 9:45 am - 9:47 am  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield.

H.R. ("Bob") Haldeman's schedule

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Butterfield left at 9:47 am.

Conversation No. 787-4

Date: September 26, 1972  
Time: 9:50 am - 10:11 am  
Location: Oval Office

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

The President's schedule

- The President's forthcoming trip to New York
- The President's forthcoming meeting with Max M. Fisher
  - Advance teams
  - John N. Mitchell
  - White House staff
    - Lawrence Goldberg
  - Leonard Garment
  - Alexander M. Haig, Jr.
  - Henry A. Kissinger
  - Mitchell
  - Clark MacGregor
  - Harry S. Dent
  - Fisher
    - Possible ambassadorship
    - Efforts
      - New York
      - Michigan
      - California

East-West Trade Relations Act

- Exit permits
  - Ukrainians
  - Number
- Charles Vanik's amendment
  - Exit tax
    - Israel
    - Aid
  - Revision

Vice President Spiro T. Agnew's schedule

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- Press relations
  - News Summary
- Campaign trips
  - End the war vote
    - Importance of presence
    - Tie vote
    - President's experience
  - News story
    - Federal employees

Retired federal workers

- Support
  - End the war amendment
    - George S. McGovern
    - Agnew

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

[Personal returnable]

[Duration: 3m 45s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

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Ronald L. Ziegler entered at 9:55 am.

Press announcement

- New York
  - The President's forthcoming meeting with Jewish leaders
    - Leak
      - Rita E. Hauser
        - Telephone call to Ziegler
        - Content of remarks
          - Possible leak
          - Soviet issue
        - United Press International [UPI]
        - Associated Press [AP]
- The President's schedule
  - Democrats for Nixon

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- Committee to Re-elect the President [CRP]
- Dinner

Ziegler left at 9:57 am.

- The President's forthcoming meeting with Jewish leaders
  - Agnew
  - Jews

Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 9:57 am.

- The President's schedule
  - Forthcoming meeting with Robert E. Merriam

Bull left at an unknown time before 10:11 am.

- Jews
  - The President's forthcoming meeting with Jewish leaders
    - Timing
      - Fisher
        - Possible leaks
  - Purpose

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

[Personal returnable]

[Duration: 1m 11s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 2

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1972 election

- North American Rockwell contract
  - Washington Star*
    - Orr Kelly article
      - Interviews with business executives
        - California
        - Congress
          - [McGovern]

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- The President's conversation with Charles W. Colson
  - Melvin R. Laird
- National Aeronautics and Space Administration [NASA]
- B-1
  - Orange County plant
  - Leaks
- McGovern
- Thomas V. Jones [of Northrop Corporation]
- Quote
- Dinner, September 27, 1972
  - Haldeman's forthcoming conversation
  - Support
- Support
  - Administration defense policies
- Los Angeles Times*

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3

[Personal returnable]

[Duration: 2m 12s ]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3

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Watergate

- International Telephone and Telegraph [ITT] hearings
  - Stewart J.O Alsop
  - Daniel L. Schorr
  - Edward M. Kennedy
    - Chappaquiddick
    - Hearings
      - James O. Eastland
- Wright Patman
  - Democrats
    - Committee members
    - Bryce N. Harlow
    - Maurice H. Stans, Hugh W. Sloan, Jr.
- Civil suits

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- Criminal suits
- Strength as issue
- Press relations
  - Alsop
  - Schorr
  - Alsop
    - Washington Post*
    - Newsweek*
    - Kissinger
    - Favor
- Analogy to Eligio (“Kika”) De la Garza
  - Strategic Arms Limitation Treaty [SALT] agreement
    - Vote
- Alsop
  - Airplane flight to Republican National Convention
  - McGovern

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4

[Personal returnable]

[Duration: 45s]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4

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Haldeman left at 10:11 am.

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Date: September 26, 1972  
Time: 10:11 am - 10:53 am  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with John D. Ehrlichman and Stephen B Bull.

The President's forthcoming meeting with Robert E. Merriam

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-Tax credits to elderly

Bull left at unknown time before 10:15 am.

- Report
  - Timing
  - Property taxes
  - Relationship between Federal, state, local taxation
    - Realignment
  - Timing
    - 1972 election
  - Property taxes
    - Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations [ACIR]
    - 1972 election

Defense cuts

- Caspar W. ("Cap") Weinberger
- George P. Shultz
  - Public relations
- Weinberger
- Melvin R. Laird
- George S. McGovern
- Shultz's appearance before the House of Representatives Ways and Means Committee
  - Weinberger's subsequent appearance

Merriam and Lewis A. Engman entered at 10:15 am; the White House photographer was present at the beginning of the meeting.

Greetings

ACIR Study

- School financing
- Property tax
- Staff numbers
- ACIR
  - Financing
    - Congressional appropriations
    - States
  - Staff
    - Role
    - Communications
  - Financing

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### Tape Subject Log (rev. Nov-03)

- Domestic Council
  - Department of Housing and Urban Development [HUD]
  - Department of Health, Education, and Welfare [HEW]
  - Department of Transportation special studies
  - Cities
  - Foundations
  - Organization
    - Three phases
      - School financing
        - Court decisions
      - Property taxes
      - Value added tax [VAT]
        - Discussion
          - Timing
            - December 1972
  - National fiscal policy
    - Federal taxes
      - Chart
        - State and local taxes
          - Impact
    - 1972 tax burden on family of four
      - Compared to 1953 tax burden
        - Chart
          - Taxes
            - As percentage of income
            - Federal tax
          - Social Security
          - Property taxes
          - State and local tax
    - Income tax reform
      - Need for balance
      - Congressional focus
    - Implementation
    - Commission responsibility
    - Quantity of work
      - Election period activities of members
        - Richard B. Ogilvie
- Specific areas
- School financing
  - Courts
    - State responsibility
    - Property taxes
- Recommendations



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- Modest federal aid
  - Neil H. McElroy Commission
  - Self destruct mechanism
  - Revenue sharing
  - Welfare
- Welfare
  - Federal funding
    - ACIR perspective
    - Staff
    - Governors, mayors
    - Benefit payments
- Property taxes
  - Preliminary study
  - Popularity
    - Public opinion poll
    - Gerald R. Ford
    - John J. Rhodes Platform Committee
      - Canvas of selected Republicans
        - Roger Freeman's view
        - Milton Friedman's view
  - Fairness
  - Visibility
  - Number that pay
    - Two installments
    - Compared to mortgage payments
  - Sales tax
    - Compared to income tax
- Reform
  - Variation of use
    - Chart
    - Northeast, Midwest, West
    - South, Southwest
  - State constitutions
    - Classification of property
    - Residential exemption
      - Constitutional Amendment
        - 16 to 24 states
  - Rate requirements
    - Local governments
    - Congressional workload
  - Deductions
    - Tax payment
    - Loophole

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- [George S. McGovern]
- Itemization
  - Use by upper income people
  - Compared to lower and middle income people
  - Standard deduction
- Tax credits
  - Private schools
    - Dwight D. Eisenhower administration
    - Arthur S. Fleming
  - Treasury department concern
  - State and local taxes
    - Cost in federal money
- Elderly
  - Chart
  - Numbers of home owners with low income
    - Payments
      - As percentage of income
      - Welfare
        - McGovern's plan
  - Income tax
  - Northeast
    - Vermont, Maine, Massachusetts
    - Social Security
  - Number
    - Compared to Florida and California
  - Recommendations
  - Chart
    - Circuit breaker legislation
      - Minnesota, Illinois
      - State payments
      - Minnesota example
        - Rate of payment
  - Federal circuit breaker legislation
    - State payments
      - Federal matching fund
        - Proportion
        - Cost
        - Tax credits
      - Individual payment
        - Affidavit filing
          - Welfare
        - Receipt
        - Options

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- Welfare
  - Tax credits
    - Income taxes
      - Standard deductions
      - Cash rebates
        - Short form
          - Withholding refund
            - Social Security receipts
- Tax credits
  - Compared to circuit breaker plan
- Circuit breaker plan
  - Checks to individual from states
  - Compared to tax credits
    - Merriam's view
      - Adoption by states
    - ACIR view
- Bills in Congress
  - Paul Findley
    - Direct federal payment to individuals
  - Joint federal and state participation
    - ACIR support
  - National scandal
  - Medicare
  - South
  - Northeast
    - Vermont, Maine
  - Welfare
  - Food stamps
    - Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon's involvement
    - Effect of program
    - Charity
    - "Project fund"
- VAT
  - Speculation
  - Administration strategy
  - ACIR recommendations
    - Post-1972 election
  - Sales tax
  - Options kept for use
  - Regressivity
  - Administration
    - Form
      - Brown [First name unknown] of New Jersey

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- Special interests
  - Railroads
  - Banks
  - Utilities
  - Small farmers
  - Rates
    - Europeans
    - Diversity
- Recommendations
  - Tone
  - Political issue
    - Budget
  - ACIR staff poll
- Treasury Department
  - Parallel study
  - Response
    - Elderly
      - Circuit breaker legislation
  - Confidentiality of study
- ACIR schedule
  - December 1972
    - Study
  - Shultz
  - Cooperation
    - Engman

Presentation of Presidential gifts

- Cuff links
- Pin

Ehrlichman, Merriam and Engman left at 10:53 am.

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Date: September 26, 1972  
Time: 10:54 am - 11:17 am  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Joseph P. Tonelli, Lawrence H. Silberman, Willie J. Usery, Jr. and Donald F. Rodgers, the White House photographer was present at the beginning of the meeting.

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Greetings

The President's previous meeting with Joseph P. Tonelli

- Sheraton Hotel 1960
- Fund raising dinner

[Photograph session]

- Oliver F. ("Ollie") Atkins

The President' appreciation for Tonelli's support

- Jobs
- Fair treatment

The President's foreign policy

- Changes in international relations
  - Peoples Republic of China [PRC]
  - Soviet Union
  - Ending the Vietnam War
    - Withdrawal of troops

The President's domestic policy

- Stabilized economy
- Wage and price controls
  - Tonelli's opposition
  - Necessity
    - Timing
  - World War II
  - Harry S. Truman
    - Korean War

Vance Hartke-James A. Bourke bill

- Opposition of United Paper Makers International Union [UPMIU]
  - Pulp and paper industry
    - Exports
      - Value
    - Jobs
  - Pulp and paper industry
    - Paper supply
      - Newfoundland
      - Southern paper mills
        - International Paper Company

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An unknown person entered at an unknown time after 10:54 am.

Refreshments

An unknown person left at an unknown time after before 11:12 am.

- Imports from Canada manufacture of pulp paper
- Products
  - Corrugated boxes, envelopes, bags
- White House conference
  - Pulp and paper industry employment
  - Business volume
  - Compared with steel, automobile
- Tonelli's possible testimony
  - Union mandate
- Appeal
  - Business
  - Labor
- International trade
- Soviet Union
- PRC
- Japan
- US trade position
  - Competitiveness
  - Unfair treatment
- Statistics
  - Pulp and Paper Institute
- Tax on paper imports
  - Reciprocity
- Exports
  - Europeans
  - Japan
- Barriers
  - Effect
- Jobs issue

Tonelli's responsibilities

- Chairman, Pulp and Paper Union of Europe
  - Geneva, Switzerland
  - 32 companies participating
  - Standard of living
  - European workers

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- Japan
  - Tonelli's forthcoming trip, November 5, 1972
  - Foundation of Pulp and Paper Union

UPMIU convention

- Pulp and paper sulfide
  - Merger
- Secretary of Labor's [James D. Hodgson's] speech
  - White House policies
  - Reception
- Denver
- Delegates
- President's schedule
  - San Clemente
- Hodgson's speech
  - Audience size
  - Reception

Tonelli's support for the administration

- Labor-management issues
- National defense

The President's recent meeting with Thomas W. ("Teddy") Gleason

The President's forthcoming meeting with Peter Brennan

National defense policy

- George Meany
- Union support

Foreign policy

- Union support
  - Rank and file
  - Board members
  - Politics
- Meany's golf game with the President

Labor support

- 1972 election
- The President's 1972 Labor Day speech
  - National Commission for Industrial Peace

Labor-Management relations

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- Dispute resolution
  - Alternatives to economic pressure
  - New York
    - Building trade strike
  - Tonelli's recent conversation with Hodgson
  - Teachers strike
    - [American Federation of Teachers]
    - Congress
  - Postal strike
    - Usery
    - Meany
    - Rights of government workers to organize and bargain
      - Fair treatment
  - The President's Executive Order [11491]
    - Broad rights to Federal employees
      - Organization
    - Kenneth R. Lyons
    - John F. Griner
      - Endorsement of the President
      - Background
        - Georgia
      - Recent convention
        - Opposition
          - Joe Gleason

Crossing crafts classification

- Hodgson
- Welders
- Electricians
- Pipe workers
- More pay
- Purpose

National Commission for Industrial peace

- President's possible conversation with Tonelli
  - Timing
    - 1972 election
- Membership

Hodgson entered at 11:12 pm.

- National Commission for Industrial Peace
- Membership



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- Consultation
- 1972 election

Crossing crafts

National Commission for Industrial Peace

- Membership
  - Number
  - Labor, management, government
  - Hodgson
    - Consultation with Tonelli
- Timing
  - January 1, 1973

UPMIU convention

- Hodgson's speech
- Reception
  - News description
  - Tonelli making tape
  - Cheer lines

Presentation of Presidential gifts

- Cuff links
  - Presidential seal
- Pin
- Paper

White House telephone call to Tonelli

Silberman *et al.* left at an unknown time before 11:17 am.

Golf

UPMIU support for President

Meeting delay

Tonelli left at 11:17 a.m.

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Date: September 26, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 11:17 and 11:30 am  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

- The President's schedule
- Building trades
  - Waldorf-Astoria Hotel
  - Peter Brennan, September 27, 1972
  - Jewish leaders
  - Photograph sessions
    - New York State Committee to Re-elect the President
    - New York Democrats for Nixon Committee
    - Length of meetings

Bull left at an unknown time before 11:30 am.

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Date: September 26, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 11:17 am and 11:30 am  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield.

- The President's schedule
- Forthcoming meeting with George R S. Baring [Earl of Cromer]
  - Signings and proposals

Butterfield left at an unknown time before 11:30 am.

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Date: September 26, 1972  
Time: 11:30 am - 11:49 am

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Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield.

The President's schedule

- Memorandum
- The President's forthcoming meeting with Cost of Living Council [COLC]
- Camp David
- The President's forthcoming meeting with Maurice Schumann

White House Social Affairs

- Guest list for Sir Alexander F. ("Alec") Douglas-Home dinner
  - John H. Whitney
  - Contributions
  - Richard G. Kleindienst
  - Alternate
  - Melvin R. Laird
  - Kleindienst
- Charles W. Colson
  - Note
- Guest list for Andrei A. Gromyko dinner
  - Earl L. Butz
  - Peter G. Peterson
  - Alternates
    - George H.W. Bush
    - Russell E. Train
    - Dr. Edward David

Photographs of John B. Connally ranch meeting with the President

- Distribution
  - Marjorie P. Acker
  - Inscription, handling
  - Rose Mary Woods
  - Acker
  - Endorsement
  - Inscription
  - Texas

Butterfield left at 11:49 am.

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Date: September 26, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 11:49 am and 12:04 pm  
Location: Oval Office

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

The President's schedule

- Possible telephone call to Carl B. Albert
  - Recent automobile accident
  - William E. Timmons
  - The President's recent telephone call to Albert on vote

End the war vote in Congress

- Tie vote
  - Vice President Spiro T. Agnew
  - Charles McC. Mathias, Jr.
  - Thomas J. McIntyre
  - John B. Anderson
  - Agnew

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

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The President's schedule

- International Monetary Fund [IMF] meeting
  - The President's speech
  - Pierre-Paul Schweitzer
    - Relationship with the administration
    - Reception
  - Robert S. McNamara
  - Henry A. Kissinger
  - John B. Connally

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- Kissinger
  - Relationship with establishment
    - Press, media
      - Marvin L. Kalb
  - Characterized
  - Kalb
    - State Department official
      - Public Information Officer [PIO]
    - William P. Rogers
    - Joseph C. Kraft
    - Howard K. Smith
    - George S. McGovern

Speeches

- Content
- Peace

Bull entered at an unknown time after 11:49 am.

The President's schedule

- Labor leaders
- Speeches
- Tone

Haldeman left at an unknown time before 12:04 pm.

The President's schedule

- Meeting with labor leaders
  - Ambassador from Great Britain [George R.S. Baring] [Earl of Cromer]
- Photograph session
  - Oliver F. ("Ollie") Atkins

Bull left at an unknown time before 12:04 pm.

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Date: September 26, 1972

Time: Unknown between 11:49 am and 12:04 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

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The President's schedule

- Pins and cuff links for forthcoming meeting of building trades presidents

Bull left at an unknown time before 12:04 pm.

Conversation No. 787-12

Date: September 26, 1972  
Time: 12:04 pm-12:30 pm  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with John H. Lyons, Martin J. Ward, Peter Fosco, Thomas F. Murphy, Andrew T. Haas, Wylie Lawhead, Kenneth M. Edwards, Hunter P. Wharton, Joseph T. Power, Charles H. Pillard, Edward J. Carough, James D. Hodgson, Laurence H. Silberman, Willie J. Usery, Jr. and S. Frank Raftery; the White House photographer was present at the beginning of the meeting

Greetings and introductions

- Hodgson
- [Photograph session]
  - Murphy
  - The President's schedule
    - Recent Bricklayers Union convention
    - Bricklayers Union convention, Atlantic City, 1974
  - Vice President Spiro T. Agnew's schedule
  - Federal employees

Photo session

- Arrangements

[Photograph session]

The Administration's relations with labor

- Forthcoming statement by building trades union
  - Endorsement of the President
  - Release
    - Timing
- Discussions with Labor Department
  - Growth of stability, opportunity

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- Discussions with Labor Department
  - James J. Davis and Robert L. Bacon Act
    - Administration
    - Anti-labor legislation
- Labor Department
  - Staffing
    - Occupational safety
      - Unknown person
- Labor participation in Administration
  - George Meany
  - Usery
    - Postal strike
  - Recommendations
- Broad based administration
  - The President's speech at Republican National convention, Miami
    - Partisanship
    - Business-labor conflict
- Quotas
  - Restrictions
    - Opportunity ceiling
- National Commission for Industrial Peace
  - Mention in 1972 Labor Day speech
  - Membership
    - 1972 election
    - Advice sought from labor leaders

## Building trade unions

- Previous cabinet room meeting with Cabinet Committee on construction, September 30, 1969
  - Timing
  - Charts
    - Construction Industry Collective Bargaining Commission
- New approach
  - Labor-management relations

## Relations with Labor department

- Wage and price controls
  - Removal
    - Adjustment period
    - Energy crisis
      - Power plants
      - Security
        - Power shortages
- Manpower

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- Growth of jobs
- Level of employment
- Department of Housing and Urban Development [HUD]
  - Adjustment of building codes
  - Involvement of Secretary [George W. Romney]
    - Joint effort
    - Union input

Labor convention resolutions

- Wage and price controls
- Standardization program

Building trades endorsement of the President

- Presidents
- American Federation of Labor-Congress of Industrial Organizations [AFL-CIO]
  - Building Trades department
    - Neutrality policy
    - Raftery
    - Robert A. Georgine
- Relations with the Department of Labor
  - Hodgson
  - Silberman
- AFL-CIO
  - Neutrality
- Presidents
  - Absentees
    - Neutrality, indecision
- Legislative conference, April 1972
  - Invitation to the President

The Administration's relations with building trades

- Economic recovery
  - Housing
  - Labor-management relations
- Foreign policy
  - The President's November 3, 1969 speech
    - Anti-war protestors
    - Support for Administration policy
      - Business leaders, educators, media
      - Hardhats
      - Meany statement
- Support for Administration policy
  - Cambodia



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- Bombing and mining decision of May 8, 1972
  - Withdraw of US troops
  - Negotiation leverage
  - President's recent trip to Texas

Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 12:04 pm.

The President's schedule

- British Ambassador [George R.S. Baring][Earl of Cromer]

Bull left at unknown time before 12:30 pm.

The Administration's relations with building trades

- Foreign policy
  - Support for Administration policy
    - Democrats for Nixon
    - Democrats for America
  - National defense
  - Commitments
  - Open door policy
  - National security
    - Hard hats

Building trades endorsement of the President

- Labor committees for re-election of the President
- Hodgson
- Meany
  - Conversation with the President during previous golf game
    - Neutrality
    - Accountability
      - Electoral politics
- Accountability of union leader
  - Electoral politics
  - Rank and file
  - Politicians
- Restrictions
  - Compared to business leaders
    - Chief executive officers
    - Board of directors
    - Stockholders
  - Bases of support
- Example

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- Bricklayers
- Discussions during convention

Winston Churchill

- Memoirs
  - Potsdam
    - End of World War II
    - Harry S. Truman
    - Josef V. Stalin
    - Franklin D. Roosevelt
      - Death
    - British elections
      - Flight to London
    - Conversation with Stalin
      - Elections
        - Two party system

Presentation of Presidential gifts

- Cufflinks
- Presidential seal
- Pins

The President's schedule

- Bricklayers union convention, 1974
- National Conference of Building and Construction Trades Department, April 1973
- Forthcoming trips to New York and California

Lyons, et al. left at 12:30 pm.

Conversation No. 787-13

Date: September 26, 1972  
Time: 12:30 pm - 12:39 pm  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull

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

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Mrs. Nixon entered at 12:31 pm.

Hoyt Ammidon

Bull left at an unknown time before 12:32 pm.

George R.S. Baring [The Earl of Cromer], Countess of Cromer and Alexander M. Haig, Jr. entered at 12:32 pm; the White House photographer was present at the beginning of the meeting.

Greetings

Presentation of medal to the President and Mrs. Nixon

- Background of medal
  - Duplicate of original
  - Engineer removal of bomb in World War II
- Contribution for restoration of St. Paul's Cathedral

Presentation of box to the President and Mrs. Nixon

- Christopher Wren
- Limited editions
- Presidential library

The President's previous visit to London

- St. Paul's Cathedral
  - Bill Henry
    - Los Angeles Times*
    - British pageantry
  - Impressions
  - Sandblasting
- Guild hall
  - Lunch
- Buckingham palace

Cromer's schedule

- George P. Shultz

Forthcoming dinner [for Sir Alexander F. ("Alec") Douglas-Home]

- Invitees
  - Women

Pentagon Papers

The President's forthcoming fundraising dinners

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**Tape Subject Log**  
*(rev. Nov-03)*

- New York dinner
- San Francisco lunch
- Los Angeles dinner
- Contributions
  - 1946 congressional race
    - Budget
- George S. McGovern campaign dinner
- Comparison of US and British elections
  - Duration
  - George H. Gallup polls

Ambassador's residence

Cromer, Countess of Cromer and Haig left at 12:39 pm.

- Gift box
  - Display

Mrs. Nixon left at 12:39 p.m.

Conversation No. 787-14

Date: September 26, 1972  
 Time: Unknown between 12:39 pm and 12:45 pm  
 Location: Oval Office

The President met with an unknown man .

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 [Duration: 3s ]

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**Tape Subject Log**  
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The unknown man left at an unknown time before 12:45 pm.

Conversation No. 787-15

Date: September 26, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 12:39 pm and 12:45 pm  
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull

Charles W. Colson's schedule

Bull left at an unknown time before 12:45 pm.

Conversation No. 787-16

Date: September 26, 1972  
Time: 12:45 pm - 1:31 pm  
Location: Oval Office

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

1972 election

-Demonstrations

-Response to George S. McGovern supporters

-The President's forthcoming trip to California

-News summary

-Advertisements

-Robert J. Dole

-Ronald W. Reagan

-Charles W. Colson

-Clark MacGregor

-McGovern campaign

-\$1,000,000 bond

-Security at dinner and hotel

-Dole

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**Tape Subject Log**  
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- California election headquarters staffer [Gordon Luce]
- McGovern campaign response
- Compared to Watergate
- Telephone from McGovern headquarters
- Press coverage
  - Bond
  - Troops
- Haldeman's strategy
- Mobilized numbers
  - San Francisco
  - Evidence of McGovern involvement

Charles W. Colson entered at 12:47 pm.

- Image conveyed
- The President's supporters
  - Tactics
  - Billings, Montana
    - Signs
    - Reaction from McGovern supporters
    - Reporter inquiry
- McGovern campaign
  - Factory tours
    - Columbus, Ohio
    - News summary
    - Nichols-Seymour [?][sp?]
- Tactics
  - Signs
  - Shouting, heckling

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## 1972 election

- Aerospace industry
  - Orr Kelly article
    - Colson's conversation with the Defense Department
    - Thomas V. Jones
      - Forthcoming conversation with Haldeman
  - Willard F. Rockwell, Jr.
    - Forthcoming conversation with Haldeman
      - Plant manager
  - Union man quote
    - Lockheed
      - Business support for Republicans
      - Unions
  - Tom Jones
    - Reason for support
      - McGovern
- Political sophistication
- Federal aid
- Building trades presidents
- Thomas W. ("Teddy") Gleason
- Letters of support
  - Grumman president's 1968 letter to supervisors
  - Jones
  - Melvin R. Laird
- Press inquiries
  - Handling
    - North American Rockwell official [Dana Williams?]
      - Political affiliation
      - Quote
        - Congress
- North American Rockwell
  - B-1
    - Congressional fight
- Kelly article
- [Williams?]
  - Harvard University School of Business

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**Tape Subject Log**  
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1972 election

-Labor

-Legislation

-Policies

-Pro-labor

-George P. Shultz

-National defense

-John G. Tower

-James J. Davis-Robert L. Bacon Act

-Right to work supporters

-Shultz's recent meeting

-President's role

-Analogy to blacks

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3

[Personal returnable]

[Duration: 5m 26s ]

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1972 election

-Demonstrations

-The President's forthcoming trip to California

-News coverage

-Handling of demonstrators

-San Francisco police

-McGovern supporters

-Telephone calls from McGovern headquarters

-Los Angeles Times reporter inquiry

-Unknown person

-Democratic operation



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**Tape Subject Log**  
*(rev. Nov-03)*

- Shutdown and move
- Ronald W. Reagan
- Gordon Luce
- McGovern supporters
  - Evidence
- Dinner
  - Reagan
  - Leslie T (“Bob”) Hope
- Handling demonstrators
  - Los Angeles police
  - Republican National Convention
    - Louis P. Harris poll
  - Disruptions
- The President’s supporters

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4

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[Duration: 2m]

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 4

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1972 election

- Support for the President
  - Compared to Lyndon B. Johnson
    - Accomplishments
    - Successor to John F. Kennedy
    - Barry M. Goldwater
    - Majority Leader in Senate
      - Dwight D. Eisenhower
  - Interviews
    - Hamtramck, Michigan
      - International relations
        - The Soviet Union the People's Republic of China [PRC]
  - Joseph P. Tonelli
    - View of communism
  - Kakuei Tanaka's trip to Peking

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**Tape Subject Log**  
*(rev. Nov-03)*

- Chou En-Lai
- Relation to the President's PRC visit
  - Protocol similarity
- The President's view
- US public interest
- Images
  - Relation to the President's PRC visit
    - Publicity
    - Timing

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[Duration: 9m 45s ]

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Alexander P. Butterfield entered at 1:24 pm.

Correspondence

Butterfield left at 1:25 p.m.

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 7

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[Duration: 6m 53s ]

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The President, Haldeman and Colson left at 1:31 pm.

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**Tape Subject Log**  
(*rev. Nov-03*)

Conversation No. 787-17

Date: September 26, 1972

Time: Unknown between 1:31 pm and 11:59 pm

Location: Oval Office

Manolo Sanchez met with an unknown person [Secret Service agent?]

Security

[Unintelligible]

This conversation was cut off at an unknown time after 1:31 pm.