MEMORANDUM
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

MEMORANDUM OF CONVERSATION

PARTICIPANTS:  Voldemar Lein, Minister of Food Industry,
               USSR
               President Nixon
               Major General Brent Scowcroft, Deputy Assistant
               to the President for National Security Affairs
               Donald Kendall, Head of Pepsi-Cola

DATE AND TIME:  Monday, February 12, 1973

PLACE:  Western White House
        San Clemente

Lein:  We have visited many plants in New York and San Francisco.
       We have seen some interesting things. The business contacts we have
       had will be developed now.

The President: We look forward now to an era of cooperation in space
           science, medicine, the whole area of business, and most importantly
           food.

           He makes a good deal. He sells Pepsi Cola and gets vodka
           in return.

Lein:  I saw some very interesting equipment in your plants. And we
       have some that you can use.

           As a result of your meeting with Secretary Butz, I am certain
           we will have good results.

           I was impressed by our warm reception.

The President: I look forward to the visit of General Secretary Brezhnev
     to this country -- to build on what we started in Moscow. Our goal
     is the same as his goal.
Lein: I am grateful that you received us.

Toasts: To friendship between our peoples.

The President: I will try some of your vodka. It is much better than Smirnoff.

Kendall: To show the similarity -- I had a Pepsi tie and the translator took me through the plant speaking Russian.

The President: I will give each of you a colored picture. This is our flag in flowers.

Lein: It is a nice place.

The President: Have the aide get a golf cart and give Mr. Lein a tour.

We had lots of rain -- it's good for farmers.

Lein: It is a beautiful place.

The President: Tell General Secretary Brezhnev that when he comes, in addition to Washington and Camp David, I want him to come here. This is my house and I want him to see it.
1. Located many plants. NY.

2. Have some interesting things.

3. Business contact and show paid will be developed.

4. The present one to work. Soon.

5. Our letter is not urgent. Good friend.

6. Water a good deal (will use) get

7. Saw an interest event in your plans. (we hope some gain)

8. Present of your not of our ability.

9. We will think good words.

10. Impressed by your letter.

11. Have known to only wish to build on what we started is the core.

12. Could find your M. O. S.
Keep on.

To Frequently Used People

Sincerely,

[Signature]

[Date]

[Address]

To whom it may concern:

I had a few items from the清单.

Best regards,

[Signature]

[Date]

[Address]

For the Cozy Room

This is our new place, flowers.

The new place is lovely with flowers.

[Signature]

[Date]

[Address]

Tell Mary that turns the screw in.

Additional comment: I brought the $200 for the flowers that I saw here. Please keep this in the room.

[Signature]

[Date]

[Address]