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March 28, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR:

H. R. HALDEMAN

FROM:

GORDON STRACHAN

SUBJECT:

Kentucky Senate Race

Murray Chotiner is reminding you that tomorrow is the last date for filing in the Kentucky Senate race. Louie Nunn could win if he received White House support and money according to Dent. However, Dent believes Mitchell is probably planning on not intervening to get Nunn in the race because Lee Nunn has "poisoned" Mitchell against his brother by calling him a "crook."

Cooper will not run according to Dent.

Dent has not been able to reach John Mitchell in Florida to confirm their previous discussion.

If you want to confirm Dent's impression of Mitchell's thinking you would have to place the call personally to Mitchell.

Attachment

GS:Ecar

From the desk of . . .

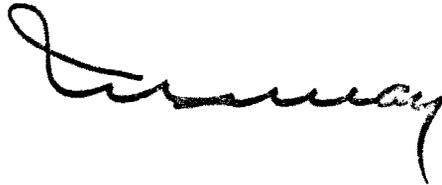
MURRAY M. CHOTINER

March 27, 1972

FOR: H. R. HALDEMAN

For your information. The filing deadline for the U.S. Senate in Kentucky is Wednesday, March 29.

If Louie Nunn is to run, he will need a bit of White House encouragement.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Murray", is written in a cursive style.

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MURRAY M. CHOTINER

March 24, 1972

Hon. H. R. Haldeman
Assistant to the President
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Bob:

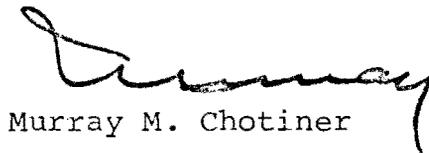
I am reliably informed that Louie Nunn is disappointed he has not received oral encouragement from the President to run for the Senate seat in Kentucky this year.

Apparently, the only two who can win the seat are Cooper and Nunn.

I am advised that Senator Brooke has stated that Cooper will run in spite of his statement that he will not run if there is a draft for him to do so. This is the situation in spite of his illness and age.

However, if Cooper or Nunn do not run, we lose the seat.

Cordially,



Murray M. Chotiner

MMC:bh

March 27, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR:

H. R. HALDEMAN

FROM:

GORDON STRACHAN

SUBJECT:

Carl Shipley Letter

On March 21, 1972, Carl Shipley wrote you regarding District Republican matters (copy attached). The last letter you received from Shipley was dated November 8 and you referred it to Colson. Colson answered it on November 18. I referred this most recent letter to Colson who had the accuracy of the charges checked, and then asked Dent to call Shipley.

GS:car

an
Committee.

March 21, 1972

Carl L. Shipley
Member for District of Columbia
National Press Building
Washington, D. C. 20004
(202) 783-1647

Honorable H.R. Haldeman
Assistant to the President
The White House
Washington, D.C.

Dear Bob:

I am somewhat puzzled by the fact that Henry Berliner, who apparently sees himself as some kind of hatchetman for John Mitchell, recently took occasion on WTOP-TV to imply strongly that President Nixon was opposed to my re-election as Republican National Committeeman for the District of Columbia in the May 2 primary.

To me, this is inconceivable, largely because there is nothing to be gained by President Nixon in allowing himself to be drawn into local primaries or used by competing factions in local party elections -- we are all his friends and supporters, and unless November 1972 is different from any other Presidential Election, he will need every friend and supporter possible, including me, my opponent, as well as Independents and Democrats and all other friends and supporters of every persuasion that can be gathered together.

I will appreciate anything you can do in connection with the letter I wrote John Mitchell, copy attached. Or, if President Nixon is actively concerned with defeating me, I would appreciate knowing that -- anything can happen in politics.

Sincerely yours,



Carl L. Shipley

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Enclosures

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March 21, 1972

Shipley
for District of Columbia
National Press Building
Washington, D. C. 20004
763-1647

Honorable John N. Mitchell
Committee for the Re-Election
of the President
1701 Pennsylvania Avenue N.W.
Washington, D.C.

Dear John:

I was not aware that President Nixon has aligned himself with my opponent or was seeking to bring about my defeat for re-election as National Committeeman for the District of Columbia in our May 2 primary. It was my understanding that the President was not permitting his name to be involved in primaries in terms of making choices between Republican Party officials who have loyally supported him over the years.

However, as indicated in the attached two newspaper stories, and as reported to me respecting some statements made on a TV show recently by one of your people, an effort is being made to imply that President Nixon is opposing my re-election and supporting someone else. I would very much appreciate your clarification of this situation. I would think that re-election of the President would best be served by joining all of the support we can and not wasting our money and good will by letting President Nixon's name be used by any local faction where they are seeking to win party office.

In any event, I want you to know that win, lose or draw, I am supporting you and President Nixon, just as I have over the years.

Sincerely yours,

Carl L. Shipley

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Enclosures

Democratic Party State Primary

THE EVENING STAR
Washington, D. C.
Saturday, March 18, 1972

Local GOP Puts Nixon In Primary

President Nixon's name has been entered by local Republicans in the D.C. presidential primary May 2.

In an affidavit of consent, Nixon said he agreed to his name being placed in the primary and to the reform slate of candidates for delegate and alternate to the Republican National Convention.

The slate does not include the present GOP national committeeman for the District, Carl Shipley, or Edmund Fendleton, the D.C. Republican committee chairman.

Shipley, however, has said he will enter his name for a new term as national committeeman, despite the challenge by the reform group.

The reform slate includes Henry A. Berliner, counsel for the local Republican party, and Anna Chenault, widow of the late Gen. Claire Chenault.

In another development yesterday, D.C. City Council member Rev. Jerry A. Moore announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for D.C. delegate.

Moore, who earlier said he would not run, this week reportedly received a pledge of financial support from party leaders and changed his mind.

He declined at a press conference yesterday to confirm that a financial committee had been made, saying only that the "depth of support" in the community had prompted him to run.

If he is nominated, Moore would run against the established Democratic nominee, incumbent Walter Fauntroy, who was to file for the primary today.

Moore's candidacy as the product of "dishonest dealings" by party leaders.

Charles Castell, a member of the District school board, filed yesterday as a delegate candidate representing the D.C. Statehood Party. Like Fauntroy, he apparently will be unopposed in the primary.

In earlier filings yesterday, Robert S. Carter, secretary of the D.C. Republican Committee for the last two years, headed a reform slate for national committee posts. Carter is opposing the incumbent committeeman, Carl Shipley, who filed earlier.

Carter's slate will be pledged to President Nixon, who agreed earlier this week, in an affidavit of consent, to have his name placed in the city's primary and to align himself with the reform group.

Republican city councilman, the Rev. Jerry A. Moore announced Friday he would seek his party's nomination to run against Fauntroy. Moore reportedly has received a pledge of financial backing from the party.

In announcing his announcement, Moore accused Fauntroy of making "rosy promises" for improving housing in the city, but not producing. He also said pointedly that if elected he would not become a "gaddie on the national scene," an obvious reference to Fauntroy.

Also filing for the Republican nomination yesterday was Gen. Hassan Jeru-Ahmed, founder of the Blackman's Development Center. Dr. William Chin-Lee, who has long been active in the District's Chinese community, filed earlier.

Hassan last week attacked

WILSON

to keep a slate of candidates for national committee posts.

last day of filing for the primary election, announced yesterday, who last year became the city's first nonvoting member in 100 years, and the only Democratic candidate in the race for congressional seat.

but a slate headed by John Wilson, the former campaign manager, opposed Fauntroy's slate for national committee posts, which is headed by former city council chairman John Hechinger.

WILSON SAID the decision to run a slate against Fauntroy was prompted by concern that the congressman was using "machine" tactics in building his strength in the party.

"If he wants to be Mayor Daley, he should go to Chicago," Wilson said. "A black Mayor Daley is no better than a white one."

Wilson labeled Fauntroy's status as favorite-son presidential candidate in the primary as "a gimmick to tie up the party apparatus . . . We feel that he's trying to do too much too fast without checking the feelings of the people of the District."

Fauntroy, Wilson said, has not yet succeeded in building a machine, but is heading in that direction. "The people who say the District is politically uncommitted are right if they think Fauntroy has already built a machine. But he's trying to put together one, and we want to stop him before it's too late. We just want to keep the party honest."

Wilson said it was decided not to run anyone against Fauntroy for the delegate's post because "he really hasn't had a chance to prove himself as a congressman. He hasn't been in long enough. We may oppose him later, but we figure we'll have enough of a race from the Republicans this time."

March 24, 1972

ADMINISTRATIVELY CONFIDENTIAL

MEMORANDUM FOR: H. R. HALDEMAN
FROM: GORDON STRACHAN
SUBJECT: Alphonzo Bell (R-California)

You asked Clark MacGregor to call Alphonzo Bell personally to discuss the Congressman's request for a meeting with the President on California politics. Although reluctant because of the number of other similar requests from Congress, MacGregor called Bell on March 22. Bell returned the call March 23, and Mac Gregor indicated he would try to arrange a meeting between Bell and John Mitchell to discuss California politics. MacGregor reports that Congressman Bell seemed pleased with this alternative.

GS:kmt

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March 17, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR:

H. R. HALDEMAN

FROM:

GORDON STRACHAN

SUBJECT:

Gallup Poll -
Democratic Contenders

Discussion with the Gallup Organization this morning indicated that the Sunday, March 19 release on the Democratic Contenders will show Humphrey as the leader for the Democratic nomination.

The question: "Which One of the men on this list would you like to see nominated as the Democratic candidate for President in 1972:"

Humphrey	35%
Muskie	28
Lindsay	8
McGovern	7
McCarthy	6
Jackson	5
Chisholm	3
Hartke	1
Yorty	1
No Preference	6

The polling dates were March 3 - 5.

The headline will be "Humphrey Takes Lead as Top Choice."
When the question included Wallace the results were:

Humphrey	31%
Muskie	23
Wallace	15
Lindsay	7
McGovern	6
McCarthy	5
Jackson	3
Chisholm	2
Mills	2
Hartke	1
Yorty	0
No Preference	5

Administratively Confidential

March 17, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR:

H.R. HALDEMAN

FROM:

GORDON STRACHAN

SUBJECT:

Jack Drown

You asked Jeb Magruder to arrange for a campaign role for Jack Drown. Magruder asked Lyn Nofziger to determine a role in the California campaign for Jack Drown. Nofziger checked with Governor Reagan, and it was determined that Jack Drown should serve on the Steering Committee of the Committee for the Re-Election of the President. Nofziger personally asked Drown to serve and he accepted.

The Steering Committee has not yet had a meeting. Bob Volk recently told Magruder that Jack Drown was pleased with his role in the Campaign.

GS:lm

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March 17, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR:

H. R. HALDEMAN

FROM:

GORDON STRACHAN

SUBJECT:

Campaign Finance
Disclosure

Apparently there is no need for the Campaign Finance Disclosure meeting. Jeb Magruder talked with John Mitchell, who informed him that the decision was definitely no disclosure prior to the April 7 effective date of the new law.

GS:car

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March 16, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR:

H.R. HALDEMAN

FROM:

GORDON STRACHAN

SUBJECT:

Campaign Polls

Discussion with Bob Teeter today disclosed several matters of interest:

1) DMI, one of Teeter's vendors for the campaign surveys, conducts a monthly poll in Los Angeles and Orange Counties. The most recent results were:

	<u>Nixon</u>	<u>Muskie</u>	<u>Wallace</u>	<u>N.O.</u>
DMI-Feb 25-March 9	45%	36%	6%	12%

2) The same poll had a Republican primary poll. The results were:

	<u>Nixon</u>	<u>Ashbrook</u>	<u>N.O.</u>
DMI-Feb 25-March 9	77%	9%	14%

There had been no significant change in Ashbrook's support from January.

3) John Mitchell directed Bob Teeter to cancel the proposed telephone follow-up poll on the Republican primary in Wisconsin. Mitchell also decided not to conduct a survey of the Democrats in the primary in Wisconsin.

4) On Tuesday, March 21, John Mitchell will meet with Bob Teeter to review the entire first wave of polls and to determine Teeter's priority for analytical projects based on the data. You may want to talk to John Mitchell about you joining this meeting.

GS:lm

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March 14, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR:

H. R. HALDEMAN

FROM:

GORDON STRACHAN

SUBJECT:

Ehrlichman Versus Committee
for the Re-Election of the
President

A serious problem seems to be developing between John Ehrlichman and the Committee for the Re-Election of the President.

Fred Malek and Jeb Magruder have attended meetings and seen indications of Mr. Ehrlichman's attempts to undercut the effectiveness of the Campaign Committee. Three examples indicate their assessment may be correct:

- 1) As Malek's new role in the Campaign was being defined last month, most of the opposition came from Ehrlichman;
- 2) The Domestic Council slowed the production of "The Speakers Manual" for Administration spokesmen to use during the primaries;
- 3) Ehrlichman, through Ed Harper, has informed Magruder that a review committee -- John Ehrlichman, Ray Price and Bill Safire -- will begin analyzing the Campaign advertising. Magruder and Peter Dailey are reacting protectively citing their own advertising review group of Len Garment, Cliff Miller and Dick Moore.

Len Garment, who is familiar with the advertising suggestion by Ehrlichman, told me this morning that some serious thought should be given to Ehrlichman's real motives. Garment suggests Ehrlichman's desire to become involved in the Campaign has been accentuated by his alleged antipathy toward John Mitchell. The result is criticism of the Committee.

Ken Cole confirms that the relationship between Ehrlichman and the Committee is quite bad. Cole isn't sure why and has been meeting with Magruder and Harper in attempting to ameliorate the problems. Neither Cole nor I are prepared to recommend a solution for you yet. We will continue working on eliminating problems at the staff level to prevent involving you.

GS:CAR

March 14, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR:

H. R. HADDEMAN

FROM:

GORDON STRACHAN

SUBJECT:

Florida Primary
Returns

From Florida, Harry Dent will dictate a one page summary of the results for the President tomorrow morning at 6:00 a.m. I will pick up the memorandum at 7:00 a.m. and deliver the original for the President to the Ushers at 7:00 a.m. You will receive a copy of Dent's memorandum to the President simultaneously.

Tonight, Jeb Magruder will have an election watch at 1701, based on the Florida campaign individuals analysis of the returns.

Some polls close at 7:00 p.m. and others at 8:00 p.m. Network projections are expected between 9:00 and 9:30 p.m. CBS and NBC have announced shows on the results beginning at 10:30 p.m. ABC has not announced but Mort Allin expects them to begin a few minutes before 10:30 p.m. I will be in touch with Magruder from 7:30 p.m. on. I can be reached through the White House Operator, either in Magruder's office or on pageboy. Should you wish to talk to Jeb Magruder directly, he can be reached through 333-0920 or bellboy 381-1949.

John Mitchell is not expected to be at the Committee tonight, and Magruder expects him to watch the results on T.V.

March 13, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR:

H. R. HALDEMAN

FROM:

GORDON STRACHAN

SUBJECT:

Robert Shlaudeman -
Telephone Call - Mar. 11, 1972

On Saturday, March 11, Robert Shlaudeman called you. I took the call and he said he always contacted you regarding contributions to Richard Nixon's campaigns. I did not ask him for the amount of contribution but said I would check with you as to the appropriate person.

Mr. Shlaudeman asked about your mother's health. I told him I had seen the senior Mrs. Haldeman at the China trip departure and arrival and that she was in excellent health.

Mr. Shlaudeman has retired and is living in Sarasota, Florida (Area Code 813, 966-3156).

If he is a substantial contributor, I will ask Kalmbach to contact him. If not, Hugh Sloan will contact him regarding a contribution.

Kalmbach Contact _____

Sloan Contact _____

Other _____

GS:car

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 3, 1972

Dear Bob:

Your March 28 note arrived this morning.
It's always great to hear from you.

The President appreciates your regards
and support.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

H. R. Haldeman
Assistant to the President

Mr. Robert Shlaudeman
2417 Casey Key Road
Nokomis, Florida 33555

ROBERT SHLAUDEMANN
2417 Casey Key Road
Nokomis, Florida 33555



Mr. H. R. Haldeman,
The White House,
1600 Pennsylvania Ave.,
Washington, D.C. 20006

Re: [unclear]

Administratively Confidential

March 13, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR:

H.R. HALDEMAN

FROM:

GORDON STRACHAN

SUBJECT:

Release of Campaign Expenditures
in New Hampshire and Florida

The question of whether to release the campaign expenditures in New Hampshire and Florida was considered by Magruder and Colson. The point would have been that less had been spent by the President in winning decisively than the Democrats had spent losing indecisively.

John Mitchell decided that in light of the Democrat's arguments about disclosure of fund sources it would be best if nothing were said about the expenditures for the President in either New Hampshire or Florida.

GS:lm

2169
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Date: 4/3

TO: H.R. HALDEMAN
FROM: GORDON STRACHAN

After Hugh Sloan called Mr. Shlaudeman, this check and note arrived. The payee is correct per Sloan but the contribution was sent through you in spite of Sloan's contrary instructions.

A note for your signature is attached.

42500

R O B E R T S H L A U D E M A N

Dear Bob, Please turn in, for me, this
contribution for the campaign.

My fondest hopes for a
Smashing victory! And my personal
regards to the President,

Always. Bob. Shlaudeman

March 28th

Administratively Confidential

March 10, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR:

H.R. HALDEMAN

FROM:

GORDON STRACHAN

SUBJECT:

Michigan Poll

Bob Teeter confirmed that MOR conducted a recent poll for Griffin which included a President Nixon versus Muskie trial heat:

	<u>Nixon</u>	<u>Muskie</u>	<u>Wallace</u>	<u>Undecided</u>
MOR-Feb 3-20, 1972	41%	42%		17%
	38%	40%	7%	15%

Griffin conducted a survey last spring which did not include Wallace:

	<u>Nixon</u>	<u>Muskie</u>	<u>Undecided</u>
MOR-Apr 15 - May 1, 1971	33%	48%	21%

Both Griffin polls tested only Muskie against the President.

Bob Teeter makes three points regarding the results. There has been a real gain for both the President and Griffin. The President's trip to China helped Griffin and Griffin's stand on bussing has helped the President. Griffin's rise is also attributable to his mail and campaign efforts.

Griffin's position in the surveys was:

	<u>Griffin</u>	<u>Kelley</u>	<u>Undecided</u>
MOR-Feb 3-20, 1971	44%	29%	26%
MOR-Apr 15 - May 1, 1971	38%	38%	24%

Bob Teeter and MOR will begin conducting the Detroit News Poll during the first two weeks of April. The results of the Presidential trial heats will be published the last week of April.

GS;lm

Administratively Confidential

March 9, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR: H.R. HALDEMAN
FROM: GORDON STRACHAN
SUBJECT: Campaign Polling

Ehrlichman and Cole/Campaign Polling --

On February 10 you decided that Ken Cole should receive the issue sections of the national and state polls being conducted by Bob Teeter for the Campaign. On March 9 John Ehrlichman wrote you asking when the results will be available. Teeter has completed all the "First Wave" surveys except Texas, Oregon, and Tennessee. These are expected on March 10.

The issue sections from the vendors reports on Maryland, Missouri, North Carolina, Virginia, Indiana, Ohio, Iowa, New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and California have been compiled in the attached binder. The issue information from the surveys you have in your office (New Hampshire, Florida, Kentucky, Wisconsin and the national over-sample) can be added to the binder with the Texas, Oregon and Tennessee results tomorrow. Ken Cole returns to the office on March 13, at which time he can receive the information. As with the Harris Domestic Issues Poll, Cole should be the control point for whatever polling information is distributed within the Domestic Council.

As I understand your agreement with John Mitchell and Bob Teeter, you can unilaterally release any of the polling information to members of the White House Staff or Domestic Council. However, you may want to mention your plan to give this information to Ken Cole in light of the alleged friction between John Ehrlichman and John Mitchell.

Survey Summary Book --

On March 7 you asked me about the errors in the Survey summary book in the California trial heat section. Discussion with Bob Teeter produced the memorandum explaining the errors and emphasizing the small percentage of variation. Teeter mentioned the errors to John Mitchell last night.

He had neither noticed the errors nor read many of the summaries according to Teeter.

All of the vendors reports are kept locked in my office. I have read several. The most interesting are California, New York, Pennsylvania, and Missouri. To give you an opportunity to review these and the other vendors reports I will change the three reports in your desk drawers weekly.

Fred Malek Access to Polling Information --

Malek has asked to have access to the campaign polling materials. His responsibility to you and John Mitchell for the voting bloc areas seems to justify his complete access. You may want to have Malek ask John Mitchell. Magruder has complete access. Peter Dailey and Bob Marik have access to everything but trial heats and popularity figures.

Recommendation --

That Fred Malek be granted complete access to the polling information.

Approve _____ Disapprove _____

Comment _____

GS:lm

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March 9, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR: H.R. HALDEMAN
FROM: GORDON STRACHAN
SUBJECT: Florida Primary Ballot

The Florida ballot lists these candidates alphabetically for the Republican primary on March 14, 1972:

John M. ASHBROOK
Paul N. McCLOSKEY
Richard M. NIXON

On the Democratic primary ballot, these names appear alphabetically:

Shirley CHISHOLM
Vance HARTKE
Hubert H. HUMPHREY
Henry M. (Scoop) JACKSON
John V. LINDSAY
Eugene J. McCARTHY
George McGOVERN
Wilbur D. MILLS
Edmund S. MUSKIE
George WALLACE
Sam YORTY

GS:lm

March 8, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR : H.R. HALDEMAN
FROM : G. STRACHAN
SUBJECT : New Hampshire Delegates

Harry Flemming confirmed that the President won all 14 "pledged to" delegates for the Republican National Convention. Neither McCloskey nor Ashbrook received any delegates.

On the Democratic side, Muskie received 16 delegates and McGovern received 6 of the 22 delegates to the Democratic National Convention.

GS:pm

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March 7, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR:

H.R. HALDEMAN

FROM:

GORDON STRACHAN

SUBJECT:

Campaign Polling

Bob Teeter submitted the national results from the first wave surveys. The ORC report, based on an over-sample plus the individually surveyed states, is attached. The summary materials have been placed in your campaign poll book. Only Texas, Oregon, and Tennessee remain to be submitted by Bob Teeter. He hopes to have these for you and John Mitchell on March 9, 1972.

You met with John Mitchell and Bob Teeter on February 7, 1972 and established guidelines for access to the campaign survey information on February 8. You told me that: 1) Peter Dailey and Bob Marik were to receive all polling information except trial heats; 2) Jeb Magruder was to have complete access to all poll results; and 3) Teeter or his representative would explain the general matters and conclusions to the Campaign Strategy Group without the specific results or tables. In the one month since that agreement certain developments have occurred that you should be aware of. Harry Dent received authority from the Attorney General to receive the North Carolina results from Bob Teeter. Dent is also reputed to have access to all the Southern state poll results from John Mitchell. Recent newspaper stories disclosing the strong position of the President in Southern states are alleged to be from Dent. The Teeter memorandum on "recommended appearances and issues" that you received in Florida last weekend was the subject of discussion at the Campaign Strategy Group last night. Copies were distributed and later collected, though Peter Dailey and I kept copies. In contrast with the Campaign Committee access, Larry Higby and I went through three drafts of the Teeter memorandum in order to give Dwight Chapin the benefit of the polling suggestions for scheduling purposes without disclosing the President's standing in the states.

I have not raised this continuing problem of access to polling information with Magruder as he will probably rush to John Mitchell to protect his Committee's access. You may want to cover this personally with the Attorney General.

GS:lm

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March 7, 1972

MEMORANDUM FOR:

H. R. HALDEMAN

FROM:

GORDON STRACHAN

SUBJECT:

New Hampshire Primary
Returns

Harry Dent will prepare a one page summary of the results for the President tomorrow morning at 6:00 a.m. I will pick up the memorandum at 7:00 a.m. and deliver the original for the President to the Ushers at 7:30 a.m. You will receive a copy of Dent's memorandum to the President simultaneously.

Tonight, Jeb Magruder and Harry Flemming will have an election watch at 1701. Al Kaupinen and Tom Cirard will be at the New Hampshire Headquarters calling results to Flemming and Magruder.

The polls close at 8:00 p.m. Network projections are expected between 9:30 and 10:00 p.m. I will be in touch with Magruder at one-half hour intervals from 8:00 p.m. on. I can be reached at Larry Higby's home or my home through the White House Operator. Should you wish to talk to Jeb Magruder directly, he can be reached through 333-0920 or bellboy 381-1949.

John Mitchell will not be at the Committee tonight, and he told Magruder he would watch the results on T.V.

The New Hampshire Headquarters telephone numbers are: Area Code-603 224-6142; and, Area Code-603 224-7411.