

Principal News Events

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Sept. 1970 (Cont'd.)

28	Nasser dies RN greets hostages, goes to Vatican, and to 6th Fleet	28	Rome - 6th Fleet
29	RN comments on deaths, mixes with sailors Vice Pres. attacks Scranton Commission	29	6th Fleet, Naples
30	RN in Belgrade Finch appears to disagree with Vice Pres. on Scranton Report Vice Pres. says Goodell is radic-lib Pornography report released Wholesale prices rise	30	NATO Commanders; Belgrade

Oct. 1970

1	RN in Zagreb Nasser funeral Jackson State report by Scranton Commission	1	RN in Zagreb
2	RN in Madrid Unemployment highest in 7 years A.G. attacks violence	2	Madrid
3-4	RN in London, on to Ireland Victory Rally in D.C.	3	London; Ireland
5	RN back to U.S.	5	Arrival ceremony at Andrews AFB
6	W.H. announces VN speech Variety of reports on terrorism, bombings (Canadian kidnappings)		
7	RN VN Televised speech; speculation over and initial reaction	7	Televised VN Peace Proposal
8	Reaction to VN speech Lowest K.I.A. in 4-1/2 years FAP defeated by Comm. Bombings, threat of national wave RN in Savannah Vice Pres.: Goodell, "Christine Jorgenson"	8	Skidaway Island (Savannah, Georgia)

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- 9 State takes tougher line on ceasefire violations; new tough line towards USSR seen
U.S. officials optimistic about VN proposals
Further wholesale price increase
RN orders FBI to investigate bombings
Senate unanimously supports RN peace proposals
- 10-11 NVN rejection of VN peace plan
NYC bombing; DOD, FAA increase security

POLL TAKEN OCT. 8-10: 67 - 25 - 8 (DERGE)

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| 12 | RN in Conn. - announces troop cutback
Separatists kidnap Laporte
Civil Rights Commission report critical of Administration
Bombings in Rochester
Crime Bill passes Senate
RN vetoes campaign spending bill | 12 | Campaigning: Hartford & Stamford, Conn. |
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POLL TAKEN OCT. 6-12: 54 - 44 - 2 (HARRIS)

- 13 Canada recognizes Red China
Troops into Montreal
My Lai trial begins
Security tightened at Federal buildings
Supreme Court begins to hear desegregation arguments

POLL TAKEN OCT. 9-13: 59 - 27 - 14 (GALLUP)

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| 14 | Hanoi categorically rejects RN peace proposals
RN sees dog sniffing marijuana demonstration
Bombing at Harvard
Police protest on Hill | 14 | W.H. Conference on Drug Abuse |
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- 15 RN signs Crime Bill
W.H. continues to be optimistic
despite NVN rejection of peace
proposals
- 16 Ohio Grand Jury exonerates Guard at
Kent State
Canada suspends civil liberties
- 17-18 RN on campaign trail
Laporte murdered
- 19 RN campaigning
Lindsay endorses Goldberg
Arrests begin at Kent under jury
indictments
- 20 RN campaigning; visits wounded
policemen
California killings
- 21 Meir, Gromyko at U.N.
Cost of living up
Terrorism, threats of bombings,
more on California murders
- 22 RN, Gromyko meeting
Low K.I.A. number in VN
Seek "hippie" for California killings
O'Brien attacks Administration

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- 15 Signing of Crime Bill
and visit to D.C.
Police Dept.
- 17 Campaigning: Vermont,
N.J., Pa., Wisc.
- 19 Campaigning: Ohio,
N.D., Missouri
- 20 Campaigning: Tenn.,
N.C., Ind.
- 21 Souvanna Phouma
- 22 Soviet Foreign
Minister Gromyko

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- 23 RN, U.N. speech.
Dems charge politics of fear
(McCormack)
- 24-25 Police Panther shootout (Detroit)
RN in Baltimore for Beall
WH State Dinner for U.N.
RN condemns Pornography Report
- 26 Mideast debate at UN
RN greets Ceausescu
RN signs Consumer Bill
VP sayd WH will appoint
Southern Judge
Goodell stays in race
- 27 RN in Florida
WH appears to lower goals in
the election
RN signs Drug Bill
- 28 RN on final campaign swing (Fla.)
Dump Agnew moves disputed by
A.G. and Chotiner
Bad economy news, wholesale prices,
GM losses, budget deficit
- 29 RN campaign
U.S. toughens demands for release
of Generals
Apparent agreement on Mideast ceasefire
San Jose incident

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- 23 UN Address
- 24 Campaign - Dundalk, My
Meeting with Prime Mini
ter Sato of Japan
UN Dinner
- 25 Meeting with Heads of
State of following countri
Cyprus
Pakistan
Panama
Ethiopia
China
Cambodia
- 26 Visit of Romanian
President Ceausescu
- 27 Campaign - Palm Beach
and Miami
- 28 Campaign - St. Peters
Tallahassee, Longvie
Dallas
- 29 Campaign - Mt. Prospe
Rockford, Rochester,
Omaha, San Jose

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- 30 Signs of GM settlement appear
- 31 RN in Phoenix
Poor turnout for anti-war demonstration
RN offers Justice assistance to cities and States

Nov. 1970

- 2 RN, Muskie on T.V.
- 3 Election Day
Dispute arises over extent of danger at San Jose
- 4 Conflicting claims of victory by RN, Dems.
- 5 WH claims victory
Lowest KIA in VN in five years
New FAP plan, WH push expected
- 6 Unemployment figures up .1%,
Dems. pre-election charge proved wrong
New WH moves on economy seen
Ceasefire continues in Middle East
- 7 - 8 RN meets with advisers about elections
RN, quoted by Time, sees victory in '72
- 9 Soviets to release generals
Israeli boycott of talks seen ending
Further VN withdrawals
Court refuses to hear Mass. case against VN war.

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- 30 Campaign - Anaheim
- 31 Campaign - Phoenix,
Albuquerque, Las Vegas,
Salt Lake City
- 2 Riverside - Aunt Edith
Video telecast of Phoenix speech.
- 3 Election Day - First Family first to vote
- 5 To Key Biscayne

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10 DeGaulle dies, RN to attend funeral
Finch letter relays RN's views on
elections

Fed drops discount rate

11 GM strike tentatively settled
DeGaulle's funeral
RN working on budget --
deficit seen

11 To Paris

POLL TAKEN NOV. 10 - 11: 59 - 31 - 10 (DERGE)

12 DeGaulle funeral, RN attending
China debate at UN, U.S. seems
to shift position
WH to ask for aid to Cambodia,
and Israel
No KIA in VN over 48 hrs. -- first
time in 5 years

12 DeGaulle funeral

Banks lower interest rates

Goodell says farewell

Adm. Zumwalt news conference

13 Laird warns NVM of renewed bombing
Reports of drug use in VN
RN meets with Echeverria
Economy indicators down: Admin. to
investigate rise in crude oil prices
New XMAS leave policy for GI's in VN

13 Pres.-elect Echeverria

14-15 Pakistan disaster

POLL TAKEN NOV. 13 - 15: 57 - 30 - 13 (GALLUP)

16 Lameduck Congress convenes
RN meets with new GOP Senators
Ky visits U.S.
Finch letter on elections

16 Meeting with Senators-cl

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17	Economy indicator down (industrial production) Hill report on GI drug abuse Soviet vehicle on the Moon My Lai trials underway Hoover-Clark debate RN, Mrs. RN to Philadelphia	17	Philadelphia Academy of The Fine Arts
18	Dimensions of Pakistan disaster grow Supplemental Foreign Aid request by RN		
19	House passes Trade Bill Senate passes Farm Bill Speculation over Administration changes		
20	China gains majority in UN Dem libs kill FAP RN visits Retail Clerks Report Myd. Gov. phone tapped	20	Visit to Retail Clerks Union
21-22	Bombings of NVN OEO firings in Legal Services Program		
23	POW raid disclosed Campaign spending veto sustained	23	National Association of Counties
24	Laird defends raid on the Hill, RN takes responsibility COL up sharply	24	Breakfast with Nguyen Cao Ky
25	RN presents medal to POW camp raiders Hickel fired	Same 25	Meeting with Sec. Hickel
26	WH dinner	26	Thanksgiving dinner for wounded veterans
27	Hoover reports on kidnapping conspiracy Moynihan decides not to go to UN Credibility questions over bombing and POW raid		
28-29	Pope in Far East		
30	Soviet defector returned by Coast Guard; RN orders investigation Volpe announces Railpax Senate debate over SST begins		

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December, 1970

- 1 Inflation alert
Charles of VN atrocities at
"War Crimes Trials"
Ruckelshaus defends Admin.
on Hill
- 2 War heating up, further rocket attacks
RN "outraged" over handling of Soviet
defector

POLL TAKEN DEC. 2: 55 - 31 - 14 (DERGE)

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none">3 Canadian hostage released
RN pledges no GI's leaving Europe
KIA figures off 50%
RN criticized at Youth Medal ceremony
SST defeated in Senate
Hill Dems call for wage-price controls4 Unemployment up
RN speech at NAM
Most active trading week in Wall St.
history
RN, Ruckelshaus at swearing-in
Farmer to leave Administration5-6 Sabotage suspected in explosion at
N.J. oil refinery
RN counterattacks on SST
Hickel hits Admin. campaigning | <ol style="list-style-type: none">3 Presentation of Medals
for Bravery and Service4 NAM speech |
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| 7 | Suggestions of long holiday truce
in VN
German-Polish treaty
Farmer resigns
Arthur Burns suggests new
anti-inflation measures | |
| 8 | Sec. Rogers says Paris talks are
worthless so far
RR strike seen; Volpe mentions
using troops
Criticism over lack of news
conferences | 8 King Hussein meeting
and dinner |
| 9 | House action to avert RR strike | |
| 10 | News Conference
RN signs order on RR strike
Rogers says US won't permit use
of GI's in Cambodia | 10 Televised Press Conference |
| 11 | SST given funding
Laird on the Hill - not leave VN
until POWs freed
Debate over RN statement on
recon flights
Cambodia appears in serious
condition
RN appoints Bush | 11 Moshe Dayan Meeting |
| 12- | RN letter to Scranton | |
| 13 | RN addresses Children's Conference,
pushes FAP.
GOP Gov.'s convene, criticism
of Admin. voiced. | 13 Address to W.H. Confer-
ence on Children |
| 14 | Connally appointment | |
| 15 | RN at Trillion Dollar economy
ceremony
RN signs law returning land to
Taos Indians | 15 GNP Trillion Dollar
Ceremony |

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| <p>16 Polish riots
Veep at Gov.'s Conf., criticism
voiced by Gov.'s.
RN lights Xmas tree
RN vetoes Manpower Bill
Cambodia aid passed</p> <p>17 Resor denies military spying
on civilians
RN meets with Heath
Congress tying itself in knots</p> <p>19 RN pressures Congress on FAP,
SST, SS -- suggests convening
again January 3</p> <p>20 Gomulka resigns</p> <p>21 18-yr.-old vote decision by
Supreme Court
Crime up 10%
Volpe orders charges dropped
against Coast Guard officers
in Lithuanian incident</p> <p>22 POW list given Kennedy
Congress still in knots
RN meets with Whitney Young</p> <p>23 Rogers takes tough line on POW list
RN to use 1899 law against polluters
Military spying moved to Laird's office</p> <p>24 COL rises at decreased rate
Nuclear underground test accident</p> <p>26- WH warns of new enemy offensive in VN</p> <p>27 RN vetoes Doctor Bill
Mounting protests over sentences given
to Soviet Jews</p> | <p>16 Tree Lighting Ceremony</p> <p>17 PM Heath Arrival, meeti:
and dinner
Visit to Agric.Center, M</p> <p>18 David Frost Evening at
the White House</p> <p>21 Meeting of Cabinet and
Sub-Cabinet
(Moynihan Valedictory)</p> <p>22 Meeting with Whitney You
et. al.</p> <p>23 WH Press Reception</p> <p>24 D.C. Home for Incurable</p> |
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- 28 All networks with POW film
Reagan vetoes legal services aid
Mendel Rivers dies
- 29 RN signs Job Safety Bill
DOD Bill passed, rider prohibits
use of GI's in Cambodia
- 30 RN gets checkup, meets with Hill
leaders
USSR, Spain to commute sentences
of dissidents
RN leads Gallup Poll of most
admired men
Kentucky mine disaster

- 29 Signing Ceremony at
Labor Department
- 30 Annual Physical
Examination

POLL TAKEN DEC. 28-30: 60 - 33 7 (DERGE)

- 31 Second decade of VN war
RN signs anti-pollution law,
Muskie absent
Wholesale prices up less for
the year

- 31 Signing Ceremony -
Clean Air Bill

January, 1971

- 1-2 Congress adjourns
- 4 RN "Conversation"
Food for Peace funds used for
military purchases
- 5 RN criticizes Congress
RN goes to San Clemente
RN meets with Governors on
revenue-sharing

- 4 Televised "Conversation
With the President"

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- 6 Laird says combat VN role to be
 ended by summer
 RN praises Congress for passing
 Cambodian aid
 Charges of FHA fraud

POLL TAKEN JAN. 5-6: 66 - 25 - 9 (DERGE)

- 7 Bombing of Soviet building in D.C.
 Unemployment at 6%
8 USSR-US tensions high
 Cambodia situation seen as
 worsening (again)
 McGovern almost announces candidacy
 ACLU suit on desegregation of suburbs
9- RN's birthday
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POLL TAKEN JAN. 8-10: 56 - 33 - 11 (GALLUP)

- 11 RN appeal to Jews to eschew violence
 Stennis hits Voluntary Army proposal
 RN moves to quicken business tax
 write-offs
12 RN hits steel price hike
13 Berrigans indicted
 Nerve gas shipped out of Okinawa
14 RN in Lincoln - youth speech 14 Lincoln, Neb. speech
 Richardson shows statistics on
 desegregation
 Romney freezes FHA housing subsidies
15 Battle for Hwy. 4 in Cambodia 15 Eisenhower Republican
 Dole named RNC Chairman Center Dedication
 RN speaks at RNC
 M.L. King's birthday

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16-17	U.S. Steel ups prices but seen as WH victory McGovern announces Super Bowl	
18	GNP declines Bethlehem rolls back prices RN meets with construction leaders US involvement in Cambodia allegedly deepens Wallace takes oath	
19	WH sets up Council on Foreign Econ. Policy US cuts off aid to Ecuador	
20	RN meeting with Staff on SOTU	20 Staff Meeting - W.H. Library

POLL TAKEN JAN. 16-20: 48 - 50 - 2 (HARRIS)

21	Russell dies Pich Nil Pass secured; Phnom Penh airport attacked EMK defeated by Byrd	
22	SOTU US reportedly closer to commitment to Lon Nol Sheep dead in Utah RN State of Union Address	22 State of the Union Address
23	RN meeting with Hill leadership and Reagan Muskie, uncertainly, blasts Admin. actions in Cambodia RN to Russell funeral	23 Sen. Russell Wreath- Laying
24	Phnom Penh surrounded SOTU follow-up	24 WH Worship Service - Ethel Waters
25	Attacks continue on Phnom Penh; Hill criticism of US role GOP leadership at WH Manson, et. al. found guilty	25 Cong. Byrnes & Cong. Mills Meeting

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26	Americans in Phnom Penh shown on network film; increased concern over US involvement Mansfield reply to SOTU Mills blasts Revenue Sharing Visit of Juan Carlos of Spain	26	Juan Carlos Official Visit
27	Laird on Hill--no US troops to Cambodia Stennis says Hill restrictions may have to be eased		
28	Rogers on Hill--no US troops to Cambodia Volunteer Army Message Connally on Hill	28	Economic Report Signing College Newspaper Editors

POLL TAKEN JAN. 28: 60 - 31-9 (DERGE)

POLL TAKEN JAN. 28: 59 - 28 - 13 (ORC)

29	Rogers press conference - speculation over invasion of Laos Cost of living up	29	Budget Report Signing Swearing-In for Sec. Morton
30	Speculation re Laos Budget		
31	Apollo 14		

February, 1971

1	Confusion over possible invasion of Laos, embargo RN Economic Report issued to skepticism	2	National Prayer Breakfast
2	Continued uproar over Laos, embargo Laird request funds for Volunteer Army		
3	More confusion over Laos Mrs. JFK/Onassis visits WH RN plan to deal with transport strikes revealed	3	NSC Meeting

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| 4 | <p>Again confusion over Laos,
though embargo lifted; sug-
gestion WH is backing down
Apollo near Moon
RN's speech to doctors
Egypt agrees to 30-day ceasefire
extension
Revenue Sharing sent to Hill
Kennedy pictures unveiled at WH</p> | 4 | <p>American College of
Cardiology Speech</p> |
| 5 | <p>Apollo lands on Moon
ARVN holding at Lao border
Mideast maneuvering US for
4-power guarantee
6% unemployment, seen as
encouraging by Administration</p> | | |
| 6-7 | <p>Apollo Moonwalks
ARVN continue to hold at border</p> | | |
| 8 | <p>ARVN crosses into Laos
Apollo Moonwalks, return
RN environment message</p> | 8 | <p>Environmental Message
Statement</p> |
| 9 | <p>LA earthquake, RN declares
disaster area
Apollo splashdown
Weather hangups in Laos
Record trading on Wall Street</p> | | |
| 10 | <p>ARVN enters Tchepone
Ky says ARVN may go into NVN
Minor public reaction to Laos thrust
Earthquake damage reports
RN meets with pollution council,
views jet exhaust</p> | 10 | <p>Nat'l. Indus. Pollution
Control Council</p> |
| 11 | <p>Reports of US advisers in Laos
RN swears in Connally, Kennedy
Market continues up
More earthquake reports</p> | 11 | <p>John Connally Swearing-in
Seabeds Arms Control
Treaty Signing</p> |

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12	Heavy helicopter losses in Laos Reports of China concern over incursion Milhouses in California on welfare Interest rates cut	
13-14	Reports of US troops in Laos, heavy chopper losses China declares concern over operation Little domestic protest Volunteer army debate in media VP golfing exploits Arms Treaty signing	
15	ARVN says cut Ho trails Stans charged by Hartke with impropriety Meany blasts Admin. economic policies	
16	Admin. spreads word Laos is a success Laird cautions "tough times" ahead Restrictions on construction wages, prices prepared by RN Hearings on Alaska pipeline Interest rate cut, production climbs	16 American Legion Banquet
17	RN news conference Increasing enemy resistance, chopper losses climb in Laos PX scandal hearings begin Admin. request debt limit rise, RN warns of construction controls	17 Oval Office Press Conference
18	NVN charges impending SVN invasion McGovern charges RN "flirting with WWIII" RN sends up Health Message	18 Colombo Visit; State- ment on Health Message Woodrow Wilson Center Dedication
19	Intense Laos fighting Chopper casualties emphasized RN meets sports figures, physical fitness group COL up a bit, but seen as good news	

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20-21 ARVN stalled
 Civil Defense alert snafu
 Israel welcomes Egyptian
 peace offer

POLL TAKEN FEB. 19-21: 51 - 36 - 11 (GALLUP)

22 ARVN battalion wiped out
 Mississippi hit by tornadoes
 PX scandal hearings continue

23 ARVN in trouble says media,
 but Admin. claims success
 RN suspends Davis-Bacon
 RN meets with Gov's on revenue
 sharing

23 Governors' Dinner
 (White House)

24 Gov't. snooping hearings open
 Media, Admin. claims differ on
 situation in Laos
 RN consumer message
 Court limits Miranda

25 RN delivers State of World
 Thieu says SVN may invade NVN
 Wholesale prices up sharply

25 Foreign Policy Review
 Speech

26 US will rescue our men with ground
 troops in Laos
 ARVN still stalled
 SOTU reaction
 Connally not overly optimistic
 about economy

26 Bush Swearing-In
 Adams Portrait Pre-
 sentation

27-28 ARVN reinforced, though still stalled
 Dems attack Laos operation

POLL TAKEN: FEB. 22-27: 43 - 54 - 3 (HARRIS)

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- 1 Capitol bombed
RN in Des Moines to chilly
reception
- 2 Lull in Laos
Rogers-Symington dispute re
Kissinger position
RN sends up crime revenue
sharing bill
- 3 Thieu again threatens NVN, heavy
chopper losses in Laos
DOD admits blooper on when
NVN pipe captured
Reagan presses welfare plan

- 1 Des Moines, Iowa Trip
Apollo 14 Dinner
- 2 Airing of 60 Minutes
"State Visit" Segment

POLL TAKEN MAR. 1-3: 48 - 35 - 17 (ORC)

- 4 ARVN back on the move
RN submits Manpower Bill
RN Press Conference
- 5 Battle nearing Tchepone
Unemployment down .2%, but
wholesale prices up sharply
RN cities revenue sharing bill sent up
- 6-7 Mideast ceasefire ends
Sen. Jackson claims USSR deploying
advanced ICBM's

- 4 Televised Press
Conference

POLL TAKEN MAR. 6-7: 51 - 36 - 13 (ORC)

- 8 ARVN captures Tchepone
Rogers hardline VN speech at
VFW conference
Chow En Lai visits Hanoi
Clay-Ali fight

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| <p>9 Saigon lists successes
Laird announces policy of
"realistic deterrence"
Kidnapped airmen released
in Turkey</p> <p>10 China threatens troops to
aid NVN
RN/Sulzburger interview
well played
PX scandal hearings continue</p> <p>11 NVA preparing Laos counterattack
Calley trial about over
RN rejects Japanese offer of
voluntary controls
RN Williamsburg speech
Whitney Young dies</p> <p>12 ARVN preparing to leave Tchepone
RN Newport speech
Some ladies of the Press angered
about exclusion from RN interview</p> <p>13-14 ARVN claims success, withdraws
from Tchepone</p> | <p>10 Signing Ceremony for
Special Revenue
Sharing Message</p> <p>11 Address to Nat'l.
Conference on the
Judiciary</p> <p>12 OCS Graduation</p> |
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POLL TAKEN MAR. 12-14: 50 - 37 - 13 (GALLUP)

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| <p>15 "Today" show interview with RN
US lifts travel restrictions to China
ARVN departs Tchepone area in haste
Industrial production down</p> <p>16 Rogers, Meir offer peace proposals
for Mideast
Calley trial goes to the jury
Lynch arrival; Tricia-Ed engagement;
party at W.H.
Tom Dewey dies
Young funeral
Wall Street hits 900</p> | <p>15 Airing of "Today" Show
Interview</p> <p>16 Tricia's Engagement
P.M. Lynch and Irish
Activities</p> |
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17	ARVN apparently in retreat RN eulogizes Young PX scandal hearings end	17	Whitney Young Burial
18	ARVN retreat continues White House, DOD out of step on withdrawal rate. SST defeat in House Revenue Sharing, transportation bill sent up Volpe states position on "no fault"		
19	ARVN retreat Eban-Rogers meeting Cost of living up .2% VP, Dole attack media RN at Dewey funeral	19	Dewey Funeral
20-21	ARVN retreat My Lai trial to jury RN support of POW Week		
POLL TAKEN MAR. 20-21: 41 - 54 - 5 (HARRIS)			
22	ARVN retreat appears as route; Laird denies VP, Muskie address mayors on Revenue Sharing RN interview w/H.K. Smith	22	Howard K. Smith TV Interview
24	Senate defeats SST ARVN out of Laos Senate Dems. endorse pullout in '71 WH requests "action" corps	23	U.S. Mayors
25	Report ARVN suffered 50% casualties Rogers reassures Senate on Mideast RN calls for reorganization of Gov't. RN meets with Black Caucus RN calls Boeing		

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| 26 | WH weighs controls on construction industry | |
| | Black Caucus on RN meeting | |
| 27-28 | E. Pakistan revolts | 27 Sam Goldwyn Medal of Freedom |
| | NVN supply traffic increasing | |
| | Rogers Foreign Policy Report | |
| | WH sets up "wage stabilization" Board | |
| | RN bestows medal of Freedom on Goldwyn | |
| 29 | Calley convicted | |
| | Heaviest US loss in 4 years at Da Nang | |
| 30 | Calley protest mounts | |
| 31 | Calley sentenced to life | 31 Camp Pendleton Land Excessing |
| | House Dems. vote for end of war by Jan., 1973 | |
| | NVN massacre SVN village | |
| | RN returns San Clemente Beach | |

April, 1971

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| 1 | RN frees Calley to quarters | 1 Meeting on Aerospace Unemployment |
| | ABC attacks gov't. handling of Laos | |
| | GOP Senators attack Dems. on the war | |
| | Wholesale prices up at reduced rate | |
| | RN orders program to assist unemployment in aerospace | |
| | House barely approves 2-year draft extension | |

POLL TAKEN APRIL 1: 41 - 36 - 23 (ORC)

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| 2 | Calley reaction continues | 2 Welfare Reform Meeting |
| | RN meets with Reagan on welfare | |
| | Unemployment up | |

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3-4 RN says he'll make final Calley
decision
WH says no further US involvement in
Laos sized operations

5 Calley reaction begins to shift
RN meets with movie makers
Opening baseball game dedicated
to POW's
Boggs says Hoover should resign
6 Speculation over RN VN speech
Prosecutor Daniel criticizes RN actions
"War Crimes" hearings open
RN education revenue sharing bill
sent to Hill

5 Meeting with Movie
Industry Representatives

POLL TAKEN APRIL 5-6: 54 - 31 - 15 (ORC)

7 RN speech on VN
VP attacks negativism, esp. in Press
Kleindienst attacks Boggs
China invites US ping-pong team
Radicals win in Berkeley
8 Dispute (Scott vs. W.H.) over
RN deadline
Ten-month high KIA

7 S.E. Asia TV Address

8 Briefing for Adminis-
tration wives

POLL TAKEN APRIL 8: 52 - 32 - 16 (ORC)

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11 Warm China welcome for
ping-pong team
RN calls for expansion in summer
youth employment
RN attends Good Friday Service

9 Good Friday Church
attendance

12 Tricia at Easter egg roll

12 Meeting on Returning
Veterans

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13 Laird says US to be out of combat
 by summer
 3rd Inflation Alert

POLL TAKEN APRIL 12-13: 55 - 34 - 11 (ORC)

14 "Thaw begins" in US-China relations;
 RN relaxes trade
 Muskie charges Earth Day spying by FBI
15 GNP takes sharp rise
 42 KIA

14 William Casey
 Swearing-In

POLL TAKEN APRIL 12-15: 46 - 53 - 1 (HARRIS)

16 China welcome to US players
 WH attacks Muskie
 Anti-war vets begin protest
 RN meets with Wall St. leaders
17-18 RN comments on VN at ASNE
 Dump RN rally
19 RN address GOP Gov's., DAR
 Vets protest
 VP appears to disagree with WH
 on China
 WH youth conference critical of Admin.
 McCloskey charges Laos bombing
 Dole charges "Muskieism"
20 Court OK's busing
 China ping-pong team to visit US
21 Laird says USSR closing the missile gap
 RN meets with Steenhoven
 Vet protests
 Ribicoff bill defeated
 COL up, but smallest rise since '67

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18 Worship Service -
 Joe Frazier

19 Republican Governors -
 Williamsburg
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22 VET protest
56 KIA
Youth Conf. offers "radical"
recommendations
Earth Day

POLL TAKEN APRIL 22: 51 - 33 - 16 (ORC)

23 A Shau operation becomes mystery
Rogers to visit Mideast
Soviets launch 3-man spacecraft

24-25 Massive anti-war protest
Hoover-AG-Dem. controversy
continues

26 RN speech on economy
VP defends Hoover; Muskie replies
Lodge Commission recommends
China in UN

26 Chamber of Commerce
UN Commission Report

Fighting step-up in VN
Protests in Capitol; block N.J. turnpike
27 Rogers at SEATO meeting on China
US dead in VN over 45,000
Protests

Draft calls to be lower
28 Witness in Capitol bombing arrested
Protests; Hill displeased
Economic figures up
RN requests adding 1.8 million acres
to wildlife preserve

29 RN News Conference
Protest, disorders at HEW
NVN proposals in Paris
Rogers Mideast tour

29 Televised Press
Conference

30 RN at Camp Pendleton
Concern over new protests
New Berrigan indictments
EPS issues tough air standards
AG attacks media

30 Camp Pendleton

POLL TAKEN APRIL 28-30: 51 - 36 - 13 (ORC)

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May, 1971

1-2 Concern over Protest
RN News Conference
RN Farm Speech
Amtrak launched

1 San Clemente Press
Conference

POLL TAKEN MAY 1-2: 53 - 34 - 13 (ORC)

3 7,000 protestors arrested
Court ok's busing for desegregation
4 2600 protestors arrested
5 Dollar crisis
More D.C. protests; reaction
6 Connally asks Hill for Lockheed loan
7 W. Germany decides to let the Mark float
Rogers indicates progress on Middle East

6 Salute to Agriculture -
South Lawn
7 Remarks at Dept. of
Agriculture

POLL TAKEN MAY 6-7: 50 - 31 - 19 (ORC)

8-9 VN ceasefire
10 RN-Rogers meet on Mid-East report
RN tours "Gateway East"
AG suggests cities follow lead of DC
police in handling protests
Civil Rights Comm. Report

8 Meeting with D.C.
Police & Natl.
Guard
10 Gateway National
Park

POLL TAKEN MAY 7-10: 50 - 37 - 13 (GALLUP)

11 RN orders crash cancer program
Stennis introduces bill to limit Executive
war powers
12 House votes to revive SST
Economic indicators mixed to negative
3rd Anniversary of Paris Peace Talks

11 Cancer Announcement
12 Jerris Leonard
Swearing-In

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May, 1971 (Cont'd.)

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| 13 | RN rallies support for NATO
Panthers in NYC acquitted
GNP, inflation estimates both rise
AG charges protestors had Communist
funding | |
| 14 | Debate over NATO; Brezhnev proposal
Industrial production up some
Admin. supports busing for desegregation
in test case | |
| 15-16 | RR strike
Admin. lobbies heavily against NATO
troop cuts
AG calls for preventive detention for
serious Federal crimes | |
| 17 | RN scolds Hill for lack of strike legislation
Sadat firmly in control
Connally on Hill re payments deficit, NATO | |
| 18 | RR strike ended
Drug hearings on Hill | 18 State Legislative
Leaders Briefing |
| 19 | Mansfield bill decisively defeated
by Admin.
Generals censured, demoted re My Lai
Soviet trawlers damaging US lobster gear
RN answers Black Caucus
SST defeated | 19 Greetings to Red
Cross Convention |
| 20 | RN announces SALT agreement
KIA lowest in 3 months | 20 Drop-by at Sec.
Connally's Office
Drop-by - Ellender-
Boggs-Hebert Dinner |
| 21 | RN meets with SALT team; enthusiastic
Britain moves toward EEC
Resor resigns
Inflation moves upward | 21 Medal of Science
Awards |

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May, 1971 (Cont'd.)

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22 LBJ Library

- 23 RN dedicates LBJ Library
30 GI's killed in one shelling
Reports of high levels of drug addiction
in VN
2 police killed in NYC

POLL TAKEN MAY 12-23: 48 - 36 - 16 (ORC)

- 24 Black Caucus says "disappointed" at
RN reply
Finch reveals 20,000 GIs annually
discharged for drug addiction
Rioting in Chattanooga

- 25 RN in Mobile-Birmingham
Hill victories for Admin. on draft
Riot at Travis AFB
NYC police hold funeral for dead

- 26 Black girl killed in Mississippi
Yuba City killings
Milton Eisenhower warns of race war
RN meets with Hoover, AG

26 Meeting with Hoover
and AG

- 27 RN orders FBI to investigate Miss. killing
Faisal visits WH
38 KIA, highest in 3 weeks

27 King Faisal

- 28 Optimism as SALT round concludes
DOD announces new drug program

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- 31 RN address at West Point
Memorial Day, Rogers at Arlington
for RN, anti-war demonstrations
Heavy NVN shellings

29 West Point

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June, 1971

- 1 RN Press Conference
Dispute over ARVN retreat from Snoul
Pro-Admin. vets speak out
WH "disappointed" at aluminum settlement
- 2 First US General in 70 years charged with
war crimes
Heavy fighting in VN
Revenue Sharing hearings begin
RN meets with Explorer Scouts
- 3 RN meeting with police chiefs
Hoffa not to run for Teamsters president
Revenue Sharing hearings
RN orders DOD to get moving on the
drug problem
SVN attempt to return NVN POW's fails
- 4 "Bad news" economically
RN Energy Message
- 5-6 RN at Tulsa
AG interviewed
Enemy shellings of Da Nang
Nader antitrust report
Soviet space launch
Audie Murphy dead

- 1 Press Conference

- 2 Hopkins Medal of
Freedom

- 3 Meeting with
Police Chiefs

- 5 Tulsa, Oklahoma

POLL TAKEN JUNE 5-6: 54 - 33 - 13 (ORC)

- 7 2 air crashes
Connally vs. Proxmire on Lockheed
NYC municipal strike
Secret Senate session on Laos

POLL TAKEN JUNE 4-7: 48 - 37 - 15 (GALLUP)

- 8 Clifford Proposal
- 9 WH reacts to Clifford
DOD admits efforts far from adequate
on drugs
Laird, VP speak at military academies

- 9 Fordham University
Group (Lombardi)

<u>Principal News Events</u>	<u>Principal Public Presidential Activities</u>
<u>June, 1971 (Cont'd.)</u>	
10 China trade Lowest KIA in 5 years Lindsay vs. Rocky 11 Housing Message Mills with Rev. Sharing Plan 12 Wedding 13 Hijack--dead passenger MacNamara Papers Jobs for Vets 14 McNamara Papers RN meeting with Amb. on drugs Justice files desig. suit against Black Jack, Mo. 15 McNamara Papers Sec. Rogers news conference on VN Drugs; VN and Admin. moves	11 Wedding Rehearsal 12 Wedding 14 Meeting with Ambassadors 15 Chancellor Willy Brandt
POLL TAKEN JUNE 9-15: 50 - 48 - 2 (HARRIS)	
16 McNamara Papers Defeat of McGovern-Hatfield Housing starts, personal income stix up 17 RN appoints Jaffe; launches war on drugs McNamara Papers House defeats end-the-war resolution 18 RN in Rochester McNamara Papers Hackworth attacks Army Market drops sharply 19-20 McNamara Papers RN at Church Service 21 McNamara Papers VN - drugs High COL increase RN at Teamsters meeting	17 Drug announcement 18 Rochester Trip 21 Teamsters Meeting Drop-By
POLL TAKEN JUNE 21: 54 - 32 - 14 (ORC)	

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June, 1971 (Cont'd.)

- 22 Mansfield Amendment passes
 McNamara Papers
 RN at AMA Convention
- 23 McNamara Papers
- 24 McNamara Papers
 RN in Indiana
 CBS vs. Congress battle
- 25 McNamara Papers
 RN in Chicago
- 26-27 McNamara Papers
 VP leaves on tour
- 28 McNamara Papers
 House defeats McGovern-Hatfield
 Colombo shooting

- 22 Atlantic City -
 AMA Convention
- 24 Indiana - Jennings
 County and
 Hovde Dinner
- 25 Chicago - Address
 to AARP

POLL TAKEN JUNE 25-28: 48 - 39 - 13 (GALLUP)

- 29 McNamara Papers
 Connally on the economy:
 No new action
- 30 Papers "win" over US re:
 McNamara Papers
 Soviet cosmonauts die
 RN at FBI graduation
 RN announces Turkey to stop opium
 production
 Draft halts

- 30 FBI Graduation

July, 1971

- 1 VC peace offer
 McNamara Papers - Rogers appeals
 for voluntary restraint
 Kissinger en route to Saigon
 26th Amendment ratified
 Commerce Comm. cites CBS for contempt

- 1 ACTION Formation
 Ceremony

<u>Principal News Events</u>	<u>Principal Public Presidential Activities</u>
<u>July, 1971 (Cont'd.)</u>	
2 Laird withdraws secret papers from Rand Peace offer explored Unemployment down to 5.6%	
3-4 Peace proposal Hijack Kissinger meeting with Thieu	3 Archives Program
5 RN certifies 26th Amendment Kissinger, VP stress US VN position Burger speaks to ABA	5 26th Amendment Signing
6 RN with steel reps RN at Kansas City VC indicate flexibility Hodgson at Teamsters Convention Satchmo dies NAACP offers "limited praise" of Admin.	6 Kansas City; San Clemente
7 New VC "concessions" at Peace Talks SALT reopens Admin. officials on Hill re: drugs	
8 US desires private talks in Paris	
9 Rep. Steele charges VN generals are drug traffickers McNamara Papers on sale Wholesale prices McCloskey declares Armstrong funeral	
10-11 Moroccan coup Rumors Kissinger to meet with Le Duc Tho VP finds world leaders "appalled" at publication of McNamara Papers RN signs Education Bill McCall-Reagan feud	
12 RN signs Job Bill Meany finds economy "lousy" Kissinger with Bruce	
13 Kissinger at WWH; Bruce to resign? CBS upheld by House Strikes	13 Kissinger Return

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<u>July, 1971 (Cont'd.)</u>	
14 Foreign policy discussions at WWH Ky blasts Thieu GOP Governors, Reagan-McCall feud eases Senate upholds RN veto EMK grills AMA	
15 China announcement Bruce to resign? Connally says economy doing well Hughes withdraws	15 China announcement
16 China trip reaction Strikes GNP and inflation up	
17-18 China trip reaction RN with Jaffe VP compares African leaders to US black leaders	17 Jaffe, Krogh Meeting 18 Return to Washington
POLL TAKEN JULY 16-18: 49 - 38 - 13 (GALLUP)	
19 China trip reaction RN meets with Cong. leaders, Cabinet SVN makes peace offer SACB vote Bell strike over	19 Bi-Partisan Leadership
20 China trip reaction <u>National Review</u> prints DOD "papers" Mills vs. WH on shoe imports Packard to resign? Wallace suit on foundations	20 Baseball Game
21 China trip reaction <u>National Review</u> papers - a hoax RN at ball park Texas horse disease epidemic	
POLL TAKEN JULY 20-21: 54 - 32 - 14 (ORC)	

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Principal News EventsJuly, 1971 (Cont'd.)

- 21 China Trip reaction
National Review hoax
Horse fever in southwest
- 22 Low KIA figures
Sudan coup
Food stamp cutbacks
- 23 Sharp COL increase
RN meeting on economy
Burns blasts Admin. on economy
- 24-25 Apollo preparations
Rail strike impact grows
RN holds budget meetings
- 26 Apollo launch
Pakistan civil war
Medina trial
- 27 Apollo
VN election hassle
Hodgson moves on rail strike
Several bad economy statistics
- 28 High budget deficit
RN to Appropriations Committee
ceremony
Unprecedented trade deficit, econ.
indicators drop 5%
DJ down
- 29 Apollo
Low KIA
Rail strike spreads
VP returns
- 30 Apollo lands
WH prods RR settlement
RN trip to Ohio
- 31 Apollo
Steel strike settled

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- 23 Budget Sessions
- 24 Budget Sessions
- 28 Capitol - Appropriations
Committee luncheon and
portrait unveilings -
Meeting with VP upon return
from international trip
- 30 Canton, Ohio - Football
Hall of Fame
- 31 Ottumwa, Iowa (Rathbun
Dam Dedication)

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August, 1971

1	Apollo	
2	Apollo liftoff	
	US for PRC at U.N.	
	Lockheed wins	
3	Bad econ. news, DJ down 15	
	VN election confusion	
	RN on busing	
4	RN Press Conference	4 In-Office Press Conference
	Senate GOP break with Admin. on	NYC - Attend "No, No,
	econ. policy	Nanette"
	Ky apparently out of race	
5	POW release mystery	5 Cabinet Comm. on
	Apollo	Spanish-Speaking Peoples
	Mixed econ. news	
	Low KIA since '65	
	Draft lottery	
6	RN in New Hampshire	6 Trip - New Hampshire
	Unemployment up	and Maine
	Apollo	
7-8	Apollo	
	RN in Maine	
	Hill recesses	
9	Pakistan - Rogers to UN on problems	9 Greeting of "Cyclemates"
	RN signs job bill	Ambassador Bunker
	Bunker to WH	
10	N. Ireland rioting	10 Matak - PM of Cambodia
	Pakistan refugees	
	Jackson takes on liberals	
11	Lindsay switches	
	RN orders HEW to use minimal busing	
12	Wallace challenges WH	
	Civil Rights Comm. criticizes RN	
	Coup rumors in SVN	
13	Wallace challenges RN on busing	
	AG rules out Kent State jury	
	Anniversary of Berlin Wall	

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August, 1971 (Cont'd.)

14-15	Dems. criticize Admin. on economy RN meets with econ. advisors; new econ. policies VN	14	Camp David economic meeting
16	Econ. reaction, market soars Connally Press Conference Unions critical	15	Televised Economic Speech
17	RN meets with Hill leadership Econ. reaction	17	Bi-Partisan Leadership Meeting Greet Oakland Athletics Knights of Columbus Speech
18	Econ. reaction and labor opposition RN in NYC, Springfield	18	Springfield, Ill.; Idaho Falls, Idaho; Grand Tetons, Wyo.
19	Gov. Smith defies WH RN in Texas Mrs. Nixon winds up tour	19	VFW Convention, Dallas San Clemente, California
20	VP speaks on econ. Minh withdraws Labor opposition	20	Loma Linda, California Finch Wedding
21-22	Dems. critical on economy Ky goes to Supreme Court RN to see Hirohito San Quentin riot		
 POLL TAKEN AUG. 21-22: 56 - 31 - 13 (ORC)			
23	Tension mounts in VN Berlin agreement reached Dollar holds up		
24	RN meets with Porter VN rumors, tension Stans sees some controls after freeze Indictment of Hanrahan	24	Amb. William Porter
25	Econ. reaction, good news Meany, Woodcock meeting UP defends Admin. Opposition to busing stays high		

<u>Principal News Events</u>	<u>Principal Public Presidential Activities</u>
<u>August, 1971 (Cont'd.)</u>	
26 WH moves to get labor's cooperation Trade stays in red Dollar drops further Soledad trial in disorder	
27 Yen revalued Romney on wage-price board Medina trial Changes of rigging in VN	27 Amb. Kenneth Rush
28-29 Heavy VN voter turnout	28 California - Boat Trip
30 US pleased with VN turnout McCracken sees some controls after freeze	
31 Busing, bombings in Michigan Richardson pledges agreement with RN Econ. statistics up	31 Sec. Elliott Richardson
<u>September, 1971</u>	
1 VN violence; Thieu stays in RN freezes Federal pay	
2 Busing controversy VN election situation Berlin hangup N. Ireland violence	
3 Ky threatens to "destroy" Thieu Rogers on PRC in UN, VN Berlin agreement signed Unemployment up RN in Dayton, Chicago	3 Dayton, Ohio - Air Force Museum; Chicago, Ill. - Milk Producers
4-5 VN, continued tension Meany sets conditions for cooperation RN thanks Nation for cooperation	4 Cost of Living Council
6 Labor Day RN address Muskie calls for consumer tax credit ARVN dirve below DMZ	6 Labor Day Address - live radio

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September, 1971 (Cont'd.)

- 7 Busing protests in north
 CLC meets with alleged dividend
 raisers
- 8 Connally on Hill
 Peaceful busing in South, protests
 in North
 Sec. Rogers tries to placate Senate
 over foreign aid
 Bernstein "Mass"

POLL TAKEN SEPT. 7-8: 56 - 34 - 10 (ORC)

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">9 RN Hill speech
 Shultz predicts jobless below 5%
 Rogers-Japanese meet on trade
 RN to JFK Center | <ul style="list-style-type: none">9 Address Joint Session of
 Congress - Live TV
 JFK Center Opening |
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September, 1971 (Cont'd.)

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| 10 | Attica rebellion in progress
RN meets with labor chiefs
Thieu will step down if he gets
less than 50%
Klan members charged in
bombing of buses | 10 | Labor Union Representa-
tives Meeting
Foreign Minister Fukuda
Dinner |
| 11- | | | |
| 12 | Khrushchev dies
RN - CLC meeting
Attica positions harden | | |
| 13 | Order restored at Attica; 43 die
RN meets with businessmen on Phase II | 13 | Business Representatives
Meeting |
| 14 | Disputes over handling of Attica begin
Pontiac anti-busing group shuts down
GM plant | 14 | Agriculture Leaders
Meeting |
| 15 | Attica confusion mounts
Connally rejects dollar devaluation
Admin. policy on phosphates changes | | |
| 16 | Attica
RN news conference | 16 | Meeting with State and
Local Gov. Officials
News Conference |
| 17 | Black retires
Attica confusion
RN bowls w/Press
Anti-Thieu protests | 17 | Amb. Bogdon |
| 18- | | | |
| 19 | Mideast ceasefire broken
Attica
Anti-Thieu protests
Laird warns of increasing Soviet strength
Court speculation | | |

<u>Principal News Events</u>	<u>Principal Public Presidential Activities</u>
<u>September, 1971 (Cont'd.)</u>	
20 Thieu tells how to vote against him Women press for female Justice RN, Connally meet with Mrs. Banuelos	20 Banuelos Announcement
21 Draft passes, RN victory RN meets with consumer groups Rumors of Mao's death	21 Consumer Representatives Meeting King Olav Automobile Racing Reception
22 Medina not guilty China speculation SVN Senate calls on Thieu to postpone election CPI up despite freeze Attica countercharges by convicts	
23 Harlan resigns Welfare costs at new high	23 Detroit Economic Club
24 British expell 105 Soviets China speculation SALT agreement may be near RN remarks in Detroit VP blasts Dems on defense	
25- 26 RN enters dock strike; Portland briefing; meets with Hickel, Hirohito Connally says US has no plans to raise the price of gold as IMF calls for some devaluation	25 Montana; Portland 26 Washington; Alaska. Mamie Eisenhower Birth- day Dinner
POLL TAKEN SEPT. 20-25: 51 - 48 - 1 (HARRIS)	
27 RN, Hirohito Anti-Thieu demonstrations VP on Attica	

<u>Principal News Events</u>	<u>Principal Public Presidential Activities</u>
<u>September, 1971 (Cont'd.)</u>	
28 Cardinal Mindszenty leaves Hungary RN attends Black rites and POW families convention EMK attacks WH POW handling Ervin hearings attack Admin. "intimidation" of media RN signs draft bill, holds off military pay hike	
29 RN, Gromyko meeting; also, RN and Schweitzer Stanton attacks Admin. Press intimidation Crime stix overall decrease though violent crime up Big battle brewing near Saigon	29 For. Min. Gromyko Brosio Medal of Freedom
30 Connally considered more conciliatory at IMF KIA figures highest in 11 weeks Poff nomination under fire Cronkite calls for deregulation of TV	30 PM Souvanna Phouma Doug Cornell Reception
<u>October, 1971</u>	
1 RN fails to invoke Taft-Hartley "automatically" as East Coast goes on strike Connally on Hill debates Dems. Anti-Thieu protests Poff supporters heard from	
2-3 Thieu gets 91% of vote Poff withdraws RN warns Hill on overriding gov't. pay freeze	
4 RN begins Taft-Hartley procedure Negative media reaction to SVN election Sec. Rogers at UN RN calls anti-drug rally	4 Phone Call - Louisiana Drug Conference

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October, 1971 (Cont'd.)

- 5 Kissinger to return to Peking
Meany continues assault on WH
economic policies
ARVN rout NVA
Orioles win Pennant
- 6 RN invokes Taft-Hartley
Illegal aliens at Banuelos plant
Pirates win Pennant
- 7 RN speaks on Phase II
Connally on Hill defends economic
program
Wholesale prices down
- 8 Phase II reaction
Connally Press Conference
POW freed
RN in Elkins
- 9-
- 10 Phase II reaction
Byrd speculated for Court seat
Rogers warns against UN ouster
of Taiwan
Longshoremen back at work

- 5 PM Razak
Rollins Reception
- 7 Phase II Address
- 8 Reid Swearing-In
Elkins, W. Va.

POLL TAKEN OCT. 9-10: 52 - 38 - 10 (ORC)

- 11 Labor-Admin. compromise in
the wind
DOD foulup over POW letter
VP off to Iran

- 11 For. Min. Moro
Sons of Italy

POLL TAKEN OCT. 8-11: 54 - 35 - 11 (GALLUP)

- 12 RN to Moscow
Unions will cooperate in Phase II
Acheson dies
Dem. battle over Credentials Comm.

- 12 Announcement of Russia
Trip

<u>Principal News Events</u>	<u>Principal Public Presidential Activities</u>
<u>October, 1971 (Cont'd.)</u>	
13 Laird concerned over Soviet Military buildup 6 tested for Court seats GIs protest patrol in VN Dem "regulars" win	
14 Court speculation Rogers-Eban meeting Consumer bill, WH victory, passes	
15 Textile Agreement RN joins Billy Graham tribute Formal setup of Phase II	15 Charlotte, N.C.
16-	
17 Rap Brown wounded in shootout Kissinger off to Peking Liberal attacks on Court choices step up Will Wilson resigns Pirates win Series	
18 Kosygin jumped in Canada China debate opens at UN RN to Ft. Detrick VP in Greece NYC Police corruption	18 Fort Detrick.
19 RN requests additional Phase II machinery VP hailed as "Greatest Greek" Kosygin's visit widely protested	19 Ceylon Prime Minister
20 Brandt gets Peace Prize Kosygin denies anti-Semitism; welcomes RN trip Prime rate drops, WH "delighted" ABA appears to oppose Court nominees Rioting in Memphis . Rep. Mills sharply attacks RN, VP	
21 RN names Court choices AF man named in espionage Shots on Soviets' UN Mission	

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22 Reaction to Court nominees
COL rise .2%; no growth in GNP
Boldt and Grayson announced

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24 India-Pakistan
RN Vets Day Address
V.P.'s visit to Greece
New York Police Corruption

25 Brezhnev in Paris
HAK returns from PRC
Vote on Taiwan
V.P. on Vets Day

26 PRC admission to UN
Pontiac busing
Kosygin in Cuba/Canada
Cubans in New Orleans for
sugar meeting

27 RN criticizes UN behavior
RN - PRC date
Cannikin ordered
Connally on controls

28 Britain enters EEC
Tito visits RN
Senate fails to limit VN
involvement
SVN to release POWs

29 Foreign aid defeated
Traveling Kremlin - Brezhnev
SVN inauguration

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31 WH on Aid
Confidence-Crisis over Phase II

22 Mrs. Imelda Marcos
PM Kishi of Japan

23 Governors Meeting
24 Veterans Day Radio Address

28 Tito Visit

29 Secretary Hardin

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1 Foreign Aid Bill

POLL TAKEN OCT. 29 - NOV. 1: 49 - 37 - 14 (GALLUP)

2 Rogers on aid
Pay Board decisions
Peking makes delegation selection
Local elections

3 Local elections
Foreign aid
Lowest death toll since March '65
Train memo on Cannikin

4 Revival of Foreign Aid
Indira visits
House Banking Committee on
retroactive pay
Rehnquist on Hill

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7 Amchitka success - protests
Laird returns from SVN - troop
strength at lowest level in 6 years
Indo-Pak border clashes and Indira
Soviet grain deal
Jobless rate drops - black unemploy-
ment up

8 RN orders intelligence reorganization
Pay Board rules against retroactivity
Prayer amendment defeated
Laird to recommend VN withdrawal
speedup
US planes penetrate NVN
Colonel Herbert resigns
Sexton criticizes Army
Powell gets favorable reception

2 P.M. McMahon Visit

4 P.M. Indira Gandhi
P.M. Busia of Ghana

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- 9 Labor angry over Pay Board decisions
PRC internal problems
Rehnquist - Powell on Hill
RN at GOP fund raisers
Rogers - Laird on Hill for foreign aid
- 10 CLC ruling on pay increases breakdown
Meany continues to growl
Fed reduces discount rate
Castro warmly received in Chile
Harris withdraws from race
RN in Chicago

POLL TAKEN OCT. 28 - NOV. 10: 53 - 46 - 1 (HARRIS)

- 11 Price Board guidelines
PRC delegation arrives
Castro in Chile
Senate passes foreign aid
RN names Butz
RN at Unknown Soldier Tomb
Continuing lull in VN fighting - 6-1/2 year low KIA
- 12 RN news conference on withdrawals
American Division returns
Schorr investigation
- 13-
- 14 Freeze ends: Phase II begins
Military pay raise goes into effect
Connally on monetary problems
Rogers says Soviet arms to Mideast moderate
Mariner sends back Mars photos

- 9 Salute to President Dinners
- 11 Tomb of Unknown Soldier
- 14 WH Worship Service (LBJ Guest)

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| 15 | RN meets with Phase II architects
Unprecedented welcome at UN for
Chicom's
Henderson courtmartial
Phoenix blacks oppose Rehnquist | |
| 16 | Foreign Aid remains in limbo
Pay Board continues to discuss
retroactivity
Civil Rights Comm. again critical
of Admin.
US upset over Chiao's UN speech
Yorty announces | |
| 17 | RN to ignore Hill call for end to VN
AFL-CIO to stay on Pay Board
Enemy moves toward Phnom Penh
Rough day for Butz | 17 Gov. Ronald Reagan |
| 18 | Strong Meany criticism of Pay Board
Improved GNP and inflation figures
PRC sets off A bomb
Foreign Aid moves toward House revival
Senate approves checkoff | |
| 19 | Jackson announces
RN with AFL-CIO
Forest Hills protest | 19 AFL-CIO Convention
Khmer Dancers -
Kennedy Center |
| 20- | | |
| 21 | Pay Board approves miners;
Proxmire gives Boldt hard time;
uncertainty over Phase II
Admin. upset by Meany treatment
Sadat makes war noises
Cambodian war escalates | 20 Greet Wyoming High
School Class |

POLL TAKEN NOV. 19-21: 52 - 33 - 15 (ORC)

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| 22 | Connally blasts Meany
Meany defends treatment
State withdraws Mideast peace effort
ARVN moves into Cambodia | |
| 23 | Confusion continues over Indo-Pakistan
D-J slips below 800; Price Comm.
approves some hikes
ARVN surge loosens enemy grip of
Phnom Penh
Senate rejects Mansfield's NATO cut
Powell-Rehnquist approved by Comm.
RN visits Redskins | |
| 24 | Pak invaded; US looks to UN
RN to meet Pompidou
Stein replaces McCracken | 24 California |
| 25 | RN invokes Taft-Hartley - Gulf Coast
NJ prisoners hold warden
Indo-Pak details fuzzy
Total casualties lowest since '65
Search for parachuting hijacker
Meany in hospital | |
| 26 | RN to meet Heath
US balance of trade worse than ever
DJ biggest jump in 3 months
Indo-Pakistan problems continue
PRC blasts USSR at UN
NJ prison problem solved | |
| 27- | | |
| 28 | Indo-Pakistan
Wasfi Tell assassinated
RN to meet Brandt/Sato
Stans talks in USSR reportedly
successful
Dock workers back to work | 27 DDE Medical Center
Dedication
28 Return to D.C. |

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- 29 RN - PRC date announced
RN warns of Tax Bill veto due
to checkoff
Indo-Pakistan
- 30 RN, Mrs. RN to spend week in China
Gandhi calls on Pakistan to withdraw
from E. Pakistan
G-10 calls US proposal ridiculous
RN won't oppose retroactivity
Mills introduces Revenue Sharing
Boston - desegregation
Richardson on nursing homes

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| 1 | Senate passes Phase II authority
Grayson on price hikes;
D-J jumps 14 points
RN at 4-H
Mrs. RN at Sears | 1 | 4-H Convention, Chicago |
| 2 | Hill defers checkoff
RN at Aging Conference
Butz is sworn in
RN with Meir
Indo-Pakistan
Cambodian setback
Violence in Chile
US moves to cut UN contribution | 2 | WH Conference on Aging
P.M. Golda Meir
Earl Butz Swearing In |
| 3 | Indo-Pakistan
Meir news conference
\$ price falls
Wholesale price increases barely;
unemployed rise as do employed
Chile demonstrations | | |

Principal News Events

Principal Public
Presidential
Activities

December, 1971 (Cont'd.)

4-5	Indo-Pak dominates; UN impotent; US seen pro-Pak with blasts at India N. Ireland terrorism Cambodians retreat Full employment budget accepted by RN Joint US-USSR space flight?	
6	US seen anti-Indian; UN impotence RN with Trudeau Cambodians in trouble AG on prison reform Powell confirmed \$ continues downward	6 Diplomatic Credentials P.M. Trudeau
7	Indo-Pak; US tells of peace efforts Enemy pressure on Phnom Penh Trudeau "delighted" by RN visit Price Comm. rules on steel Kent State cases dropped	7 Pres. Medici Visit
8	Indo-Pak; UN calls for ceasefire Tunney endorses Muskie Pay Board questions Construction Stab. Comm.	
9	Indo-Pakistan RN vetos child care Rogers/Laird at NATO KIA second lowest in 7 years Bunche dead	
10	Rehnquist confirmed Indo-Pak RN signs tax cut D-J up; lower rediscount rate	10 Gen. Chapman - DSM
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12	Indo-Pak; US calls for Security Council session Packard resigns RN to Azores Port Hur on tunnel explosion More terror in N. Ireland Sarnoff dead	12 Depart for Azores