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Among the comments President Nixon made during a White House picture-taking session with Emperor Haile Selassie of Ethiopia were that the Emperor had probably visited Washington more often than any other head of a foreign government. Mr. Nixon, noting that the Emperor was accompanied by his Foreign Affairs Minister, Dr. Menassie Haile, told the Minister that he was "the

highest-paid interpreter we've ever had in this room." Mr. Nixon also told the Emperor that "your Majesty speaks very good English."