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Pool Report, Air Force ~~One~~ One Kansas City to Washington.

Abroad - Washington, Bagleton, Clark Clifford

Sunday - no golf, no church - afternoon staff meetings

Monday - 5:30 meeting with Horton, Spencer and Cheney about political strategy. Nessen said it will be a "political discussion, where he is going in the campaign."

Nessen said the president is confident he will win on the first ballot in November. "When I told you the mood in the White House was one of quiet confidence, I meant what I said." *Reaction in Omaha termed "good" by Nessen.* Nessen said there will be "no sensational change of direction."

Horton, at meeting on Monday, will pass along recommendation's of Friday's "Kitchen Cabinet" session.

"Nothing startling," Nessen said, in Omaha and Kansas city interviews. He said problem in transcribing what he said was that on the record + off record mixed up.

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