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**Nixon Picks a
Top Aide for
Asian Affairs**

Washington

President Nixon has selected career foreign service officer G. McMurtrie Godley to be assistant secretary of State of East Asian and Pacific Affairs, the White House announced yesterday.

Godley, now ambassador to Laos, would succeed Marshall Green, who has been nominated to be ambassador to Australia.

The White House also said Mr. Nixon intends to nominate career foreign service officer Jack B. Kubisch to be assistant secretary of state for inter - American affairs and U.S. coordinator for the Alliance for Progress. Kubisch is now deputy chief of mission in Paris.

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