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Nixon (Mao) - "Nixon has confided to friends that [Mao Tsetung] has invited him to pay a return visit to Peking [as a private citizen]. Nixon hasn't accepted the invitation, he said, because he wants to complete his memoirs before he ends his long isolation at San Clemente."

WXP 13 Aug 75, Jack Anderson and Les Whitten

Mao Tse-tung - See entry, Nixon (Mao).

Nixon (tapes and papers) - "Ford Administration sources" say the administration is considering asking a panel of Federal judges to clarify whether the WH has the power to release the Nixon tapes and papers subpoenaed by the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence. Lawyers for the WH and Nixon contend that the court order issued last Oct by Judge Charles R. Richey of the Federal District Court makes no provision for a Congressional investigative committee to gain access to the materials, now in the temporary custody of Buchen and Sampson.

Judge Richey, in his order, halted general publication of the material until the case can be decided, but he made exceptions which permit access to the material for subpoenas in excisis criminal cases or from grand juries, or in the case of "current Government business." The order provides that Buchen, after notifying Miller, may have access to the material for use in handling "current Government business." WH and Nixon lawyers say they think that portion of the court order did not "contemplate" giving materials to Congressional investigative committees; NYT says "a half dozen" Congressional requests for such material have been turned down on this basis. The Senate select committee is the first Congressional committee to issue a subpoena for it.

NYT 14 Aug 75, Nicholas M. Horrock

Nixon (Senate Select Committee) - See entry, Nixon, tapes and papers.

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(A)- See entry 15 Aug 75, Donald M. Kendall.
- See entry 13 Oct 75, Nixon, return to public life.