

Conversation No. 688-1
Conv. No. 688-19 (cont.)

Date: March 18, 1972
Time: Unknown between 10:26 am and 10:56 am
Location: Oval Office

Alexander P. Butterfield met with Stephen B. Bull.

Unknown person

Bull left at an unknown time before 10:56 am.

[No conversation]

The President entered at 10:56 am.

Signing documents

The President's schedule
-Henry A. Kissinger's schedule

Butterfield left at an unknown time before 10:56 am.

Conversation No. 688-2

Date: March 18, 1972
Time: Unknown between 11:00 am and 11:05 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

The President's briefcase

Bull left at an unknown time before 11:06 am.

Conversation No. 688-3

Date: March 18, 1972
Time: Unknown between 11:00 am and 11:05 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield.

Unknown man's [Alexander M. Haig, Jr.?] schedule

Butterfield left at an unknown time before 11:05 am.

Conv. No. 688-19 (cont.)

Conversation No. 688-4

Date: March 18, 1972
Time: 11:05 am - 11:52 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield and Henry A. Kissinger.

BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

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[National Security]

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FRANCE

Butterfield left at 11:07 am.

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

France

- Left wing and right wing writers
- Re-election of the President
- The President's previous trip to the People's Republic of China [PRC]

Cambodia

- Lon Nol
- Communists

Strategic Arms Limitation Talks [SALT]

- Gerard C. Smith

-Possible meeting with the President

-Kissinger's view

-Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

-Signed instructions

-Smith's schedule

-Leaks

-Timing

Conv. No. 688-19 (cont.)

-Anti-ballistic Missiles [ABM]

-Two-for-two

-Grand Forks

-Agreement

-Soviets

-Negotiation

-PRC

-Missile fields

-Soviets

-Smith

-One-for-one

-Zero

-Two-for-two

-Melvin R. Laird

-Soviets

-Radar

-Number of locations

-Number of US locations

-Grand Forks

-Missile defense

-Intercontinental Ballistic Missile [ICBM] field

-Master Radar Tracking Station [MARTS]?

-Limited radar fields

-Grand Forks option

-MARTS

-Washington DC

-Malmstrom Air Force Base

-Joint Chiefs of Staff [JCS]

-Washington DC

-Laird

-Smith

-Meeting with the President

-Paul H. Nitze

-The President's view

-One-for-one

-Anatoliy F. Dobrynin

-Defense argument

-Smith

-Arms control

-Agreement

-William P. Rogers

-Submarines

-Kissinger's view

-Smith

Forthcoming US-Soviet summit

- Memorandum from the President
- Press
- Peter G. Peterson
 - Commercial side
- Peter M. Flanigan
 - Possible talk with H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman
 - Memoranda
 - Kissinger
 - Agreement
- SALT
 - Dobrynin
 - Submarines
 - Smith
 - Two-for-one
 - One-for-one
 - Dobrynin
- Bureaucracy
- Political opponents
- Commercial issues
- SALT

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Bangladesh

- US recognition
- Announcement
- Timing
 - Chinese

Forthcoming Soviet trip

- Kissinger's schedule
 - William P. Rogers
 - Subsidiary negotiations
 - Martin J. Hillenbrand
 - Dobrynin
- The President's private talks with Soviet leaders
 - Hillenbrand
 - Plenary sessions
 - Rogers
 - Talks with Leonid I. Brezhnev
 - Aleksei N. Kosygin
 - Dobrynin
 - Talk with Kissinger
 - Flanigan
 - Dwight L. Chapin
 - Yuli M. Vorontsov
 - Brezhnev
 - Rogers
 - Schedule
 - South America
 - Possible trip to Europe

- Edward R.G. Heath
- Georges J.R. Pompidou
- Willy Brandt
- European Security Conference
 - Brezhnev
 - Dobrynin
 - Andrei A. Gromyko
 - US position
- Kissinger's schedule
 - Forthcoming trip to Europe
 - Vietnam
- Talks
- European Security Conference
- Timing
- Talk with Kissinger
 - North Atlantic Treaty Organization [NATO]
 - Heath
 - Pompidou
 - Latin America
 - Foreign Ministers and Heads of Government
- The PRC trip
 - Hangchow
 - Ultimatum
- Soviets
 - Dobrynin
 - Talks with Kissinger
- Rogers
 - Talk with Haig
 - Possible European trip
 - Heads of State

Kissinger's schedule

- Japan
- Possible Vietnamese meeting in Paris
- Belgium
- NATO

Forthcoming Soviet trip

- Rogers
 - The President's talk with Joseph M. Luns
 - Kissinger's schedule
 - Possible trip to Europe
- News stories
 - John B. Connally
- Welcome ceremony
 - Dobrynin
 - American press
 - PRC
 - Type of society
 - PRC comparison
 - Diplomatic relations

Conv. No. 688-19 (cont.)

- Public reception
 - Communiqué
 - Agreements
 - Brezhnev
 - Forthcoming visit to the US
 - SALT
 - Brezhnev
 - SALT
 - PRC
- Conv. No. 688-19 (cont.)

Kissinger's schedule

- Forthcoming trip to Acapulco
- Georgetown
- Philadelphia
- New York

Press

- The PRC trip
- Television coverage
- Biological warfare agreement
- John F. Kennedy
- Noble Peace Prize
- Berlin Agreement
- Brandt
- Nobel Prize
- Ostpolitik*

Departments

- Rivalries

Kissinger's schedule

- Previous dinner with the President of John Hopkins University
- Steven Muller
 - The President's papers
 - Lyndon B. Johnson's papers
- Liberals
 - Attitude toward the President

Rogers

- State Department
- Meeting with Dobrynin
 - Dobrynin
 - John Foster Dulles
 - Dwight D. Eisenhower
- The President's schedule
 - Domestic issues
- State Department compared to the White House
 - 1972 election
- Tenure in office
- Soviet Summit
 - Dobrynin

-Talks with Rogers

Middle East

-Israel

-Rogers

-1972 election

-Agreements

-Soviet trip

-Kissinger's schedule

-Jewish community

-Soviets

-Rogers

-Israel

-Withdrawal of Soviet forces

-1967 boundaries

-US national interests

-Timing

-1972 election

-US Jews

-Rogers

-Negotiations

-Soviet proposal

-Gromyko

-Egypt

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BEGIN WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3

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EGYPT

END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 3

[National Security]

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[Duration: 9s]

Middle East

-Agreement

-Henry A. Kissinger's opinion

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Middle East

-Agreement

-Election

Vietnam

-Laird

-Offensive

-Timing

-Soviet summit

-Dobrynin

-Kissinger's view

Middle East

-Soviets

-1972 election

-Democrats

-Israel

-Soviet troops

-Withdrawal

Vietnam

-Soviets

-North Vietnam

-Delegation to Paris

-Internal Situation in the US

-George C. Wallace's supporters

-Nguyen Van Thieu

-Chinese

-Dobrynin

-1972 election

-Middle East

-Soviet summit

-Possible interim agreement

-Jewish community

-Press

Kissinger's schedule

-Acapulco

-Cliff divers

Kissinger left at 11:52 am.

Conversation No. 688-5

Date: March 18, 1972
Time: 11:52 am - 11:53 am
Location: Oval Office

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The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

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Instructions
-Movement of item [?]

Sanchez left at 11:53 am.

Conversation No. 688-6

Date: March 18, 1972
Time: 11:53 am -11:59 am
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield.

Equal Rights Amendment [ERA]
-The President's letter to Hugh Scott
-Support for the ERA
-Clark MacGregor

Butterfield left.

Conversation No. 688-7

Date: March 18, 1972
Time: 12:00 pm - 12:01 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield [?].

Memorandum
-Delivery
-Clark MacGregor

Conv. No. 688-19 (cont.)

Butterfield [?] left.

Conversation No. 688-8

Date: March 18, 1972
Time: Unknown between 12:01 pm and 12:10 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with the White House operator.

[See Conversation No. 21-108]

Conversation No. 688-9

Date: March 18, 1972
Time: 12:10 pm - 12:11 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with Julie Nixon Eisenhower.

[See Conversation No. 21-109]

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END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 1

Conv. No. 688-19 (cont.)

Conversation No. 688-10

Date: March 18, 1972
Time: Unknown between 12:11 pm and 12:15 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

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

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 12:15 pm.

Conversation No. 688-11

Date: March 18, 1972
Time: Unknown between 12:11 pm and 12:15 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President talked with John D. Ehrlichman.

The President's schedule
-Ehrlichman's schedule
-Meeting with the President

Conversation No. 688-12

Date: March 18, 1972
Time: 12:15 pm - 1:15 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with John D. Ehrlichman.

Weather

Earl L. Butz

Conv. No. 688-19 (cont.)

- Farm income
- Food prices
- Middle man
- Grace period
- The President's forthcoming press briefing
- Farm income

Henry A. Kissinger entered at 12:24 pm.

Europe

- William P. Rogers
 - Talk with Kissinger
 - Rogers's possible forthcoming trip to Europe
 - Allies
 - Schedule
 - Soviet summit
 - Iceland
 - North Atlantic Treaty Organization [NATO] Council
 - Staff
 - Publicity
 - White House
 - Announcement
 - Ronald L. Ziegler
 - State Department
 - Environmental conference
 - Stockholm
 - Ireland
 - The President
 - Timing
 - NATO
 - Delegation
 - Russell E. Train
 - William D. Ruckelshaus
 - Talk with Ehrlichman
 - Cabinet officers
 - Elliot L. Richardson
 - Soviet Union
 - Negotiations
 - Soviet summit
 - Train
 - State Department
 - Edward R.G. Heath
 - Georges J.R. Pompidou
 - Willy Brandt

- The People's Republic of China [PRC] trip
- Shanghai Communiqué
- Mao Tse-tung
- Leonid I. Brezhnev
- Possible leak
- The President's possible statement
- Soviet summit
- Allies
- State Department
- Foreign Service officers

Conv. No. 688-19 (cont.)

Kissinger left at 12:30 pm.

State Department

- Reorganization
- Ehrlichman's talk with John B. Connally
- 1972 election
- Rogers
- Foreign trade
- Foreign economic policy
- Foreign service officers
- Rogers
- Soviet summit

Rogers

- Possible resignation
- Soviet summit
- Campaign
 - Reelection of the President
- New Secretary of State
- Connally
- Reelection of the President
- Completing term

The President's forthcoming press conference

- Oval Office
- The President's talk with H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman
 - Questions and answers [Q&A]
 - Radio
 - Television
 - Equal time

Busing

- March 16, 1972 speech
- News summary coverage
 - Television
 - Democrats
 - Blacks
 - The President
- Leonard Garment
 - Speech

- Tone
- Left
 - Michael J. Mansfield
 - Democratic candidates
 - Hubert H. Humphrey
 - Moratorium
- Right wingers
 - Strom Thurmond
 - Media
- Court ordered busing
 - Department of Health, Education and Welfare [HEW]
 - Harry S. Dent
 - Explanation to Southerners
 - Ziegler
 - Charles W. Colson
 - Samuel J. Ervin, Jr.
 - Thurmond
 - Dent
 - Mayors
 - Local press
 - Colson
 - Editorial comment
 - Ziegler
 - Local representatives of newspapers
 - Wire services
 - Intervention
 - Announcement
 - Richmond
 - Memphis
 - Michigan
 - Edward L. Morgan
 - Importance
 - Court orders
 - Ehrlichman's forthcoming talk with Stewart J.O. Alsop
 - Explanation
 - Thurmond
 - Donald Oberdorfer, Jr.
 - David S. Broder
 - William S. White
 - Holmes Alexander
 - Conservatives
 - Patrick J. Buchanan
 - James J. Kilpatrick, Jr.
 - Briefings
 - White
 - Instructions
 - Conservative line
 - Clark MacGregor and his staff
 - Briefings for members of Congress
 - James O. Eastland
 - Leaders meeting

- March 16, 1972 speech
 - Max Frankel articles
 - New York Times*
 - Oberdorfer articles
 - Washington Post*
 - Washington Post* editorial
 - Meg Greenfield
 - George C. Wallace
 - Constitutional amendment
 - Television appearance
 - Executive order
 - Henry M. ("Scoop") Jackson
 - Constitutional amendment
 - Senators
 - Congressmen
 - Audience reached
 - Children
- Colson
 - Kenneth W. Clawson
 - Dita D. Beard
 - Calls to editors
 - Southern states
- Trips
 - Key states
 - Virginia
 - Richmond
 - Moratorium
 - Tennessee
 - Ehrlichman's talk with Howard H. Baker, Jr.
 - Nashville
 - Memphis
 - Intervention in Nashville
 - Michigan
 - Intervention
 - Status of cases
 - Robert P. Griffin
- March 16, 1972 speech
 - Left wingers
 - Arthur Goldberg
 - Parren J. Mitchell [?]
 - Jacob K. Javits
 - South
 - Reactions
 - Griffin
 - Moderates
 - Baker
 - William E. Brock, III
 - Intervention
 - Texas
 - John G. Tower
 - Moratorium

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- Federal government
- Local school board
- Morgan
 - Austin, Corpus Christi, Texas
- National Broadcasting Company [NBC]
- George S. McGovern
- Cases
 - Court orders for racial balance
 - Press conference
 - Federal judges
 - Racial balance
 - Intent
 - Effect
 - Reasons for busing
 - End of discrimination
 - Racial balance
 - Morgan
 - Richardson
 - Press conference
 - Answer
 - Judges
 - Courts
 - Press
 - Morgan

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Ehrlichman's schedule

- Busing
- Congress
 - New compared to old money
 - Education support
- Politics
- Democratic candidates
 - Wallace
 - Jackson
- Congress
 - Vote
 - Moratorium
- Russell B. Long's conversation with Haldeman
 - Haldeman's talk with Ehrlichman
 - Reelection
 - Connally
 - House Resolution [H.R.] 1
 - Passage

Social Security

- Ehrlichman's talk with Connally
- Connally's forthcoming meeting with the President
 - Percentage
 - Cost of living
 - Longshoremen strike

- Pay Board
- Anti-inflation stand
- Possible compromise
- Richardson
- Arthur S. Flemming
- Inflation
 - Taxes
 - The President's memorandum to George P. Shultz
 - Talk with the President
 - Old age benefits
- Economic issue
- Connally

Conv. No. 688-19 (cont.)

- Longshoreman strike
 - Harry Bridges
 - Pay Board
 - Employers
 - Productivity
 - Choices
 - Effect on costs
 - Shultz
 - Lawyers

William Brock [not William E. Brock III]

- Letter
- Football teammate of the President at Whittier College
 - Orthogonian Society
- Political affiliation
- Race
- Possible position in administration
 - Frederic V. Malek

Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 12:30 pm.

Photostatic copy of a document

- Job
 - Malek
 - Government

Bull left at an unknown time before 1:15 pm.

Judgeships

Hiring

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Jack Drown
-Tennis court

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International Telephone and Telegraph [ITT] case

- Dita D. Beard memorandum
 - Typewriter
 - Ribbon
 - Time period used
 - Committee
 - Press
- Colson
 - Press
 - Leak story
 - Beard
 - Statement
 - Headline in *Washington Star*
 - John V. Tunney
 - Richard G. Kleindienst
 - Edward M. Kennedy
 - Jack N. Anderson
 - Colson
 - Memorandum
 - Anderson's secretary
 - Beard's secretary

Ehrlichman's schedule

- Alsop meeting

Busing

- Constitutional amendment
- Inferior compared to superior education
 - Alsop
- Desegregation
- Old cases
- Ehrlichman's meeting with Alsop
- Senators

Ehrlichman's schedule

- Vacation
- Weekend
- Possible speech to a federal group
 - Hawaii
 - The President's forthcoming trip to California
- The President's forthcoming trip to Florida
 - Time

-Ehrlichman
-San Francisco
-Time
-Christian scientists
-Los Angeles
-San Francisco

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Busing
-Left wing
-*Washington Post* editorial

Ehrlichman left at 1:15 pm.

Conversation No. 688-13

Date: March 18, 1972
Time: 1:16 pm - 1:17 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Marjorie P. Acker.

Rose Mary Woods's schedule
-Possible call from the President

Acker left at 1:17 pm.

Conversation No. 688-14

Date: March 18, 1972
Time: 1:20 pm - 1:21 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

The President's schedule
-Charles W. Colson
-Meeting with the President
-Possible trip to Camp David
-Staff

Bull left at 1:21 pm.

Conversation No. 688-15

Date: March 18, 1972
Time: 1:21 pm - 1:22 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Marjorie P. Acker.

Conv. No. 688-19 (cont.)

Manolo Sanchez

Acker left at 1:22 pm.

Conversation No. 688-16

Date: March 18, 1972
Time: Unknown between 1:22 pm and 1:24 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

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Request

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 1:24 pm.

Conversation No. 688-17

Date: March 18, 1972
Time: Unknown between 1:22 pm and 1:24 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Alexander P. Butterfield.

The President's schedule
-White House church services

- Southern Baptists
- Leader (President)
- Fred B. Rhodes
 - Veterans Administration
 - Donald E. Johnson
- Preacher
- Note from Dan [Surname unknown] Conv. No. 688-19 (cont.)
- Johnson

Butterfield left at an unknown time before 1:24 pm.

Conversation No. 688-18

Date: March 18, 1972
Time: 1:24 pm - 3:40 pm
Location: Oval Office

The President met with Manolo Sanchez and Charles W. Colson.

Refreshment

International Telephone and Telegraph [ITT] case
-Sanchez

- Jack N. Anderson
- Cuban friends

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 2:21 pm.

ITT case

- Dita D. Beard
- Statement
 - Anderson
 - Typewriter
 - James O. Eastland
 - Committee members
 - Alger Hiss case
 - Press
 - Use
 - Evidence
 - Bias
 - Effect
 - Reason
 - Timing
 - Bartender
 - Doorman

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[Privacy]

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International Telephone and Telegraph [ITT] case

-Dita D. Beard

-Jack Anderson's secretary

-Possible relationship

-Cover-up

Sanchez entered at an unknown time after 1:24 pm.

Pipe

-Oval Office

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 2:21 pm.

ITT

-Colson's efforts

-Former Central Intelligence Agency [CIA] employee

Sanchez entered at an unknown time after 1:24 pm.

Ashtray

Sanchez left at an unknown time before 2:21 pm.

ITT case

-Former CIA employee

-E. Howard Hunt, Jr. [?]

-Investigation in Denver

-Disguise

-Interview with Beard

-Psychological warfare

-Fidel Castro

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[Privacy]

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International Telephone and Telegraph [ITT] case

-E. Howard Hunt Jr. [?]

-Investigation in Denver

-Dita D. Beard

-Relationship with Opal Ginnis

-Masculinity

-Children

Conv. No. 688-19 (cont.)

-The President's comments on homosexuals

-Relationship with Opal Ginnis

-History

-January 27, 1972

International Telephone and Telegraph [ITT] case

-Memorandum

-Fraud

-Committee

-Marlow W. Cook

-Edward J. Gurney

-Hugh Scott

-Edward M. Kennedy

-John V. Tunney

-Scott's talk with Eastland

-Cook

-Scott

-Scott's talk with Colson

-Close hearings

-Anderson

-Richard G. Kleindienst

-Fraud

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[Privacy]

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International Telephone and Telegraph [ITT] case

-Memorandum

-Pearl L. Tytell

International Telephone and Telegraph [ITT] case

-Memorandum

- Pearl L. Tytell
 - Typewriter expert
 - Electric typewriters
 - Ribbons
 - Age of type
 - Ribbon use
 - Timing
 - Tytell's statement
 - Credibility
- Destruction of files
- Leaks
- Anderson
- Beard memorandum
- Committee
 - Federal Bureau of Investigation [FBI] report
 - Former head of the documents section
 - Chemical analysis
 - Talk with Colson
 - Robert C. Mardian
 - Tytell
 - Reliable tests
 - Independent laboratory
 - J. Edgar Hoover
 - Anderson
- Beard
- Health
 - Colson's operative [Hunt]
 - Deposition
 - Rush release
 - Compared to Hiss case
 - Attack the witness
 - Whitaker Chambers
 - Kleindienst
 - FBI analysis of the Beard memorandum
 - Tytell
 - Chemical analysis
 - Ribbons on typewriters
 - Timing of use
 - Press conference
 - Committee
 - Beard's secretary
 - Affidavit
 - Differences in memorandum
 - The President
 - John N. Mitchell
 - Beard's testimony
 - Anderson
 - Typing
 - Ability
 - Opal Ginnis
 - Ted Rodgers

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- Beard
- Access to office building
 - Alarm system
 - Beard's present secretary
 - Colson's operative [Hunt]
 - Beard's story
 - Access to office building
 - Typed memorandum
- Tytell
 - Timing
 - Analysis
 - FBI
 - Reliability
 - Mardian
 - Former head of documents section
- Woman in Canada
 - Interrogation
 - INTERTEL
 - Affidavit
 - New York Daily News* story
 - Leaks
 - Secret Service
 - Wiretaps
 - Anderson
- William R. Merriam
 - Affidavit
- Committee
- Kennedy
 - Beard's testimony
 - Eastland and Roman L. Hruska
 - Colson's knowledge of Beard's testimony
 - Source [Hunt?]
 - Kennedy
 - Michael J. Mansfield
 - Beard's testimony
 - Anderson
- Tunney
 - The President's talk with John D. Ehrlichman
 - Talk with Kennedy
 - Documents
 - Location
 - Federal Communications Commission [FCC]
 - Subpoena
 - Kennedy
 - Memorandum for the file
 - Harold S. Geneen
 - Mitchell
 - Peter G. Peterson
 - John B. Connally
 - Ehrlichman
 - Colson

-Spiro T. Agnew

- Geneen
- Peter M. Flanigan
 - Blair House receptions and Cabinet Room receptions
 - The President
 - Geneen's presence
 - Embarrassment
 - 1970 election
- Testimony
- Justice Department
- Kleindienst
 - Call from the President
 - Reasons
- Richard W. McLaren
 - Television appearance
 - Mitchell
 - Case
 - Face the Nation* appearance
- Scott, Hruska and Eastland
- Briefing on busing
 - Mention of ITT
 - Judiciary Committee
- Committee
 - Press
- Beard
 - Colson
 - Statement
 - Schedule
 - Testimony
- Opal Ginnis [sp?]
 - Tunney and Kennedy
 - Anderson
 - Anderson's secretary

Conv. No. 688-19 (cont.)

The President left and Sanchez entered at an unknown time after 1:24 pm.

Refreshments

-Colson

Sanchez left and the President entered at an unknown time before 2:21 pm.

Refreshments

ITT

- Kleindienst
- Confirmation
- Justice Department
 - Press conference
 - Committee
 - Colson's view
- Anderson

- Beard
- Statements
 - Questions
 - Kennedy
- Files
- Colson
 - Peterson
 - Connally
 - Flanigan
 - Peterson
 - Statements
 - Balance of payments issue
 - Corporation
 - Trust
 - Stock in ITT
 - Felix Rohatyn
 - Flanigan
- Committee investigations
- Reveal double standard
 - Editorial or column
 - Anderson
 - Joseph McCarthy
 - Same procedures as courts
 - The President
 - Business
 - Procedures
 - Standardized
 - Press
 - Colson's staff member
 - Anderson
 - Louis P. Harris
 - Polls

Conv. No. 688-19 (cont.)

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Polls

- Trial heats
 - March 27, 1972
 - Edmund S. Muskie
 - Percentages
 - Compared to September 1971
- Hubert H. Humphrey
 - Percentages
- John V. Lindsay

-George S. McGovern

ITT case

-Polls

-Harris

-Days involved

-The People's Republic of China [PRC]

-Anderson

-Kennedy

-Press reaction

-*Washington Post*

-Ronald L. Ziegler

-The President

-White House involvement

-Colson's talk with Ziegler

-Briefings

-Anderson

-Waiter

-Anderson's secretary

-Press investigation

-Polls

-Harris

-Politician's charges

-Beard

-Flanigan

-White House involvement

-Corporate record

-Campaign contribution

-Questions

-Campaign contributions

-Henry M. ("Scoop") Jackson

-Disclosure of funds

-Labor unions

-Henry Ford II

-Muskie

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[Duration: 1m 59s]

1972 campaign

-Polls

-George H. Gallup

-Edmund S. Muskie
-Crying incident
 -Effect on campaign
 -New Hampshire
 -Hubert H. Humphrey
-Richard M. Scammon
-Louis Harris
-Edmund S. Muskie
 -*National Observer*
 -Number of delegates
 -Ohio
 -Illinois
 -Delegate selection
 -Chicago
 -George S. McGovern
 -Cook County battle
 -Georgia
 -Texas
 -George C. Wallace
 -State delegate system
-Louis Harris

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1972 campaign
-Polls
 -Approval
 -Harris
 -Reprint
 -Percentages
 -The PRC trip

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[Personal Returnable]
[688-018-w008]
[Duration: 12s]

1972 campaign
-Polls
 -Louis Harris
 -Trial heats
 -Percentages

1972 campaign

-Polls

-Approval

-Four categories

-Percentages

-The PRC trip

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-Categories

-Support

-Personal confidence

-Percentages

-Question

Busing speech, March 16, 1972

-Richard M. Scammon

-Talk with Colson

-Leonard Garment

-The President's talk with Ehrlichman

-Reactions

-Liberals

-Southerners

-Colson's office

-Talks with editors in border and southern states

-Interventions

-Talks with community leaders

-Moratorium vote

-Muskie

-Kennedy

-Hubert H. Humphrey

-George S. McGovern

-Humphrey

-Robert J. Dole

-Speech

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[Personal Returnable]

[688-018-w009]

[Duration: 8m 2s]

1972 campaign

-Primaries

-Hubert H. Humphrey

-Richard M. Scammon

-Henry M. ("Scoop") Jackson

-Benjamin J. Wattenberg

-Hubert H. Humphrey as a candidate

-Friendship with Richard M. Scammon

-The President

- Democrat
- Comments on Democratic Party
 - American people
 - Julie Nixon Eisenhower
 - Elitism
- Edmund S. Muskie speech
 - "Social Planners"
 - Richard M. Scammon
 - Constitutional amendment
 - Income tax
 - Richard M. Scammon's March 16, 1972 talk with Charles W. Colson
 - Gallup poll
 - Forthcoming poll results
 - Democratic Party
 - Potential effect
 - Edmund S. Muskie and Hubert H. Humphrey
 - New Hampshire
 - March 17, 1972
 - Wisconsin
 - New Hampshire
 - Florida
 - Wisconsin
 - 1960 and 1968
 - Democratic vote vs. Republican vote
 - Richard M. Scammon
 - National Broadcasting Company [NBC]
 - Large Democratic vote
 - 1968
 - Edmund S. Muskie
 - Potential performance in Illinois

Julie Nixon Eisenhower talked with the President between 2:21 and 2:22 pm.

[Conversation No. 688-18a]

[See Conversation No. 21-110]

[End of telephone conversation]

1972 campaign

- Richard M. Scammon's March 16, 1972 talk with Charles W. Colson
 - Edmund S. Muskie
 - Illinois
 - Hubert H. Humphrey
 - Edmund S. Muskie
 - Finances
 - Staff cut
 - Misunderstanding of the American people
 - Mood of the people
 - Compared to the President
 - Economy

Economy

-Herbert Stein

-Retail sales figures

-Housing

Conv. No. 688-19 (cont.)

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[688-018-w010]

[Duration: 4m 2s]

1972 campaign

-Polls

-The People's Republic of China [PRC] trip

-The Administration

-Henry A. Kissinger

-The People's Republic of China [PRC] trip

-Richard M. Scammon

-Importance of domestic issues

-Importance of foreign relations

-Union of Soviet Socialist Republics [USSR] trip

-Richard M. Scammon theory

-Franklin D. Roosevelt theory

-Hubert H. Humphrey

-Louis Harris

-Hubert H. Humphrey

-Trial heat

-Youth vote

-The President as a candidate

-Hubert H. Humphrey compared to the President

-Nomination

-Edward M. ("Ted") Kennedy

-Chances

-New Hampshire

-Hubert H. Humphrey

-Edmund S. Muskie

-Edward M. ("Ted") Kennedy

-Chance of assassination

-Replies in letters

-Opposition

-Chappaquiddick

-Union of Soviet Socialist Republics [USSR] trip

-Effect

-Democratic National Convention

-Republican National Convention [?]

ITT case

- Democrats
- Committee hearings
 - Media
- Beard statement
- Press
- Kenneth W. Clawson
- Beard statement
- Networks
 - Notification
 - John A. Scal
- Beard
- Colson's operative [Hunt?]
- Anderson

Conv. No. 688-19 (cont.)

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[Privacy]

[688-018-w011]

[Duration: 3s]

International Telephone and Telegraph [ITT] case

- Dita D. Beard

International Telephone and Telegraph [ITT] case

- Dita D. Beard
 - Memorandum
- White House
 - Republican party
 - Secretary
 - Affidavit
 - Memorandum
 - Typewriter analysis
 - FBI
 - Tytell's investigation
 - FBI
 - Dye tests
 - Committee
 - Possibilities
 - Compared to Hiss case

- Beard's testimony
- Reaction
- Daniel L. Schorr
- Children
- Husband

Arthur K. Watson

- Foreign Relations Committee hearings
- Franck F. Church
- Anderson
- Press
- State Department career employees

Conv. No. 688-19 (cont.)

Lifestyles

- Alcohol

[Previous PRMPA Privacy (D) reviewed under deed of gift 09/12/2022. Segment cleared for release.]

[Privacy]
[688-018-w013]
[Duration: 1s]

Lifestyles

- Alcohol
- Russell B. Long

Lifestyles

- Alcohol
- Carl B. Albert
- [Thomas] Hale Boggs
- Watson
- Behavior on an airplane

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[Personal Returnable]
[688-018-w014]
[Duration: 1m 7s]

Lifestyles

- Alcohol
- The President
- Bryce N. Harlow

-Senators
 -Russell B. Long
-Congressmen
-Rules
 -Socializing
-Press
-Compared with Lyndon B. Johnson
-Press

Conv. No. 688-19 (cont.)

ITT case
-Beard
 -Lobbyist
-Children
 -Health
 -Status
 -Kennedy
 -Committee members
-Testimony
-Beard
-Scott, Hruska
-Eastland
-Scott
-Cook
 -Note from the President
 -Talk with Colson
-Eastland
-Cook
 -The President's schedule
 -Note from the President
 -Talk with Colson
 -Senate
 -Instructions
 -Press
-Senate Committee
 -The President as a member of the committee
 -Colson
 -Questions
 -Anderson
 -Procedures
 -Anderson
-The Administration
-The committee
-Kennedy
 -Tunney
 -Hruska
-Credibility of witnesses
-Anderson
 -Brit Hume

-Albert, Boggs
-Gerald R. Ford
-Anderson

1972 campaign
-Democratic party
-Finances

-John V. Lindsay
-New York
-Colson's investigation
-Hundred dollar rule
-Nelson A. Rockefeller
-White House strategy

Conv. No. 688-19 (cont.)

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[Personal Returnable]

[688-018-w017]

[Duration: 4m 38s]

1972 campaign

-Wisconsin

-John N. Ashbrook
-California
-Percentages

-Human Events

-National Review

-Florida

-Patrick J. Buchanan and Charles W. Colson
-John N. Ashbrook
-Percentages
-Richard M. Scammon
-John N. Ashbrook
-Conservative element
-Busing
-Constitutional amendment
-Percentages
-Paul N. ("Pete") McCloskey, Jr.

-Busing

-John D. Ehrlichman
-Liberals
-Attacks against the President

-Democrats' view

-Richard M. Scammon
-Television
-Lyndon K. ("Mort") Allin
-Columbia Broadcasting System [CBS] coverage of Democrats
-President's view

- 1968 campaign
 - The President's campaign
 - George S. McGovern
 - Busing
 - Use as an issue
 - Strength as a candidate
 - Finances
 - Position in December 1971
- Conv. No. 688-19 (cont.)

Campaign financing

- Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971
 - Administration response
 - Committee to Re-elect the President [CRP]
 - States
 - Expenditures disclosure
 - Florida
 - New Hampshire

Economics

- Herbert Stein
- Industrial production figures
- Unemployment
 - Seasonal adjustment
 - Percentage
 - Insured claims
- Retail sales figures
 - New system
 - Stein
 - Economists' view
- Gross National Product [GNP]

ITT case

- Colson's office
 - Efforts
 - Press
 - Bias
- Books by Edith Efron and James Keogh

Campaign practices

- Monitoring system
- Richard M. Scaife
- Description
 - Ralph Nader
 - Federal Communications Commission [FCC]
 - Law suits
 - Simpson tapes at Vanderbilt University

ITT case

-White House strategy
-Agnew's speech
 -Attack on the press
 -New York Times
-Mitchell
-Testimony
-Geneen
-United Press International [UPI] story
 -Mardian
 -Merriam
-UPI
 -Story
 -Apology
-Networks
-Geneen
 -Hearings
 -Contribution
 -San Diego
 -Politics compared to business
-Beard memorandum
-Peterson
 -Evidence
 -FCC
 -Subpoena
 -Ehrlichman's conversation with William J. Casey concerning files
-Kleindienst confirmation
-Documents
-Anderson
-Memorandum
-Hoax

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The President's schedule
-Forthcoming meeting

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[Duration: 5m 14s]

King Timahoe
-Rug [?]

Stephen B. Bull

Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon, Julie Nixon Eisenhower, Helene (Colesie) Drown, and Stephen B. Bull entered and the President left at 3:08 pm.

General conversation

Walking

Thelma C. (Ryan) ("Pat") Nixon
-Birthday

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The People's Republic of China [PRC] trip
-Vase
-Gifts

Helene (Colesie) Drown's mother
-Birthday gift

Walter H. Annenberg

The President returned at an unknown time before 3:10 pm.

Walter H. Annenberg
-Sketches [?]
-The President's opinion

King Timahoe
-Pool

Walk

Tour of the old Executive Office Building [EOB]
-Pictures

Jack Drown

Mrs. Nixon, Julie Nixon Eisenhower, Drown and Bull left at 3:10 pm.

Democrats
-ITT
-Other issues
-PRC
-Soviets
-Busing

Busing
-Speech
-Statement
-Raymond K. Price, Jr.
-Length
-As issue
-Blacks

-Polls

- Harris
- Muskie
- Humphrey

Stephen B. Bull entered at an unknown time after 3:10 pm.

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Delivery of an unknown item

Bull left at an unknown time before 3:40 pm.

Busing

-Polls

- American public opinion
- The President's televised speeches and press conferences
- Public reaction
- PRC
- Harris's positive compared to negative
- Maine
- Muskie
- Democrats

Wage and Price Board

-Polls

- Harris
- Lack of confidence
- Economy
- Prices
- Dr. C. Jackson ("Dan") Grayson, Jr.

-Longshoremen strike

-Labor

-Shultz

-Talk with Colson

-International Brotherhood of Teamsters

-Frank E. Fitzsimmons

-Fitzsimmons's talk with Colson

-Plans

-Ohio

-George T. Bell

-Voting

-James R. ("Jimmy") Hoffa's release from prison

-Editorials

-Letters

-Public reaction

-Shultz

-The President's address to the nation, August 15, 1971

-Colson's talk with Shultz and Connally

-Public reaction

-Longshoremen strike

-Food prices

-Consumer Price Index [CPI]

-Announcement
-Stein

Forthcoming reports

- Neil H. McElroy report
- National Commission on Marijuana and Drug Abuse
 - Legalization of marijuana
- Population Commission
- Scammon

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[Duration: 28s]

1972 campaign

- Florida
 - Southern state
 - Issues
 - Border state
 - Compared to the US as a whole

The President's schedule

- Press conference
- Office compared to television

Economy

- Press
 - Cost of Living Council [COLC]
 - CPI
 - Stein
 - Figures
 - Administration handling

ITT case

- Media
- Beard
- Hearings
- Colson's talk with Haldeman
- Press conference
- President's press conference
 - Investigation
 - Kleindienst confirmation
- White House

- Mitchell's statement
- Beard's testimony
- Mitchell's statement
- Flanigan
- Testimony
- Flanigan
 - Statement
 - Committee members
 - Kleindienst
 - Vote
 - Samuel J. Ervin, Jr.
 - Executive privilege
 - Testimony
 - Executive privilege
 - Colson's talk with Patrick J. Buchanan
 - Statement
 - Beard

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Press conference

- Questions
 - ITT
 - Price Board
 - CPI
 - Politics
 - Busing
 - Moratorium and legislation
 - Constitutionality
 - Courts
 - Legislative process
 - 14th Amendment
 - Scammon
 - Compared to income tax
 - Public opinion
 - Leftists
 - March 16, 1972 speech
 - Leftists
 - Social planning
 - Buchanan
 - American children
 - "Guinea pigs"
 - Ehrlichman
 - Agnew's speeches
 - Strom Thurmond
 - George C. Wallace
 - Telephone calls
 - Colson and his staff
 - Labor and ethnics
 - Peter J. Brennan
 - Constitutional amendment
 - Polls
 - Blacks

- Professionals
- Blacks
- Whites
- Muskie
- Speech
- Wording
 - Better education
 - Neighborhoods
- American public opinion

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Colson's schedule

- ITT
 - Investigators
 - Phone calls
 - Lab tests
 - Lawyer
 - Anderson
 - Hume
 - Committee
 - Questions
 - Kennedy
 - Cook
 - Hume
 - Colson's role
- Memorandum
 - Authenticity
 - Anderson's story
 - Beard
 - Typewriter
 - Kennedy's comment
- Reporter
- Colson's role
- Bartender
- Anderson's secretary
 - Cabinet officials
 - Senators and congressmen
 - Anderson
 - Cook
 - Questioning
 - Colson's efforts

Colson left at 3:40 pm.

Conversation No. 688-19

Date: March 18, 1972

Time: Unknown between 3:40 pm and 4:25 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

Ronald S. Berman

-Book

-French Revolution

-Location

-Alexander P. Butterfield

-Executive Office Building [EOB]

Conv. No. 688-19 (cont.)

Bull left at an unknown time before 4:25 pm.

Conversation No. 688-20

Date: March 18, 1972

Time: Unknown between 3:40 pm and 4:25 pm

Location: Oval Office

The President met with Stephen B. Bull.

Book

-Size

-Illustrations

-Ronald S. Berman

-French language

The President's schedule

-Executive Office Building [EOB]

Bull left at an unknown time before 4:25 pm.