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PRESIDENT NIXON IN CANADA



Secretary of State William Rogers and President Richard Nixon of the United States, confer with Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau, Secretary of State for External Affairs Mitchell Sharp and National Defence Minister Edgar Benson of Canada, during the President's recent visit to Ottawa.

The President of the United States, Richard M. Nixon, and Mrs. Nixon paid a two-day state visit to Ottawa, from April 13 to 15, during which Mr. Nixon and Prime Minister Trudeau signed the Great Lakes Water Quality Agreement, the result of recommendations by the International Joint Commission, which has been investigating the problem of pollution in the Lakes since 1964.

The presidential party, which included U.S. Secretary of State William Rogers and Mr. Nixon's adviser Henry A. Kissinger, arrived aboard a U.S. Air Force jet at Ottawa's Uplands Airport, where they were greeted by Governor-General and Mrs. Michener and Mr. Trudeau. Replying to welcoming remarks by Mr. Michener, Mr. Nixon spoke of the closeness of Canada and the U.S. as neighbours and pledged that his country would continue to treat Canada as an in-

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