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Sale of Nixon New York apartment handled through Franklin National Bank: "In 1969, the trust department of Franklin handled the sale of Mr. Nixon's New York apartment and made the President a 150 per cent profit, with Mr. [Harold] Gleason, according to a source, playing a key role in the transaction. Mr. Nixon paid \$126,000 for the Fifth Avenue residence in 1963 and shortly before the sale, he himself had put a published value on it of \$166,860. It was sold for \$315,000, the largest profit that had ever been made on an apartment in that particular building."

Long, very detailed story deals with the involvement of Michele Sindona with Franklin National Bank, and the gentle treatment given him and the bank by Federal authorities.