

# Nixon's Dinner for Big Business

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President Nixon invited 45 men — businessmen, bankers, financiers and personal friends — to the White House last night for a closed discussion of the faltering economy, the devastated stock market and the military move into Cambodia.

He met during the day with his four principal economic advisers — the heads of the Treasury Department, the Council of Economic Advisers and the Budget Bureau plus the chairman of the quasi-independent Federal Reserve Board.

The White House would provide no details of this meeting, but all its participants except Budget Director Robert P. Mayo were on the guest list for the White House dinner.

Twenty-five of the 45 non-government guests are from New York City. They include both the president and chair-

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man of the New York Stock Exchange. Robert W. Haack and Bernard Lasker and Ralph S. Saul, chairman of the American Stock Exchange.

The President's friend and neighbor, C. G. "Bebe" Rebozo of Key Biscayne, Fla., and Dr. W. Kenneth Riland, a New York osteopath who once treated Mr. Nixon, also were invited.

## ROCKEFELLER

One conspicuous absentee was David Rockefeller, chairman of the Chase Manhattan Bank, who earlier this week urged Mr. Nixon to make a public appeal for "a more responsible attitude" toward wage and price increases on the part of both business and labor.

Rockefeller normally is included in the government's discussions with bankers, but deputy press secretary Gerald L. Warren said he did not know whether the New Yorker had been invited.

The White House would provide almost no information about the dinner, and said the advisers' meeting was not specifically in preparation for it.

Even as the four advisers met, the stock market provided its first cheery news in days with a record 32.04-point rise in the Dow Jones industrial index, bringing it to 663.20.

The business and financial leaders meeting with the President:

Robert O. Anderson, Chairman, Atlantic Richfield Co., Philadelphia; John Bogle, President, Wellington Management Co., Philadelphia; Fred J. Borch, Chairman, General Electric Co., New York; Howard E. Buhse, Hornblower & Weeks - Hemphill, Noyes, New York; Louis W. Cabot, President, Cabot Corp., Boston; Alden W. Clausen, President, Bank of America, San Francisco; Isidore M. Cohen, Joseph H. Cohen & Sons, New York; Richard P. Cooley, President, Wells Fargo Bank, San Francisco; James W. Davant, Paine, Webber, Jackson & Curtis, New York; Gordon Edwards, Chairman, Kraftco Corp., New York; Frederick L. Ehrman, Chairman Executive Committee, Lehman Brothers, New York; Max M. Fisher, Chairman, Fisher - New Center Co., Detroit; Harold S. Geneen, Chairman, International Telephone - Telegraph Corp., New York; Albert Gordon, Chairman, Kidder Peabody & Co., Inc., New York; Donald M. Graham, Chairman, Continental Illinois National Bank & Trust Co., Chicago; Robert W. Haak, President, New York Stock Exchange; Robert V. Hansberger, President, Boise Cascade Corp., Boise, Idaho; Gabriel Hauge, President, Manufacturers Hanover Trust Co., New York; Harry A. Jacobs Jr., Bache & Co., Inc., New York; William M. Jenkins, Chairman, Seattle First National Bank, Seattle, Wash.; Edward C. Johnson 2d, Chairman, Fidelity Fund, Boston; Frederick G. Larkin Jr., President, Security Pacific National Bank, Los Angeles; Bernard J. Lasker, Chairman, New York Stock Exchange; Salim L. Lewis, Bear Stearns & Co., New York; John L. Loeb, Loeb, Rhoades & Co., Inc., New York; Daniel Lufkin, Donaldson, Lufkin & Jenrette, New York; Donald S. MacNaughton, President, Prudential Insurance Co. of America, Newark, N.J.; J. Irwin Miller, Chairman, Cummins Engine Co., Inc., Columbus, Ind.; Paul Miller, President, The First Boston Corp., New York; Harvey Mole, U.S. Steel Corporation, New York; William H. Morton, President, American Express Co., New York; William B. Murphy, President, Campbell Soup Co., Camden, N.J.; Robert S. Oelman, Chairman, The National Cash Register Co., Dayton, Ohio; Peter G. Peterson, Chairman of Bell & Howell Co., Chicago; Charles G. Rebozo, Key Biscayne, Fla.; Donald T. Regan, Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith, New York; W. Kenneth Riland, New York; James M. Roche, Chairman, General Motors Corp., Detroit; H. I. Romnes, President, American Telephone & Telegraph, New York; William R. Salomon, Salomon Bros. & Hutzler, New York; Ralph S. Saul, Chairman, American Stock Exchange, New York; Stuart F. Shaw, President, Investors Diversified Services, Inc., Minneapolis, Minn.; V. J. Skutt, Chairman, Mutual of Omaha Co., Omaha, Neb.; Howard Stein, Chairman, Dreyfus Corp., New York; Walter B. Wriston, Chairman, First National City Bank, New York.