From column on presidential candidates, by James Reston:

Even John Connally of Texas, whose enemies in the Democratic Party are almost as numerous as his enemies in the Republican Party, thinks he still just might get the call if Ford and Reagan knock each other off. Especially since — believe it or not — Richard Nixon is still operating in the Western wing,* still thinks Connally would be a good idea, and even that he may have influence through his old buddies to produce the decision.

*[of the Republican Party?]