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Nixon (religion) - Evangelist Billy Graham has dinner with Nixon. After dinner they go to Nixon's "small study" and for 2½ hours discuss the bible and pray together.

UPI story is based on report in Albuquerque Tribune, 18 (?) Mar 75.

SFC 19 Mar 75 [UPI]

Nixon (return to private life?) - From report of meeting of Nixon and Billy Graham this evening (entry, Nixon, religion): "Mr. Nixon expressed concern about world affairs ... and indicated he would like to 'make some kind of contribution' to the United States. Graham said he thought Mr. Nixon would like to become a foreign affairs adviser."

See entry 6 Mar 75, Ford on Nixon

Billy Graham - See entry, Nixon (religion).

Vesco - Senate Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations (chairman, Sen. Henry M. Jackson) issues report on 18-month closed-door inquiry into allegations by Franklin Peroff. AMP-A

"The inquiry found ... that the Federal agents, upon being told by [Peroff] that Mr. Vesco, a multimillionaire with ties to the Nixon Administration, had agreed to finance the alleged narcotics deal, began to behave in a manner that 'contributed significantly to the failure' of their own investigation." AMP-B

See entry 18 Jul 73, Vesco (heroin); see entry Oct 73, for other references. See another entry today, Vesco, UPI report ...

Frank Peroff - See entry, Vesco, Senate Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations

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Vesco - UPI report, datelined Mexico City: "José Figueres, former President of Costa Rica, said in a televised interview today that he worked for the C.I.A. in "20,000 ways" since it was founded. He said he believed other Latin-American Presidents had also done so but did not mention any names." [Complete.] See also separate entry on Vesco.

NYT 10 Mar 75 [UPI]; SFC 11 Mar [UPI], longer version.

Jose Figueres } See entry, Vesco.
CIA }

Nixon - "[Governor] Brown vetoes police funds for San Clemente." Undated story.

The funds involved are for the city of San Clemente, and include protection of Nixon estate. "Even without these personnel Nixon will not be exposed to angry elements ['dissidents' and 'mentally disturbed persons']". He still receives the services of 30 Secret Service agents"

SF Sunday Examiner & Chronicle 9 Mar 75, Carol Pogash

- "Gov. Edmund G. Brown Jr. has rejected a request for \$117,000 by the city of San Clemente for Federal 'safe streets' assistance to protect the home of former President Richard M. Nixon. A spokesman for the Democratic Governor said the request failed to meet the intent of the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration, which was set up to help local agencies plan innovative programs to fight crime in the streets." (Story in SFEx, above, says the grant was given automatically each year since 1969; NYT says that "previously the ~~NYT 11 Mar 75 [UPI]~~ money was mandated for Mr. Nixon's protection and could not be vetoed by the state."

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Ⓐ - Staff Study of the Frank Peroff Case, by the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of the Committee on Government Operations, United States Senate - filed with books.

Chapter XIII consists of findings (short summary of case) and conclusions; Chapter XIV provides chronology, 15 Jan 72 to 28 Apr 74.

Ⓑ - See entry 13 Jun 76, AMP-A.