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Nixon (illness) - Nixon leaves hospital, returns to San Clemente, accompanied by Mrs. Nixon and Mrs. Cox.

- Diagnosis on leaving hospital: recurrent phlebitis and pulmonary embolus. Five doctors, who had participated in treatment are with Lungren at news conference after Nixon leaves, say they concur with his diagnosis and planned course of treatment.

AMP-C

- Nixon will not be able to travel to testify at cover-up trial, or to be questioned on deposition, for at least a month; restriction of activity might last three months. AMP-A

- Lungren says that one of the reasons for controlled activity is to prevent Nixon from risking serious bleeding from a stomach ulcer that could develop from the strain he has undergone.

- Lungren would have no objection to doctors appointed by Sirica coming to California, but sees "no reason for it particularly. About the only thing you're going to find now on examination is the residual swelling in the left leg and the rest of it will have to be knowledge from the tests that have been done. So if the individual wants to come out and read some material, that's perfectly all right with me."

NYT 5 Oct 74, Lawrence K. Altman

Nixon (tapes and documents) - Senate passes as emergency legislation, 56 to 7, a bill to repeal Nixon-Sampson agreement and keep Nixon materials under government control and prevent their destruction. The House is not expected to take any action on this until it returns from November election recess, which begins 11 Oct.

AMP-B

WXP 5 Oct 74, Richard L. Lyons

Nixon (transition funds) - Senate Appropriations Committee unanimously agrees to cut funds for first-year support of Nixon to the \$200,000 approved by the House; action also imposes some limits on how the money can be spent.

The funds approved are \$100,000 for use during the transition period, \$55,000 for pension for 11 months (WXP:) "in the fiscal years that he will be eligible", and \$45,000 for staff and office equipment during the five months left in the fiscal year after the transition period ends on 9 Feb. Butler, maid, three military drivers and medical corpsman

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will not be provided at public expense. AMP-D  
WXP 5 Oct 74, Richard L. Lyons

Nixon (security risk?) - Rep. John E. Moss (Dem - Calif)  
urges Ford to halt intelligence briefings for Nixon,  
alleging he is a security risk; says Nixon should be denied  
access to classified Government information because he  
committed illegal acts during his term as President.  
NYT 5 Oct 74 [Reuters]

Nixon (intelligence briefings) - See entry, Nixon, security  
risk?

Sturgis will not ask Ford for a pardon; tells Jack Anderson  
"only a guilty person asks a pardon." (No date)  
WXP 5 Oct 74, Jack Anderson

Nixon (book) - Two hardcover publishing houses (unnamed;  
executives decline to be identified) say Irving Lazar has  
been asking \$750,000 for U.S. hardcover rights to Nixon's  
proposed ~~book~~ memoirs (two volumes). William Sarnoff,  
chairman of Warner Paperback Library, says his firm has  
retained Lazar to sell rights to the memoirs other than  
U.S. mass market paperback rights, and that the firm has  
"a contract with the President to publish his memoirs,"  
signed by Nixon. On Lazar, see entry 8 Sep, Nixon (book).  
NYT 5 Oct 74, Eric Pace

Nixon (legal fees) - Walter Scott says Korff paid Miller  
law firm \$30,000 today.  
WXP 2 Feb 75, Walter Scott

- See entry 23 Jan 75, Korff (President Nixon Justice  
Fund).

Korff - See entry, Nixon (legal fees).

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Ⓐ - Lungren reacts "testily" to a reporters suggestion that the long convalescence might be seen as a device ~~to avoid~~ for Nixon to avoid testifying at cover-up trial.

WXP 5 Oct 74, Leroy F. Aarons

Ⓑ - Bill is sponsored by Sam Ervin and Gaylord Nelson.    NYT says bill contains a flat prohibition against destruction of any Watergate tapes without the consent of Congress.

NYT 5 Oct 74, James M. Naughton

Ⓒ - "Lungren explained that since the anti-coagulant drug thins the blood and discourages clotting, a sharp blow to the leg could precipitate uncontrolled internal bleeding. He said Mr. Nixon will be given Vitamin K tablets to be used in the case of hemorrhage .... "

WXP 5 Oct 74, Leroy F. Aarons

Ⓓ - On Manolo Sanchez (butler? valet?) and his wife, see entry 7 Dec 74, Manolo Sanchez and his wife.