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NOTES FROM MTG WITH MITTERAND: March 12, 1982

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The President/Mitterand/Clark

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MM: Strange animals -- balance -- happy balance
R: Schedule -- no time to be President
M: Add to busy schedule - informality
R: Two euntes courts here and should have special relations --
concern re FRG and too far from alliance.
M: Major interest issues for natural agreement
-- very long list -- issues
-- disagree; but list
-- economic problem Sov
-- approach to CA econ practice
-- several others agree--security
-- Alliance -- AF and Asia and EW issues
-- We have strong understanding on methodology -- not objections.
Genscher.
-- Recent absence in Paris -- not necessary
1. Disarray in public op re armament on Gy soil -- those
_____ re pacifists and Gy nationalists --
leftists -- basic presence -- Schmid is challenged.
Precocious Schmidt is forced to look for a path -
objective we share -- Francy-Gy: text vigorous --
since if Sov doesn't make coercion on amount, we
would --
-- anything on security is of interest to us.
-- Schmidt needs to be supported verbally and politically. Most
pessimistic.
-- We should be able to maintain his position. Keep Gy in right
direction.

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2.

-- No alliance whenever the leaders are - - problem of
oether Gy
-- problem of geography
particularly of Russian world.

R: Together on thinking.

M: Ottawa -- NATO expanded in hope to bring peace if during.
We must both be strong to avoid war not for sake of big Gy
strong alone.
Geneva talks -- you are negotiating -- I ask of genuine
will of SOV.

R: In negotiations we want removal of missiles in return for which we
not go forward in INF - Sov playing games-- _____freeze
is one sided.

M: I agree -- I said same in Assembly -- even stronger now.
Wish less to see Sov to devastate(?) Europe.

R: Necessary to build military not just because imbalance;
we may be able to _____ arms reduction.
-- Sov economic problems -- window of opportunity.

M: Negotiations must continue . Wiser to tight problems of tac
nuclear and tie to strategic to Eur _____and strategic
is same when hit. Our subs can reach Moscow -- ground to
ground missile strengthened weaponry. 7th nuc sub to be built.
Control a sub better in adequte in time.
Sov may step back if decide to attack .

W We are looking into a number of other weapons.

-- stepped up div of neutron bomb -- haven't given word to construct -- no delay in manufacturing in 84-85.

France a case for strengthen intervention beyond our borders -- can only act if our territory threatened.

France will not slow down military effort not only conventional but also nuclear -- construction to increase military budget and made amount more consistent and _____

notions with you -- stop out wep to B _____ of our aircraft and few runways to be used by military units.

Cooperation in spirit of compromise -- technology exchange -- CRAY computers promised by US Command -- we have done all conditions and we given favorable reponse.

Secret actions more sensitive now -- discuss with Cheysson -- won't dwell now. Econ, credits, gas later.

Purely military; no refusal to cave under will help -- main issue Alliance gets its strength.

R: Thanks, Mr. M. We owe you thanks from past.

Central America. We have evidence that not simple improvement for democratic government.

Please suspend sale of arms while our two Ambassadors verify Sov supply by way of Cuba -- not called revolution as we have known -- verify.

M: Mr. President, we will come back to E-W as viewed by Euro Respond however: not press says says Fr policy not logical -- accept or support pol in CA. Difference in analysis on ills in CA. We have s d enough -- don't repeat. Communism is spreading when it

4.

where it can meet poverty and nationalism. I believe when people are destitute -- _____ dictatorship -- weapons in guise of an _____, democracy will fail. Revolution situation -- different analysis from you -- you are right --= _____ powers. In Cuba will find favorable breeding ground. Attack ill at roots.

Reality of today:

Answer in amount -- we believe risk of domino.

Nic to Mexico. Not reached stage -- we have problem of

Nic -- revolution already won --

Honduras election: democratic policy.

Sal. -- Atrocious civil war. Some of revolutionary figures.

So di _____ always negotiated approach had government or Duarte

Set aside extremes on both sides -- crime is rampant. Fr will do what it can do not by forming flows but prevent crushing flows.

We have made non-_____ sale to Nic. 7 Jan on we have told what equipment sold -- not concealed (Wash. Post). Part of K not yet

been implemented -- _____. Herves not to supply at this moment six weeks ago. to show US we don't want unfriendly

attitude -- Amb. talk - Small K. What has not become supplied will wait and will let you know in advance.

We can't liquidate K - not repeated outside as will deny --

Fr wants not intervene/_____ where war events are

taking place. We have to register and we are not in our

analysis seeks to provoke _____ and should not be sharp

contradiction between parties. Pol analysis -- not a

statement of principle -- will not discuss. As far as should

go. Most deli _____? No new signals?

5.

R: Asked for suspension.

Org. of American State Central America. Do precisely what we are discussing.

Remove problems underlying _____ subject to revolution. Where countries involved, they dominate. Thousands of mil advisors -- teachers -- armed w/ US arms from Viet Nam. Roders to guerillas from Nic. Amb. working to confirm. Rev taken over. Many had honestly rebelled -- what is Nic _____ done to Mesquitos -- religious -- own pattern of government. Don't interfere w/progress of Nic. Samosa allowed separate govt. This govt attacked Figario-_____, tradition.

M: Defected piolet -- flew poor Indians from village and kicked out of window.

M: Econo assistance -- Press conf after Gy summit -- genuine progress on CBI -- Reflects on point -- neighbors support democracy -- discredit -- _____ for Moscow. Cuba -- 15-20 years ago Cuban prob would have diff outcome if handled. Many in America have friendship with Castro. Fr no relations with Castro. Trade relations nil. Lope Portillo and we can speak to Cuba. I have no _____ Castro to Fr. Discreet opposition -- dialogue w/Castro may be o.k. Would be misunderstood by U.S. I don't want misunderstanding -- won't make war on Cuba. I will send greeting to Castro for his birthday. You have told me about Soviets -- If we are to attack root of problem--convey to you but w/deeds = Fr will avoid direct intervention in terms of amount where mil is exist -- we won't aggravate -- before press or otherwise.

6.

R: We have embarked on program -- CBI; to to rest of Americas -- end of disposition before rich and poor -- opportunity for all. Conflict been past history has left impression we are giant from nother seeking to impose selves -- heap but don't impose.

M: We are closer to Portillo than to yourself on Sal -- Fr will contribute to peace -- no emphasis on -- we should make no new delinq (or could be deliveries) -- for which -- WHAT IS LEFT.

2. No new _____ K's.

K we have signed _____.

_____ Monroe -- delay -- self _____ M:

RR de _____ should not become second Monroe Doctrine.

While we intended to --

M: Original common front any Colum _____ difficult -- we should _____ in history ourselves -- but written by others frequently.

R: We don't mention Monroe Doctrine south of border. What

I trust only cartoons -- broke new china -- try not to be too upset. Glue on saddle. Did this inspire Oval Office. Truman point.

M: Old age for Truman 94 widow -- which in WH by daughter. As about Dispose to Sov Union reason FR had to act as it did -- same as US on strategic material and recent decision on credits -- no difference on strategic credit and monetary resources.

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M: stage animals -
best - happy volume
R: schedule - no terms &
be Pres

M: add to way school
informality -

R 2 counties have &
should have spec

sch. - concern re

FRG + 60 for from
Alliance

M: way into raising
for national agreement
- very long list - issues
- describe: short list

econ prob 50-

approach to CA

econ practices

several ^{agree} aspects: security,

science - LF +

Asia + EW issues -

we have strong understanding

on methodology - not

objectives - General

- most abundant

in Paris - not much

1. discovery in part

of or re-orientation

on Ly soil - those

several re-orientation

61
+ Nationalist -

lifted - basic
pressing - Schmitt is
challenged - previous

Schmitt is forced to
look for a fact -

objective we share -
Franco-Sp. text

vigorous - since if
SU don't make

concession on

amount, we would

— length on security
is of interest to us -

Schmitt needs to be

segregated morally &
politically. Most prominent
- we should be able to
maintain his position
Keep Gey in right direction
- no alienation wherever
the leaders are -
proof of other Gey -
proof of Geography -
portability of Russian
world -

R: together on
thinking

M: ~~Obama~~ - NATO
expanded in scope &

bring peace if during
we must look to
strong & avoid war
not for sake of big
strong alone. Hence
talk - yes an
negotiated - I ask of
genuine will of S.U.

R: in negotiated we
want removal of missiles
in return for which we
not go forward in
INF - S.U. playing
game - mutual trust
is one sided

M: I agree - I
said some in
assembly - even
stronger now -
Wish less to see
50 to 60 million Corp.

R: necessary to
build will not just
because of that,
we may be able to
acquire some other
- 50 econ problems =
window of opportunity.

M: Negotiations
and criteria

Wish to high jobs
of Tac nuclear +
tac to strategic -
to our ~~to be~~
→ strategic is
same when hit - our
subs can reach
Moscow - grad to
grad with strategic
weaponry. 7th nuc
sub. To be build.
Control a sub better
departs in time -
SU may stop boat
if decide to attack

We are looking into
a number of other weapons
- stepped up dev of
neutron bomb - hair
pin word to contract
no delay in info in -
'84-'85 info. There is
a case for the
intervention beyond our
borders - can only act
if our security
threatened - Fr will
not slow down mil
effort not only
conventional but

also nuclear - cost
to increase mil budget
+ make amount more
concrete + multiplied
notes w. you - step out
up to Brass of our
aircraft + few programs
to be used by mil units -
Co-operation in spirit
of compromise - Technology
exchange - C2AY

Competes promised by
US Command - we have
done all conditions + we
give favorable response

Some others were
servants now - discuss
w. Chayson - wait devel
now. Econ, credits,
gas lots -

Perly mil: no
refusal to come under
mil help - main issue
Alliance gets its rights

R: Arabs, M:

We owe you Arabs
from past.

R: Central Amer.

we have evidence that
not simple informants

for Eurocentric govt.

Please respond

sale of arms while
over 2 sub. verify

50 supply by way
of Cuba - not cold

relations as we have
known - verify

U. Mr. Pres, we will
come back to EW as

viewed by Eur. Response

however: not press

resp for. Policy

not logical - resp

or support pol in EA

diff in analysis
on ills in C.A. - we
have sd much - don't
repeat. Communism is
spreading when it can
meet poverty & nationalism.
I believe when people
are destitute - bloody
dictatorship - weapons
in guise of an enemy,
democ will fail. Rev
retardation - diff analysis
from you - you are
right - eastern farms
w. Cuba will find

favorable breeding ground.
~~Attract~~ ill at water.

Reality of today:

Cons in movement - we
believe risk of domino
- Mexico to Mexico.

Not reached stage - we
have prob of Mic -
revelations already over -
Honduras election =
democ. polig. Sal: discuss
civil war. Some breeding
figures. See discuss
always neglected approach -
that goes on world

- Set aside extremes
on both sides - cream is
rampant. Fr will do
what it can do not by
penning flows but prevent
crushing flows. We
have made non-sustainable
sale to Mic. 7 ton
on we have told what
edges sold - not
concealed (Wah Poo).
Part of K not yet
been implemented - instead
Haven't to supply at
this moment & who says

seems to promote choice
+ should not be
sharp contradictions
between parties. Pol
analysis - not a
statist of firm - will
not discuss. As for
should go. Not deli[?]
?
No new sig -
~~R: asked for~~
responsibility.

Org. of American States
Central America. Do
precisely what we are
deserving

to show US we don't
want unprovoked attacks -
but talk - Small K.

What has not become
supplied will wait &
will let you know in
advance. We can't
liquidate K - not
repeated articles
will deny - for we
not intending further
when war events are
taking place. We have
to report & we are
not in our analysis

Remove problems which
is subject to revolution
When courts involved,
they demand. Thousands of
Viet advisors - teachers -
armed w. U.S. arms from
Viet Nam. Orders to guerrillas
from N.I.C. and working
to confirm. Rev. taken
over. Many had ~~honors~~
rebelled - what is the Court
done to ~~Messieurs~~ -
religions - own father's part

don't interfere w.
Progress of Me.
Samrose allowed reports
govt. This govt attacked
T-egero-busad. trans.

H: defected pilot -
flew poor evidence from
village + kicked out
of window.

M: Ecan asst -
Pres conf after By
Demit - genuine progress
on CBI - Refers on
point - neglects
support democracy -

- Discussion - news
in Moscow + Cuba -
15-20 yrs ago Cuban
people would have diff
outcome if handled.

Many in Amer have feelings
w. Castro. For no reason
w. Castro. Trade relations
nil. Lopez Brito + we can
speak to Cuba. I have
~~met~~ ^{met} Castro D.F.

Discreet opposition -
dialogue w. Castro
maybe OK. Would be
misunderstood by U.S.

I don't want misunderstanding
- won't make war on Cuba.
I will send greeting to
Castro for his birthday.
You have told me about
Soviet - If we are to
attend root of prob

— convey to you ^{but} —

date = Fr will avoid
divis entangled in
terms of amount when
mail is eff'd — we
work as group — before
pass on other =

R: we have enrolled
in program - CBI; got
rest of America —
end of dispoated before
rich + poor — opportunity
for all - careful be
post history has left
impression we as giants
from north sent by D

impose rules - help
but don't impose -

M: we are closer
to Portillo than to you
on Sol - I'm well
contented & peace -
No explosion -
we shall work
as new delay -
for which -
What is left -

② no new work.
K's.

K we have signed

heads:

Joe Monroe - delay -
sold further M: RP decker
should not be a 2nd
Monroe decker. While
he intended to

M: orig common part
of Colony decker -
we should review our
justly analysis - but
written by other people.

R: we don't maintain
Monroe database good
of hand. Work has
been by people.

P: I trust only Cartoon -
broke new china -
try not to be too
upset. Give on saddle

Did this in paper oval
office. Truman photo -

^M - Old age for Truman

94 widow - Wanda in

WH. by daughter.

ask about

M: Approved & SC
Keown for had to see
as it did - seen on
US on strategic materials
must see on credits
- not diff on strategic
credits + monetary means

M.
Convergence. Food of
itself - refers on ~~geography~~
the R.R. accepted -

geography NB - no
infuse in Tongue -
Prized & suited. has
great interest - US were
interested in Cuba, Am. -

same cannot w. S.V.
1/2 of what is asked to
cross Atl. Suppose say
to cross - more to the

1st Reflex: break w. S.V.
Eon et change. Hy & Pol
driving. Son goes to
be a reality before Pol
tragedy. Hy is ~~to~~ go
you purchase. Capital
w. U.S. Hy had seized
- had been connected.

up to 13 bil. - Orign

by predecessor. Meeting
not completed but pol
K had been entered
into. Car break delayed
tel w. St. When we
speak of supply of strategic
contracts - sale of electronic
components - size of yr
ago: not fulfilled?
— must follow? We
are in process of
ending not to influence
K — new strategic
measures — extraordinary
— class off to handle
— Council part of K —
last CoCom talks

Market is a state of
war - so different -
need gas in an
industry - only 5%
of our energy supply - oil
crisis - we're diversify
- develop nuclear
power - 1/2 in 1990
- we want to survive -
- oil is expensive -
Cost of oil goes up -
- US has ~~retreat~~ in
sing fuel supply away
by crisis. K or gas
- fuelled by the producer

buy in '85 & we have
dictated terms. Would
all engines & fuel
be still supply in case
of ~~interruption~~. Dec is
committing our played
body part. Special loans.
- no more preferred
credit terms & 50.

R: Betty: Credits
to be discussed. Predecessors
have reduced value of
locks. M: Worry volume
between predecessors &
PAPOR for same unit

R.
at Versailles. Superstar
would see us held together
in alliance by strength.
Good relationship. Of course,
non-intentional Poland - rescue
war. M: Skripted in
of you, the destruction
of you? surrounding centers
: India, non helped by
over inner world.
Ascend.

R: SV myro welcome
some type self-being
device. Costly keeping
for SV - bleeding

M: Poland - end
of Century, this week

difficult. Polakay
piece in Soviet hand
In geography of Europe
2 mil borders: Bohemia
& Poland. No Jager
intervention. In Russian
way - being under -
break people & Bohemia
mil pres. Allow Samulczy
to do it. Should be
more serious - no
signs until Soviet
power weakened until end
of century. R: SU is a
hub - bulwark of protection
- satellite - R. expanding
afar. M be careful we
think in same terms - when
no Jager in - SO was
accused of intervention

= mit dictatorship -
not more re-organizing
led - even inside soft
union -

MA 51: enormous problems
Must avoid mit dictatorship
unless war. On part
regime.

Cynicism about people -
M youth - "Kombi"
pol. power rejected by
people, but people ^{wanted} ~~proposed~~
war.

My when is unity with
ambassadors whenever they
wish - not work? - A

- look forward to
arrival - full security will
be provided - lion
metre - spoke with
this &

— Fr. is not a model

— 4 or 5 yrs Cen is aging
but w. great energy +
tradition (Socialism)

M: What agenda
at Versailles?

R: Murphy law —
Not diff from Cen.

Our interest rate up
because of lack of
confidence — but rate

@ 21% =

Inflation loss no 3 1/2%

— anticipated inflation going up

— lack of inflation —

— Oklahoma = full employ

— NW states — Top living
men — school in \$ million

- some success?
Reduce projected budget -
But rates come down?
Also Schley: see what
can be done -

M: press? skin
to ME: superficial -
Schedule?

M: participation
Senai & Johnson -
cerifil - Africa. Chad -
Main thing? - Lelyas?
Resalt - Blue schedule
- when trip start -
Central African -
- thing - where did
blue schedule come
from? Had relations w.
all African countries +
Angola -
Press?

some success?
Reduce projected budget -
but rates come down?
Also Schley: see what
can be done -

M: press? admin

to ME: superficial -

Schedule?

M: participate in

Senai & Lebanon -

central - Africa. Chad -

Main thing? - Libya?

Resalt - Blue schedule

when this stand -

Central Africa -

redig - where did

blue schedule come

from? Had relations w.

all African countries.

Angola -
press?

R.R. - needs from
state. —

should not have
state's been compared

Comm. MATO meeting.

Seems - FR. —

Atlantic Alliance.
MATO.

Keep fully updated
on arms — not
prepared myself
in writing —
protocol done.
Keep me awake —
no Q&A

M.