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## 'Positive' Outlook

Washington

Treasury Secretary William E. Simon emerged from a meeting with President Nixon yesterday declaring, "I've never seen the President in a more positive, affirmative frame of mind."

Simon, who reported to Mr. Nixon on his recent mission to the Middle East and Europe, was asked to assess the President's mood at the House Judiciary Committee moved toward formal recommendation of impeachment.

The secretary said Mr. Nixon "concentrated intensively" on the economic subjects they discussed during an hour-long session.

Responding to other questions, Simon said it is his "very definite and strong opinion" the House will not impeach Mr. Nixon.

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