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General Topics	CONGRESSIONAL RELATIONS; DEFENSE; PRESS RELATIONS; VIETNAM
Topics	RUSSELL ASKS LBJ'S APPROVAL OF STATEMENT HE IS ABOUT TO ISSUE ANNOUNCING INVESTIGATION OF WEAPONS BEING USED IN VIETNAM; LBJ REPORTS THAT MCNAMARA, WESTMORELAND HAVE ASSURED HIM WEAPONS ARE BEST AVAILABLE, DISCOURAGES RUSSELL FROM CONDUCTING INVESTIGATION