

GL at Berchtesgaden im Catoctins: It is not known that he is there. I think the announcement is that he went there yesterday. Too bad the weather is so bad. Not much falling but it hasn't been dry for more than a week and the ground is very wet. However, there has been so much helicopter traffic I am sure something has been going on there. Off and on we have seen and/or heard them for about 10 days. When we haven't a friend who is closer has. Last Thursday he said that day's traffic was heavy. And it is now arranged so that the press can't get near. They are not generally there unless they think GL is anyway. ...I have descriptions of what was done to the press, how the place is now barricaded, how he is more isolated physically, in what I've written. My belief is that there has been some kind of operation, perhaps connected with the new Counterattack, in the planning or organizing stages. If not something more devious. HW 1/26/74

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