

# Finding Aid for the Watergate Collection, 1974

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## Collection Overview

Title: Watergate Collection, 1974

Collection Number: Law Spec. Coll. 08

Creator: Dixon, William P.

Extent: 45 manuscript boxes (18.77 linear feet)

Language of Material: Collection material in English.

Repository: Charles B. Sears Law Library, State University of New York at Buffalo

Abstract: This collection consists of original notebooks and the investigative files collected by Mr. Dixon when he served as counsel to the United States Congress, House Committee on the Judiciary during the impeachment proceedings regarding President Richard M. Nixon.

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## **Administrative Information**

### Preferred Citation

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### Acquisition Information

Gift of William P. Dixon, 1975.

### Terms of Access

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### Alternate Forms

Some of this material was published as official U.S. government documents and Law Library holdings are so noted in the container list.

### Processing Information

Processed by Kristen Rinaldo, November 2006.

### Accruals and Additions

No further accruals are expected to this collection.

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## **Biographical Note**

William P. Dixon was born December 12, 1943, in Buffalo, N.Y. He received a B.S. in 1965 and a J.D. in 1970 from the State University of New York at Buffalo.

From 1970 to 1972, Dixon was an associate attorney with the Milwaukee law firm of Foley and Lardner. From 1972 to 1973, he was chief counsel to Wisconsin Governor Patrick Lucey.

Dixon was counsel to the U.S. Congress House Judiciary Committee from 1973 to 1975. From 1975 to 1977 he was General Counsel and deputy staff director of the U.S. Congress House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee. From 1977 to 1979 he was U.S. Alternate Executive Director of the World Bank.

Aside from serving as Chief of Staff to Senator Gary Hart from 1985 to 1987, Mr. Dixon was in private practice from 1979 on and at the time of this writing in Madison, Wisconsin, Of Counsel with the firm of Miner Barnhill and Gallard.

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## **Historical Note**

The U.S. House Judiciary Committee was authorized on February 6th, 1974 by H.Res. 803 "to investigate whether sufficient grounds exist for the House of Representatives to exercise its constitutional power to impeach Richard M. Nixon, President of the United States of America." Hearings were held from May through July 1974. Nixon resigned on August 8th, 1974. Useful resources for historical context are listed under Related Resources at the end of this finding aid.

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## **Scope and Content Note**

The collection contains a set of background materials prepared for use by the U.S. House Judiciary Committee in its impeachment investigation of President Richard M. Nixon in 1974. Included are many handwritten notes. Some of this material was published as official government documents and Law Library holdings are so noted.

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## **Arrangement**

The collection is arranged in 17 series:

I. Dixon Notebooks - Statements of Information

II. Statements of Information - Table of Contents

III. Index to Investigative Files - House Committee on the Judiciary

IV. Summary of Information

V. Briefing Book

VI. Minority Memorandum on Law and Evidence

VII. Draft Articles of Impeachment

VIII. Cambodia

IX. Nomination of Richard G. Kleindienst for Attorney General

X. Stenographic Minutes of Hearings Before the House Judiciary Committee - Impeachment Inquiry

XI. White House Tape Transcripts

XII. Impeachment Inquiry Staff Reports

XIII. Secondary Material (Used by Dixon)

XIV. Congressional Record

XV. Dixon Background Notes

XVI. Government Documents

XVII. Supplemental Material contains William Dixon's nine notebooks which are numbered I to IX (not to be confused with Series numbering). Each notebook contains an overall table of contents and is in original order. Series II-XVI each preserve William Dixon's working order and several of these series have self-contained tables of contents or outlines as noted. Series XVII contains materials added by the processor.

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## Container List

### I. Dixon Notebooks - Statements of Information

This series contains notebooks kept by William P. Dixon, counselor. They contain the evidence assembled by the Impeachment Inquiry Staff for the House Judiciary Committee. Each book contains an overall table of contents. They also contain the Statements of Information. Note: Also available in Law Library KF 27 J8 1974d  
I notebooks are numbered I to IX. Each book is divided into sections and sub-section (e.g. 2.1-3.4). Each subsection (.1) has a Table of Contents preceding it. Series II contains all of these Table of Content pages.

<b>Box-folder</b>	<b>Contents</b>
1.1-1.6	Book I: Events prior to the Watergate break-in, December 2, 1971- June 17, 1972
1.7-3.2	Book II: Events following the Watergate break-in, June 17, 1972- February 9, 1973 (allegations involving Presidential interference with the official Department of Justice investigation).
3.3-5.3	Book III: Events following the Watergate break-in, June 20, 1972- March 22, 1973 (allegations concerning payments of "hush" money to Watergate defendants to insure their silence, offers of leniency and executive clemency, and the making or causing to be, of false statements to persons connected with an official investigation of Watergate; chronology of events between February 9 and March 22, 1973).
5.4-7.10	Book IV: Events Following the Watergate break-in, March 22, 1973- April 30, 1973 (events relating to the President's investigation of the alleged Watergate break-in and cover-up between March 22 and April 30, 1973).
7.11-9.4	Book V: Testimony of Richard Kleindienst before the Senate Judiciary Committee in February 1972 regarding the commencement, prosecution and settlement of the anti-trust action against the International Telephone and Telegraph Corporation.
9.5-10.11	Book VI: Political contributions pledged and made by milk producers; cooperatives from 1969 through 1972 for the benefit of the President's re-election campaign and the Administration's decision to increase price supports on dairy products.
11.1-14.10	Book VII: Domestic surveillance activities directed by the White House
14.11-15.6	Book VIII: Alleged efforts by White House officials to acquire information from the Internal Revenue Service and to direct certain IRS activities.

15.7-17.8 Book IX: Events following the Watergate break-in, April 25, 1973-present [July 31, 1974] (the history of the Special Prosecutor's activities and the President's continuing investigation).

## II. Statements of Information- Table of Contents

This series describes what is contained in the notebooks in Series I and includes the same sheets that are at the beginning of each sub-section in the notebooks.

II is divided by Dixon notebook volume and is separated by markers indicating volume number.

<b>Box-folder</b>	<b>Contents</b>
17.9	Books I-II
17.10	Book III
17.11	Book IV
17.12	Book V
18.1	Book VI
18.2-18.3	Book VII
18.4	Book VIII
18.5-18.6	Book IX

## III. Index to Investigative Files- House Committee on the Judiciary

This series contains the Index to the source materials accumulated by the Impeachment Inquiry Staff, House Committee on the Judiciary then held in the Inquiry Staff Library.

An Introductory Note describes the following organization: "Documents and Testimony Related to the Six Areas of Investigation, Materials Received from the White House, Court Documents and Transcripts of Testimony, Senate Select Committee Testimony, Executive Session Testimony."

<b>Box-folder</b>	<b>Contents</b>
18.7-18.9	Documents and testimony related to the Six Areas of investigation: Domestic Surveillance, Campaign Intelligence, Watergate Break-in and Aftermath, Agency Practices, Personal Finances, Other Conduct in Office
18.10	Materials Received from the White House, Court Documents and Transcripts of Testimony, Senate Select Committee Testimony, Executive Session Testimony

## IV. Summary of Information

This series contains a summary of the information collected in the investigation of the Watergate break-in and cover-up. Note: Also available in Law Library KF 27 J8 1974f.

IV is divided into four sections as indicated by the Table of Contents which is located in the first folder of the series. It indicates the organization below. Each section has separations. Table of Contents is provided as follows:

## **I. Watergate:**

*The Organization of the White House and its Relationship to CRP [Committee to Reelect the President]*

*The Approval of a Political Intelligence Plan Including the Use of Electronic Surveillance*

*The Implementation of the Political Intelligence Plan*

*The President's Response to the Arrests*

*Containment- July 1, 1972 to Elections*

*Payments*

*Clemency*

*Deception and Concealment*

*The President's Contacts with the Department of Justice, March 21, - April 20, 1973*

*April 30, 1973 to the Present*

*Appendix A*

*Appendix B*

## **II. Abuse of Presidential Powers**

*Introduction*

*Illegal Intelligence Gathering: 1. 1969-71 Wiretaps; 2. Joseph Kraft Wiretap and Surveillance; 3. The "Huston Plan"; 4. The Donald Nixon Surveillance and Wiretap; 5. Daniel Shore Investigation*

*Special Investigations Unit*

*Concealment of Evidence of Intelligence Gathering Activities: 1. Concealment of Records of 1969-71 Wiretaps; 2. Concealments of the Plumbers Activities; 3. The Offer of the Position of FBI Director to Judge Byrne; 4. Misuse of the Internal Revenue Service*

*Kleindienst Appointment "ITT"*

*The Department of Agriculture*

*Improvements Made by Government Agencies to the President's Properties*

*Conclusion*

## **III. The Refusal of the President to Comply with Subpoenas from the Committee on the Judiciary**

*The Committee's Subpoenas and the President's Responses: 1. Efforts of Committee to Obtain Pertinent Materials from White House; 2. The President's Response to Letters and Subpoenas*

*The Power of the House in and Impeachment Inquiry*

*The Power of the House in and Impeachment Inquiry: 1. Relevance or Need; 2.*

*Presidential Claim of Executive Privilege*

*The President's Refusal to Comply with the Committee's Subpoenas as Grounds for Impeachment*

#### IV. Willful Tax Evasion."

<b>Box-folder</b>	<b>Contents</b>
18.11	I. Watergate. Sections A-G
18.12	I. Watergate. Sections H-J
18.13	I. Watergate. Sections J-Appendix B
19.1	II. Abuse of Presidential Powers
19.2	III. The Refusal of the President to Comply with Subpoenas from the Committee on the Judiciary- IV. Willful Tax Evasion

#### V. Briefing Book

This series contains William Dixon's outline of chronologies and issues.

<b>Box-folder</b>	<b>Contents</b>
19.3	Briefing Book

#### VI. Minority Memorandum on Law and Evidence

This series contains an assessment prepared by the Minority staff of the Statements of Information presented by the Impeachment Inquiry staff to the Committee "during the course of its Inquiry, including factual analysis and arguments both for and against the sufficiency of the evidence as to grounds for impeachment of the President."

#### **VI is divided into sections separated into the following:**

*"Introduction-General*

*Abuse of Presidential Powers- Introduction*

*Response to Committee Subpoenas*

*Tax Deduction for Gift of Papers- Introduction*

*Kleindienst Confirmation Hearings*

*Government Expenditures at San Clemente and Key Biscayne*

*Tax Deduction for Gift of Papers*

*The Huston Plan*

*Internal Revenue Service*

*Watergate- Criminal Law Analysis"*

Also available in Law Library KF 27 J8 1974a

<b>Box-folder</b>	<b>Contents</b>
19.4	Minority Memorandum on Law and Evidence

#### VII. Draft Articles of Impeachment

This series contains draft comments from Robert W. Kastenmeier indicating his beliefs about the impeachment of President Nixon. Includes final report added by the processor taken from "Debate on Articles of Impeachment," located in folder 35.9 of this collection. An article from the *New York Times*: Commager, Henry Steele. "Five



Grounds for Impeaching the President" *New York Times* June 28, 1974 and five draft versions of articles of impeachment is also included.

VII is organized with drafts and article at the beginning of the folder and the draft articles are separated by numbered separators.

<b>Box-folder</b>	<b>Contents</b>
19.5	Draft Articles of Impeachment

### VIII. Cambodia

This series contains the Statement of Information Concerning the Bombing of Cambodia. "This staff report is designed to enable the Committee to assess the allegations that the President and other Administration officials misrepresented to the Congress the facts concerning the bombing of Cambodia by the United States Air Force during 1969-1971." Pages 5-13 have been replaced by a summary of section II and III so as to provide "the Committee with a summary of the facts concerning the actual bombing operations without disclosing top secret, secret or classified materials." Supplemental Submission Concerning Bombing of Cambodia "are items requested by various members of the Committee during the course of the staff's presentation of its Report on the Bombing of Cambodia on June 21, 1974."

VIII is divided according to the Table of contents for Statement of Information Concerning the Bombing of Cambodia (more detailed version found in first folder):

*"Introduction*

*I. Background*

*II. The Actual Bombing of Cambodia*

*III. Reporting of Air Strikes in Cambodia*

*IV. Statements up to July 16, 1973*

*V. Statements Following Secretary of Defense Schlesinger's Letter of July 16, 1973, Acknowledging Pre-Incursion Bombing of Cambodia*

*VI. Appendix*

*VII. List of Sources"*

Contents for Supplemental Submission Concerning Bombing of Cambodia (Found in Introduction):

*"Part I: Five maps of Cambodia, four of which depict the strike zone areas for the bombing operations discussed in part II of the June 21 report.*

*Part II: A memorandum setting forth a "Statement of the Statutory Law Relating to the Bombing of Cambodia"*

*Part III: Provides copies of the court opinions (three) in Holtzman v Schlesinger.*

*Part IV: Deals with the protests filed with the United Nations by the Cambodian government.*

*Part V: Official publication of the Senate Armed Services Committee hearings on the Bombing of Cambodia"*

Also available in Law Library KF 27 J8 1974d.

<b>Box-folder</b>	<b>Contents</b>
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19.6	Statement of Information Concerning the Bombing of Cambodia
19.7	Supplemental Submissions Concerning Bombing of Cambodia: Part I-III
19.8-19.9	Supplemental Submissions Concerning Bombing of Cambodia: Part IV-V

IX. Nomination of Richard G. Kleindienst for Attorney General

This series contains news clippings regarding the hearings on the nomination of Richard G. Kleindienst to be Attorney General from *The New York Times* and the *Washington Post* February 25, 1972- June 28, 1972.

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**Contents**

20.1-20.2	Newspaper Articles about Nomination of Kleindienst for Attorney General
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X. Stenographic Minutes of Hearings Before the House Judiciary Committee-Impeachment Inquiry

This series contains the House of Representatives Report of Proceedings Held Before the Committee on the Judiciary: Impeachment Inquiry- Executive Session July 9, 1974-July 19, 1974 (Vol. 24-30, 32). Volumes 24-30 volume have 2 copies- One that was Chairman Rodino's and one that was Dixon's, while Volume 32 is Chairman Rodino's copy only.

X is divided by volume and each of these has a label on the side indicating the person whose testimony and related materials are included.

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**Contents**

20.3-20.4	Vol.24 - July 9, 1974 Bittman- Mitchell
20.5-20.6	Vol.25 - July 10, 1974 Mitchell
20.7-20.8	Vol.26 - July 11, 1974 Dean
21.1-21.2	Vol.27 - July 12, 1974 Peterson
21.3-21.4	Vol.28 - July 17, 1974 Colson
21.5-21.6	Vol.29 - July 16, 1974 Colson- Kalmbach
21.7-22.1	Vol.30 - July 17, 1974 Kalmbach
22.2	Vol.32 - July 19, 1974

XI. White House Tape Transcripts

This series contains comparisons of passages from "Transcripts of Eight Recorded Presidential Conversations" by the Committee of the Judiciary House of Representatives and "Submission of Recorded Presidential Conversations" by President Richard M. Nixon April 30, 1974. Transcripts prepared by the Impeachment Inquiry Staff for the House Judicial committee of various conversations.

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**Contents**

22.3	Comparison of Passages
22.4-22.8	Transcripts prepared by the Impeachment Inquiry Staff.

## XII. Impeachment Inquiry Staff Reports

This series contains three reports compiled by The Impeachment Inquiry Staff (May-June 1974).

Also available in Law Library KF 27 J8 1974d

<b>Box-folder</b>	<b>Contents</b>
23.1	"Presidential Statements on the Watergate Break-in and Its Investigation"
23.2	"Report on the Impoundment of Funds"
23.3	"Report on Government Expenditures Made on President Nixon's Private Properties at San Clemente and Key Biscayne"

## XIII. Secondary Material (Used by Dixon)

This series contains books pertaining to the Watergate Investigations with Dixon's handwritten notes.

<b>Box-folder</b>	<b>Contents</b>
23.4-23.5	New York Times. <i>The Watergate Hearings: Break-in and Cover-up</i> . Bantam Books: New York, 1973 (2 copies)
23.6	Gold, Gerald, ed. <i>The Whitehouse Transcripts</i> . Bantam Books: New York, 1974
23.7	Altman, Herb, ed. <i>Quotations from Chairman Sam: The Wit and Wisdom of Senator Sam Ervin</i> . Harrow Books: New York, 1973.
23.8	Chester, Lewis et. al. <i>Watergate: The Full Inside Story by the London Sunday Times Team, Lewis Chester, Cal McCrystal, Stephen Aris and William Shawcross</i> . Ballentine Books: New York, 1973
23.9	<i>Juris Doctor</i> Vol.4 No.8, September 1974. Contains a published chart that may have been derived from the chart found in folder 29.8.
24.1	Dickenson, William P. ed. <i>Watergate: Chronology of a Crisis</i> . Congressional Quarterly, Inc.: Washington D.C., 1973.

## XIV. Congressional Record

Volumes marked "damaged" are unavailable.

<b>Box-folder</b>	<b>Contents</b>
24.2	No. 113 (July 30, 1974)
24.3	No. 114 (July 31, 1974)
24.4	No. 115 (August 1, 1974)
24.5	No. 116 (August 2, 1974)
24.6	No. 117 (August 3, 1974) *Damaged
No. 118	(August 6, 1974)
25.2	No. 119 (August 7, 1974)
25.3	No. 120 (August 8, 1974)

## XV. Dixon's Background Notes

## XV.A News Clippings

Subseries A has been kept in original order as received. All folder titles are from the original folders. Some folders had numbers written on them and those are noted parenthetically after the description.

<b>Box-folder</b>	<b>Contents</b>
25.5-25.6	"Newspaper Articles": News clippings from late July and Early August 1974 pertaining to impeachment from various newspapers, including <i>New York Times</i> , <i>Washington Post</i> , <i>National Observer</i> , <i>Chicago Tribune</i> , <i>Washington Star News</i> . Also, the <i>Congressional Record</i> .(2.23)
26.1-26.2	"Colson": News clippings about Colson's testimony and conviction; Memorandum from Ehrlichmen to attorney General ( May 5, 1971) about ITT case; Evidence involving Colson about ITT, Watergate, Plumbers, Dairy; scope of testimony by Colson and a transcript of the Opening statement. (2.24)
26.3	"St. Clair Defense": Handwritten notes of the "St. Clair Presentation"; <i>New York Times</i> article about St. Clair's
26.4	"Impeachment": Impeachment Resolution and article about Ehrlichman
26.5	"Watergate": News clippings; handwritten notes; F.A.S. Public interest report, "Presidential Statements on the Watergate break-in and its Investigation", compiled by the Impeachment Inquiry Staff
26.6	"ITT": Handwritten notes (indicates Book V, Vol. 1,2,3 see boxes 7-9), subpoena of President Nixon, news clippings
26.7	"Witnesses": Suggestions of witnesses by St. Claire; motion to call witnesses; memorandums from Dorothy Hubt to Bittman; scope of testimony by Mitchell, Dean, Peterson, O&#39;Brien, La Rue, Bittman, Kalmbach; handwritten notes; exhibits from testimony
26.8	"Plumbers": Handwritten notes; news clippings from the <i>New York Times</i> and <i>Washington Post</i>
26.9	"Agency Practices": News clippings; photocopy of "Investigation into Certain Charges of the Use of the Internal Revenue Service for Political Purposes" (gov. doc.)
26.10	"Personal Finances": News clippings
26.11	"Campaign Intelligence": Dixon's handwritten notes
26.12	"Domestic Surveillance": Dixon's handwritten note; news clippings
26.13	"Persons": News clippings, transcript from CBS News show "Face the Nation" with interview of Colson

- 26.14 "Dobrovir Brief": "The Offenses of Richard M. Nixon: A Lawyer's Guide for the People of the United States of America" by Dobrovir, Gebhardt, Buffone, Oakes.
- 27.1-27.2 "Previous Impeachments": summaries of testimony given by witnesses given before the Senate Select Committee on Presidential Campaign Activities; Dixon's handwritten draft of a memorandum that outlines the American history of impeachments; articles pertaining to the history of impeachment.
- 27.3-27.5 "Law": Memorandum from Dixon with attached document "Bribery as an Impeachable Offence" by Robert D. Poling; correspondence; law review articles; news clippings; memorandum from Hillary Rodham and Maureen Barden with attachment, "Why President Nixon Should be Impeached" and "The First Pamphlet Proposing the Creation of Committees of Correspondence to Redeem the Constitution of the United States by Causing the Impeachment of Richard M. Nixon" by American Civil Liberties Union; draft memorandum from Kirkpatrick; memorandum "Constitutional Grounds for Presidential Impeachment" prepared by the Impeachment Inquiry Staff; draft memorandum from Labovitz; second pamphlet from American Civil Liberties Union; Dixon's handwritten notes.
- 27.6 "Editorials": News clippings; statement of James Larson at the Hearings regarding the nomination of Gerald Ford as Vice President of the United States.
- 27.7-28.1 "Speech": News clippings; "Review of a Report Submitted to the U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia Entitled "the Taper of June 20, 1972"; excerpts from testimonies; Dixon's handwritten notes
- 28.2-28.5 "Memos for Committee Members": Memos from Dixon to Congressmen with attached documents
- 28.6 "Milk": News clippings relating to milk issue
- 28.7-28.8 "Misc.": News clippings, "The September 15th White House Conversation: Cause for Impeachment of Richard Nixon and an Investigation of the Department of Justice"
- 28.9-29.1 "Historical and Personal": Pamphlet "We're Fed Up! Catholics Crucifying Nixon"; "Assignments for Write-ups"; memorandums about staff and filing systems; news clippings; Report of the House of Representatives "Investigatory Powers of the Committee on the Judiciary With Respect to its Impeachment Inquiry"; drafts of letter recommending the impeachment of Nixon; staff lists; "Work of the Impeachment Inquiry Staff as of March 1, 1974"; note slipped under door of hallway behind Committee Room, "Why I will Vote for Impeachment" by Lawrence J. Hogan. (1.5)

- 29.2-29.3 "Additional Papers": "Papers in Criminal Cases Initiated by the Watergate Special Prosecution Force as of May 10, 1974", *Chicago Tribune* from May 1, 1974 (separated and found at the end of the collection); news clippings; "Background Information for White House Staff and President Nixon's Campaign Organizations"
- 29.4 "Misuse of CIA": Dixon's Handwritten notes (1.15)
- 29.5-29.6 "Summaries of S.S.C. Testimony": News clipping about Dixon; Dixon's handwritten notes; list of names; briefings; Report of Proceedings briefing; memos; Stenographic Minutes of the Impeachment Inquiry Procedures (Vol.33) revised final draft; Subpoena of Marshall; "Conclusions of Facts" (full size newspapers separated and moved to the end of the collection) (1.16)
- 29.7 "RWK Speech": "Report to the Committee on the Judiciary of the House of Representatives"; news clipping; Dixon's handwritten notes. (1.17)
- 29.8 "May 30 Open Meeting": First draft of speech recommending impeachment; news clippings; handwritten notes referring to Book VIII (see Series I, boxes 14-15); handwritten drafts of memos by Dixon to Congressman Waldie and others; articles about Nixon's use of racial epithets; drafts of names of those charged, their charges and dispositions. Also contains negatives and copies for the final list in a separate envelope (1.18)
- 29.9 "May 23": Dixon's handwritten notes (1.19)
- 29.10 "May 22": Dixon's drafts of memos; release from Office of the White House Press Secretary on the topic of Milk Support Price Decisions; statement of Rodino, Jr., "Summary" (1.20)
- 29.11 "May 21": Dixon's handwritten notes; statement of Rodino, Jr. (1.21)
- 29.12 "May 16": Memos, Dixon's handwritten notes, (discussion of Book II- see Series I, Boxes 1-3) (1.22)
- 30.1 "May 15": Dixon's handwritten notes; "Transcript prepared by the impeachment inquiry staff"; responses on behalf of the president to subpoenas for tapes; activity log for president for June 20, 1972. (1.23)
- 30.2 "May 14": Dixon's handwritten notes; transcript of a recording by the president; "Questions for Mr. Doar"; memo; request for further materials from St. Claire (1.24)
- 30.3 "May 9": Dixon's handwritten notes on meeting; news clipping; opening statement by Hutchinson; statement of Rodino, Jr., (1.25)
- 30.4 "Note": note stating "Try to get notes on other briefings to balance these because my personal notes are 1 sided to serve as devil's advocate" (1.26)

- 30.5 "Article I": drafts and revisions of Article I of Articles of Impeachment (2.1)
- 30.6 "Misc. Papers on 7/24/74": "Articles of Impeachment voted by Judiciary Committee; "Impoundments"; full Committee notice of meeting; memorandum with attached *United State v Nixon* Supreme Court document; "Direct Evidence" items, transcripts of conversations provided by St. Claire (2.2)
- 30.7 "Wiretaps": news clippings; portion of draft of Article II (2.3)
- 30.8 "Article II": Dixon's handwritten notes; different drafts and suggestions for Article II; memorandum from Dixon (2.4)
- 30.9 "Article III": materials respecting proposed Article III- Failure to Comply with Subpoenas (2.5)
- 30.10 "Article 4- Cambodia": drafts and suggestions for Article IV (2.6)
- 30.11 "Article 5- Taxes": "Summary of Facts Supporting Conclusion That the President Willfully Evaded Portion of Income Taxes for Years 1969-1972" (2.7)
- 30.12 "Article II": draft of article II, Article II as amended (2.8)
- 30.13 "W. House": News clippings pertaining to the defense of Nixon (2.9)
- 30.14 "Senate": News clippings related to the Senate (2.10)
- 30.15 "General": News clippings (2.11)
- 30.16 "Hearing": News clippings (2.12)
- 30.17 "Personal": Committee on the Judiciary "Impeachment Inquiry" from May 9, 1974 (2.13)
- 30.18 "Hearings-2": News clippings (2.14)
- 30.19 "Impeachment": News clippings (2.15)
- 30.20 "Ford Testimony-Oct. 17, 1974": correspondence between Dixon and Ford, Hungate and Ford, Hungate and Jaworski; draft of letter; memo from the ACLU with attached articles; "Syllabus" of *United States v. Nixon, President of the United States et al*; Supreme Court documents; news clippings; Witness List for Oct.1, 1974; "The Record of the Subcommittee on Criminal Justice's Action on House Resolutions 1367 and 1370, Privileged Resolutions of Inquiry"; "Significant Facts Relating to Resolutions of Inquiry"; H.R.16619, H.R. 16750, H.R. 16751, H.R. 16756, H.R. 16794, H.R. 16798, H.R. 16878, H.J. Res. 1118, H.J. Res. 1121, H.J. Res. 1126, H.J. Res. 1130, H.J. Res. 1139, H. Con. Res. 629, H. Con. Res. 630, H. Con. Res. 632, H. Con. Res. 633, H. Con. Res. 636, H. Con. Res. 646, H. Res. 1361, "Full, Final Report of the Special Prosecutor", H. Res. 1367, H. Res. 1368, H. Res. 1375, H. Res. 1382, H. Res. 1385, H. Res. 1363, H. Res. 1370. (2.16)
- 31.1 "Impeachment Procedures- May 2, 1974": "Impeachment Inquiry Procedures" (multiple copies- of various drafts one with amendments by the committee on May 2 underlined in red);

"Procedures for Handling Impeachment Inquiry Materials"; memo with attachment of adopted "Impeachment Inquiry Procedures"(3 copies); draft of "Report of the Subcommittee of Courts, Civil Liberties and the Administration of Justice to the Committee on the Judiciary Respecting Impeachment Inquiry Procedures"; opening statement of Kastenmeier; draft of Statement on Informal Planning Statement; "Motion of Congressman Wiggins"; H. Res. 803; "Drafts of Procedures for Judiciary Committee; "Investigatory Powers of Committee on the Judiciary with Respects to its Impeachment Inquiry (report No. 93-774); blank proxy vote form; amendments proposed by various people on committee with handwritten notes by Dixon. (2.17)

- 31.2-31.3 "Selected Important Articles- 8/12/74": "The Nixon Memorial Library: A Proposal for the Committee to Resurrect the President"(satirical); memo from Magruder to Butterfield (1 "fake copy" and one authentic copy); news clippings (2.18)
- 31.4-31.5 "July 13-19": Table of contents to news clippings, news clippings (similar to Subseries B but missing numerous pages and includes others not on the table of contents) (2.19)
- 31.6 "Conclusion of Facts": "Conclusion of Facts" July 2, 1974 (2.20)
- 31.7 "Cates, July 3, 1974": "Following facts lend further support to the conclusion that P intended to conceal the break-in from the very beginning..." (2.21)
- 31.8-31.10 "Ehrlichman Notes": "Ehrlichman Notes" with handwritten notes by Dixon; photocopy of "Ehrlichman Notes" (2.22)
- 32.1 "Articles- 1975": News clippings from 1975
- 32.2-33.2 "Articles": from end of July- Early August of 1974 ( Approx. July20-August 12, 1974)

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35.5	"Impeachment: Selected Materials on Procedure: Committee on the Judiciary, House of Representatives, Ninety-third Congress, second session." Washington: U.S. GPO, 1974. Committee Print. Also in Law Library: KF 4868 A25 1974
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- 36.3 "Impeachment of Richard M. Nixon President of the United States: report of the Committee on the Judiciary, House of Representatives, Peter W. Rodino, Jr., chairman." Washington: U.S. G.P.O., 1974. House Report 93-1305, House Document 93-339. Also in Law Library: KF 32 J8 1974
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- 36.5 "The EOB Tape of June 20, 1972" Report on a Technical Investigation Conducted for the U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia by the Advisory Panel on White House Tapes.
- 36.6-40.2 "Statement of information : hearings before the Committee on the Judiciary, House of Representatives, Ninety-third Congress, second session, pursuant to H. Res. 803, a resolution authorizing and directing the Committee on the Judiciary to investigate whether sufficient grounds exist for the House of Representatives to exercise its constitutional power to impeach Richard M. Nixon" Washington : U.S. Govt. Print. Off., 1974. Books I-XII (Missing Books VII- Part 2, VIII) Also in Law Library: KF J8 1974a (12 vol.)
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## XVII. Supplemental Material

These folders in the Watergate Collection contain biographical material, correspondence and additional background materials added by the processor.

### **Box-folder**

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### **Contents**

Biographical information and correspondence: Biographical article from "The Milwaukee Journal" copied from folder 29.5, print-out of William P Dixon's "Attorney Profile" from his employer Miner, Barnhill and Galland, correspondence to editor of the "The Opinion" announcing the gift of these papers to the library, email correspondence between Mr. Dixon and library personnel regarding the collection.

- 45.3 Background: Photocopy of first three pages of "Debate Articles of Impeachment" (from folder 35.9) indicating Dixon as Counsel to the Committee on the Judiciary, "Break-in to Pardon: A Chronology" printed from website, "Revisiting Watergate" printed from <http://www.washingtonpost.com>.
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