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MEMORANDUM OF CONVERSATION

PARTICIPANTS:

President Nixon

Amb. Warnock

Major General Brent Scowcroft, Deputy Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs

DATE AND TIME:

Saturday, March 17, 1973

12:28 - 12:35 p.m.

PLACE:

Greetings.

Showed silver stanberg bowl with small bunches of shamrock and

Mrs. Warnock pinned shamrocks on President and Mrs. Nixon.

[12:30 -- press photos]

[12:32 -- press out]

Bowl of Irish silver. Packed if you want to export. Warnock said no, want to keep it all for ourselves.

Short discussion of weather (nice that there is no snow) -- Mrs. Nixon wouldn't leave -- fact that Warnocks are going to St. Patrick's dinner in Philadelphia.

The President asked if diValera's son is in the U.S. Evening at the White House tonight and want him to come if he is here.

Warnock -- not here now. Coming in fortnight to give a speech at Georgetown -- is an archeologist.

The President: Mentioned Irish elections. Said new people but still friends.

[Meeting ended at 12:35 p..m.]



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