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Hunt - Review by William Hogan of "Compulsive Spy," by Tad Szulc.

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Ervin committee subpoenas - Ford says that, since suggesting 6 Jan that a compromise is possible, he has talked with Haig and that WH is willing to negotiate with the committee.

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Ehrlichman meets with Jaworski; LATimes reports he is being offered a chance to plead guilty to a single felony charge if he cooperates with the prosecution in other Watergate cases. Not known if this would involve Watergate or Fielding break-ins.

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Nixon (support) - Rally of 200 "young persons" in San Francisco, part of a nationwide 40-day prayer and fast called by Rev. Sun Myung Moon of Korea.

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Rev. Sun Myung Moon of Korea - see entry, Nixon (support).

Oil - LATimes, datelined Beirut: "Both Arab leaders and Western diplomats are deeply concerned over the possibility of American military intervention to seize Middle East oil fields, despite Pentagon moves to ease the tension. Asked if the Arabs are needlessly apprehensive on the subject, the American ambassador to an oil-producing nation said [today]: 'I wish they were.' .... Arab commentators have expressed the fear that President Nixon, beset by Watergate and economic troubles at home, might welcome a military diversion abroad. .... "

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Iran - NYT: "Iran has reportedly accepted a United States offer to sell it 30 Grumman F-14A fighters at a total cost of \$900 million, including spare parts.

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Harris poll, taken 7-10 Jan (published 18 Jan): "President Nixon's popularity fell in January to the lowest level in the Harris Poll [30 per cent] since he became chief executive."  
"More people, 47 per cent, think Mr. Nixon should resign than those who think he should not, 42 per cent."

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