Dita Beard memo

- 29 Feb 72 Column by Jack Anderson on Dita Beard memo. NOSI 29 Feb 72
- 2 Mar 72 Anderson releases text of memo. NOSI 2 Mar, NYT 3 Mar 72
- 3 Mar 72 Dita Beard located in Denver hospital. Had flown to Denver 2 Mar, suffering an attack of angina pectoris on the plane, and was admitted to the hospital 3 Mar.

 NYT 11 Mar 72
- 6 Mar 72 In testimony before Senate Judiciary Committee
 Mrs. Beard's doctor, Dr. Victor Liszka, says
 that when he examined her in Denver over the
 weekend (6 Mar a Monday) she told him she had
 written the memo.
 SFEx 6 Mar 72
- 17 Mar 72 "Mrs. Dita Davis Beard branded as a 'hoax,' a 'forgery' and a 'cruel fraud' today a memorandum attributed to her"

 NYT 18 Mar 72, Ripley
 - "'If the memo was false, why didn't she deny it immediately,' asked Sen. Birch Bayh (D-Ind), who said he found Mrs. Beard's statement 'almost unbelievable.' Her repudiation of the memo came less than 25 hours after other ITT officials testified [15 Mar] that several sacks full of ITT files were shredded just after Anderson quoted the memo in his column."

 SFXX 18 Mar 72, William J. Eaton